2016 Minnesota Student Survey Statewide Race/Ethnicity Tables September 2016

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2016 MINNESOTA STUDENT SURVEY

Survey Participation

The 2016 Minnesota Student Survey (MSS) was administered in the first half of 2016 to students in grades 5, 8, 9, and 11 statewide. Of the 330 public operating districts, 282 agreed to participate (84% of public operating school districts).

Public school student participation was voluntary and surveys were anonymous. Across the state, approximately 66% of fifth graders, 73% of eighth graders, 71% of ninth graders, and 61% of eleventh graders participated in the 2016 Minnesota Student Survey. Overall participation across the four grades was approximately 68% of total enrollment.

All schools and districts that participated in the survey followed federal laws regarding parental notification as required by the Protection of Pupil Rights Amendment (PPRA). PPRA requires that schools that participate in the survey notify parents of the survey administration, provide parents the opportunity to review the survey instrument, and allow parents to opt their child out of participating.

Mode of Administration

In 2016, all students in grades 5 and 8 completed the survey online. Schools with grade 9 and/or grade 11 students could choose to administer the survey online or with the traditional paper survey. Methods could not be mixed within a single school. The survey questions online were the same as those in the paper survey booklets.

Items on the Tables

The accompanying set of tables includes the responses for all survey items. Items are ordered within the tables according to meaningful domains; the order items appear on the tables is not necessarily the order they appeared in the survey. A table of contents is provided on pages v-vi. The grade 5 survey version was shorter than the grade 8 survey version, which in turn was shorter than the grade 9/11 version. The grade 5 and grade 8 versions did not include items appropriate only for older students. Items found on some versions of the survey but not on others are identified on the tables.

New Questions and Year-to-Year Comparisons

Some of the 2016 survey instrument questions were changed from the 2013 survey instrument. While most questions stayed the same, other questions were updated with changes to the question or response options. Some entirely new questions were added, and some questions were dropped. New questions are noted on each table. Caution must be used when making comparisons over time for any questions in which the wording has changed.

Please note that although these surveys are given repeatedly over time, student populations may change between administrations of the survey.

Validity of Responses

Caution was taken to identify invalid responses and remove them from the analysis. Surveys were eliminated when responses were highly inconsistent or there was a pattern of likely exaggeration. The exact percentage of surveys removed will be available in September 2016.

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TABLE 1 DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION

					Gra	ade			
			th		th		th	11	
Total wormshar of acce		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total number of sur	•	2,288	100%	2,628	100%	2,791	100%	2,322	100%
What is your biological sex?	Male	1,104	48%	1,329	51%	1,400	50%	1,129	49%
	Female	1,178	51%	1,290	49%	1,378	49%	1,184	51%
	No answer	6	0%	9	0%	13	0%	9	0%
Age	10	1,037	45%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
	11	1,215	53%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
	12	29	1%	12	0%	0	0%	0	0%
	13	2	0%	1,289	49%	12	0%	0	0%
	14	0	0%	1,280	49%	1,278	46%	0	0%
	15	0	0%	44	2%	1,438	52%	3	0%
	16	0	0%	1	0%	54	2%	1,030	44%
	17	0	0%	0	0%	4	0%	1,209	52%
	18	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	52	2%
	19-20	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	23	19
	No answer	5	0%	2	0%	5	0%	5	0%
Are you a member of any of the	Yes	49	2%	66	3%	65	2%	59	3%
following ethnic or cultural groups? Hispanic or	No	2,010	88%	2,397	91%	2,314	83%	1,893	82%
Latino/a	Not answered	229	10%	165	6%	412	15%	370	16%
Are you a member of any of the	Yes	6	0%	7	0%	15	1%	7	0%
following ethnic or cultural groups?	No	2,054	90%	2,458	94%	2,361	85%	1,937	83%
Somali	Not answered	228	10%	163	6%	415	15%	378	16%
Are you a member of any of the	Yes	954	42%	1,025	39%	1,156	41%	1,072	46%
following ethnic or cultural groups?	No	1,185	52%	1,523	58%	1,541	55%	1,184	51%
Hmong	Not answered	149	7%	80	3%	94	3%	66	3%
American Indian on	ly	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Asian only		2,288	100%	2,628	100%	2,791	100%	2,322	100%
Black, African or Af	rican American only	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Native Hawaiian or I	Pacific Islander only	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
White only		0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Multiple Races (che	cked more than one)	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
No answer		0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%

^{* 5}th and 8th grade surveys asked "Are you male or female?"

TABLE 2 **SEXUAL ORIENTATION; GENDER IDENTITY; GENDER EXPRESSION*** Asian only

			Gra	ıde	
		9	th	11	lth
		Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%
Which of the following best describes you?	Heterosexual (straight)	91%	83%	91%	84%
acce accornace your	Bisexual	1%	7%	2%	5%
	Gay or lesbian	1%	1%	2%	1%
	Not sure (questioning)	7%	9%	5%	9%
Do you consider yourself transgender, genderqueer,	Yes	2%	5%	4%	4%
genderfluid, or unsure about your gender identity?^	No	98%	95%	96%	96%
A person's appearance, style, dress, or the way	Very or mostly feminine	1%	32%	2%	36%
they walk or talk may affect how people	Following les you? Heterosexual (straight) 91% 83%	4%	33%		
describe them. How do you think other people		23%	31%	Intermale Male Fermale % % 8 83% 91% 8 7% 2% 2 1% 2% 3 5% 4% 3 32% 2% 3 34% 4% 3 31% 25% 2 3% 34%	26%
at school would describe you?^	Somewhat masculine	37%	3%	emale Male Fer % % 8 83% 91% 8 7% 2% 1 1% 2% 9 5% 4% 9 32% 2% 3 34% 4% 3 31% 25% 2 3% 34%	4%
		33%	1%	34%	1%

^{* 5}th and 8th grade surveys did not ask these questions. ^ New questions in 2016.

TABLE 3 SCHOOL PLANS; IEP; CHANGING SCHOOLS; ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE

					Gra	ide			
		5	th	th	11	lth			
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
What is the MAIN thing you plan to do RIGHT	I don't plan to graduate from high school			1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
AFTER high school?*	Get my GED			1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%
	Go to a two-year community or technical college			6%	5%	10%	6%	15%	12%
	Go to a four-year college or university			71%	81%	71%	82%	71%	78%
	Get a license or certificate in a career field			4%	5%	3%	3%	2%	3%
	Attend an apprenticeship program			0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Join the military			5%	1%	4%	1%	5%	1%
	Work at a job			6%	3%	5%	2%	4%	3%
	Other			6%	3%	6%	4%	3%	2%
Do you have an IEP or get special education	Yes	12%	9%	8%	6%	9%	6%	7%	5%
services?	No	88%	91%	92%	94%	91%	94%	93%	95%
Since the beginning of this school year, how	0 times	71%	76%	87%	91%	90%	91%	92%	91%
many times have you	1 time	14%	14%	7%	4%	6%	5%	4%	5%
changed schools?	2 times	5%	5%	3%	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%
	3 or more times	9%	6%	4%	3%	3%	2%	2%	2%
How would you describe your grades this school	Mostly As	32%	39%	50%	68%	46%	63%	35%	48%
year?	Mostly Bs	33%	30%	35%	24%	34%	28%	40%	36%
	Mostly Cs	13%	9%	11%	6%	14%	6%	18%	11%
	Mostly Ds	3%	2%	2%	1%	4%	1%	3%	3%
	Mostly Fs	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%
	Mostly Incompletes	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%
	None of these letter grades	17%	18%	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%

^{* 5}th grade survey did not ask this question.

TABLE 4 FEELINGS ABOUT SCHOOL

				th		th		th		1th
			Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %
How often do you care about doing	All of the time		60%	71%	55%	67%	55%	64%	51%	59%
well in school?	Most of the time		32%	24%	35%	28%	35%	29%	37%	34%
	Some of the time		7%	4%	8%	5%	9%	6%	12%	7%
	None of the time		1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%
How often do you go to class	All of the time		6%	5%	4%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%
unprepared?	Most of the time		9%	9%	7%	4%	7%	5%	7%	4%
	Some of the time		44%	34%	50%	35%	51%	40%	51%	42%
	None of the time		41%	52%	39%	57%	39%	52%	38%	50%
How often do you pay attention in	All of the time		28%	44%	29%	32%	26%	29%	22%	26%
	Most of the time		59%	49%	60%	60%	62%	60%	61%	62%
	Some of the time		12%	7%	11%	8%	12%	10%	15%	12%
	None of the time		1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%
How much do you agree or disagree	If something interests me, I try	Strongly agree	45%	44%	52%	48%	54%	54%	63%	59%
with each of the following	to learn more about it.	Agree	51%	53%	46%	50%	43%	45%	35%	40%
statements?		Disagree	3%	3%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%
		Strongly disagree	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	I think things I learn in school	Strongly agree	51%	53%	28%	23%	24%	20%	19%	18%
	are useful.	Agree	44%	43%	61%	65%	63%	69%	62%	65%
		Disagree	4%	3%	10%	11%	11%	10%	15%	15%
		Strongly disagree	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	3%	2%
one of the mos	Being a student is one of the most	Strongly agree	42%	44%	25%	27%	25%	27%	25%	29%
	important parts of who I am.	Agree	47%	46%	57%	55%	58%	56%	56%	53%
		Disagree	9%	8%	15%	15%	15%	15%	16%	16%
		Strongly disagree	2%	1%	3%	3%	2%	1%	3%	2%

TABLE 5 FEELINGS ABOUT SCHOOL; SKIPPING SCHOOL

			_				ade			
				th		th		th		Ith
			Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %
How much do you	Overall, adults at	Strongly agree								
agree or disagree	my school treat students fairly.	• • •	46%	49%	30%	22%	26%	22%	27%	21%
with each of the following	students fairly.	Agree	45%	42%	54%	63%	61%	63%	61%	62%
statements?		Disagree	7%	8%	13%	12%	11%	13%	10%	14%
		Strongly disagree	2%	1%	3%	3%	2%	2%	3%	3%
	Adults at my school listen to the	Strongly agree	40%	40%	25%	18%	24%	16%	23%	15%
	students.	Agree	50%	51%	62%	65%	64%	70%	63%	68%
		Disagree	8%	8%	11%	15%	10%	13%	11%	14%
		Strongly disagree	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	3%	2%
	The school rules are fair.	Strongly agree	43%	50%	21%	16%	22%	17%	17%	15%
		Agree	49%	42%	60%	61%	63%	68%	62%	61%
		Disagree	8%	6%	15%	20%	12%	13%	17%	21%
		Strongly disagree	1%	1%	3%	3%	2%	2%	4%	4%
	At my school, teachers care	Strongly agree	66%	68%	35%	27%	30%	24%	28%	22%
	about students.	Agree	32%	30%	57%	63%	63%	67%	62%	68%
		Disagree	2%	2%	7%	9%	6%	8%	8%	9%
		Strongly disagree	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%
	Most teachers at my school are	Strongly agree	29%	36%	19%	16%	16%	12%	17%	14%
	interested in me as a person.	Agree	57%	52%	58%	57%	56%	58%	55%	55%
		Disagree	12%	11%	19%	23%	24%	27%	23%	25%
		Strongly disagree	2%	1%	4%	4%	4%	4%	5%	6%
During the last 30 days, how many	None				83%	87%	83%	83%	72%	72%
times have you skipped school or	Once or twice				12%	10%	12%	12%	17%	18%
cut classes, but NOT a full day of	3 to 5 times				3%	2%	4%	4%	7%	6%
school, without being excused?*	6 to 9 times				1%	0%	1%	1%	2%	2%
G :	10 or more times				1%	0%	1%	1%	2%	2%
During the last 30 lays, how many imes have you kipped school or	None				87%	90%	88%	89%	83%	82%
	Once or twice				10%	7%	9%	8%	12%	13%
cut a FULL day of school or classes	3 to 5 times				2%	2%	3%	2%	3%	3%
without being excused?*	hool or classes 6 to 9 times				1%	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%
	10 or more times				1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%

^{* 5}th grade survey did not ask this question.

TABLE 6 TIME AWAY FROM CLASS

					Gr	ade			
		5	th	8	th	9	th	11	1th
During the last 30 days	s, how many times have	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
you	-	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
gone to the nurses office?	None	48%	51%	70%	62%	77%	67%	81%	69%
	Once or twice	33%	31%	24%	30%	19%	27%	17%	25%
	3 to 5 times	13%	13%	4%	6%	3%	4%	2%	4%
	6 to 9 times	3%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	0%	1%
	10 or more times	3%	2%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%
stayed home because you were	None	54%	54%	65%	63%	68%	65%	62%	57%
sick?	Once or twice	31%	33%	26%	29%	25%	28%	31%	33%
	3 to 5 times	11%	10%	7%	6%	5%	5%	6%	7%
	6 to 9 times	3%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%
	10 or more times	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%
been sent to the office for discipline?	None	90%	96%	93%	97%	95%	98%	97%	99%
omoo for alcoipinio.	Once or twice	9%	3%	5%	2%	4%	2%	2%	1%
	3 to 5 times	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%
	6 to 9 times	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 or more times	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
had in-school suspension (ISS)?	None	98%	99%	97%	99%	98%	99%	99%	99%
caopencien (icc):	Once or twice	2%	1%	3%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	3 to 5 times	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	6 to 9 times	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 or more times	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
been suspended from school (out-of-	None	99%	99%	99%	99%	99%	99%	99%	99%
school suspension/ OSS)?	Once or twice	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%	0%
U33j f	3 to 5 times	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	6 to 9 times	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 or more times	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

TABLE 7 INTERACTIONS WITH A SCHOOL RESOURCE/POLICE OFFICER*^

Asian only

				Gr	ade					
		8	8th 9th 11th							
		Male Female Male Female Male Fe								
		%	%	%	%	%	%			
Is there a police officer or School Resource	Yes	66%	63%	75%	72%	82%	79%			
Officer (SRO) at your school?	No	7%	5%	2%	2%	2%	3%			
	I don't know	27%	31%	23%	26%	15%	18%			

				Gra	ade		
INCLUDES ONLY THOS	E WHO HAVE A	8	th	9	th	1′	lth
SCHOOL RESOURCE C		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
(SRO) AT THEIR SCHOOL	OL	%	%	%	%	%	%
If I knew about something unsafe or	Strongly agree	39%	35%	30%	30%	22%	23%
illegal at my school, I would tell the SRO or	Agree	47%	50%	46%	50%	50%	52%
police officer	Disagree	12%	14%	18%	18%	23%	21%
	Strongly disagree	3%	2%	6%	2%	5%	4%
I would feel comfortable going to	Strongly agree	22%	13%	19%	18%	19%	16%
my school's police officer/SRO if I was	Agree	49%	48%	49%	44%	46%	44%
having problems or	Disagree	24%	33%	25%	31%	27%	31%
needed help	Strongly disagree	5%	6%	7%	7%	8%	9%
I think it is a good idea to have an SRO or	Strongly agree	53%	54%	49%	53%	43%	45%
police officer at our school	Agree	43%	43%	45%	45%	51%	50%
3011001	Disagree	2%	2%	3%	2%	5%	4%
	Strongly disagree	2%	0%	2%	1%	2%	1%

^{* 5}th grade survey did not ask these questions. ^ All questions on this table were new in 2016.

TABLE 8 PERCEPTIONS OF SAFETY

						Gra	ade			
			5	th	8	th	9	th	1	1th
			Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
			%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
How much do you agree or disagree	I feel safe going to and from	Strongly agree	58%	55%	50%	41%	47%	40%	45%	38%
with each of the following	school.	Agree	37%	40%	45%	54%	49%	55%	50%	56%
statements?		Disagree	4%	4%	4%	5%	3%	4%	4%	5%
		Strongly disagree	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	I feel safe at school.	Strongly agree	58%	60%	43%	36%	41%	35%	40%	34%
		Agree	36%	35%	48%	55%	51%	56%	53%	56%
		Disagree	5%	4%	7%	9%	7%	8%	6%	8%
		Strongly disagree	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%
	I feel safe in my neighborhood.	Strongly agree	50%	47%	50%	45%	49%	41%	46%	38%
	g	Agree	38%	41%	44%	50%	45%	53%	47%	53%
		Disagree	9%	10%	5%	5%	5%	5%	5%	8%
		Strongly disagree	2%	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	I feel safe at home.	Strongly agree	77%	75%	68%	62%	68%	61%	65%	60%
	nome.	Agree	20%	23%	31%	35%	30%	36%	33%	37%
		Disagree	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	3%	1%	2%
		Strongly disagree	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%

TABLE 9A AFTER SCHOOL SUPERVISION

						ade			
		5th Male Female Male			th		th		1th
During a typical week, how often do you	no to the following places after school?	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %
I stay at my school or go to another	0 days	82%	80%	68%	65%	54%	50%		42%
school	1 day	5%	6%	9%	12%	13%	16%	13%	17%
	2 days	3%	4%	6%	7%	10%	11%	14%	14%
	3 to 4 days	3%	3%	5%	5%	10%	9%	11%	11%
	5 days	7%	7%	12%	11%	13%	13%	12%	15%
My home or another home such as a	0 days	35%	31%	22%	18%	20%	19%	21%	18%
friend's, relative's or neighbor's	1 day	16%	20%	13%	14%	13%	15%	14%	14%
	2 days	8%	8%	8%	9%	10%	8%	11%	11%
	3 to 4 days	7%	7%	8%	9%	10%	10%	11%	12%
	5 days	33%	34%	48%	50%	46%	48%	43%	44%
A rec, community or other youth center	0 days	86%	86%	81%	84%	83%	87%	82%	84%
	1 day	6%	6%	9%	8%	9%	8%	8%	10%
	2 days	3%	3%	5%	4%	3%	3%	5%	4%
	3 to 4 days	3%	2%	3%	2%	3%	1%	3%	2%
	5 days	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	0%
A park or other outdoor space	0 days	57%	58%	59%	66%	62%	69%	66%	72%
	1 day	21%	19%	17%	18%	16%	17%	16%	16%
	2 days	10%	10%	11%	10%	11%	9%	11%	9%
	3 to 4 days	7%	7%	8%	5%	6%	3%	5%	3%
	5 days	6%	5%	4%	2%	5%	2%	3%	1%
A library	0 days	72%	67%	83%	80%	85%	78%	83%	74%
	1 day	19%	22%	11%	15%	9%	15%	11%	17%
	2 days	4%	6%	4%	3%	3%	4%	4%	6%
	3 to 4 days	2%	3%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%
	5 days	3%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
A church, synagogue, mosque, or other spiritual/religious place	0 days	78%	76%	81%	78%	82%	80%	85%	81%
- Francisco	1 day	15%	17%	14%	16%	12%	14%	11%	11%
	2 days	3%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	3%	5%
	3 to 4 days	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%
	5 days	3%	2%	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%
A job*	0 days					92%	92%	72%	63%
	1 day					2%	3%	5%	7%
	2 days					2%	3%	8%	12%
	3 to 4 days					2%	1%	10%	14%
	5 days					1%	1%	5%	4%

^{* 5}th and 8th grade surveys did not ask this question.

TABLE 9B AFTER SCHOOL SUPERVISION*

		Gra	ade
		5	th
		Male	Female
		%	%
During a typical week, how often are you home alone or	0 days	59%	63%
somewhere unsupervised after school?	1 day	17%	16%
school?	2 days	10%	10%
	3 days	5%	5%
	4 days	1%	2%
	5 days	7%	5%

^{*} Only 5th grade survey asked this question.

TABLE 10A BEING BULLIED FOR SPECIFIC REASONS

					Gra	ade			
During the last 30 days,	how often have	5	th	8	th	9	th	11	1th
other students harasse	d or bullied you for any	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
of the following reasons	s?	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Your race, ethnicity or national origin	Never	82%	83%	69%	72%	76%	75%	79%	81%
national origin	Once or twice	14%	14%	21%	21%	16%	18%	14%	15%
	About once a week	2%	2%	4%	4%	3%	4%	3%	3%
	Several times a week	1%	1%	4%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%
	Every day	1%	0%	2%	1%	3%	1%	2%	1%
Your religion	Never	85%	87%	88%	90%	89%	92%	93%	92%
	Once or twice	11%	11%	9%	8%	7%	6%	5%	6%
	About once a week	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%
	Several times a week	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%
	Every day	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%
Your gender (being male, female,	Never	89%	88%	95%	90%	96%	93%	96%	94%
transgender, etc.)^	Once or twice	8%	10%	3%	8%	2%	5%	2%	5%
	About once a week	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Several times a week	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%
	Every day	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Your gender expression (your style,	Never					87%	78%	90%	88%
dress, or the way you	Once or twice					10%	16%	7%	8%
walk or talk)*^^	About once a week					1%	3%	2%	2%
	Several times a week					1%	2%	1%	1%
	Every day					1%	1%	1%	1%

^{* 5}th and 8th grade surveys did not ask this question.
^ Change in question wording from 2013 for 9th-11th grade survey to include "transgender, etc." 5th and 8th grade surveys did not include this change.
^^ New question in 2016.

TABLE 10B BEING BULLIED FOR SPECIFIC REASONS

					Gra	ide			
During the last 20 days	how often have	5	th	8	th	9	th	1.	lth
During the last 30 days, other students harasse	d or bullied you for any	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
of the following reasons		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Because you are gay, lesbian or bisexual, or	Never			93%	95%	96%	95%	96%	98%
because someone	Once or twice			4%	4%	2%	4%	3%	2%
thought you were*	About once a week			1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%
	Several times a week			1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	Every day			1%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%
A physical or mental disability	Never	90%	94%	96%	96%	96%	96%	96%	97%
aisabiiity	Once or twice	7%	4%	3%	3%	3%	3%	2%	2%
	About once a week	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Several times a week	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Every day	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%
Your size or weight [^]	Never	76%	79%	84%	79%	85%	79%	87%	84%
	Once or twice	17%	15%	12%	15%	12%	15%	10%	11%
	About once a week	3%	2%	2%	2%	2%	3%	1%	2%
	Several times a week	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	Every day	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Your physical appearance^	Never	81%	82%	81%	75%	85%	77%	87%	84%
арреатапсе	Once or twice	13%	15%	14%	19%	12%	18%	10%	12%
	About once a week	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%	3%	2%	2%
	Several times a week	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	Every day	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%

^{* 5}th grade survey did not ask this question. ^ Change in question wording from 2013.

TABLE 11 BEING BULLIED OR HARASSED AT SCHOOL; BEING CYBERBULLIED

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				th		th		th		lth Famala	
			Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	
During the last 30 days, on how	pushed, shoved slapped, hit or	Never	72%	79%	84%	89%	89%	92%	94%	93%	
many days have other students at	kicked you when they weren't	Once or twice	22%	16%	12%	8%	8%	7%	5%	5%	
school	kidding around?	About once a week	3%	3%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	
		Several times a week	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	
		Every day	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	
	threatened to beat you up?	Never	80%	90%	88%	92%	92%	96%	94%	96%	
		Once or twice	16%	7%	9%	7%	6%	4%	5%	3%	
		About once a week	3%	2%	2%	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%	
		Several times a week	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	
		Every day	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
	spread mean rumors or lies	Never	73%	69%	82%	77%	89%	82%	89%	85%	
	about you?	Once or twice	20%	24%	13%	18%	9%	13%	8%	11%	
		About once a week	3%	3%	2%	3%	1%	2%	1%	1%	
		Several times a week	3%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	
		Every day	1%	2%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	
	made sexual jokes, comments	Never			85%	82%	89%	84%	89%	86%	
	or gestures towards you?*	Once or twice			9%	12%	7%	11%	7%	10%	
		About once a week			2%	3%	1%	2%	1%	3%	
		Several times a week			2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	
		Every day			2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	
	excluded you from friends, other	Never	76%	67%	83%	70%	88%	72%	88%	77%	
	students or activities?	Once or twice	18%	24%	12%	22%	9%	20%	9%	17%	
		About once a week	3%	3%	2%	2%	2%	3%	1%	3%	
		Several times a week	2%	3%	1%	3%	1%	2%	1%	2%	
		Every day	2%	3%	1%	3%	1%	2%	1%	1%	
During the last 30 days, how often	Never		85%	81%	89%	86%	90%	88%	90%	90%	
have you been bullied through e-	Once or twice		10%	14%	9%	12%	8%	9%	6%	8%	
mail, chat rooms, instant messaging,	About once a week		3%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	0%	1%	
websites or texting?	Several times a wee	ek	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	
	Every day		1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	

^{* 5}th grade survey did not ask this question.

TABLE 12 BULLYING OR HARASSING OTHER STUDENTS AT SCHOOL

				-			ade			
				th		th		th		lth
			Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %
During the last 30 days, how many	pushed, shoved slapped, hit or	Never	85%	90%	89%	93%	93%	96%	95%	97%
times at school	kicked someone when you weren't	Once or twice	13%	8%	9%	6%	5%	3%	4%	3%
	kidding around?	About once a week	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
		Several times a week	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
		Every day	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
	threatened or beat someone up?	Never	92%	95%	91%	95%	94%	96%	95%	97%
		Once or twice	7%	4%	7%	4%	5%	3%	3%	3%
		About once a week	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
		Several times a week	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
		Every day	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
spread mean rumors or lies	Never	89%	88%	93%	92%	96%	93%	95%	95%	
	about someone else?	Once or twice	9%	11%	5%	7%	3%	6%	4%	4%
		About once a week	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%
		Several times a week	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
		Every day	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	made sexual jokes, comments	Never			89%	93%	91%	94%	91%	95%
	or gestures towards someone	Once or twice			8%	5%	6%	5%	5%	4%
	else?*	About once a week			1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%
		Several times a week			1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%
		Every day			1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
	excluded someone from	Never	87%	85%	90%	86%	93%	87%	94%	91%
	friends, other students or	Once or twice	11%	11%	8%	12%	5%	11%	4%	7%
		About once a week	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
		Several times a week	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
		Every day	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%

^{* 5}th grade survey did not ask this question.

TABLE 13A ENRICHMENT ACTIVITIES

						Gra	ade			
			5	ith	8	th	9	th	11	1th
			Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
			%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
or community offer a variety of	Yes		48%	51%	66%	66%	68%	68%	67%	68%
programs for people your age to participate in outside of the	No		10%	8%	6%	4%	4%	4%	6%	4%
regular school day?	I don't know what pavailable in my cor		42%	41%	28%	30%	28%	29%	27%	28%
During a typical week, how often	Sports teams, such as park and	0 days	56%	60%	53%	57%	58%	63%	58%	67%
do you participate in the following	rec teams, school teams, in-house	1 day	7%	14%	7%	9%	6%	6%	7%	6%
ctivities outside f teams or traveling teams^	2 days	14%	11%	10%	8%	8%	9%	8%	6%	
	3 to 4 days	11%	9%	13%	13%	10%	9%	10%	9%	
		5 or more days	11%	7%	17%	13%	18%	15%	17%	13%
	School sponsored activities or clubs	0 days	78%	75%	75%	68%	71%	59%	62%	51%
	that are not sports, such as	1 day	12%	12%	10%	15%	11%	17%	14%	19%
	drama, music, chess or science	2 days	4%	6%	7%	7%	8%	12%	11%	13%
	club	3 to 4 days	3%	3%	5%	6%	4%	7%	7%	11%
		5 or more days	3%	3%	3%	4%	5%	5%	6%	5%
	Tutoring, homework help or	0 days	75%	80%	83%	84%	84%	83%	77%	68%
	academic programs	1 day	11%	9%	9%	9%	9%	10%	10%	16%
		2 days	6%	4%	5%	5%	4%	4%	10%	11%
		3 to 4 days	3%	4%	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%	3%
		5 or more days	4%	3%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%

[^] Change in question wording from 2013.

TABLE 13B ENRICHMENT ACTIVITIES

					Gra	ade			
		5	th	8	th	9	th	11	lth
During a typical week, how often do yo	u participate in the following activities	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
outside of the regular school day?		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Leadership activities such as student government, youth councils or	0 days	89%	88%	90%	85%	90%	85%	83%	69%
committees	1 day	6%	8%	6%	10%	6%	9%	9%	17%
	2 days	3%	2%	3%	3%	2%	4%	5%	7%
	3 to 4 days	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	4%
	5 or more days	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%
Artistic lessons, such as music or dance^	0 days	77%	57%	79%	59%	81%	64%	82%	74%
	1 day	12%	21%	10%	18%	9%	16%	9%	13%
	2 days	5%	8%	5%	9%	5%	8%	4%	5%
	3 to 4 days	2%	7%	3%	6%	2%	5%	2%	3%
	5 or more days	4%	7%	3%	9%	3%	6%	3%	5%
Physical activity lessons, such as tennis or karate [^]	0 days	70%	72%	71%	70%	73%	78%	75%	82%
tolling of Rafato	1 day	9%	12%	7%	9%	7%	5%	7%	5%
	2 days	7%	6%	8%	7%	5%	5%	5%	4%
	3 to 4 days	8%	6%	8%	8%	7%	6%	5%	4%
	5 or more days	6%	4%	7%	7%	8%	6%	8%	4%
Other community clubs and programs such as 4-H, Scouts, Y-clubs or	0 days	90%	92%	92%	93%	92%	92%	90%	91%
Community Ed	1 day	5%	5%	5%	4%	4%	5%	6%	6%
	2 days	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	3 to 4 days	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%
	5 or more days	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%	0%
Religious activities such as religious services, education or youth group	0 days	83%	80%	82%	75%	81%	79%	84%	80%
oor rioco, caacaaan or youth group	1 day	11%	13%	13%	18%	13%	14%	10%	12%
	2 days	3%	3%	4%	5%	4%	5%	4%	6%
	3 to 4 days	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%
	5 or more days	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%

 $^{^{\}wedge}$ Change in question wording from 2013.

TABLE 14 QUALITY OF YOUTH ACTIVITIES^

					Gra	ade			
		5	th	8	th	9	th	11	1th
When you spend time d		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
of the regular school da	•	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
feel safe?	Rarely or never	5%	4%	4%	2%	3%	2%	3%	2%
	Sometimes	17%	19%	12%	13%	11%	14%	10%	15%
	Often	30%	31%	34%	43%	39%	42%	42%	44%
	Very often	48%	46%	50%	42%	46%	42%	45%	39%
learn skills like teamswork or	Rarely or never	12%	12%	10%	9%	10%	10%	9%	8%
leadership?	Sometimes	27%	28%	27%	29%	30%	32%	28%	29%
	Often	32%	28%	35%	38%	37%	37%	38%	39%
	Very often	29%	32%	28%	23%	23%	21%	25%	23%
develop trusting relationships with	Rarely or never	15%	14%	9%	9%	9%	11%	8%	8%
peers your age?	Sometimes	26%	29%	23%	29%	22%	29%	25%	33%
	Often	30%	26%	37%	36%	42%	38%	41%	38%
	Very often	29%	31%	31%	26%	27%	23%	27%	21%
develop trusting relationships with	Rarely or never	15%	15%	13%	12%	12%	14%	10%	14%
adults?	Sometimes	28%	27%	29%	35%	30%	36%	33%	33%
	Often	29%	27%	33%	33%	37%	34%	35%	36%
	Very often	28%	30%	25%	20%	21%	17%	22%	18%
help make decisions?	Rarely or never	17%	14%	11%	9%	10%	9%	7%	6%
	Sometimes	45%	41%	37%	41%	36%	37%	38%	37%
	Often	26%	32%	36%	36%	38%	38%	38%	41%
	Very often	12%	13%	15%	14%	17%	16%	17%	16%
do something that gives you joy and	Rarely or never	6%	5%	6%	5%	6%	4%	4%	5%
energy?	Sometimes	19%	19%	18%	20%	19%	21%	23%	25%
	Often	33%	32%	38%	36%	40%	39%	40%	44%
	Very often	41%	45%	38%	39%	35%	35%	33%	26%
learn skills that you can use in a future	Rarely or never	16%	18%	11%	12%	12%	12%	11%	10%
job?	Sometimes	30%	35%	32%	36%	35%	36%	35%	35%
	Often	27%	23%	32%	33%	32%	32%	34%	36%
	Very often	27%	23%	24%	18%	20%	20%	20%	19%

[^] All questions on this table were new in 2016. These items are a subscale of the Constructive Use of Time Scale from the Developmental Assets Profile (DAP) (Search Institute, Minneapolis, MN).

TABLE 15 FAMILY COMPOSITION AND SITUATIONS

]				Gra				
		5	th	8	th	9	th	11	1th
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
Which adults do you live with?	Both biological parents	67%	% 69%	% 71%	68%	70%	68%	% 68%	63%
	Both adoptive parents	4%	8%	5%	7%	4%	7%	4%	7%
	Mother and stepfather	3%	3%	4%	4%	4%	5%	5%	6%
	Father and stepmother	0%	0%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%
	Mother and partner	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Father and partner	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Mother only	11%	9%	10%	10%	10%	11%	12%	14%
	Father only	2%	1%	3%	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%
	Sometimes with mother, sometimes with father	8%	6%	3%	5%	4%	3%	2%	2%
	Other (relatives, foster care, etc)	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	3%	3%
	No adults	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
During the past 12 months, have you stayed in a shelter, somewhere	No			88%	88%	91%	90%	93%	96%
not intended as a place to live, or someone else's home because you had no	Yes, with my parents or an adult family member			11%	12%	8%	9%	6%	4%
other place to stay?*	Yes, on my own without any adult family members			1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%
Have any of your parents or guardians ever been in all or prison?*	None of my parents or guardians has ever been in jail or prison			88%	88%	88%	89%	90%	90%
	Yes, I have a parent or guardian in jail or prison right now			1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%
	Yes, I have had a parent or guardian in jail or prison in the past			12%	11%	11%	10%	10%	10%

^{* 5}th grade survey did not ask this question.

TABLE 16 PARENTAL COMMUNICATION

	·				Gra	ade			
		5	th	8	th	9	th	1	1th
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Can you talk to your father about problems you are	Yes, most of the time	38%	31%	38%	24%	33%	22%	28%	18%
having?	Yes, some of the time	35%	37%	32%	32%	33%	29%	30%	29%
	No, not very often	18%	20%	17%	24%	18%	26%	22%	25%
	No, not at all	5%	7%	7%	12%	10%	13%	12%	17%
	My father is not around	5%	5%	6%	9%	6%	9%	9%	10%
Can you talk to your mother about problems you are	Yes, most of the time	49%	57%	50%	47%	41%	44%	38%	38%
having?	Yes, some of the time	33%	28%	29%	32%	36%	33%	33%	36%
	No, not very often	13%	11%	13%	14%	14%	16%	17%	17%
	No, not at all	4%	3%	6%	6%	7%	6%	9%	8%
	My mother is not around	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	3%	1%

TABLE 17 PERCEPTIONS OF FAMILY AND OTHERS CARING

					Gra				
		5	th	8	th	9	th	11	lth
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
How much do you feel	1	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
your parents care about you?	Not at all	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%
	A little	2%	3%	3%	4%	3%	4%	4%	4%
	Some	4%	5%	6%	9%	6%	10%	7%	14%
	Quite a bit	12%	11%	15%	17%	19%	20%	23%	22%
	Very much	82%	80%	75%	68%	71%	65%	65%	59%
other adult relatives care about you?	Not at all	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%	4%	3%	4%
,	A little	5%	4%	4%	7%	5%	8%	6%	10%
	Some	11%	12%	13%	18%	16%	20%	20%	23%
	Quite a bit	30%	22%	31%	29%	33%	33%	32%	28%
	Very much	52%	61%	51%	43%	45%	35%	38%	34%
. friends care about you?	Not at all	4%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	3%
	A little	7%	6%	6%	8%	7%	8%	7%	7%
	Some	21%	16%	22%	18%	22%	20%	25%	26%
	Quite a bit	34%	29%	39%	35%	38%	34%	36%	33%
	Very much	34%	48%	31%	37%	31%	35%	30%	32%
teachers/ other adults at school care about you?	Not at all	3%	1%	5%	5%	5%	7%	7%	6%
· · · · · •	A little	7%	6%	11%	17%	14%	16%	18%	22%
	Some	15%	13%	29%	32%	33%	37%	33%	36%
	Quite a bit	31%	32%	33%	28%	29%	27%	27%	23%
	Very much	44%	47%	21%	18%	19%	13%	15%	12%
adults in your community care about you?	Not at all	9%	6%	15%	14%	13%	18%	20%	21%
,	A little	13%	13%	15%	21%	21%	24%	22%	26%
	Some	25%	21%	29%	28%	31%	28%	30%	26%
	Quite a bit	27%	28%	24%	23%	20%	20%	15%	17%
	Very much	28%	31%	17%	14%	15%	11%	13%	9%

TABLE 18 FAMILY SUBSTANCE ABUSE; PHYSICAL AND SEXUAL VIOLENCE*

				Gr	ade		
		8	th	9	th	1	1th
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Do you live with anyone who drinks too much alcohol?	Yes	9%	9%	9%	9%	9%	9%
	No	91%	91%	91%	91%	91%	91%
Do you live with anyone who uses illegal drugs or abuses prescription	Yes	2%	2%	3%	3%	2%	3%
drugs?	No	98%	98%	97%	97%	98%	97%
Does a parent or other adult in your home regularly swear at you,	Yes	12%	15%	11%	17%	10%	15%
nsult you or put you lown? Has a parent or other adult	No	88%	85%	89%	83%	90%	85%
Has a parent or other adult in your household ever hit beat, kicked or physically hurt you in any way?	Yes	19%	17%	18%	17%	16%	15%
nurt you in any way?	No	81%	83%	82%	83%	84%	85%
Have your parents or other adults in your home ever slapped, hit, kicked, punched or beat each	Yes	8%	10%	8%	9%	8%	11%
other up?	No	92%	90%	92%	91%	92%	89%
Has any adult or other person outside of the family ever touched you	Yes	2%	3%	1%	4%	1%	5%
sexually against your wishes or forced you to touch them sexually?	No	98%	97%	99%	96%	99%	95%
Has any older or stronger member of your family ever touched you or had	Yes	1%	3%	1%	3%	1%	4%
you touch them sexually?	No	99%	97%	99%	97%	99%	96%

^{* 5}th grade survey did not ask these questions.

TABLE 19 RELATIONSHIP VIOLENCE*

				Gr	ade		
		8	th	9	th	1	1th
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Have you ever had a boyfriend or girlfriend in a dating or serious relationship who called you	Yes	4%	5%	3%	8%	5%	11%
names or put you down verbally?	No	96%	95%	97%	92%	95%	89%
	Yes	3%	1%	3%	2%	4%	4%
	No	97%	99%	97%	98%	96%	96%
Have you ever had a boyfriend or girlfriend in a dating or serious relationship who pressured you into having sex when you did not want to?**	Yes			2%	5%	2%	9%
	No			98%	95%	98%	91%
Have YOU ever done any of the following to a boyfriend or girlfriend in a dating or serious relationship: called	Yes	2%	2%	2%	4%	4%	9%
him/her names or put him/her down verbally?	No	98%	98%	98%	96%	96%	91%
Have YOU ever done any of the following to a boyfriend or girlfriend in a dating or serious relationship: hit,	Yes	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%	3%
slapped or physically hurt him/her on purpose?	No	99%	99%	99%	98%	98%	97%
Have YOU ever done any of the following to a boyfriend or girlfriend in a dating or serious relationship:	Yes			1%	0%	2%	1%
pressured him/her into having sex when he/she did not want to?**	No			99%	100%	98%	99%

^{* 5}th grade survey did not ask these questions.
** 8th grade survey did not ask this question.

TABLE 20 GENERAL HEALTH AND HEALTH CONDITIONS

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						ade			
			ith	8	th		th		1th
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
How would you describe your health in general?	Excellent	31%	34%	27%	23%	25%	19%	22%	14%
	Very good	35%	35%	37%	36%	37%	34%	32%	32%
	Good	28%	26%	27%	33%	27%	34%	31%	38%
	Fair	5%	4%	7%	7%	10%	11%	12%	14%
	Poor	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%
Do you have any physical disabilities, or long-term health problems (such as asthma, cancer,	Yes	12%	8%	11%	10%	11%	11%	6%	8%
diabetes, epilepsy or something else)? Long-term means lasting 6 months or more.	No	88%	92%	89%	90%	89%	89%	94%	92%
Has a doctor or nurse ever told you that you have asthma?	Yes	11%	7%	12%	8%	14%	10%	11%	11%
	No	89%	93%	88%	92%	86%	90%	89%	89%
Has a doctor or nurse ever told you that you have an allergy that requires	Yes	4%	4%	5%	3%	4%	4%	2%	5%
you to carry an epi-pen?	No	96%	96%	95%	97%	96%	96%	98%	95%
Do you have any long-term mental health, behavioral or emotional	Yes			8%	12%	6%	14%	7%	15%
problems? Long-term means lasting 6 months or more.*	No			92%	88%	94%	86%	93%	85%
Weight status* according to Body Mass Index (BMI)**	Not overweight			73%	83%	70%	82%	67%	82%
, ,	Overweight			14%	12%	15%	13%	16%	12%
	Obese			12%	5%	15%	6%	17%	6%

^{* 5}th grade survey did not ask this question.

Not overweight: Less than the 85th percentile Overweight: 85th to less than the 95th percentile Obese: Equal to or greater than the 95th percentile

^{**} Body Mass Index (BMI) is a number calculated from a child's self-reported weight and height. BMI is calculated using a standard formula. BMI-for-age percentiles are used to interpret BMI numbers for children and teens. CDC BMI-for-age growth charts were used to determine weight status according to BMI for participants in the Minnesota Student Survey.

TABLE 21 HEALTH CARE ACCESS

					Gr	ade			
		5	th	8	th	9	th	11	1th
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
When was the last time you saw a doctor or nurse for a check-up or physical exam	During the last year	56%	63%	66%	70%	63%	66%	51%	57%
when you were not sick or injured?	Between 1 and 2 years ago	19%	17%	23%	21%	23%	23%	29%	26%
	More than 2 years ago	12%	9%	5%	5%	9%	7%	13%	12%
	Never	13%	10%	5%	4%	5%	3%	6%	5%
When was the last time you saw a dentist or dental hygienist for a regular check-up, exam or teeth cleaning or other dental work?	During the last year	66%	72%	73%	78%	72%	76%	66%	70%
	Between 1 and 2 years ago	17%	14%	15%	13%	15%	14%	18%	15%
	More than 2 years ago	10%	8%	9%	7%	9%	7%	12%	12%
	Never	7%	6%	4%	3%	4%	3%	4%	3%
Have you ever been treated fior a mental health, emotional or behavioral	No			91%	91%	93%	90%	93%	89%
problem?* (Mark ALL that apply)	Yes, during the last year			6%	6%	4%	6%	4%	7%
	Yes, more than a year ago			3%	4%	3%	4%	3%	6%
Have you ever been treated for an alcohol or drug problem?* (Mark ALL that	No			97%	99%	98%	99%	98%	99%
apply)	Yes, during the last year			2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%
	Yes, more than a year ago			1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%

^{* 5}th grade survey did not ask this question.

TABLE 22 PHYSICAL ACTIVITY; SLEEP; USE OF INDOOR TANNING DEVICE

					Gra	ade			
		5	th	8	th	9	th	1	1th
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
During the last 7 days, on	0 days	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
how many days were you		16%	16%	11%	11%	13%	14%	18%	24%
physically active for a total of AT LEAST 60 MINUTES PER DAY?	1 day	9%	13%	6%	10%	8%	12%	11%	14%
	2 days	11%	12%	12%	16%	11%	14%	15%	19%
	3 days	13%	15%	15%	17%	14%	18%	14%	16%
	4 days	12%	14%	16%	15%	13%	10%	10%	9%
	5 days	13%	12%	17%	14%	19%	19%	14%	9%
	6 days	6%	5%	7%	7%	8%	5%	5%	5%
	7 days	20%	12%	16%	9%	15%	7%	12%	4%
During a typical school week, on how many days	0 days	9%	6%	18%	26%	46%	49%	63%	75%
do you go to physical education (PE or gym) classes?	1 day	16%	15%	4%	5%	3%	2%	2%	3%
ciusses:	2 days	35%	41%	12%	11%	3%	5%	3%	3%
	3 days	15%	13%	32%	34%	8%	7%	2%	2%
	4 days	7%	7%	3%	3%	3%	3%	4%	2%
	5 days	18%	19%	30%	21%	37%	35%	26%	15%
During a typical school night, how many hours of	4 hours or less	4%	2%	4%	4%	4%	5%	6%	8%
sleep do you get?	5 hours	3%	3%	5%	6%	8%	11%	14%	17%
	6 hours	5%	5%	14%	18%	19%	25%	27%	33%
	7 hours	10%	8%	26%	28%	35%	30%	33%	27%
	8 hours	24%	22%	33%	30%	26%	22%	16%	11%
	9 hours	31%	33%	14%	11%	7%	6%	3%	3%
	10 or more hours	23%	27%	4%	3%	2%	1%	1%	1%
During the last 12 months, how many times did you	0 times			95%	98%	97%	98%	96%	97%
use an indoor tanning device such as a sunlamp,	1 or 2 times			2%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%
sunbed or tanning booth?*	3 to 9 times			1%	0%	1%	1%	2%	1%
	10 to 19 times			1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	20 to 39 times			0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	40 or more times			1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

^{* 5}th grade survey did not ask this question.

TABLE 23 EATING MEALS

					Gra	ade			
		5	th	8	th	9	th	11	1th
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
have you had to skip meals because your	Yes	6%	6%	5%	5%	5%	6%	6%	9%
	No	94%	94%	95%	95%	95%	94%	94%	91%
During a typical school week, where do you usually get your lunch? (Mark ALL that apply)	I usually don't eat lunch	2%	3%	8%	10%	8%	13%	11%	15%
	Regular school lunch from the cafeteria	87%	86%	88%	78%	84%	74%	84%	75%
	The a la carte line (buy individual items)	2%	2%	13%	12%	12%	16%	11%	14%
	School store or vending machine	2%	1%	4%	2%	5%	6%	4%	6%
	Fast food restaurant, gas station or somewhere else outside of school	7%	4%	3%	2%	3%	3%	7%	7%
	I bring lunch from home	20%	28%	16%	26%	14%	25%	12%	23%
Do you currently get free or reduced-price lunch at	Yes	47%	47%	47%	46%	49%	49%	55%	55%
school?	No	53%	53%	53%	54%	51%	51%	45%	45%

TABLE 24A NUTRITION

					Gra	ade			
		5	th	8	th	9	th	1	lth
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
During the last 7 days, how many times did you drink 100% fruit juices		21%	19%	22%	26%	19%	28%	21%	24%
such as orange, apple or grape juice?	1 to 3 times in the last 7 days	38%	41%	34%	42%	40%	40%	38%	45%
	4 to 6 times in the last 7 days	13%	12%	15%	11%	13%	13%	13%	10%
	1 time per day	11%	12%	11%	9%	11%	8%	12%	9%
	2 times per day	5%	6%	7%	6%	6%	6%	7%	6%
	3 times per day	3%	3%	4%	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%
	4 or more times per day	8%	8%	7%	4%	8%	4%	6%	5%
During the last 7 days, how many times did you eat fruit?	I did NOT eat or drink this	7%	3%	7%	5%	7%	4%	8%	6%
	1 to 3 times in the last 7 days	28%	23%	26%	29%	26%	30%	29%	32%
	4 to 6 times in the last 7 days	18%	19%	22%	17%	19%	16%	20%	19%
	1 time per day	14%	15%	14%	16%	17%	14%	15%	15%
	2 times per day	11%	14%	13%	16%	13%	15%	12%	13%
	3 times per day	7%	8%	7%	7%	6%	10%	7%	7%
	4 or more times per day	15%	18%	11%	11%	11%	11%	9%	9%
During the last 7 days, how many times did you eat green salad,	I did NOT eat or drink this	18%	12%	13%	10%	14%	11%	13%	10%
potatoes, carrots or other vegetables (Do not count French	1 to 3 times in the last 7 days	31%	27%	31%	31%	29%	30%	31%	31%
fries, fried potatoes or potato chips)?	4 to 6 times in the last 7 days	15%	16%	17%	16%	19%	15%	17%	17%
. ,	1 time per day	14%	17%	15%	17%	17%	15%	15%	15%
	2 times per day	8%	10%	10%	13%	9%	13%	10%	12%
	3 times per day	5%	6%	6%	6%	6%	7%	6%	6%
	4 or more times per day	10%	12%	8%	7%	7%	8%	7%	7%
During the last 7 days, how many times did you eat from a fast food	I did NOT eat or drink this	37%	39%	35%	37%	31%	32%	28%	28%
restaurant, including carry-out or delivery?	1 to 3 times in the last 7 days	45%	46%	52%	52%	55%	56%	57%	55%
	4 to 6 times in the last 7 days	5%	4%	6%	5%	6%	5%	8%	7%
	1 time per day	8%	7%	5%	4%	4%	4%	4%	6%
	2 times per day	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	3 times per day	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	4 or more times per day	3%	2%	1%	1%	2%	0%	2%	1%

TABLE 24B NUTRITION

					Gra	ade			
			th	8	th	9	th	1	1th
How many cans, bottles or gla	sses of each of the following	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
did you drink yesterday? Milk	0	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
MIIK		24%	24%	20%	30%	20%	37%	24%	43%
	1 to 2	48%	55%	53%	54%	53%	52%	55%	46%
	3 to 4	18%	13%	18%	11%	18%	8%	14%	8%
	5 to 6	3%	4%	4%	2%	4%	2%	3%	2%
	7 or more	7%	5%	5%	2%	4%	1%	4%	1%
Pop or soda	0	62%	66%	61%	75%	62%	73%	61%	70%
	1 to 2	29%	28%	31%	21%	29%	22%	31%	25%
	3 to 4	6%	5%	5%	3%	7%	4%	5%	3%
	5 to 6	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	7 or more	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%	2%	0%
Sports drinks, such as Gatorade or Powerade	0	69%	80%	74%	84%	70%	86%	70%	86%
	1 to 2	21%	15%	18%	13%	20%	11%	22%	11%
	3 to 4	6%	3%	5%	2%	6%	2%	5%	2%
	5 to 6	2%	1%	2%	1%	3%	0%	2%	0%
	7 or more	2%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
Energy drinks, such as Red Bull or Jolt	0	93%	97%	92%	96%	91%	96%	90%	95%
	1 to 2	5%	3%	6%	3%	7%	3%	7%	4%
	3 to 4	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%
	5 to 6	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
	7 or more	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Other sugar-sweetened drinks, such as sweet tea, lemonade, coffee	0	46%	40%	48%	46%	51%	47%	50%	46%
drinks or juice drinks	1 to 2	40%	47%	41%	44%	37%	43%	40%	44%
	3 to 4	10%	9%	8%	7%	8%	8%	7%	8%
	5 to 6	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%
	7 or more	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%
Water	0	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%
	1 to 2	15%	19%	12%	18%	13%	20%	15%	21%
	3 to 4	21%	19%	25%	28%	24%	30%	25%	30%
	5 to 6	16%	17%	20%	22%	23%	19%	23%	21%
	7 or more	46%	43%	40%	28%	38%	28%	34%	25%

TABLE 25 VEHICLE SAFETY

						ade			
		5	th	8	th	9	th	11	lth
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
When driving a car, how often do you wear a seat belt?*	I don't drive a car					67%	70%	35%	33%
	I never do this					1%	0%	1%	0%
	Sometimes					2%	3%	2%	3%
	Often					6%	5%	4%	5%
	Always					25%	22%	58%	59%
When driving a car, how often do you send or read incoming text	I don't drive a car					75%	79%	42%	42%
messages or emails?*^	I never do this					11%	7%	33%	32%
	Sometimes					7%	5%	17%	17%
	Often					4%	4%	5%	4%
	Always					3%	5%	4%	5%
When driving a car, how often do you make or answer a phone call?*	I don't drive a car					75%	79%	41%	41%
	I never do this					9%	6%	26%	26%
	Sometimes					9%	8%	24%	25%
	Often					4%	4%	5%	5%
	Always					3%	3%	4%	3%
How often do you wear a seat belt when you ride in the FRONT seat of	I don't ride in the front seat	25%	31%	5%	4%	3%	4%	2%	2%
a car?	Always	63%	62%	85%	84%	87%	88%	91%	91%
	Often	6%	3%	7%	9%	7%	6%	5%	5%
	Sometimes	5%	3%	3%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	I never wear a seatbelt	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
How often do you wear a seat belt when you ride in the BACK seat of a	I don't ride in the back seat	4%	3%	3%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%
car?	Always	71%	75%	65%	64%	67%	65%	67%	66%
	Often	12%	12%	17%	19%	18%	18%	16%	18%
	Sometimes	10%	8%	11%	13%	10%	13%	12%	13%
	I never wear a seatbelt	2%	1%	4%	3%	3%	3%	3%	2%

^{* 5}th and 8th grade surveys did not ask this question. ^ Change in question wording from 2013.

TABLE 26A SELF DESCRIPTION^

					Gra	ade			
		5	th	8	th	9	th	11	lth
In general, how does each		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
statements describe you?		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
I feel in control of my life and future.*	Not at all or rarely	16%	12%	4%	4%	4%	7%	7%	9%
	Somewhat or sometimes	30%	34%	20%	34%	24%	36%	30%	39%
	Very or often	36%	35%	42%	36%	42%	37%	38%	36%
	Extremely or almost always	18%	20%	34%	25%	30%	20%	24%	16%
I feel good about myself.	Not at all or rarely	4%	4%	4%	8%	3%	10%	6%	8%
	Somewhat or sometimes	15%	20%	19%	33%	21%	34%	29%	40%
	Very or often	37%	36%	40%	35%	45%	37%	39%	36%
	Extremely or almost always	44%	41%	37%	24%	31%	19%	27%	16%
I feel good about my future.	Not at all or rarely	5%	5%	4%	6%	5%	7%	8%	10%
	Somewhat or sometimes	18%	21%	22%	30%	24%	33%	33%	40%
	Very or often	36%	34%	40%	38%	42%	38%	36%	32%
	Extremely or almost always	41%	40%	34%	26%	30%	22%	23%	18%
I deal with disappointment without getting too upset.	Not at all or rarely	13%	11%	7%	9%	8%	10%	8%	12%
g .co apoc.	Somewhat or sometimes	35%	33%	29%	40%	31%	44%	33%	45%
	Very or often	37%	37%	41%	35%	40%	33%	39%	32%
	Extremely or almost always	16%	20%	23%	16%	21%	12%	20%	11%
I find good ways to deal with things that are hard in my life.	Not at all or rarely	7%	6%	6%	8%	5%	8%	6%	8%
annigo that are hard in my me.	Somewhat or sometimes	25%	28%	25%	33%	28%	39%	32%	43%
	Very or often	41%	35%	43%	39%	43%	36%	42%	35%
	Extremely or almost always	27%	32%	27%	21%	25%	17%	20%	15%
I am thinking about what my purpose is in life.**	Not at all or rarely	5%	4%	6%	3%	7%	4%	5%	4%
F	Somewhat or sometimes	18%	18%	21%	19%	20%	19%	18%	18%
	Very or often	32%	31%	36%	38%	38%	36%	39%	36%
	Extremely or almost always	44%	47%	37%	40%	36%	40%	38%	42%

^{*} On the 5th grade survey, this item was worded "I can shape and influence what happens in my life and future."

** On the 5th grade survey, this item was worded "I think about what I want to do in my life when I grow up."

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TABLE 26B SELF DESCRIPTION[^]

					Gra	ade			
		5	th	8	th	9	th	11	lth
In general, how does each		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
statements describe you?		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
I say no to things that are dangerous or unhealthy.	Not at all or rarely	12%	9%	4%	3%	3%	4%	5%	4%
, J ,	Somewhat or sometimes	15%	16%	13%	14%	17%	17%	19%	19%
	Very or often	25%	23%	29%	29%	31%	28%	34%	33%
	Extremely or almost always	48%	52%	53%	53%	49%	50%	42%	43%
I build friendships with other people.	Not at all or rarely	5%	5%	5%	5%	5%	6%	6%	6%
people.	Somewhat or sometimes	20%	22%	20%	25%	20%	28%	25%	29%
	Very or often	37%	35%	39%	39%	39%	38%	40%	40%
	Extremely or almost always	38%	38%	36%	31%	35%	28%	29%	25%
I express my feelings in proper ways.	Not at all or rarely	11%	9%	11%	9%	9%	12%	10%	10%
proper mayer	Somewhat or sometimes	33%	33%	33%	39%	32%	38%	33%	40%
	Very or often	38%	35%	37%	36%	39%	36%	39%	37%
	Extremely or almost always	19%	23%	19%	16%	20%	15%	18%	13%
I plan ahead and make good choices.	Not at all or rarely	5%	4%	3%	2%	5%	4%	6%	4%
	Somewhat or sometimes	27%	23%	28%	28%	29%	31%	31%	32%
	Very or often	44%	41%	43%	45%	43%	40%	41%	43%
	Extremely or almost always	24%	33%	27%	24%	24%	24%	21%	21%
I stay away from bad influences.	Not at all or rarely	7%	5%	4%	3%	3%	4%	4%	4%
illiadilodd.	Somewhat or sometimes	17%	13%	19%	16%	19%	18%	21%	21%
	Very or often	30%	26%	34%	35%	35%	32%	36%	33%
	Extremely or almost always	46%	56%	44%	46%	43%	46%	40%	42%
I resolve conflicts without anyone getting hurt.	Not at all or rarely	7%	4%	5%	3%	5%	5%	5%	5%
, g	Somewhat or sometimes	21%	21%	24%	26%	24%	29%	23%	29%
	Very or often	39%	34%	41%	42%	42%	40%	43%	42%
	Extremely or almost always	33%	41%	29%	29%	29%	27%	29%	24%

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TABLE 26C SELF DESCRIPTION[^]

					Gra	ade			
		5	th	8	th	9	th	11	lth
In general, how does each	h of the following	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
statements describe your	?	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
I accept people who are different from me.	Not at all or rarely	3%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%
	Somewhat or sometimes	13%	8%	10%	5%	9%	6%	9%	6%
	Very or often	32%	27%	39%	32%	40%	30%	39%	31%
	Extremely or almost always	52%	63%	50%	62%	50%	63%	51%	62%
I am sensitive to the needs and feelings of others.	Not at all or rarely	9%	5%	9%	3%	7%	3%	7%	4%
g 	Somewhat or sometimes	26%	21%	24%	20%	26%	22%	24%	21%
	Very or often	37%	33%	39%	37%	40%	38%	41%	37%
	Extremely or almost always	29%	41%	27%	40%	28%	37%	28%	38%
I feel valued and appreciated by others.	Not at all or rarely	8%	5%	6%	7%	6%	9%	5%	8%
-,	Somewhat or sometimes	23%	23%	25%	34%	26%	34%	32%	35%
	Very or often	38%	35%	41%	34%	42%	38%	40%	41%
	Extremely or almost always	31%	36%	27%	25%	26%	19%	22%	16%
I am included in family tasks and decisions.	Not at all or rarely	7%	5%	6%	5%	5%	6%	7%	6%
	Somewhat or sometimes	24%	21%	21%	23%	22%	23%	23%	24%
	Very or often	35%	35%	40%	38%	40%	39%	42%	39%
	Extremely or almost always	33%	40%	34%	34%	32%	33%	27%	30%
I am given useful roles and responsibilities.	Not at all or rarely	5%	3%	5%	2%	3%	3%	4%	4%
	Somewhat or sometimes	22%	17%	20%	22%	22%	21%	25%	22%
	Very or often	39%	35%	44%	41%	44%	39%	45%	43%
	Extremely or almost always	34%	45%	31%	35%	31%	36%	26%	31%

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TABLE 27A EMOTIONAL WELL-BEING AND DISTRESS*^

				Gr	ade		
		8	th	9	th	1	lth
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Over the last 2 weeks, how often have you been	Not at all	51%	44%	47%	38%	41%	33%
bothered by little interest or pleasure in doing things?	Several days	31%	34%	34%	39%	37%	40%
	More than half the days	12%	14%	13%	14%	15%	18%
	Nearly every day	6%	9%	6%	9%	8%	10%
Over the last 2 weeks, how often have you been	Not at all	65%	47%	63%	43%	53%	38%
bothered by feeling down, depressed or hopeless?	Several days	22%	31%	24%	34%	31%	35%
doproced or nopoleos.	More than half the days	8%	13%	8%	12%	9%	17%
	Nearly every day	5%	9%	5%	11%	7%	11%

^{* 5}th grade survey did not ask these questions.
^ Both questions on this table were new in 2016.

TABLE 27B EMOTIONAL WELL-BEING AND DISTRESS*

		Gra	ade
		5	th
Thinking back the last 30 days, I	how much do you agree or disagree	Male	Female
with the following statements?		%	%
I worry a lot	Strongly agree	11%	15%
	Agree	25%	28%
	Neither agree nor disagree	33%	33%
	Disagree	18%	16%
	Strongly disagree	12%	8%
I sometimes feel bad without knowing why	Strongly agree	13%	18%
	Agree	30%	31%
	Neither agree nor disagree	26%	24%
	Disagree	15%	13%
	Strongly disagree	16%	13%

^{*} Only 5th grade survey asked these questions.

TABLE 28 SELF-INFLICTED INJURY; SUICIDAL THOUGHTS AND SUICIDAL BEHAVIOR*

				Gra	ade		
		8	th	9	th	1	1th
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
During the last 12 months, how many	0 times	86%	80%	90%	79%	90%	82%
times did you do something to	1 or 2 times	8%	11%	6%	10%	6%	10%
purposely hurt or	3 to 5 times	3%	5%	2%	4%	1%	4%
injure yourself without wanting to die, such	6 to 9 times	1%	2%	0%	3%	1%	1%
as cutting, burning, or bruising yourself on	10 to 19 times	1%	1%	0%	2%	0%	1%
purpose?	20 or more times	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%
Have you ever seriously considered	No	88%	78%	89%	73%	85%	68%
attempting suicide? (Mark all that apply)	Yes, during the last year	8%	15%	6%	17%	6%	17%
	Yes, more than a year ago	7%	11%	6%	15%	10%	21%
Have you ever actually attempted suicide?	No	97%	93%	97%	92%	96%	90%
(Mark all that apply)	Yes, during the last year	2%	4%	2%	4%	1%	4%
	Yes, more than a year ago	2%	5%	2%	5%	3%	7%

^{* 5}th grade survey did not ask these questions.

TABLE 29 PROBLEMATIC AND ANTISOCIAL BEHAVIOR

						Gra				
				th		th		th		1th
			Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
During the last 12 m			%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
did you do any of the following TWO OR MORE TIMES?*	Lie or con to get things you wanted or to avoid having	Yes			45%	49%	47%	51%	46%	52%
	to do something	No			55%	51%	53%	49%	54%	48%
	Have a hard time paying attention at	Yes			50%	55%	54%	60%	62%	69%
	school, work or home	No			50%	45%	46%	40%	38%	31%
	Have a hard time listening to instructions at	Yes			41%	42%	41%	43%	46%	48%
	school, work or home	No			59%	58%	59%	57%	54%	52%
	Be a bully or threaten other	Yes			8%	5%	6%	4%	5%	4%
people		No			92%	95%	94%	96%	95%	96%
	Start fights with other people	Yes			7%	4%	5%	4%	3%	3%
	other people	No			93%	96%	95%	96%	97%	97%
how often have Never	Never		95%	97%	95%	95%	95%	93%	96%	95%
nome?	Once or twice		4%	2%	4%	4%	4%	5%	4%	5%
	3 to 5 times		1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%
	6 to 9 times		0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 or more times		0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
how often have you damaged or	Never		83%	90%	85%	93%	87%	92%	90%	94%
destroyed property?	Once or twice		15%	8%	12%	6%	11%	7%	8%	6%
property :	3 to 5 times		2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	0%
	6 to 9 times		0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 or more times		0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	96% 4% 0% 0% 90% 8% 1% 0% 93%	0%
how often have you hit or beat up	Never		82%	89%	86%	93%	91%	93%	93%	97%
another person?	Once or twice		14%	9%	11%	6%	7%	5%	6%	2%
	3 to 5 times		2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	6 to 9 times		1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
	10 or more times		1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
how often have you taken	Never		96%	96%	94%	95%	93%	94%	94%	94%
something from a	Once or twice		3%	3%	4%	4%	4%	4%	3%	5%
store without paying for it?	3 to 5 times		0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	6 to 9 times		0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
	10 or more times		0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%

^{* 5}th grade survey did not ask these questions.

TABLE 30A GAMBLING BEHAVIOR*^

				Gra	ade		
		8	th	9	th	1	1th
During the last 12 mont	hs, how often have you	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
done the following gam	bling/betting activities?	%	%	%	%	%	%
Played cards, bet on sports teams or games	Not at all	66%	82%	64%	87%	67%	85%
of personal skill like video gaming, pool,	Less than once a month	17%	13%	17%	9%	16%	10%
golf or bowling	About once a month	6%	2%	7%	2%	6%	3%
	About once a week	3%	1%	4%	1%	4%	1%
	2 to 6 times a week	3%	1%	3%	1%	3%	1%
	Daily	4%	1%	5%	1%	4%	0%
Bought lottery tickets or scratch offs	Not at all	92%	90%	92%	93%	92%	95%
or scratch ons	Less than once a month	5%	8%	5%	5%	5%	4%
	About once a month	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%
	About once a week	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	2 to 6 times a week	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Daily	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
Gambled in a casino	Not at all	98%	99%	98%	100%	97%	99%
	Less than once a month	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%
	About once a month	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	About once a week	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	2 to 6 times a week	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Daily	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
Gambled for money online	Not at all	95%	99%	95%	100%	94%	99%
	Less than once a month	2%	1%	2%	0%	2%	0%
	About once a month	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
	About once a week	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	2 to 6 times a week	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
	Daily	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%

^{* 5}th grade survey did not ask these questions. ^ All questions on this table were new in 2016.

TABLE 30B GAMBLING BEHAVIOR*^

				Gra	ade		
INCLUDES ONLY THOS	E WHO HAVE	8	th	9	th	1	1th
	GAMBLING ACTIVITIES	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
IN THE LAST 12 MONTH	HS .	%	%	%	%	%	%
hidden your gambling/betting from	Never	89%	95%	89%	95%	90%	98%
your parents, other family members or teachers?	Sometimes	8%	3%	8%	3%	6%	2%
	Many times	0%	1%	1%	1%	2%	0%
	All of the time	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	0%
felt that you might have a problem with	Never	93%	95%	94%	97%	94%	96%
gambling/betting?	Sometimes	4%	3%	5%	3%	5%	3%
	Many times	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%
	All of the time	2%	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%
skipped hanging out with friends who do	Never	95%	97%	97%	99%	94%	98%
not gamble/bet to hang out with friends who do gamble/bet?	Sometimes	2%	2%	1%	1%	3%	2%
	Many times	1%	0%	1%	1%	2%	1%
	All of the time	2%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%

^{* 5}th grade survey did not ask these questions.
^ All questions on this table were new in 2016.

TABLE 30C GAMBLING BEHAVIOR*^

			ade 6th
		Male	Female
		%	%
During the last 12 months, have you done any gambling, such as playing cards, betting on sports teams or games of personal skill	Yes	19%	11%
like video gaming, pool, golf or bowling, or buying lottery	No		
tickets/scratch offs?		81%	89%

^{*} Only 5th grade survey asked this question.
^ The question on this table was new in 2016.

TABLE 31 SUMMARY OF SUBSTANCE USE**

				Gra	ade		
		8	th	9	th	1′	lth
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Use of conventional tobacco products (cigarettes, cigars, smokeless tobacco) during the past 30 days	No	99%	99%	98%	98%	94%	97%
	Yes	1%	1%	2%	2%	6%	3%
Use of any tobacco products, including e-	No	97%	97%	93%	94%	87%	91%
cigarettes and hookah, during the past 30 days^	Yes	3%	3%	7%	6%	13%	9%
Frequent binge drinking in the past year (typically drank 5 or more drinks at a	No	100%	100%	99%	100%	97%	100%
time and drank on 10 or more occasions during the past year)	Yes	0%	0%	1%	0%	3%	0%
Any alcohol and/or other drug use during the past year (excluding tobacco)	No alcohol or marijuana or other drug use in the past year	88%	86%	81%	81%	69%	65%
	Used only alcohol in the past year	7%	7%	8%	10%	18%	20%
	Used alcohol and marijuana in past year, but not other drugs	1%	1%	2%	2%	6%	5%
	Used marijuana or other drugs but not alcohol in the past year	5%	4%	5%	4%	4%	4%
	Used alcohol and marijuana or other drugs in the past year	1%	2%	4%	3%	5%	6%

^{**} These are all computed variables based on combinations of responses to two or more survey items. ^ New computed variable in 2016.

TABLE 32 SUBSTANCE ABUSE*

		Gra	ade
		5	th
		Male	Female
		%	%
During the last 30 days, have you smoked any cigarettes?	Yes	1%	0%
	No	99%	100%
During the last 12 months, have you had alcoholic beverages to	Yes	3%	1%
drink such as beer, wine, wine coolers and liquor?	No	97%	99%
During the last 12 months, have you used marijuana (pot, weed) or	Yes	1%	0%
hashish (hash, hash oil)?	No	99%	100%
During the last 12 months, have you sniffed glue or huffed or inhaled the contents of aerosol	Yes	2%	1%
spray cans or other gases to get high?	No	98%	99%
During the last 12 months, have you used prescription drugs that were not prescribed for you by a	Yes	2%	0%
doctor or that you took to get high?^	No	98%	100%

^{*} Only 5th grade survey asked these questions. ^ New question in 2016.

TABLE 33 TOBACCO USE*

					ade		
			Sth Female		th		1th Female
During the last 30 days, on how many days did you		Male %	"	Male %	Female %	Male %	remale %
smoke a cigarette?	0 days	99%	99%	98%	98%	96%	97%
	1 to 2 days	0%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%
	3 to 9 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%
	10 to 19 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	20 to 29 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	All 30 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
smoke cigars, cigarillos or little cigars?	0 days	99%	99%	99%	100%	97%	99%
	1 to 2 days	_					
	3 to 9 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	10 to 19 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	20 to 29 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
		0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	All 30 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
use chewing tobacco, snuff or dip?	0 days	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%
	1 to 2 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	3 to 9 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 to 19 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	20 to 29 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	All 30 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
use an electronic cigarette (e-cigarette, e-hookah, vaping pen)?	0 days	97%	98%	94%	95%	89%	92%
	1 to 2 days	2%	2%	3%	2%	6%	4%
	3 to 9 days	0%	0%	1%	2%	2%	2%
	10 to 19 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%
	20 to 29 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	All 30 days	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%
use a hookah or a waterpipe to smoke tobacco?^	0 days	99%	99%	98%	99%	98%	97%
	1 to 2 days	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	2%
	3 to 9 days	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%
	10 to 19 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	20 to 29 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
	All 30 days	_					0%
During the last 30 days, on how many days did you smoke	0 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
cigarettes or other tobacco products that were flavored to taste like mint or menthol?^	1 to 2 days	99%	99%	98%	98%	96%	98%
	3 to 9 days	0%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	10 to 19 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%
		0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	20 to 29 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
During the last 00 days are house	All 30 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
During the last 30 days, on how many days did you use any tobacco product that was some other flavor, like candy, fruit, chocolate, clove, spice or alcoholic drinks?^	0 days	98%	98%	97%	97%	95%	96%
CIOVE, SPICE OF AICONOTIC GRINKS?"		1%	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	3 to 9 days	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	10 to 19 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	20 to 29 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	All 30 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

^{* 5}th grade survey did not ask these questions. ^ New questions in 2016.

TABLE 34 EXPOSURE TO SECONDHAND SMOKE

		Gra	ade
		5	th
		Male	Female
		%	%
During the last 7 days, on how many days were you in the same	0 days	82%	83%
room as someone who was smoking cigarettes?	1 or 2 days	12%	11%
	3 or 4 days	2%	2%
	5 or 6 days	1%	1%
	All 7 days	3%	3%
During the last 7 days, on how many days did you ride in a car	0 days	87%	88%
with someone who was smoking cigarettes?	1 or 2 days	9%	7%
	3 or 4 days	2%	3%
	5 or 6 days	1%	1%
	All 7 days	2%	1%

^{*} Only 5th grade survey asked these questions.

TABLE 35 ALCOHOL USE FREQUENCY AND QUANTITY*

				Gr	ade		
			th		th		lth
		Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %
During the last 30 days,	0 days	97%	96%	94%	94%	85%	86%
on how many days did you drink one or more	1 or 2 days	2%	3%	3%	5%	9%	9%
drinks of an alcoholic beverage?	3 to 5 days	0%	1%	2%	1%	3%	3%
	6 to 9 days	0%	0%	1%	0%	2%	1%
	10 to 19 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	20 to 29 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	All 30 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
During the last 12 months, on how many	0	93%	91%	87%	86%	74%	70%
occasions (if any) have you had alcoholic	1-2	5%	6%	7%	9%	11%	16%
you had alcoholic beverages to drink?	3-5	1%	2%	3%	3%	6%	6%
	6-9	0%	1%	1%	1%	3%	3%
	10-19	0%	0%	1%	1%	3%	2%
	20-39	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	2%
	40+	0%	0%	1%	0%	2%	0%
If you drink beer/wine/wine coolers/liquor, generally	I don't drink beer/wine/wine coolers/liquor	96%	96%	90%	91%	78%	76%
how much (if any) do you drink at one time?	1 glass/can/drink	3%	3%	4%	5%	9%	11%
	2 glasses/cans/drinks	0%	1%	2%	3%	4%	5%
	3 glasses/cans/drinks	0%	0%	1%	1%	3%	4%
	4 glasses/cans/drinks	0%	0%	1%	0%	2%	2%
	5 or more glasses/cans/drinks	1%	0%	1%	1%	5%	2%
During the past 30 days, on how many days did	0 days	99%	99%	97%	98%	92%	94%
you have 5 or more drinks in a row, that is,	1 day	0%	1%	1%	1%	3%	3%
within a couple of hours?	2 days	0%	0%	1%	0%	2%	2%
	3 to 5 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	2%	1%
	6 to 9 days	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
	10 to 19 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	20 or more days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

^{* 5}th grade survey did not ask these questions.

TABLE 36 AGE OF FIRST USE OF ALCOHOL AND MARIJUANA*

			Gra		
		9	th	11	lth
		Male	Female	Male	Female
The old one of the		%	%	%	%
How old were you when you had your first drink of an alcoholic beverage,	I have never had a drink of alcohol other than a few sips	77%	78%	58%	59%
such as beer, wine, wine coolers and liquor, other than a few sips?	10 years old or younger	5%	3%	5%	3%
	11 years old	2%	1%	1%	1%
	12 years old	2%	2%	4%	3%
	13 years old	4%	6%	4%	5%
	14 years old	7%	8%	7%	6%
	15 years old	2%	2%	8%	8%
	16 years old	0%	0%	9%	12%
	17 years old or older	0%	0%	3%	3%
How old were you when you tried marijuana (pot, weed) or hashish (hash,	I have never tried marijuana or hashish	92%	94%	83%	85%
hash oil) for the first time? (Do NOT count medical marijuana prescribed for	10 years old or younger	1%	0%	1%	0%
you by a doctor)^	11 years old	0%	0%	0%	0%
	12 years old	1%	0%	1%	0%
	13 years old	2%	2%	2%	2%
	14 years old	2%	3%	3%	3%
	15 years old	1%	0%	6%	4%
	16 years old	0%	0%	3%	4%
	17 years old or older	0%	0%	1%	2%

^{* 5}th and 8th grade surveys did not ask these questions. ^ Change in question wording from 2013.

TABLE 37 USE OF MARIJUANA AND PRESCRIPTION DRUGS*

				Gra	ade		
		8	th	9	th	1	lth
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
During the last 30 days, on how many days did you	0 days	98%	98%	95%	97%	92%	93%
use marijuana or hashish? (Do NOT count medical	1 to 2 days	1%	1%	2%	2%	3%	3%
marijuana prescribed for you by a doctor)^	3 to 5 days	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%	2%
you by a doctory	6 to 9 days	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%
	10 to 19 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	20 to 29 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	All 30 days	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%
During the last 12 months, on how many occasions (if	0	98%	98%	95%	96%	89%	90%
any) have you used marijuana or hashish? (Do	1-2	0%	1%	2%	2%	3%	3%
NOT count medical marijuana prescribed for	3-5	0%	0%	1%	1%	2%	2%
you by a doctor)^	6-9	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	2%
	10-19	0%	0%	1%	0%	2%	1%
	20-39	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%
	40+	0%	0%	1%	0%	2%	1%
During the last 30 days, on how many days did you	0 days	97%	97%	97%	97%	96%	96%
use prescription drugs not prescribed for you?	1 to 2 days	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
p. cocinou for your	3 to 5 days	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	6 to 9 days	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
	10 to 19 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	20 to 29 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	All 30 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

^{* 5}th grade survey did not ask these questions. ^ Change in question wording from 2013.

TABLE 38 PRESCRIPTION DRUG USE*^

D : 41 1 140				Gr	ade		
During the last 12 mont occasions have you use		8	th	9	th	1	lth
prescription drugs that	were NOT prescribed	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
for you or that you took	ONLY to get high?	%	%	%	%	%	%
Stimulants such as Benzedrine (bennies,	0	99%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%
speed, uppers, pep pills) or diet pills	1 to 2	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
pilis) of thet pilis	3 to 5	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	6 to 9	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 to 19	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	20 or more	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
ADHD or ADD drugs like Ritalin (hyper pills)	0	99%	100%	98%	100%	98%	98%
into retaini (iiypor pino)	1 to 2	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%
	3 to 5	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%
	6 to 9	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 to 19	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	20 or more	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
Pain relievers such as Oxycodone,	0	99%	98%	98%	98%	98%	98%
OxyContin (oxy), Percocet, Percodan,	1 to 2	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Vicodin or others	3 to 5	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%
	6 to 9	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 to 19	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	20 or more	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Tranquilizers such as Valium, Xanax, nerve	0	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	99%
pills or sedatives or	1 to 2	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%
arbiturates (downers)	3 to 5	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	6 to 9	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 to 19	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	20 or more	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

^{* 5}th grade survey did not ask these questions.

^ Due to methodological issues, results for these questions cannot be compared to the results from 2013.

TABLE 39 HALLUCINOGEN, ECSTASY, COCAINE AND HEROIN USE*^

				Gr	ade		
		8	th	9	th	1′	lth
During the last 12 mont	ths, on how many	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
occasions (if any) have	you used	%	%	%	%	%	%
LSD (acid), PCP (wet sticks or dipped	0	99%	100%	99%	100%	99%	99%
joints), or other psychedelics	1 to 2	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%
(mushrooms, angel	3 to 5	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
dust)?	6 to 9	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 to 19	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	20 or more	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
MDMA (E, X, ecstasy), GHB (G,	0	99%	100%	99%	100%	99%	99%
Liquid E, Liquid X, roofies) or Ketamine (Special K)?	1 to 2	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%
	3 to 5	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	6 to 9	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 to 19	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	20 or more	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
crack, coke or cocaine in any other	0	99%	99%	99%	100%	99%	100%
form?	1 to 2	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	3 to 5	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	6 to 9	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 to 19	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	20 or more	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
heroin?	0	99%	99%	99%	100%	99%	100%
	1 to 2	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	3 to 5	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	6 to 9	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 to 19	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	20 or more	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

^{* 5}th grade survey did not ask these questions.
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TABLE 40 METHAMPHETAMINE, OVER-THE-COUNTER DRUG, SYNTHETIC DRUG AND INHALANT USE*^

				Gr	ade		
		8	th	9	th	1	lth
During the last 12 mont	hs, on how many	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
occasions (if any) have		%	%	%	%	%	%
used methamphetamine	0	99%	99%	99%	100%	99%	100%
(meth, glass, crank, crystal meth, ice)?	1 to 2	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
crystal meth, ice;	3 to 5	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	6 to 9	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 to 19	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	20 or more	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
used over-the- counter drugs such as	0	99%	98%	98%	99%	98%	98%
counter drugs such as cough syrup, cold medicine or diet pills	1 to 2	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%
that you took only to	3 to 5	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
get high?	6 to 9	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 to 19	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	20 or more	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
used synthetic drugs such as bath salts	0	99%	99%	99%	100%	99%	99%
(Ivory Wave, White Lightning) or synthetic	1 to 2	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
marijuana (K2, Gold)	3 to 5	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
that you took only to get high?	6 to 9	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 to 19	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	20 or more	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
sniffed glue or huffed or inhaled the	0	99%	99%	99%	99%	99%	100%
contents of aerosol spray cans or other	1 to 2	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%
gases to get high?	3 to 5	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	6 to 9	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 to 19	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	20 or more	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

^{* 5}th grade survey did not ask these questions.
^ Due to methodological issues, results for these questions cannot be compared to the results from 2013.

TABLE 41 PERCEIVED RISK OF HARM FROM SUBSTANCE USE

					Gra	ade			
		5	ith	8	th	9	th	11	1th
How much do you think p	eople risk harming	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
themselves physically or	in other ways if they	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
smoke one or more packs of cigarettes per	No risk	28%	23%	20%	12%	17%	11%	17%	12%
day?	Slight risk	7%	10%	7%	11%	8%	11%	9%	12%
	Moderate risk	12%	14%	16%	19%	20%	20%	19%	18%
	Great risk	53%	53%	57%	57%	56%	58%	55%	59%
have five or more drinks of an alcoholic	No risk	27%	23%	20%	11%	16%	10%	15%	10%
per week?	Slight risk	9%	12%	9%	10%	11%	10%	11%	10%
	Moderate risk	21%	20%	24%	29%	26%	28%	27%	27%
	Great risk	42%	45%	46%	50%	47%	51%	46%	53%
smoke marijuana once or twice per week?	No risk	29%	25%	24%	13%	21%	13%	26%	17%
	Slight risk	8%	9%	11%	13%	16%	19%	22%	21%
	Moderate risk	14%	19%	21%	29%	24%	25%	21%	25%
	Great risk	49%	47%	44%	45%	39%	42%	30%	37%
use prescription drugs not prescribed for them?	No risk	29%	24%	21%	12%	16%	11%	16%	10%
	Slight risk	5%	8%	7%	8%	9%	11%	10%	10%
	Moderate risk	13%	16%	19%	27%	23%	24%	26%	24%
	Great risk	53%	52%	54%	54%	52%	54%	48%	56%

TABLE 42 PERCEPTIONS OF OTHERS' DISAPPROVAL OF SUBSTANCE USE

					Gra	ade			
		5	th	8	th	9	th	1	1th
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
	N	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to smoke cigarettes?	Not at all wrong	8%	7%	7%	3%	5%	4%	8%	4%
organ ettes :	A little bit wrong	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	3%	2%
	Wrong	5%	4%	9%	8%	11%	8%	14%	10%
	Very wrong	86%	89%	81%	87%	82%	87%	75%	83%
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to have one	Not at all wrong	8%	7%	8%	4%	6%	4%	8%	5%
or more drinks of alcoholic beverage nearly every day?	A little bit wrong	2%	1%	3%	3%	5%	3%	9%	4%
	Wrong	7%	5%	12%	9%	12%	10%	17%	14%
	Very wrong	83%	86%	77%	84%	77%	82%	66%	78%
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to smoke	Not at all wrong	7%	7%	7%	3%	6%	4%	9%	5%
marijuana?	A little bit wrong	1%	0%	2%	1%	3%	2%	3%	3%
	Wrong	3%	1%	6%	5%	8%	6%	13%	8%
	Very wrong	89%	92%	85%	91%	83%	88%	75%	85%
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to use prescription drugs not prescribed for you?	Not at all wrong	7%	7%	8%	4%	6%	4%	9%	5%
	A little bit wrong	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%	3%	4%	4%
	Wrong	3%	3%	9%	9%	11%	8%	12%	10%
	Very wrong	88%	90%	82%	86%	81%	85%	75%	81%
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to smoke	Not at all wrong	8%	6%	8%	4%	8%	5%	12%	7%
cigarettes?	A little bit wrong	3%	2%	7%	4%	7%	7%	11%	10%
	Wrong	13%	10%	24%	16%	27%	23%	26%	26%
	Very wrong	76%	83%	62%	76%	58%	65%	51%	57%
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to have one or	Not at all wrong	7%	6%	8%	4%	9%	6%	15%	9%
more drinks of alcoholic beverage nearly every day?	A little bit wrong	4%	2%	8%	5%	10%	8%	17%	13%
	Wrong	13%	9%	24%	15%	26%	23%	25%	25%
	Very wrong	76%	83%	60%	76%	56%	64%	44%	53%
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to smoke	Not at all wrong	7%	6%	9%	5%	11%	8%	18%	14%
marijuana?	A little bit wrong	2%	1%	6%	4%	10%	8%	14%	12%
	Wrong	10%	7%	21%	14%	22%	18%	24%	20%
	Very wrong	81%	86%	64%	78%	57%	66%	44%	54%
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to use	Not at all wrong	8%	6%	8%	4%	8%	5%	11%	6%
prescription drugs not prescribed for you?	A little bit wrong	2%	1%	6%	4%	7%	6%	11%	8%
,	Wrong	11%	8%	22%	16%	23%	20%	24%	22%
	Very wrong	79%	85%	65%	77%	62%	69%	54%	63%

TABLE 43 PERCEPTIONS ABOUT ALCOHOL USE*

				Gr	ade		
		8	th	9	th	11	lth
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
How do you feel about each of the following	Strongly agree	62%	60%	55%	56%	48%	48%
statements: Parents and other adults should clearly	Agree	24%	26%	28%	29%	33%	34%
communicate with their children about the importance of not using	Neither agree nor disagree	8%	8%	11%	9%	13%	12%
alcohol?	Disagree	1%	0%	1%	1%	2%	2%
	Strongly disagree	6%	5%	3%	4%	4%	4%
How do you feel about each of the following	Strongly agree	68%	70%	60%	62%	46%	49%
statements: Drinking alcohol is never a good	Agree Neither agree nor disagree	17%	18%	22%	21%	28%	26%
thing for anyone my age to do?	Neither agree nor disagree	7%	6%	12%	11%	18%	17%
	Disagree	1%	0%	2%	1%	3%	3%
	Strongly disagree	7%	5%	4%	4%	5%	5%
How do you think MOST STUDENTS in your school	Strongly agree	38%	28%	29%	19%	22%	18%
feel about each of the following statements:	Agree	37%	43%	40%	41%	39%	35%
Parents and other adults should clearly communicate with their	Neither agree nor disagree	18%	22%	24%	32%	28%	36%
communicate with their children about the importance of not using	Disagree	2%	3%	4%	6%	7%	8%
alcohol?	Strongly disagree	4%	3%	4%	2%	4%	3%
How do you think MOST STUDENTS in your school	Strongly agree	41%	33%	30%	18%	21%	15%
feel about each of the following statements: Drinking alcohol is never a good thing for anyone my	Agree	34%	39%	36%	36%	31%	25%
	Neither agree nor disagree	19%	21%	25%	35%	34%	39%
age to do?	Disagree	3%	4%	5%	8%	10%	15%
	Strongly disagree	5%	4%	4%	3%	5%	6%

^{* 5}th grade survey did not ask these questions.

TABLE 44 USE OF TOBACCO, ALCOHOL AND MARIJUANA*

				Gr	ade		
		8	th	9	th	1	1th
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
How often do you use each	of the following?	%	%	%	%	%	%
Tobacco (cigarettes, chew)	Never	98%	98%	97%	97%	93%	95%
	Tried once or twice	1%	1%	1%	1%	3%	2%
	Once or twice a year	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%	0%
	Once a month	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%
	Twice a month	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Once a week	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	Daily	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%
Alcohol (beer, wine, liquor)	Never	90%	89%	84%	85%	71%	69%
	Tried once or twice	7%	7%	8%	9%	11%	12%
	Once or twice a year	2%	2%	4%	4%	7%	10%
	Once a month	0%	0%	2%	1%	4%	3%
	Twice a month	0%	0%	1%	1%	4%	3%
	Once a week	0%	0%	1%	0%	2%	1%
	Daily	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%
Marijuana (pot, hash, hash oil)	Never	97%	98%	93%	96%	86%	88%
·	Tried once or twice	1%	1%	2%	2%	4%	3%
	Once or twice a year	1%	0%	1%	1%	3%	3%
	Once a month	0%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%
	Twice a month	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	2%
	Once a week	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%
	Daily	1%	0%	1%	0%	2%	1%

^{* 5}th grade survey did not ask these questions.

TABLE 45 PERCEPTIONS OF OTHERS' USE OF TOBACCO, ALCOHOL AND MARIJUANA*

				Gr	ade		
		8	th	9	th	11	lth
In your opinion, how often o	do you think MOST	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
STUDENTS in your school u	use each of the following?	%	%	%	%	%	%
Tobacco (cigarettes, chew)	Never	65%	50%	35%	23%	27%	20%
•	Tried once or twice	22%	31%	25%	29%	20%	21%
	Once or twice a year	4%	5%	8%	8%	6%	6%
	Once a month	3%	4%	8%	10%	9%	7%
	Twice a month	2%	3%	3%	5%	5%	9%
	Once a week	2%	4%	10%	12%	13%	16%
	Daily	3%	3%	10%	13%	20%	21%
Alcohol (beer, wine, liquor)	Never	58%	42%	32%	17%	20%	14%
	Tried once or twice	27%	34%	24%	26%	16%	14%
	Once or twice a year	5%	8%	8%	9%	7%	7%
	Once a month	4%	5%	9%	12%	11%	9%
	Twice a month	2%	4%	7%	11%	10%	13%
	Once a week	2%	5%	12%	16%	21%	27%
	Daily	2%	2%	8%	9%	14%	16%
Marijuana (pot, hash, hash oil)	Never	68%	53%	36%	25%	24%	17%
	Tried once or twice	18%	24%	21%	22%	16%	15%
	Once or twice a year	4%	5%	7%	7%	7%	6%
	Once a month	2%	4%	7%	10%	7%	8%
	Twice a month	2%	3%	6%	7%	7%	8%
	Once a week	3%	6%	11%	14%	17%	17%
	Daily	4%	5%	13%	16%	23%	28%

^{* 5}th grade survey did not ask these questions.

TABLE 46A CONSEQUENCES OF SUBSTANCE USE*

		Grade						
				_	th		11th	
Devices the leat 42 months		Male	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male	Female %	
have you found that you No or no use		%	%	%	%	%	%	
have you found that you had to use a lot more alcohol or drugs than		99%	99%	98%	98%	96%	97%	
before to get the same effect?	Yes	1%	1%	2%	2%	4%	3%	
have you tried to cut down on your use of	No or no use	99%	99%	99%	99%	98%	98%	
alcohol or drugs but couldn't?	Yes	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%	
have you continued to use alcohol or drugs even though you knew it was	No or no use	99%	100%	99%	98%	97%	97%	
hurting your relationships with friends or family?	Yes	1%	0%	1%	2%	3%	3%	
were there any times when you felt such a strong desire or urge to drink alcohol or to use a drug that you couldn't resist or could not think of anything else?^	No or no use	99%	98%	97%	97%	95%	94%	
	Yes	1%	2%	3%	3%	5%	6%	
how many times have you spent all or most of the day using alcohol or drugs, or getting over their effects?	0 times or no use	99%	99%	97%	98%	95%	96%	
	1 time	0%	0%	1%	1%	2%	2%	
	2 times	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%	
	3 or more times	0%	1%	2%	0%	2%	1%	
how many times have you given up important social or recreational activities like sports or being with friends or relatives to use alcohol or drugs or to get over their effects?	0 times or no use	99%	99%	98%	99%	97%	98%	
	1 time	0%	0%	0%	1%	2%	1%	
	2 times	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	
	3 or more times	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%	
how many times have you missed work or	0 times or no use	99%	99%	99%	99%	99%	98%	
school, or neglected other major responsibilities because of alcohol or drug use?	1 time	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	
	2 times	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
	3 or more times	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%	

^{* 5}th grade survey did not ask these questions. ^ New question in 2016.

TABLE 46B CONSEQUENCES OF SUBSTANCE USE*

		Grade						
		8	th	9th		11th		
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	
During the last 12 months,	how many times	%	%	%	%	%	%	
have you driven a motor vehicle after using alcohol	0 times or no use			99%	100%	95%	98%	
or drugs?**	1 time			0%	0%	2%	1%	
	2 times			0%	0%	1%	0%	
	3 or more times			1%	0%	2%	1%	
have you hit someone or become violent while	0 times or no use	99%	99%	99%	100%	99%	100%	
using alcohol or drugs?	1 time	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	
	2 times	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
	3 or more times	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	
have you used so much alcohol or drugs that the	0 times or no use	99%	99%	98%	98%	95%	95%	
next day you could not remember what you had	1 time	0%	1%	1%	1%	2%	3%	
said or done?	2 times	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%	
	3 or more times	0%	0%	1%	1%	2%	1%	
have you used more alcohol or drugs than you intended to?	0 times or no use	99%	99%	98%	98%	95%	95%	
	1 time	0%	1%	1%	1%	2%	3%	
	2 times	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%	
	3 or more times	0%	0%	1%	1%	2%	2%	
has alcohol or drug use left you feeling depressed,	0 times or no use	99%	97%	97%	97%	95%	94%	
agitated, paranoid, or unable to concentrate?	1 time	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%	3%	
unable to concentrate:	2 times	0%	0%	1%	1%	2%	1%	
	3 or more times	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	
has alcohol or drug use caused you problems with	0 times or no use	100%	100%	98%	100%	97%	99%	
the law?	1 time	0%	0%	1%	0%	2%	1%	
	2 times	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	
	3 or more times	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	

^{* 5}th grade survey did not ask these questions.
** 8th grade survey did not ask this question.

TABLE 47A SEXUAL BEHAVIOR*

		Grade					
		9th		11th			
		Male	Female	Male	Female		
	I	%	%	%	%		
Have you ever had sexual intercourse ('had sex')?	Yes	7%	7%	18%	22%		
,	No	93%	93%	1 Male % 18% 82% 97% 1% 1% 0% 0% 0% 86% 9% 2% 0% 0% 1% 99% 0%	78%		
During the last 12 months, with how many different male	None	99%	94%	97%	81%		
partners have you had sexual intercourse?	1 person	0%	4%	Male % 18% 82% 97% 1% 0% 0% 0% 2% 2% 0% 1% 99% 2% 0% 0% 0% 0% 0%	15%		
interodulati.	2 persons	0%	1%	1%	2%		
	3 persons	0%	0%	0%	1%		
	4 persons	0%	0%	0%	0%		
	5 persons	0%	0%	0%	0%		
	6 or more persons	0%	0%	0%	0%		
During the last 12 months, with how many different	None	95%	99%	86%	98%		
female partners have you had sexual intercourse?	1 person	3%	0%	% 18% 82% 97% 1% 1% 0% 0% 0% 86% 9% 2% 2% 0% 1% 99% 0%	1%		
ooxuur mioroouroor	2 persons	1%	0%		1%		
	3 persons	0%	0%	2%	0%		
	4 persons	0%	0%	0%	0%		
	5 persons	0%	0%	0%	0%		
	6 or more persons	1%	0%	1%	0%		
How many times have you been pregnant or gotten	0 times	99%	100%	99%	99%		
someone pregnant?	1 time	0%	0%	0%	1%		
	2 or more times	0%	0%	0%	0%		
	Not sure	0%	0%	0%	0%		

^{* 5}th and 8th grade surveys did not ask these questions.

TABLE 47B SEXUAL BEHAVIOR*

			Gra	ade	
		9	th	11	lth
INCLUDES ONLY THOSE W	HO HAVE EVER HAD	Male	Female	Male	Female
SEXUAL INTERCOURSE		%	%	%	%
Have you talked with your partner(s) about protecting	Never	43%	36%	35%	25%
yourselves from getting sexually transmitted	Not with every partner	14%	9%	13%	6%
infections/HIV/AIDS?	At least once with every partner	43%	56%	52%	69%
Have you talked with your partner(s) about	Never	43%	26%	38%	17%
preventing pregnancy?	Not with every partner	12%	11%	11%	9%
	At least once with every partner	45%	63%	51% 15%	74%
The LAST time you had sexual intercourse, what	No method was used to prevent pregnancy	22%	18%	15%	11%
ONE method did you or your partner use to	Birth control pills	2%	7%	1 Male % 35% 13% 52% 38% 11%	15%
prevent pregnancy?	Condoms	45%	49%	56%	42%
	Depo-Provera/any birth control shot, Nuva Ring/any birth control ring, Implanon/any implant or any IUD	2%	7%	0%	10%
	Withdrawal (pull-out)	23%	14%	14%	17%
	Some other method	3%	1%	2%	2%
	Not sure	5%	4%	6%	3%
The LAST time you had sexual intercourse, did	Yes	51%	56%	68%	52%
you or your partner use a condom?	No	49%	44%	Male % 35% 13% 52% 38% 11% 51% 6% 56% 0% 14% 2% 6% 68% 32% 16%	48%
Did you drink alcohol or use drugs before you had	Yes	21%	15%	16%	7%
sexual intercourse the LAST time?	No	79%	85%	84%	93%

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