



Healthy Youth Survey 2010 Survey Results

Statewide Results

Grade 12

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Number of students surveyed:	6192
Number of valid responses:	5908
Estimate of enrolled students:*	10883
Survey participation rate:**	54%

Introduction and Overview

The impact of adolescent health risk behaviors remains a primary concern of citizens throughout the country. Many health problems experienced by adolescents are caused by a very few preventable behaviors. Patterns of alcohol, tobacco, and other drug (ATOD) use and related risk behaviors are often formed during adolescence. These patterns play an important role in health throughout adulthood.

This report presents results from the fall 2010 Healthy Youth Survey in Washington State. This survey was sponsored by the Department of Health (DOH), the Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, the Department of Social and Health Services, the Department of Commerce, the Family Policy Council and the Liquor Control Board in cooperation with schools throughout the state of Washington.

For each item, local results appear in the first two columns and statewide results appear in the second two columns. The number of valid responses (“*n*”) appears in parentheses for each item. Survey items covering the same topics are grouped together (the item numbering is specific to this report and does not necessarily reflect the item order on the actual survey). The bulleted points and graphs included at the beginning of this report highlight selected findings. Additional information may be found in the *Interpretive Guide* posted to the Healthy Youth Survey web site (<http://www.hys.wa.gov/>).

Survey participation rates can be found on the Healthy Youth Survey web site. The following guidance from DOH may be used when reviewing your results. However, if a particular group(s) of students did not complete the survey and therefore did not contribute to your results, there may be limitations to your results even if you have a high participation rate (i.e., if differences exist between students who *did* and who *did not* complete the survey). There may be value in discussing the potential limitations when using the results in this report.

- 70% or greater participation—Results are probably representative of students in this grade.
- 40–69% participation—Results may be representative of students in this grade.
- Less than 40% participation—Results are likely not representative of students in this grade but do reflect students who completed the survey.

Key to the Notes

The survey was administered in 4 versions: Forms A and B (or alternate Form NS, identical to Form B but without the sexual behavior questions) were administered to students in Grades 8, 10, and 12. Forms A and B (or NS) contained a core set of common items (see “List of Core Items” on the last page of this report) and additional items unique to each form. Form C was administered to students in Grade 6. This form consisted primarily of items drawn from Forms A and B but also included some unique items. Several items on each form were optional at the discretion of the school; schools that did not administer the optional items tore off the last page of the survey booklet. The following notes are used throughout this report to document the differences between the items on different versions and indicate the optional items:

- A = wording on Form A
- B = wording on Form B (and NS)
- C = wording on Form C
- † = optional item

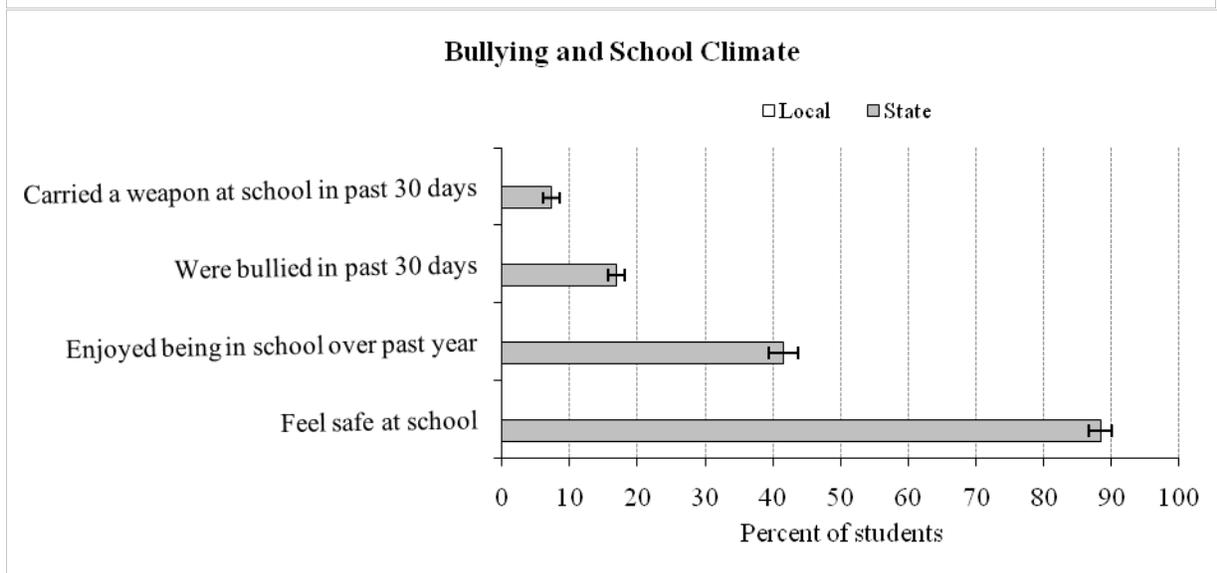
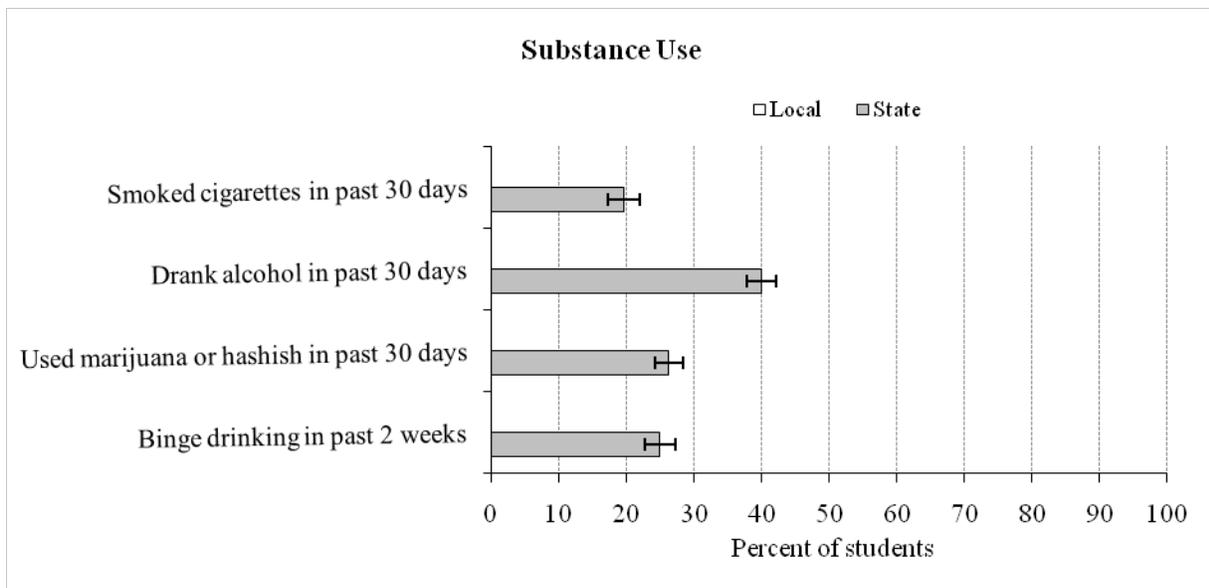
* Estimate of enrolled students based on figures from the 2008–2009 school year, provided by OSPI (or later if school not in 2008 enrollment file).

** Participation rate = valid responses ÷ enrolled students (may be >100% if enrollment greater in 2010 than 2008).

Highlights of the Local Results

Students statewide reported the following behaviors and attitudes:

	Statewide
▪ Smoking cigarettes in the past 30 days (see item 24).	19.6% (± 2.4%)
▪ Drinking alcohol in the past 30 days (see item 28).	40.0 (± 2.2)
▪ Using marijuana or hashish in the past 30 days (see item 29).	26.3 (± 2.0)
▪ Drinking five or more drinks in a row in the past 2 weeks (see item 55).	24.9 (± 2.2)
▪ Carrying a weapon at school in the past 30 days (see item 102).	7.3 (± 1.2)
▪ Being bullied in the past 30 days (see item 122).	17.0 (± 1.2)
▪ Enjoyed being in school over the past year (see item 191).	41.6 (± 2.1)
▪ Feeling safe at school (see item 202).	88.4 (± 1.7)



Selected Results by Gender

Selected items are presented by gender to highlight any differences between females and males. The p-values reported after each item can be used to examine whether differences in the local data between females and males are statistically significant. A p-value of less than .05 means, for the local results, there is a significant difference between females and males (i.e., the probability that the difference occurred by chance is less than 5%). To ensure student anonymity, local results are suppressed for each item on this page if any cell (e.g., females who reported smoking) represented fewer than 10 students.

During the past 30 days, on how many days did you smoke cigarettes? (See item 24.)

	State (n = 5,839)	
	Female	Male
None	83.6%	77.3%
1 or more	16.4	22.7

During the past 30 days, on how many days did you drink a glass, can or bottle of alcohol (beer, wine, wine coolers, hard liquor)? (See item 28.)

	State (n = 5,830)	
	Female	Male
None	61.8%	58.3%
1 or more	38.3	41.7

Think back over the last 2 weeks. How many times have you had five or more drinks in a row? (A drink is a glass of wine, a bottle of beer, a shot glass of liquor, or a mixed drink.) (See item 55.)

	State (n = 5,796)	
	Female	Male
None	78.9%	71.3%
Once or more	21.1	28.7

During the past 12 months, did you ever feel so sad or hopeless almost every day for two weeks or more in a row that you stopped doing some usual activities? (See item 110.)

	State (n = 5,664)	
	Female	Male
No	67.0%	76.2%
Yes	33.0	23.8

In the last 30 days, how often have you been bullied? (See item 122.)

	State (n = 5,742)	
	Female	Male
I have not been bullied	81.9%	84.2%
Once or more	18.2	15.8

I feel safe at my school. (See item 202.)

	State (n = 5,861)	
	Female	Male
No	9.4%	13.6%
Yes	90.6	86.4

General Information

	State (n = 5,903)
1. How old are you?	
a. 12 or younger	0.2% (± 0.1%)
b. 13	0.0 (± 0.0)
c. 14	0.0 (± 0.0)
d. 15	0.2 (± 0.1)
e. 16	1.5 (± 0.3)
f. 17	70.2 (± 2.3)
g. 18	25.6 (± 1.7)
h. 19 or older	2.4 (± 0.8)

[Item 2 appears only on the elementary version of the survey.]

	State (n = 5,900)
3. Are you:	
a. Female	49.6% (± 1.6%)
b. Male	50.4 (± 1.6)
4. How do you describe yourself? (Select one or more responses.)	
b. Asian or Asian American	8.3% (± 2.8%)
a. American Indian or Alaskan Native	1.7 (± 0.4)
c. Black or African-American	3.7 (± 0.8)
d. Hispanic or Latino/Latina	12.5 (± 4.9)
e. Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander	2.0 (± 0.8)
f. White or Caucasian	61.6 (± 5.3)
g. Other	4.6 (± 0.8)
<i>More than one race/ethnicity marked</i>	5.6 (± 0.7)

	State (n = 5,776)
5. What language is usually spoken at home?	
a. English	81.8% (± 3.5%)
b. Spanish	8.6 (± 3.4)
c. Russian	0.8 (± 0.3)
d. Ukrainian	0.5 (± 0.2)
e. Vietnamese	1.2 (± 0.5)
f. Chinese	1.2 (± 0.5)
g. Korean	1.4 (± 0.7)
h. Japanese	0.3 (± 0.2)
i. Other	4.3 (± 1.2)

[Item 6 appears only on the elementary version of the survey.]

	State (n = 5,774)
7. How far did your mother get in school?	
a. Did not finish high school	12.3% (± 2.7%)
b. Graduated from high school or GED	22.3 (± 2.4)
c. Had some college or technical training after high school	26.3 (± 1.8)
d. Graduated from a 4-year college	20.4 (± 3.6)
e. Earned an advanced graduate degree	9.5 (± 1.8)
f. Don't know	6.7 (± 0.8)
g. Does not apply	2.5 (± 0.6)

8.	How far did your father get in school?	State (n = 5,774)
	a. Did not finish high school	13.0% (± 2.6%)
	b. Graduated from high school or GED	21.7 (± 2.1)
	c. Had some college or technical training after high school	20.8 (± 1.6)
	d. Graduated from a 4-year college	18.2 (± 3.0)
	e. Earned an advanced graduate degree	13.0 (± 2.8)
	f. Don't know	9.9 (± 1.0)
	g. Does not apply	3.4 (± 0.6)
9.	How many hours per week are you currently working for pay, NOT counting chores around your home, yard work, or babysitting?	State (n = 2,849)
	a. None, not currently working	63.2% (± 2.9%)
	b. 10 hours or less a week	18.2 (± 2.2)
	c. 11-30 hours a week	15.8 (± 1.7)
	d. 31-40 hours a week	2.0 (± 0.7)
	e. More than 40 hours a week	0.9 (± 0.4)
10.	Not counting chores around your home, while working for pay, have you ever been injured badly enough that you needed to go to a nurse, doctor, or hospital?	State (n = 2,840)
	a. Never worked for pay	39.8% (± 3.2%)
	b. Have worked, but never injured enough to see nurse or doctor	57.3 (± 3.0)
	c. Yes, I was injured at work and needed to go to a nurse, doctor or hospital	2.9 (± 0.7)
11.	How would you describe the type of place that you currently work? (Pick your main job. Choose one.)	State (n = 2,837)
	a. Not currently working	58.8% (± 2.8%)
	b. Restaurant (including fast food)	11.7 (± 1.6)
	c. Store (including grocery, convenience, clothing, music, or gift stores, gas station)	6.8 (± 1.2)
	d. Hospital, clinic, or nursing home	1.3 (± 0.4)
	e. Construction	1.8 (± 0.6)
	f. Farm or dairy	1.4 (± 0.6)
	g. Factory	0.4 (± 0.3)
	h. Packing house or food processing	0.3 (± 0.2)
	i. Babysitting	2.5 (± 0.9)
	j. Yard work	1.9 (± 0.6)
	k. Other	13.2 (± 2.0)
12.	On an average school night, how many hours do you sleep?	State (n = 2,834)
	a. 5 hours or less	14.7% (± 1.6%)
	b. About 6 hours	27.1 (± 1.5)
	c. About 7 hours	33.9 (± 1.8)
	d. About 8 hours	20.2 (± 2.1)
	e. 9 hours or more	4.1 (± 0.9)

13.	On an average weekend night (Friday and Saturday night), how many hours do you sleep?	State (n = 2,832)
	a. 5 hours or less	14.6% (± 2.5%)
	b. About 6 hours	10.4 (± 1.4)
	c. About 7 hours	12.3 (± 1.2)
	d. About 8 hours	25.6 (± 1.7)
	e. 9 hours or more	37.1 (± 3.1)
14.	How honest were you in filling out this survey?	State (n = 5,438)
	a. I was very honest	87.0% (± 1.1%)
	b. I was honest pretty much of the time	11.4 (± 0.8)
	c. I was honest some of the time	1.6 (± 0.5)
	d. I was honest once in a while	Surveys pulled
	e. I was not honest at all	Surveys pulled

Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drug Use

Alcohol, tobacco, and other drug use has been a major concern in this country for many years. The consequences of ATOD use are well known. In the short term, ATOD use interferes with positive physical, emotional, and social development. In the long term, ATOD use is associated with delinquency and criminal activity, unintended injuries, and a variety of health complications including shorter life expectancy. The economic costs of ATOD use are enormous (in Washington State an estimated \$1.81 billion in 1990 \$2.54 billion in 1996, and \$5.21 billion in 2005). Tobacco use is the world's leading cause of preventable death, disease, and disability. This section provides information about lifetime ATOD use (which in part reflects experimental use), use in the past 30 days (i.e., current use), and other tobacco-, alcohol-, and drug-related issues.

Lifetime Use

15.	Have you ever smoked a cigarette, even just a puff? (Computed from item 210.)	State (n = 2,858)
	a. No	59.2% (± 3.6%)
	b. Yes	40.8 (± 3.6)
16.	Have you ever had more than a sip or two of beer, wine, or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin)? (Computed from item 211 or 212.)	State (n = 5,783)
	a. No	29.4% (± 2.0%)
	b. Yes	70.6 (± 2.0)
17.	Have you ever smoked marijuana? (Computed from item 208 or 209.)	State (n = 5,791)
	a. No	54.3% (± 2.4%)
	b. Yes	45.7 (± 2.4)

Have you ever, even once in your life:

18.	Used inhalants?	State (n = 2,850)
	a. No	89.3% (± 1.5%)
	b. Yes	10.7 (± 1.5)

19.	Used heroin?	State (n = 2,848)
	a. No	95.9% (± 0.9%)
	b. Yes	4.1 (± 0.9)
20.	Used methamphetamines (meth, crystal meth, ice, crank)? Do not include other types of amphetamines.	State (n = 2,849)
	a. No	95.2% (± 0.9%)
	b. Yes	4.8 (± 0.9)
21.	Used cocaine?	State (n = 2,849)
	a. No	91.1% (± 1.5%)
	b. Yes	8.9 (± 1.5)
22.	Used steroids (muscle builders) without a doctor's prescription?	State (n = 2,845)
	a. No	96.5% (± 1.0%)
	b. Yes	3.5 (± 1.0)

[Item 23 appears only on the elementary version of the survey.]

30-Day Use (Use in the Past 30 Days)

During the past 30 days, on how many days did you:

24.	Smoke cigarettes?	State (n = 5,845)
	a. None	80.4% (± 2.4%)
	b. 1–2 days	5.6 (± 0.7)
	c. 3–5 days	2.7 (± 0.4)
	d. 6–9 days	2.1 (± 0.4)
	e. 10–29 days	3.5 (± 0.6)
	f. All 30 days	5.7 (± 1.4)
	<i>Any use in past 30 days</i>	19.6 (± 2.4)
25.	Use chewing tobacco, snuff, or dip?	State (n = 5,843)
	a. None	91.1% (± 1.6%)
	b. 1–2 days	3.3 (± 0.7)
	c. 3–5 days	1.4 (± 0.3)
	d. 6–9 days	1.2 (± 0.4)
	e. 10–29 days	1.4 (± 0.5)
	f. All 30 days	1.6 (± 0.5)
	<i>Any use in past 30 days</i>	8.9 (± 1.6)
26.	Smoke cigars, cigarillos, or little cigars? [†]	State (n = 2,946)
	a. 0 days	82.7% (± 2.5%)
	b. 1–2 days	9.7 (± 1.6)
	c. 3–9 days	4.5 (± 1.0)
	d. 10–29 days	1.8 (± 0.5)
	e. All 30 days	1.4 (± 0.5)
	<i>Any use in past 30 days</i>	17.4 (± 2.5)

27.	Use tobacco that tastes like candy, fruit, or alcohol (tobacco includes: little cigars, bidis, cloves, chew, spit, snus, hookah)?	State (n = 2,946)
	a. 0 days	81.2% (± 1.9%)
	b. 1–2 days	9.5 (± 1.2)
	c. 3–9 days	6.1 (± 1.0)
	d. 10–29 days	2.1 (± 0.5)
	e. All 30 days	1.0 (± 0.4)
	<i>Any use in past 30 days</i>	18.8 (± 1.9)
28.	Drink a glass, can or bottle of alcohol (beer, wine, wine coolers, hard liquor)?	State (n = 5,835)
	a. None	60.0% (± 2.2%)
	b. 1–2 days	21.0 (± 1.5)
	c. 3–5 days	11.5 (± 1.0)
	d. 6–9 days	4.5 (± 0.7)
	e. 10 or more days	3.1 (± 0.7)
	<i>Any use in past 30 days</i>	40.0 (± 2.2)
29.	Use marijuana or hashish (grass, hash, pot)?	State (n = 5,835)
	a. None	73.7% (± 2.0%)
	b. 1–2 days	9.2 (± 0.9)
	c. 3–5 days	4.6 (± 0.7)
	d. 6–9 days	2.6 (± 0.5)
	e. 10 or more days	9.9 (± 1.4)
	<i>Any use in past 30 days</i>	26.3 (± 2.0)
30.	Not counting alcohol, tobacco, or marijuana, use another illegal drug?	State (n = 5,829)
	a. None	92.5% (± 0.9%)
	b. 1–2 days	3.8 (± 0.5)
	c. 3–5 days	1.9 (± 0.4)
	d. 6–9 days	0.8 (± 0.2)
	e. 10 or more days	1.1 (± 0.3)
	<i>Any use in past 30 days</i>	7.5 (± 0.9)
31.	Use any illegal drug, including marijuana? (Computed from items 29 and 30.)	State (n = 5,824)
	None	72.6% (± 2.0%)
	1 or more	27.4 (± 2.0)
	<i>Any use in the past 30 days</i>	27.4 (± 2.0)
32.	Use a pain killer to get high, like Vicodin, OxyContin (sometimes called Oxy or OC) or Percocet (sometimes called Percs)?	State (n = 5,821)
	a. None	92.1% (± 1.2%)
	b. 1–2 days	4.4 (± 0.7)
	c. 3–5 days	2.1 (± 0.5)
	d. 6–9 days	0.6 (± 0.2)
	e. 10 or more days	0.9 (± 0.3)
	<i>Any use in past 30 days</i>	7.9 (± 1.2)

33.	Some kids take a medicine prescribed by their doctor to help with hyperactivity or focus (ADD). Some names for this medicine are Ritalin, Adderall, or Concerta. In the past 30 days have you taken one of these drugs?	State (<i>n</i> = 2,873)
a.	No	90.2% (± 1.1%)
b.	Yes—prescribed by my doctor for me	5.7 (± 0.9)
c.	Yes—but NOT prescribed by a doctor for me	4.1 (± 0.8)

Other Tobacco-Related Questions

34.	If one of your best friends offered you a cigarette, would you smoke it?	State (<i>n</i> = 5,809)
a.	Definitely no	67.3% (± 2.3%)
b.	Probably no	13.4 (± 0.9)
c.	Probably yes	10.5 (± 1.0)
d.	Definitely yes	8.9 (± 1.4)
35.	Do you think that you will smoke a cigarette anytime in the next year?	State (<i>n</i> = 5,805)
a.	Definitely no	64.0% (± 2.3%)
b.	Probably no	12.8 (± 0.8)
c.	Probably yes	12.4 (± 1.1)
d.	Definitely yes	10.9 (± 1.6)
36.	Have made a firm commitment to not smoke cigarettes; i.e., not susceptible to smoking. (Computed from both items 34 and 35).	State (<i>n</i> = 5,809)
a.	Yes, not susceptible	61.7% (± 2.4%)
b.	No, susceptible	38.4 (± 2.4)
37.	Do you think young people risk harming themselves if they smoke 1–5 cigarettes a day?	State (<i>n</i> = 2,936)
a.	Definitely no	4.7% (± 0.9%)
b.	Probably no	3.0 (± 0.7)
c.	Probably yes	21.4 (± 1.6)
d.	Definitely yes	71.0 (± 2.2)
38.	During the past year in school, how many times did you get information in classes about the dangers of tobacco use?	State (<i>n</i> = 2,936)
a.	None	50.1% (± 3.6%)
b.	Once	22.8 (± 2.1)
c.	2 or 3 times	19.0 (± 2.4)
d.	4 or more times	8.0 (± 1.4)
39.	Do you think that rules about not using tobacco at your school are usually enforced?	State (<i>n</i> = 2,939)
a.	Definitely no	12.0% (± 1.4%)
b.	Probably no	17.2 (± 2.5)
c.	Probably yes	43.0 (± 2.2)
d.	Definitely yes	27.8 (± 3.2)

40.	During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use tobacco (cigarettes, cigars, or chew/dip) on school property?	State (n = 2,936)
	a. 0 days	91.2% (± 1.6%)
	b. 1–2 days	3.5 (± 0.7)
	c. 3–9 days	2.2 (± 0.6)
	d. 10–29 days	1.8 (± 0.6)
	e. All 30 days	1.3 (± 0.5)
41.	Do you think the smoke from other people’s cigarettes (secondhand smoke) is harmful to you?	State (n = 2,807)
	a. Definitely no	6.8% (± 1.4%)
	b. Probably no	4.7 (± 0.8)
	c. Probably yes	26.6 (± 1.7)
	d. Definitely yes	61.9 (± 1.9)
42.	Some tobacco companies make t-shirts, lighters, or other items that people can buy or receive for free. During the past 12 months, did you buy or receive anything that has a tobacco company name or picture on it?	State (n = 2,808)
	a. No	88.9% (± 1.7%)
	b. Yes	11.1 (± 1.7)
43.	During the past 7 days, on how many days were you in the same room with someone who was smoking cigarettes?	State (n = 2,804)
	a. 0 days	58.9% (± 3.7%)
	b. 1–2 days	19.9 (± 1.1)
	c. 3–4 days	8.5 (± 1.5)
	d. 5–6 days	4.1 (± 0.9)
	e. 7 days	8.7 (± 1.8)
44.	Does anyone who lives with you now smoke cigarettes?	State (n = 2,792)
	a. No	71.1% (± 3.2%)
	b. Yes	28.9 (± 3.2)
45.	During the past 7 days, on how many days did you ride in a car with someone who was smoking cigarettes?	State (n = 2,799)
	a. 0 days	70.6% (± 3.6%)
	b. 1-2 days	14.5 (± 1.5)
	c. 3-4 days	6.0 (± 1.3)
	d. 5-6 days	3.1 (± 0.7)
	e. 7 days	5.7 (± 1.4)
46.	Has either of your parents (or guardians) discussed the dangers of tobacco use with you?	State (n = 2,782)
	a. Mother (or female guardian) only	17.1% (± 1.6%)
	b. Father (or male guardian) only	4.5 (± 0.6)
	c. Both	48.6 (± 2.3)
	d. Neither	29.8 (± 1.8)

47.	Which of these best describes the rules about smoking inside the house where you live? Smoking is...	State (n = 2,795)
	a. Never allowed inside my house	86.0% (± 2.1%)
	b. Allowed only at some times or in some places	9.2 (± 1.5)
	c. Always allowed inside my house	4.8 (± 1.0)
48.	During the past 30 days, have you seen or heard commercials on TV, the Internet, or on the radio about the dangers of cigarette smoking?	State (n = 2,789)
	a. Not in the past 30 days	31.6% (± 1.8%)
	b. 1–3 times in the past 30 days	30.9 (± 1.9)
	c. 1–3 times per week	18.0 (± 1.4)
	d. Daily or almost daily	13.8 (± 1.4)
	e. More than once a day	5.7 (± 1.1)
49.	During the past 30 days, how did you usually get your own tobacco? (Choose only one answer.)	State (n = 2,776)
	a. I did not use tobacco during the past 30 days	75.7% (± 2.7%)
	b. I bought it in a store such as a convenience store, supermarket, discount store or gas station	9.9 (± 1.6)
	c. I bought it from a vending machine	0.9 (± 0.4)
	d. I gave someone else money to buy them for me	5.4 (± 1.0)
	e. I borrowed (or bummed) them from someone else	3.6 (± 0.8)
	f. A person 18 years old or older gave them to me	2.3 (± 0.5)
	g. I took them from a store or a family member	0.6 (± 0.3)
	h. I got them some other way	1.7 (± 0.4)

Other Alcohol- and Drug-Related Questions

50.	During the past 30 days, have you seen or heard advertisements on TV, the Internet, the radio, or magazines about the dangers of kids drinking alcohol?	State (n = 2,918)
	a. Not in the past 30 days	29.0% (± 2.0%)
	b. 1–3 times in the past 30 days	34.5 (± 1.7)
	c. 1–3 times per week	18.0 (± 1.4)
	d. Daily or almost daily	13.1 (± 0.9)
	e. More than once a day	5.4 (± 1.0)
51.	NOT including talks on drinking and driving, in the past year have your parents or guardians talked to you about why you should not drink alcohol?	State (n = 2,920)
	a. Yes, a number of times	30.2% (± 1.8%)
	b. Yes, once	18.8 (± 1.2)
	c. No	39.0 (± 2.1)
	d. I don't remember	12.0 (± 0.9)
52.	During the past year in school, how many times did you get information in classes about reasons not to use alcohol and other drugs?	State (n = 2,912)
	a. None	32.7% (± 3.2%)
	b. Once	29.0 (± 1.6)
	c. 2 or 3 times	27.6 (± 2.7)
	d. 4 or more times	10.8 (± 1.9)

53.	Do you think that rules about not drinking alcohol or using drugs at your school are usually enforced?	State (n = 2,929)
	a. Definitely no	9.0% (± 1.3%)
	b. Probably no	12.5 (± 1.0)
	c. Probably yes	38.6 (± 1.7)
	d. Definitely yes	40.0 (± 2.6)
54.	How much do you think people risk harming themselves if they smoke marijuana occasionally?	State (n = 2,918)
	a. No risk	24.6% (± 1.8%)
	b. Slight risk	26.0 (± 2.1)
	c. Moderate risk	25.6 (± 1.8)
	d. Great risk	21.1 (± 2.1)
	e. Not sure	2.6 (± 0.8)
55.	Think back over the last 2 weeks. How many times have you had five or more drinks in a row? (A drink is a glass of wine, a bottle of beer, a shot glass of liquor, or a mixed drink.)	State (n = 5,802)
	a. None	75.1% (± 2.2%)
	b. Once	10.6 (± 0.7)
	c. Twice	6.8 (± 0.9)
	d. 3–5 times	5.0 (± 1.1)
	e. 6–9 times	1.1 (± 0.3)
	f. 10 or more times	1.5 (± 0.3)
56.	If you had to guess, how many students in your grade at school drank alcohol during the past 30 days?	State (n = 2,898)
	a. 0 out of 10 (none)	2.7% (± 0.8%)
	b. 1 out of 10	3.8 (± 0.7)
	c. 2 out of 10	5.4 (± 0.9)
	d. 3 out of 10	9.4 (± 1.3)
	e. 4 out of 10	10.9 (± 1.3)
	f. 5 out of 10 (about half)	21.1 (± 1.9)
	g. 6 out of 10	12.8 (± 1.6)
	h. 7 out of 10	13.0 (± 1.3)
	i. 8 out of 10	11.3 (± 1.1)
	j. 9 out of 10	5.6 (± 0.8)
	k. 10 out of 10 (all)	4.1 (± 1.0)
57.	Think about the students in your school. If you had to guess, how wrong do most students in your grade think it is to drink alcohol regularly?	State (n = 2,797)
	a. Very wrong	11.4% (± 1.9%)
	b. Wrong	17.4 (± 1.7)
	c. A little bit wrong	40.4 (± 2.3)
	d. Not wrong at all	30.9 (± 2.6)
58.	Drinking Categories Variable (Computed from items 28 and 55).	State (n = 5,801)
	a. No alcohol use	58.4% (± 2.3%)
	b. 1-2 days and no binges	13.1 (± 1.2)
	c. 3-5 days or 1 binge	12.5 (± 0.8)
	d. 6+ days or 2+ binges	16.1 (± 2.1)

59.	How many times in the past year (12 months) have you been drunk or high at school?	State (n = 5,799)
	a. Never	81.3% (± 1.6%)
	b. 1–2 times	7.2 (± 0.7)
	c. 3–5 times	4.0 (± 0.5)
	d. 6–9 times	1.6 (± 0.4)
	e. 10 or more times	5.9 (± 1.0)
60.	During the past 30 days, how did you usually get alcohol (beer, wine, or hard liquor)? Choose all that apply.	State (n = 2,849)
	<i>Percentages do not total 100% due to multiple responses.</i>	
	a. I did not get alcohol in the past 30 days	60.7% (± 2.5%)
	b. I bought it from a store	3.2 (± 0.8)
	c. I got it from friends	17.6 (± 1.6)
	d. I got it at a party	14.9 (± 1.3)
	e. I got it from an older brother or sister	3.6 (± 0.7)
	f. I gave money to someone to get it for me	10.1 (± 1.4)
	g. I took it from home without my parents' permission	4.0 (± 0.7)
	h. I got it at home with my parents' permission	4.6 (± 0.7)
	i. I got it at a family celebration, ceremony, or party	3.7 (± 0.6)
	j. I got it some other way	5.0 (± 0.7)
61.	If you have EVER used pain killers to get high, where did you usually get them?	State (n = 2,850)
	a. I did not use pain killers to get high	81.9% (± 2.0%)
	b. I used my own prescriptions (from a doctor or dentist)	5.8 (± 0.9)
	c. A family member gave them to me	1.5 (± 0.5)
	d. I took them from my home or someone else's home without permission	1.6 (± 0.5)
	e. I got them from a friend	5.8 (± 1.0)
	f. I got them from an acquaintance	1.1 (± 0.4)
	g. I got them from a drug dealer	1.3 (± 0.5)
	h. I got them from the internet	0.2 (± 0.1)
	i. I got them some other way	1.0 (± 0.4)
62.	During the last year, have you felt that you needed help (such as counseling or treatment) for your alcohol, tobacco, or other drug use?	State (n = 2,872)
	a. I have not used alcohol or other drugs	54.1% (± 2.1%)
	b. I have used alcohol and/or drugs but I haven't needed help	39.1 (± 2.0)
	c. Yes, I felt I have needed help	3.0 (± 0.8)
	d. Not sure	3.8 (± 0.9)

Other Health Concerns

This section provides results regarding other health concerns including nutrition and fitness, health conditions and health care, safety, behaviors related to intentional injury, depression, and gambling behavior. Proper nutrition and exercise are critical components of a healthy life, as is access to preventive health care. Safety-related behaviors, such as wearing a seat belt when in a moving vehicle, can profoundly influence the outcome of an accident. Injury is the leading cause of death for adolescents aged 10 to 19, and violence contributes to injury-related deaths. People who are depressed experience a range of symptoms, and depression is associated with suicidal behavior.

Nutrition and Fitness

63. Obese: “Obese” includes students who are in the top 5% for body mass index by age and gender based on growth charts developed by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (2000). “Overweight” includes students who are in the top 15% but not the top 5%. (Computed from numeric responses to “How tall are you without your shoes on?” and “How much do you weigh without your shoes on?”)
- | | State
(<i>n</i> = 2,774) |
|----------------|------------------------------|
| Obese | 10.7% (± 1.4%) |
| Overweight | 14.0 (± 2.0) |
| Not overweight | 75.3 (± 2.6) |
- Note.* Results are suppressed for building-level reports.
64. Which of the following are you trying to do about your weight?
- | | State
(<i>n</i> = 2,910) |
|---|------------------------------|
| a. I am not trying to do anything about my weight | 27.3% (± 1.7%) |
| b. Lose weight | 41.9 (± 2.1) |
| c. Gain weight | 14.7 (± 1.4) |
| d. Stay the same weight | 16.1 (± 1.5) |
65. How often do you eat dinner with your family?
- | | State
(<i>n</i> = 2,928) |
|---------------------|------------------------------|
| a. Never | 8.1% (± 1.3%) |
| b. Rarely | 16.6 (± 1.4) |
| c. Sometimes | 23.8 (± 1.9) |
| d. Most of the time | 33.9 (± 2.5) |
| e. Always | 17.7 (± 1.4) |
66. How often in the past 12 months did you or your family have to cut meal size or skip meals because there wasn't enough money for food?[†]
- | | State
(<i>n</i> = 2,298) |
|--|------------------------------|
| a. Almost every month | 7.0% (± 1.4%) |
| b. Some months but not every month | 7.3 (± 1.4) |
| c. Only 1–2 months | 5.1 (± 0.8) |
| d. Did not have to skip or cut the size of meals | 80.7 (± 2.5) |
67. Did you eat breakfast today?
- | | State
(<i>n</i> = 2,925) |
|--------|------------------------------|
| a. Yes | 61.7% (± 2.5%) |
| b. No | 38.3 (± 2.5) |

68.	How many sodas or pops did you drink yesterday? (Do not count diet soda.)	State (<i>n</i> = 2,924)
	a. None	61.2% (± 2.8%)
	b. 1	25.5 (± 2.2)
	c. 2	8.1 (± 1.1)
	d. 3	2.6 (± 0.5)
	e. 4 or more	2.6 (± 0.7)
69.	During the past 7 days, how many times did you drink regular soda, sports drinks (such as Gatorade) and other flavored sweetened drinks (such as Snapple or SoBe) at school (including any after-school and weekend activities)? Do not include diet drinks.	State (<i>n</i> = 2,927)
	a. 0 times	31.7% (± 2.6%)
	b. 1–3 times	37.2 (± 1.9)
	c. 4–6 times	15.4 (± 1.3)
	d. 7–9 times	5.7 (± 0.9)
	e. 10 times or more	10.0 (± 1.5)
70.	During the past 7 days, where did you usually get the soda or other sweetened drinks that you drank at school? (Choose only one answer.)	State (<i>n</i> = 2,925)
	a. I did not drink sodas, sports drinks, or other flavored drinks at school	36.0% (± 2.3%)
	b. I brought them from home	25.3 (± 1.6)
	c. I got them from friends	4.0 (± 0.8)
	d. I bought them at school	18.5 (± 3.5)
	e. Other	16.1 (± 3.0)

On how many of the past 7 days did you:

71.	In the past 7 days, on how many days were you physically active for a total of at least 60 minutes per day? (Add up all the time you spent in any kind of physical activity that increases your heart rate or makes you breathe hard some of the time.)	State (<i>n</i> = 2,924)
	a. 0 days	15.9% (± 1.5%)
	b. 1 day	8.6 (± 1.2)
	c. 2 days	10.3 (± 1.2)
	d. 3 days	10.1 (± 0.9)
	e. 4 days	9.5 (± 1.2)
	f. 5 days	15.5 (± 1.5)
	g. 6 days	9.6 (± 1.0)
	h. 7 days	20.6 (± 2.4)
72.	On average how many days a week do you walk to or from school?	State (<i>n</i> = 2,921)
	a. Never	74.0% (± 3.7%)
	b. 1–2	8.8 (± 1.4)
	c. 3–4	4.3 (± 0.8)
	d. I walk every day	12.9 (± 2.2)

73.	On average how many days a week do you ride a bicycle to or from school?	State (<i>n</i> = 2,920)
	a. Never	95.0% (± 0.9%)
	b. 1–2	2.4 (± 0.6)
	c. 3–4	1.2 (± 0.4)
	d. I bike every day	1.4 (± 0.3)
74.	On an average school day, how many hours do you watch TV, including videos and DVDs?	State (<i>n</i> = 2,921)
	a. I do not watch TV on an average school day	14.3% (± 1.3%)
	b. Less than 1 hour per day	19.6 (± 1.8)
	c. 1 hour per day	18.3 (± 1.6)
	d. 2 hours per day	21.7 (± 1.4)
	e. 3 hours per day	14.3 (± 1.6)
	f. 4 hours per day	6.1 (± 0.8)
	g. 5 or more hours per day	5.8 (± 1.3)
75.	On an average school day, how many hours do you play video games or use a computer for fun? (Include activities such as Nintendo, Game Boy, Play Station, computer games, and the Internet.)	State (<i>n</i> = 2,923)
	a. I do not play video games or use a computer for fun on an average school day	23.6% (± 1.9%)
	b. Less than 1 hour per day	21.4 (± 1.9)
	c. 1 hour per day	16.9 (± 1.5)
	d. 2 hours per day	15.2 (± 1.1)
	e. 3 hours per day	11.0 (± 1.4)
	f. 4 hours per day	4.9 (± 0.8)
	g. 5 or more hours per day	6.9 (± 1.0)
76.	In an average week when you are in school, on how many days do you go to physical education (PE) classes?	State (<i>n</i> = 2,915)
	a. 0 days	62.4% (± 4.4%)
	b. 1 day	1.5 (± 1.0)
	c. 2 days	1.5 (± 0.5)
	d. 3 days	7.0 (± 4.8)
	e. 4 days	3.4 (± 2.8)
	f. 5 days	24.3 (± 5.8)
77.	During an average PE class, how many minutes do you spend actually exercising or playing sports?	State (<i>n</i> = 2,913)
	a. I do not take PE	54.0% (± 4.4%)
	b. Less than 10 minutes	1.0 (± 0.4)
	c. 10–20 minutes	2.2 (± 0.7)
	d. 21–30 minutes	5.3 (± 1.3)
	e. 31–40 minutes	11.0 (± 2.4)
	f. 41–50 minutes	11.2 (± 2.0)
	g. 51–60 minutes	7.9 (± 1.4)
	h. More than 60 minutes	7.6 (± 3.1)

78.	During the average week, on how many days do you participate in supervised after-school activities either at school or away from school? Include activities such as sports, art, music, dance, drama, or community service, religious, or club activities.	State (<i>n</i> = 5,777)
a.	0 days	32.5% (± 3.6%)
b.	1–2 days	24.3 (± 2.2)
c.	3 or more days	43.3 (± 2.6)

Health Conditions and Health Care

79.	Has a doctor or nurse ever told you that you have asthma?	State (<i>n</i> = 2,901)
a.	Yes	19.1% (± 1.5%)
b.	No	76.6 (± 1.9)
c.	Not sure	4.3 (± 0.8)

80.	Do you still have asthma?	State (<i>n</i> = 2,896)
a.	I have never had asthma	62.3% (± 1.9%)
b.	Yes	12.1 (± 1.0)
c.	No	17.2 (± 1.5)
d.	Not sure	8.5 (± 1.1)

81.	RESCUE inhalers are asthma medicine that you breath in through your mouth that gives you QUICK relief from asthma symptoms. They are PRESCRIBED by a doctor. During the past 4 weeks, about how many days per week on average did you use a rescue inhaler? [†]	State (<i>n</i> = 2,246)
a.	Never	91.5% (± 1.1%)
b.	1 or 2 days per week	4.5 (± 0.9)
c.	3 to 6 days per week	1.6 (± 0.5)
d.	Every day, once per day	0.8 (± 0.4)
e.	Every day, twice or more per day	0.8 (± 0.4)
f.	I'm not sure	0.9 (± 0.4)

82.	During the past 12 months, how many times did you visit an emergency room or urgent care center because of your asthma? [†]	State (<i>n</i> = 2,255)
a.	I do not have asthma	79.4% (± 2.1%)
b.	None	16.5 (± 1.7)
c.	1 to 3 times	2.2 (± 0.7)
d.	4 to 9 times	0.6 (± 0.4)
e.	10 to 12 times	0.3 (± 0.2)
f.	More than 12 times	0.2 (± 0.2)
g.	I don't know	0.8 (± 0.5)

83.	During the past 12 months, how many days did you stay out of school or stay away from your usual activities because of your asthma? [†]	State (n = 2,242)
	a. I do not have asthma	80.7% (± 2.1%)
	b. None	14.9 (± 1.7)
	c. 1 to 2 days	1.9 (± 0.5)
	d. 3 to 4 days	0.7 (± 0.3)
	e. 5 to 10 days	0.7 (± 0.4)
	f. More than 10 days	0.4 (± 0.2)
	g. I don't know	0.7 (± 0.6)
84.	Symptoms of asthma include coughing, wheezing, shortness of breath, and chest tightness when you don't have a cold or the flu. During the past 4 weeks, about how many days per week on average did you have any symptoms of asthma? [†]	State (n = 2,242)
	a. Never	81.4% (± 1.7%)
	b. 1 or 2 days per week	9.9 (± 1.2)
	c. 3 to 6 days per week	3.3 (± 0.6)
	d. Every day, but not throughout the day	2.2 (± 0.6)
	e. Every day, throughout the day	1.1 (± 0.5)
	f. I'm not sure	2.1 (± 0.6)
[Item 85 appears only on the elementary version of the survey.]		
86.	Have you ever been told by a doctor or other health professional that you have diabetes?	State (n = 2,781)
	a. No	94.6% (± 0.9%)
	b. Yes	3.6 (± 0.7)
	c. I don't know	1.8 (± 0.5)
87.	When was the last time you saw a doctor or health care provider for a check-up or physical exam when you were not sick or injured?	State (n = 2,898)
	a. During the past 12 months	58.2% (± 2.4%)
	b. Between 12 and 24 months ago	19.7 (± 2.2)
	c. More than 24 months ago	8.6 (± 1.4)
	d. Never	3.8 (± 0.9)
	e. Not sure	9.7 (± 1.4)
88.	When was the last time you saw a dentist for a check-up, exam, teeth cleaning, or other dental work?	State (n = 2,900)
	a. During the past 12 months	74.5% (± 2.2%)
	b. Between 12 and 24 months ago	11.8 (± 1.2)
	c. More than 24 months ago	7.5 (± 1.0)
	d. Never	1.6 (± 0.5)
	e. Not sure	4.6 (± 1.0)

Sexual Behavior

89.	Have you ever had sexual intercourse? [†]	State (n = 1,024)
	a. Yes	52.6% (± 4.6%)
	b. No	47.4 (± 4.6)
90.	How old were you when you had sexual intercourse for the first time? [†]	State (n = 1,021)
	a. I have never had sexual intercourse	47.6% (± 4.7%)
	b. 11 years old or younger	3.2 (± 1.4)
	c. 12 years old	2.2 (± 1.2)
	d. 13 years old	3.7 (± 1.6)
	e. 14 years old	5.8 (± 1.7)
	f. 15 years old	13.0 (± 1.7)
	g. 16 years old	16.3 (± 2.5)
	h. 17 years old or older	8.2 (± 2.3)
91.	With how many people have you ever had sexual intercourse? [†]	State (n = 1,021)
	a. I have never had sexual intercourse	48.5% (± 4.9%)
	b. 1 person	18.9 (± 2.0)
	c. 2 people	9.3 (± 1.7)
	d. 3 people	5.9 (± 1.4)
	e. 4 people	4.6 (± 1.6)
	f. 5 people	3.3 (± 1.1)
	g. 6 or more people	9.5 (± 1.8)
92.	The last time you had sexual intercourse, did you or your partner use a condom? [†]	State (n = 1,015)
	a. I have never had sexual intercourse	47.8% (± 5.0%)
	b. Yes	28.2 (± 2.4)
	c. No	24.0 (± 3.5)

Safety

93.	When you rode a bicycle during the past 12 months, how often did you wear a helmet?	State (n = 2,945)
	a. I did not ride a bicycle in the past 12 months	36.8% (± 2.7%)
	b. Never wore a helmet	40.9 (± 3.6)
	c. Rarely wore a helmet	5.6 (± 1.0)
	d. Sometimes wore a helmet	3.8 (± 0.8)
	e. Most of the time wore a helmet	4.7 (± 1.0)
	f. Always wore a helmet	8.2 (± 1.5)

[Item 94 appears only on the elementary version of the survey.]

95.	How often do you wear a life vest when you're in a small boat like a canoe, raft, or small motorboat?	State (n = 2,949)
	a. Never go boating in a small boat	25.4% (± 2.2%)
	b. Never	15.9 (± 1.7)
	c. Less than half the time	10.9 (± 1.2)
	d. About half the time	8.6 (± 0.9)
	e. More than half the time	12.6 (± 1.5)
	f. Always	26.7 (± 2.2)
96.	How often do you wear a seat belt when riding in a car (driven by someone else) ^B ?	State (n = 2,949)
	a. Never	1.5% (± 0.5%)
	b. Rarely	2.1 (± 0.5)
	c. Sometimes	3.8 (± 0.7)
	d. Most of the time	15.5 (± 1.5)
	e. Always	77.2 (± 1.9)
97.	During the past 30 days, how many times did you ride in a car or other vehicle driven by someone who had been drinking alcohol?	State (n = 5,728)
	a. 0 times	77.4% (± 1.8%)
	b. 1 time	10.2 (± 1.0)
	c. 2–3 times	7.9 (± 0.9)
	d. 4–5 times	2.0 (± 0.4)
	e. 6 or more times	2.5 (± 0.4)
[Item 98 appears only on the elementary version of the survey.]		
99.	During the past 30 days, how many times did you drive a car or other vehicle when you had been drinking alcohol?	State (n = 5,713)
	a. 0 times	88.1% (± 1.1%)
	b. 1 time	6.0 (± 0.8)
	c. 2–3 times	3.4 (± 0.6)
	d. 4–5 times	1.0 (± 0.3)
	e. 6 or more times	1.4 (± 0.3)

Behaviors Related to Intentional Injuries

100.	During the past 30 days, on how many days did you carry a weapon such as a gun, knife, or club for self-protection or because you thought you might need it in a fight? (Do NOT include carrying a weapon for hunting, fishing, or camping.)	State (n = 2,948)
	a. 0 days	90.2% (± 1.5%)
	b. 1 day	2.2 (± 0.5)
	c. 2–3 days	2.2 (± 0.5)
	d. 4–5 days	0.8 (± 0.4)
	e. 6 or more days	4.6 (± 0.9)
[Item 101 appears only on the elementary version of the survey.]		
102.	During the past 30 days, on how many days did you carry a weapon such as a gun, knife, or club on school property?	State (n = 5,867)
	a. 0 days	92.7% (± 1.2%)
	b. 1–5 days	3.8 (± 0.8)
	c. 6 or more days	3.6 (± 0.6)

103. During the past 12 months, how many times were you in a physical fight?	State (n = 5,859)
a. 0 times	80.4% (± 1.6%)
b. 1 time	9.9 (± 0.8)
c. 2–3 times	5.9 (± 0.7)
d. 4–5 times	1.4 (± 0.4)
e. 6 or more times	2.4 (± 0.5)
104. During the past 12 months, how many times were you in a physical fight on school property?	State (n = 2,941)
a. 0 times	94.3% (± 1.0%)
b. 1 time	3.7 (± 0.7)
c. 2–3 times	1.2 (± 0.4)
d. 4–5 times	0.3 (± 0.2)
e. 6 or more times	0.5 (± 0.2)
105. During the past 12 months, have you been a member of a gang?	State (n = 5,771)
a. No	94.8% (± 0.7%)
b. Yes	5.2 (± 0.7)
106. During the past 12 months, did your boyfriend or girlfriend ever limit your activities, threaten you, or make you feel unsafe in any other way? [†]	State (n = 2,272)
a. No	89.8% (± 1.6%)
b. Yes	10.2 (± 1.6)
107. In the past 12 months, have you had any injuries such as bruises, cuts, black eyes, or broken bones as a result of being hurt by a boyfriend or girlfriend? [†]	State (n = 2,265)
a. No	93.7% (± 1.5%)
b. Yes	6.3 (± 1.5)
108. Have you ever been physically abused by an adult? [†]	State (n = 2,266)
a. No	82.2% (± 1.8%)
b. Yes	17.8 (± 1.8)
109. Not counting TV, movies, video games, and sporting events, have you seen an adult hit, slap, punch, shove, kick, or otherwise physically hurt another adult more than one time? [†]	State (n = 2,260)
a. No	72.4% (± 2.3%)
b. Yes	27.6 (± 2.3)

Depression

110. During the past 12 months, did you ever feel so sad or hopeless almost every day for two weeks or more in a row that you stopped doing some usual activities?	State (n = 5,671)
a. Yes	28.4% (± 1.4%)
b. No	71.6 (± 1.4)

111. During the past 12 months, did you ever seriously consider attempting suicide?	State (<i>n</i> = 5,670)
a. Yes	13.9% (± 1.0%)
b. No	86.1 (± 1.0)
112. During the past 12 months, did you make a plan about how you would attempt suicide?	State (<i>n</i> = 2,940)
a. Yes	10.9% (± 1.2%)
b. No	89.1 (± 1.2)
113. During the past 12 months, how many times did you actually attempt suicide?	State (<i>n</i> = 2,944)
a. 0 times	94.2% (± 1.1%)
b. 1 time	3.4 (± 0.7)
c. 2–3 times	1.4 (± 0.4)
d. 4–5 times	0.1 (± 0.1)
e. 6 or more times	0.9 (± 0.5)
[Items 114–115 appear only on the elementary version of the survey.]	
116. When you feel sad or hopeless, are there adults you can turn to for help?	State (<i>n</i> = 2,931)
a. I never feel sad or hopeless	20.4% (± 1.6%)
b. Yes	54.9 (± 2.0)
c. No	13.0 (± 1.3)
d. Not sure	11.7 (± 1.3)
117. How likely would you be to seek help if you were feeling depressed or suicidal?	State (<i>n</i> = 2,896)
a. I never feel depressed or suicidal	39.6% (± 2.0%)
b. Very likely	19.6 (± 1.6)
c. Somewhat likely	16.7 (± 1.8)
d. Somewhat unlikely	11.5 (± 1.0)
e. Very unlikely	12.6 (± 1.4)
118. How likely would you be to seek help for a friend who you thought might be depressed or suicidal?	State (<i>n</i> = 2,881)
a. Very likely	64.0% (± 1.9%)
b. Somewhat likely	23.0 (± 2.1)
c. Somewhat unlikely	6.5 (± 0.9)
d. Very unlikely	6.5 (± 1.1)
119. Last year in school, did you hear or see information at your school about the warning signs of suicide and how to get help for yourself or a friend?	State (<i>n</i> = 2,868)
a. Very likely	44.0% (± 6.2%)
b. Somewhat likely	43.6 (± 4.9)
c. Somewhat unlikely	12.5 (± 2.0)
d. Very unlikely	0.0 (± 0.0)

Gambling

120. In the past 12 months, how often have you gambled (bet) for money or possessions?	State (n = 2,771)
a. Never in the past year	73.8% (± 2.2%)
b. Once or twice in the past year	13.5 (± 1.5)
c. A few times in the past year	7.7 (± 1.1)
d. Once or twice a month	2.9 (± 0.7)
e. At least once a week	2.0 (± 0.6)

121. Has YOUR gambling ever caused you problems at home, school or with your friends?	State (n = 2,765)
a. I have not gambled	72.6% (± 2.0%)
b. Yes	2.6 (± 0.6)
c. No	24.7 (± 1.9)

School Climate

In the past few years Washington State has given increased attention to supportive learning environments. Students need a safe, nurturing, healthy, and civil learning environment if they are to be successful in school. This section provides information about student perceptions of school climate.

122. A student is being bullied when another student, or group of students, say or do nasty or unpleasant things to him or her. It is also bullying when a student is teased repeatedly in a way he or she doesn't like. It is NOT bullying when two students of about the same strength argue or fight. In the last 30 days, how often have you been bullied?	State (n = 5,747)
a. I have not been bullied	83.0% (± 1.2%)
b. Once	8.3 (± 0.8)
c. 2–3 times	4.6 (± 0.6)
d. About once a week	1.7 (± 0.4)
e. Several times a week	2.4 (± 0.4)

123. In the past 30 days, how often were you bullied, harassed, or intimidated at school or on your way to or from school because of your race, ethnicity, or national origin or what someone thought it was?	State (n = 2,894)
a. 0 times	90.6% (± 1.2%)
b. 1 time	3.8 (± 0.5)
c. 2 or 3 times	2.7 (± 0.6)
d. About once a week	1.2 (± 0.4)
e. Several times a week or more	1.7 (± 0.5)

124. In the past 30 days, how often were you bullied, harassed, or intimidated at school or on your way to or from school because your religion or what someone thought it was?	State (n = 2,894)
a. 0 times	91.6% (± 1.0%)
b. 1 time	4.6 (± 0.7)
c. 2 or 3 times	2.3 (± 0.7)
d. About once a week	0.7 (± 0.3)
e. Several times a week or more	0.9 (± 0.3)

125. In the past 30 days, how often were you bullied, harassed, or intimidated at school or on your way to or from school because someone thought you were gay, lesbian or bisexual (whether you are or are not)?	State (n = 2,890) 92.5% (± 0.8%) 3.0 (± 0.3) 2.0 (± 0.5) 1.1 (± 0.4) 1.5 (± 0.5)
a. 0 times b. 1 time c. 2 or 3 times d. About once a week e. Several times a week or more	
126. In the past 30 days, how often were you bullied, harassed, or intimidated at school or on your way to or from school because of your gender (being male or female)? This includes sexual jokes, gestures, or comments that make you feel uncomfortable.	State (n = 2,889) 86.1% (± 1.3%) 5.5 (± 0.8) 4.7 (± 0.6) 1.8 (± 0.5) 2.0 (± 0.5)
a. 0 times b. 1 time c. 2 or 3 times d. About once a week e. Several times a week or more	
127. In the past 30 days, how often were you bullied, harassed, or intimidated at school or on your way to or from school because you have a health problem or physical or mental disability, or because someone thought you did?	State (n = 2,890) 94.0% (± 0.8%) 2.4 (± 0.6) 1.7 (± 0.4) 0.6 (± 0.2) 1.3 (± 0.4)
a. 0 times b. 1 time c. 2 or 3 times d. About once a week e. Several times a week or more	
128. In the past 30 days, how often were you bullied, harassed, or intimidated at school or on your way to or from school because of any other reason?	State (n = 2,887) 83.7% (± 1.2%) 7.7 (± 0.9) 5.2 (± 0.7) 1.6 (± 0.5) 1.8 (± 0.5)
a. 0 times b. 1 time c. 2 or 3 times d. About once a week e. Several times a week or more	
129. During the past 30 days, on how many days did you not go to school because you felt you would be unsafe at school or on your way to and from school?	State (n = 2,857) 93.7% (± 1.2%) 2.8 (± 0.6) 2.1 (± 0.6) 0.7 (± 0.4) 0.7 (± 0.3)
a. 0 days b. 1 day c. 2 or 3 days d. 4 or 5 days e. 6 or more days	
130. In the past 30 days, has someone used the computer or a cell phone to bully, harass or intimidate you?	State (n = 2,880) 10.8% (± 1.0%) 84.9 (± 1.3) 4.3 (± 0.7)
a. Yes b. No c. I'm not sure	

131. Does your school provide a counselor, intervention specialist, or other school staff member for students to discuss problems with alcohol, tobacco, or other drugs?	State (<i>n</i> = 5,728)
a. No	10.4% (± 1.5%)
b. Yes	63.6 (± 4.3)
c. I'm not sure	26.1 (± 3.4)
132. My school will punish students who are caught using drugs or alcohol.	State (<i>n</i> = 2,872)
a. NO!	4.1% (± 1.0%)
b. no	6.4 (± 1.0)
c. yes	38.8 (± 2.3)
d. YES!	50.7 (± 2.6)
133. Last year in school, were you taught about HIV or AIDS infection?	State (<i>n</i> = 2,874)
a. Yes	48.3% (± 7.7%)
b. No	41.5 (± 6.9)
c. I'm not sure	10.2 (± 1.7)
134. Last year in school, were you taught about abstinence (not having sex) to prevent sexually transmitted diseases (STDs) and pregnancy? [†]	State (<i>n</i> = 2,255)
a. Yes	55.1% (± 7.2%)
b. No	35.0 (± 6.6)
c. I don't know	9.9 (± 1.6)
135. Last year in school, were you taught about ways other than abstinence to prevent sexually transmitted diseases (STDs) and pregnancy? [†]	State (<i>n</i> = 2,248)
a. Yes	57.7% (± 7.2%)
b. No	31.9 (± 6.6)
c. I don't know	10.4 (± 1.6)

Quality of Life

Health-related quality of life is an individual's or group's perceived physical and mental health over time. At the individual level it involves a person's health and health-related conditions; at the community level it involves conditions that influence people's health. This section contains the results of the items related to individual quality of life.

136. Youth Quality of Life (Computed from items 137–142.)	State (<i>n</i> = 2,793)
a. Low	24.1% (± 1.5%)
b. Medium low	25.3 (± 1.9)
c. Medium high	23.7 (± 1.5)
d. High	26.9 (± 2.2)

137. I feel I am getting along with my parents or guardians.	State (n = 2,835)
a. 0 not at all true	4.2% (± 0.7%)
b. 1	2.6 (± 0.7)
c. 2	2.0 (± 0.6)
d. 3	3.0 (± 0.7)
e. 4	3.9 (± 0.7)
f. 5	7.7 (± 1.0)
g. 6	6.0 (± 0.9)
h. 7	14.3 (± 1.4)
i. 8	15.3 (± 1.9)
j. 9	13.4 (± 1.3)
k. 10 completely true	27.5 (± 1.9)
138. I look forward to the future.	State (n = 2,833)
a. 0 not at all true	2.6% (± 0.6%)
b. 1	1.3 (± 0.4)
c. 2	1.5 (± 0.5)
d. 3	1.7 (± 0.5)
e. 4	1.2 (± 0.5)
f. 5	5.5 (± 0.7)
g. 6	4.0 (± 0.7)
h. 7	7.6 (± 0.8)
i. 8	11.7 (± 1.3)
j. 9	13.2 (± 1.1)
k. 10 completely true	49.8 (± 2.3)
139. I feel good about myself.	State (n = 2,831)
a. 0 not at all true	3.2% (± 0.6%)
b. 1	1.6 (± 0.5)
c. 2	2.3 (± 0.6)
d. 3	3.6 (± 0.7)
e. 4	4.0 (± 0.7)
f. 5	6.4 (± 0.9)
g. 6	8.4 (± 1.0)
h. 7	13.6 (± 1.3)
i. 8	16.6 (± 1.7)
j. 9	14.3 (± 1.8)
k. 10 completely true	26.1 (± 2.1)
140. I am satisfied with the way my life is now.	State (n = 2,818)
a. 0 not at all true	4.5% (± 0.8%)
b. 1	2.7 (± 0.6)
c. 2	3.5 (± 0.7)
d. 3	4.4 (± 0.8)
e. 4	5.0 (± 0.9)
f. 5	9.6 (± 1.0)
g. 6	8.5 (± 1.1)
h. 7	12.9 (± 1.4)
i. 8	15.4 (± 1.4)
j. 9	13.3 (± 1.3)
k. 10 completely true	20.2 (± 2.1)

141. I feel alone in my life.	State (n = 2,809)
a. 0 not at all true	37.3% (± 1.9%)
b. 1	12.4 (± 1.3)
c. 2	10.0 (± 1.3)
d. 3	5.5 (± 0.9)
e. 4	4.4 (± 0.9)
f. 5	6.2 (± 0.8)
g. 6	4.8 (± 0.6)
h. 7	6.6 (± 1.0)
i. 8	5.6 (± 1.0)
j. 9	3.0 (± 0.5)
k. 10 completely true	4.2 (± 0.9)
142. Compared with others my age, my life is	State (n = 2,807)
a. 0 much worse than others	2.7% (± 0.6%)
b. 1	1.3 (± 0.3)
c. 2	2.3 (± 0.6)
d. 3	3.4 (± 0.6)
e. 4	4.6 (± 0.8)
f. 5	15.1 (± 1.5)
g. 6	10.4 (± 1.3)
h. 7	15.8 (± 1.4)
i. 8	18.1 (± 1.3)
j. 9	10.6 (± 1.2)
k. 10 much better than others	15.8 (± 1.5)
143. Which of the following best describes where you currently live? (Choose only one answer.)	State (n = 2,883)
a. My parent's or guardian's home	94.2% (± 1.0%)
b. With friends or other families (because lost home or cannot afford housing)	2.8 (± 0.5)
c. On your own (because lost home or cannot afford housing)	0.8 (± 0.3)
d. Motel or hotel	0.4 (± 0.2)
e. Shelter (shelter or emergency/transitional housing)	0.2 (± 0.2)
f. Car, park, campground, or other public place	0.3 (± 0.2)
g. Waiting to be placed in foster care	0.1 (± 0.1)
h. Another place	1.2 (± 0.5)
144. Has your parent or guardian served in the military (Army, Navy, Air Force, Marines, Coast Guard, National Guard, and Reserves)?	State (n = 2,879)
a. No	75.4% (± 2.6%)
b. Yes	22.1 (± 2.3)
c. Not sure	2.5 (± 0.7)
145. Has your military parent or guardian been sent to Iraq, Afghanistan, or other combat zone?	State (n = 2,870)
a. I do not have a parent or guardian who has ever served in the military	69.6% (± 2.6%)
b. No	22.4% (± 1.5%)
c. Yes	5.5 (± 1.2)
d. Not sure	2.6 (± 0.6)

[Item 146 appears only on the elementary version of the survey.]

Risk and Protective Factors

Decades of research have shown that certain risk factors are associated with increased likelihood of health risk behaviors including ATOD use, violence, and delinquent behaviors. Similarly, research has shown that protective factors exert a positive influence against the negative influence of risk factors. The survey included substantial coverage of risk and protective factors based on the work of Drs. Hawkins and Catalano and associates at the University of Washington. The premise of the risk reduction and protective factor enhancement approach to prevention is that preventing a problem before it occurs requires addressing the factors that predict the problem. Ideally, this strategy entails discovering the causes of the problem behavior and influencing those causes. Many of the survey items were used to assess students' status on risk and protective factors in the community, school, and peer-individual domains. Composite scales were computed for use in local program planning.

The table on the following page provides the complete list of risk and protective factors and indicates the years the Healthy Youth Survey has included each factor.

Risk and Protective Factor Framework and Reporting Schedule

	Healthy Youth Survey Administration Year							
	1995	1998	2000	2002	2004	2006	2008	2010
Community Risk Factors								
Low Neighborhood Attachment	X	X	X	X ^S		X ^S	X ^S	X ^S
Community Disorganization	X							
Transitions and Mobility	X				X ^S			
Perceived Availability of Drugs	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Perceived Availability of Handguns	X	X	X	X ^S				
Laws And Norms Favorable to Drug Use	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Community Protective Factors								
Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement			X	X	X ^S	X ^S	X ^S	X ^S
Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X ^E
Family Risk Factors								
Family History of Antisocial Behavior	X							
Poor Family Management	X			X ^{S, †}				
Family Conflict								
Parental Attitudes Favorable towards Drug Use					X ^{S, †}		X ^{S, †}	X ^S
Parental Attitudes Favorable to Antisocial Behavior	X				X ^{S, †}			
Antisocial Behavior Among Familiar Adults				X ^S				
Family Protective Factors								
Attachment								
Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement	X			X [†]	X ^{E, †}	X [†]	X [†]	X [†]
Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	X			X [†]	X ^{E, †}	X [†]	X [†]	X [†]
School Risk Factors								
Academic Failure	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Low Commitment to School	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
School Protective Factors								
Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement	X	X	X	X ^S				
Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Peer-Individual Risk Factors								
Rebelliousness	X	X						
Gang Involvement								
Perceived Risk of Drug Use		X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Early Initiation of Drug Use			X	X ^S				
Early Initiation of Antisocial Behavior	X	X	X	X ^S				
Favorable Attitudes Towards Drug Use	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Favorable Attitudes Towards Antisocial Behavior	X	X	X	X ^S				
Sensation Seeking	X	X						
Rewards for Antisocial Involvement		X	X	X ^S	X ^S	X ^S	X ^S	
Friends' Use of Drugs	X	X	X	X ^S				
Interaction With Antisocial Peers	X	X			X ^S	X ^S	X ^S	X ^S
Intentions to Use				X ^S				
Peer-Individual Protective Factors								
Interaction With Prosocial Peers					X	X	X	X ^S
Belief in the Moral Order	X	X	X	X ^S				
Prosocial Involvement					X	X	X ^E	X ^E
Rewards for Prosocial Involvement								
Social Skills	X	X	X ^S	X ^S	X ^S	X ^S	X ^S	X ^S
Religiosity		X						

Note. S = Included only on the secondary version; E = Included only on the elementary version; † = Based on optional items.

Risk and Protective Factor Scale Results

For each *risk* factor scale, the percentage of students who are at risk (i.e., who agreed with statements that predict ATOD use or other problem behaviors) is reported; higher percentages indicate that *more* students are likely to engage in problem behaviors. For each *protective* factor scale, the percentage of students who are resilient (i.e., who agreed with statements that predict the ability to resist ATOD use or other problem behaviors) is reported; higher percentages indicate that *fewer* students are likely to engage in problem behaviors. These percentages are based on computational methods provided by the University of Washington's Social Development Research Group.

Community Risk Factors

	State (<i>n</i> = 2,956)
Low Neighborhood Attachment (Items 147–149)	50.2% (± 2.4%) (<i>n</i> = 2,926)
Perceived Availability of Drugs (Items 150–153)	38.1% (± 2.5%) (<i>n</i> = 2,923)
Perceived Availability of Handguns (Item 154)	22.6% (± 2.6%) (<i>n</i> = 2,937)
Laws And Norms Favorable to Drug Use (Items 155–160)	32.5% (± 2.6%)

Community Protective Factors

	State (<i>n</i> = 2,907)
Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement (Items 161–164)	76.0% (± 2.8%)

Family Risk Factors

	State (<i>n</i> = 2,234)
Poor Family Management (Items 168–175)	38.8% (± 2.9%) (<i>n</i> = 2,948)
Parental Attitudes Favorable Towards Drug Use (Items 183–185)	36.4% (± 2.9%)

Family Protective Factors

	State (<i>n</i> = 2,258)
Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement (Items 176–178)	53.7% (± 2.9%) (<i>n</i> = 2,244)
Rewards for Prosocial Involvement (Items 179–182)	49.7% (± 2.4%)

School Risk Factors

	State (<i>n</i> = 2,888)
Academic Failure (Items 186–187)	49.1% (± 2.2%) (<i>n</i> = 2,944)
Low Commitment to School (Items 188–194)	36.5% (± 2.2%)

School Protective Factors

	State (<i>n</i> = 2,922)
Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement (Items 195–199)	64.0% (± 3.4%) (<i>n</i> = 2,924)
Rewards for Prosocial Involvement (Items 200–203)	45.3% (± 3.4%)

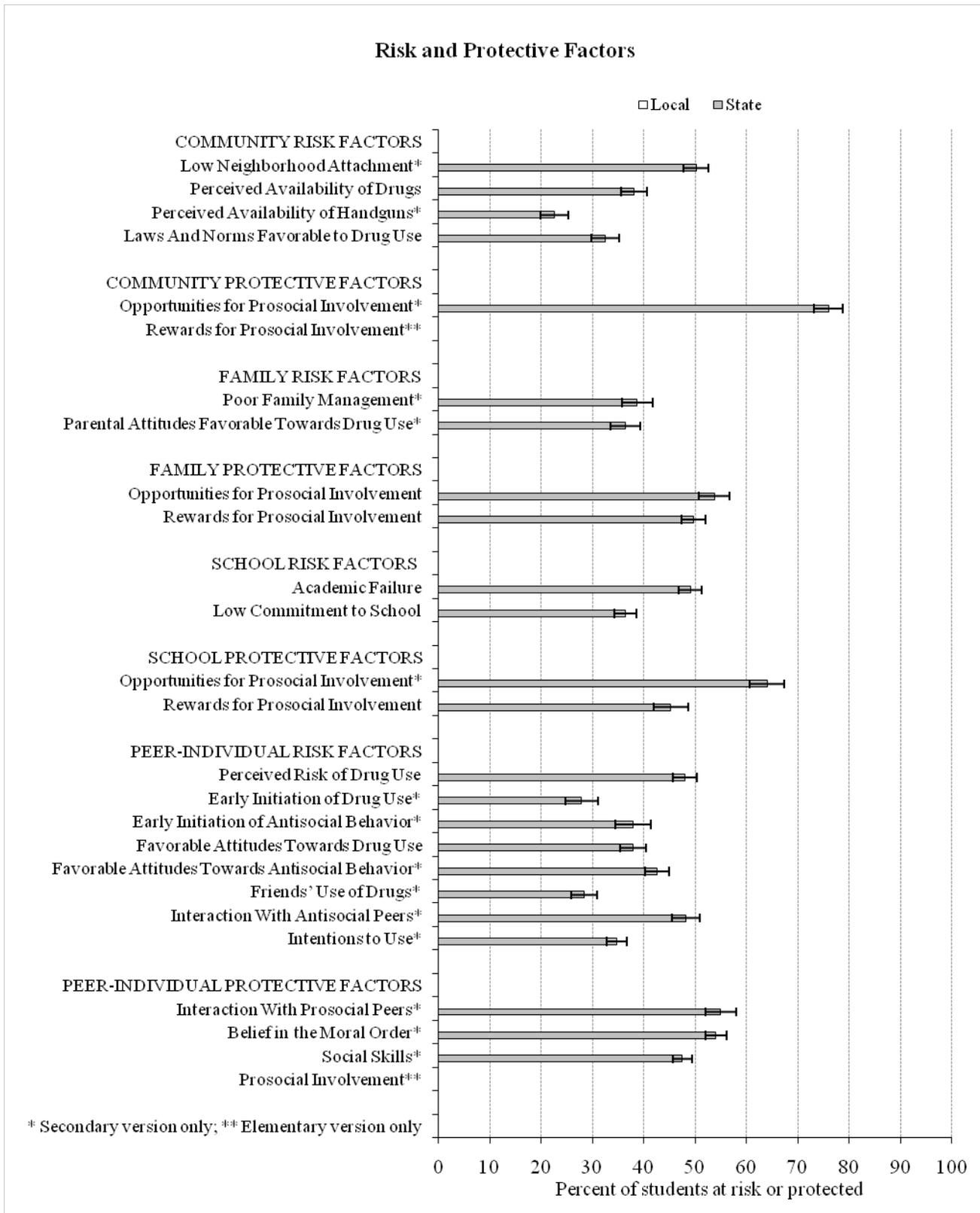
Peer-Individual Risk Factors

	State (<i>n</i> = 2,859)
Perceived Risk of Drug Use (Items 204–207)	48.0% (± 2.3%) (<i>n</i> = 2,857)
Early Initiation of Drug Use (Items 210–211, 213)	27.9% (± 3.1%) (<i>n</i> = 2,832)
Early Initiation of Antisocial Behavior (Items 214–217)	37.9% (± 3.5%) (<i>n</i> = 2,786)
Favorable Attitudes Towards Drug Use (Items 218–221)	37.9% (± 2.5%) (<i>n</i> = 2,806)
Favorable Attitudes Towards Antisocial Behavior (Items 222–226)	42.6% (± 2.4%) (<i>n</i> = 2,730)
Friends' Use of Drugs (Items 228–231)	28.5% (± 2.5%) (<i>n</i> = 2,896)
Interaction With Antisocial Peers (Items 232–237)	48.3% (± 2.7%) (<i>n</i> = 2,735)
Intentions to Use (Items 238–240)	34.7% (± 2.0%)

Peer-Individual Protective Factors

	State (<i>n</i> = 2,741)
Interaction With Prosocial Peers (Items 241–244)	55.0% (± 3.1%) (<i>n</i> = 2,907)
Belief in the Moral Order (Items 246–249)	54.0% (± 2.0%) (<i>n</i> = 2,695)
Social Skills (Items 253–255)	47.5% (± 1.8%)

Graph of Scale Results



Risk and Protective Factors: Individual Item Results

The remainder of the report provides results for the individual items used to compute the risk and protective factors.

Community Domain

147. I'd like to get out of my neighborhood or community.	State (n = 2,948)
a. NO!	15.8% (± 1.8%)
b. no	40.8 (± 2.1)
c. yes	31.8 (± 1.8)
d. YES!	11.6 (± 1.5)
148. If I had to move, I would miss the neighborhood or community I now live in.	State (n = 2,953)
a. NO!	7.1% (± 0.9%)
b. no	23.7 (± 1.8)
c. yes	49.9 (± 1.8)
d. YES!	19.3 (± 1.8)
149. I like my neighborhood/community.	State (n = 2,949)
a. NO!	4.3% (± 0.9%)
b. no	15.2 (± 1.6)
c. yes	63.5 (± 1.7)
d. YES!	17.0 (± 1.9)
150. If you wanted to get some beer, wine, or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin), how easy would it be for you to get some?	State (n = 2,938)
a. Very hard	10.9% (± 1.5%)
b. Sort of hard	22.6 (± 1.4)
c. Sort of easy	33.1 (± 2.3)
d. Very easy	33.5 (± 2.5)
151. If you wanted to get some cigarettes, how easy would it be for you to get some?	State (n = 2,936)
a. Very hard	11.9% (± 1.3%)
b. Sort of hard	13.8 (± 1.6)
c. Sort of easy	21.9 (± 1.6)
d. Very easy	52.4 (± 3.3)
152. If you wanted to get some marijuana, how easy would it be for you to get some?	State (n = 2,920)
a. Very hard	16.6% (± 1.7%)
b. Sort of hard	16.5 (± 1.4)
c. Sort of easy	24.1 (± 1.8)
d. Very easy	42.8 (± 2.3)
153. If you wanted to get a drug like cocaine, LSD, or amphetamines, how easy would it be for you to get some?	State (n = 2,918)
a. Very hard	40.8% (± 2.7%)
b. Sort of hard	29.7 (± 1.7)
c. Sort of easy	19.6 (± 1.7)
d. Very easy	9.8 (± 1.7)

154. If you wanted to get a handgun, how easy would it be for you to get one?	State (n = 2,923)
a. Very hard	53.2% (± 3.8%)
b. Sort of hard	24.2 (± 1.8)
c. Sort of easy	11.8 (± 1.8)
d. Very easy	10.8 (± 1.6)
155. How wrong would most adults in your neighborhood ^C / neighborhood or community ^A think it was for kids your age to use marijuana?	State (n = 2,939)
a. Very wrong	40.6% (± 2.9%)
b. Wrong	37.2 (± 1.7)
c. A little bit wrong	16.8 (± 2.0)
d. Not wrong at all	5.4 (± 1.0)
156. How wrong would most adults in your neighborhood ^C / neighborhood or community ^A think it was for kids your age to drink alcohol?	State (n = 2,940)
a. Very wrong	26.1% (± 2.2%)
b. Wrong	42.8 (± 2.1)
c. A little bit wrong	24.1 (± 2.1)
d. Not wrong at all	7.1 (± 1.2)
157. How wrong would most adults in your neighborhood ^C / neighborhood or community ^A think it was for kids your age to smoke cigarettes?	State (n = 2,939)
a. Very wrong	33.2% (± 3.4%)
b. Wrong	35.6 (± 2.2)
c. A little bit wrong	19.9 (± 2.0)
d. Not wrong at all	11.3 (± 2.0)
158. If a kid drank some beer, wine, or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin) in your neighborhood ^C / community ^A would he or she be caught by the police?	State (n = 2,937)
a. NO!	18.6% (± 1.8%)
b. no	61.9 (± 2.3)
c. yes	15.4 (± 1.7)
d. YES!	4.2 (± 0.8)
159. If a kid carried a handgun in your neighborhood ^C / community ^A would he or she be caught by the police?	State (n = 2,922)
a. NO!	8.3% (± 1.2%)
b. no	30.7 (± 2.5)
c. yes	41.8 (± 2.3)
d. YES!	19.2 (± 1.8)
160. If a kid smoked marijuana in your neighborhood ^C / community ^A would he or she be caught by the police?	State (n = 2,929)
a. NO!	19.8% (± 1.7%)
b. no	56.5 (± 2.0)
c. yes	18.3 (± 1.5)
d. YES!	5.4 (± 0.9)

161. There are adults in my neighborhood or community I could talk to about something important.	State (<i>n</i> = 2,946)
a. NO!	10.5% (± 1.4%)
b. no	15.8 (± 1.2)
c. yes	44.5 (± 1.5)
d. YES!	29.2 (± 1.8)

Which of the following activities for people your age are available in your community?

162. Sports teams and recreation	State (<i>n</i> = 2,938)
a. Yes	90.6% (± 2.1%)
b. No	9.4 (± 2.1)

163. Scouts, Camp Fire, 4-H Clubs, or other service clubs	State (<i>n</i> = 2,928)
a. Yes	76.5% (± 3.4%)
b. No	23.5 (± 3.4)

164. Boys and Girls Club, YMCA, or other activity clubs	State (<i>n</i> = 2,923)
a. Yes	75.8% (± 5.0%)
b. No	24.2 (± 5.0)

[Items 165–167 appear only on the elementary version of the survey.]

Family Domain

The next set of questions asks about your family. When answering these questions, please think about the people you consider to be your family—parents, stepparents, grandparents, aunts, uncles, etc.

168. My parents ask if I've gotten my homework done. [†]	State (<i>n</i> = 2,272)
a. NO!	8.6% (± 1.4%)
b. no	16.8 (± 1.2)
c. yes	42.3 (± 1.8)
d. YES!	32.3 (± 2.3)

169. Would your parents know if you did not come home on time? [†]	State (<i>n</i> = 2,234)
a. NO!	6.0% (± 1.2%)
b. no	18.1 (± 1.6)
c. yes	46.5 (± 2.2)
d. YES!	29.5 (± 1.6)

170. When I am not at home, one of my parents knows where I am and who I am with. [†]	State (<i>n</i> = 2,263)
a. NO!	4.3% (± 1.0%)
b. no	13.2 (± 1.7)
c. yes	51.7 (± 2.6)
d. YES!	30.8 (± 1.9)

171. The rules in my family are clear. [†]	State (n = 2,257)
a. NO!	4.2% (± 1.0%)
b. no	12.1 (± 1.4)
c. yes	48.8 (± 2.1)
d. YES!	34.9 (± 2.3)
172. My family has clear rules about alcohol and drug use. [†]	State (n = 2,255)
a. NO!	5.3% (± 1.2%)
b. no	16.6 (± 1.6)
c. yes	39.7 (± 2.3)
d. YES!	38.4 (± 2.2)
173. If you drank some beer, wine, or liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin) without your parent's permission, would you be caught by them? [†]	State (n = 2,226)
a. NO!	14.2% (± 1.9%)
b. no	48.7 (± 2.5)
c. yes	22.2 (± 1.8)
d. YES!	15.0 (± 1.9)
174. If you carried a handgun without your parent's permission, would you be caught by them? [†]	State (n = 2,219)
a. NO!	8.0% (± 1.8%)
b. no	22.3 (± 1.9)
c. yes	30.3 (± 2.2)
d. YES!	39.4 (± 2.2)
175. If you skipped school, would you be caught by your parents? [†]	State (n = 2,226)
a. NO!	8.6% (± 1.9%)
b. no	22.0 (± 2.1)
c. yes	35.4 (± 2.6)
d. YES!	34.0 (± 2.2)
176. If I had a personal problem, I could ask my mom or dad for help. [†]	State (n = 2,264)
a. NO!	7.4% (± 1.1%)
b. no	16.6 (± 1.7)
c. yes	43.8 (± 2.3)
d. YES!	32.2 (± 2.7)
177. My parents give me lots of chances to do fun things with them. [†]	State (n = 2,252)
a. NO!	8.9% (± 1.4%)
b. no	26.5 (± 2.0)
c. yes	43.7 (± 2.8)
d. YES!	21.0 (± 2.3)

178.	My parents ask me what I think before most family decisions affecting me are made. [†]	State (n = 2,248)
	a. NO!	12.1% (± 1.5%)
	b. no	26.7 (± 2.2)
	c. yes	41.6 (± 2.4)
	d. YES!	19.6 (± 1.5)
179.	My parents notice when I am doing a good job and let me know about it. [†]	State (n = 2,243)
	a. Never or almost never	11.4% (± 1.6%)
	b. Sometimes	31.5 (± 1.8)
	c. Often	34.0 (± 1.8)
	d. All the time	23.1 (± 1.9)
180.	How often do your parents tell you they're proud of you for something you've done? [†]	State (n = 2,248)
	a. Never or almost never	12.9% (± 1.7%)
	b. Sometimes	30.3 (± 2.3)
	c. Often	33.9 (± 2.2)
	d. All the time	22.9 (± 2.0)
181.	Do you enjoy spending time with your mom ^C /mother ^A ? [†]	State (n = 2,238)
	a. NO!	6.9% (± 0.9%)
	b. no	13.1 (± 1.5)
	c. yes	47.0 (± 1.6)
	d. YES!	33.1 (± 2.2)
182.	Do you enjoy spending time with your dad ^C /father ^A ? [†]	State (n = 2,218)
	a. NO!	11.5% (± 1.6%)
	b. no	14.4 (± 2.0)
	c. yes	44.7 (± 2.4)
	d. YES!	29.4 (± 1.8)
183.	How wrong do your parents feel it would be for <u>you</u> to drink beer, wine, or hard liquor (for example: vodka, whiskey, or gin) regularly (at least once or twice a month)?	State (n = 2,942)
	a. Very wrong	60.5% (± 2.3%)
	b. Wrong	23.4 (± 1.5)
	c. A little bit wrong	11.7 (± 1.3)
	d. Not wrong at all	4.4 (± 0.8)
184.	How wrong do your parents feel it would be for <u>you</u> to smoke cigarettes?	State (n = 2,949)
	a. Very wrong	72.1% (± 3.2%)
	b. Wrong	16.5 (± 1.6)
	c. A little bit wrong	6.4 (± 1.3)
	d. Not wrong at all	5.1 (± 1.1)

185.	How wrong do your parents feel it would be for <u>you</u> to smoke marijuana?	State (n = 2,943)
a.	Very wrong	69.9% (± 2.7%)
b.	Wrong	16.4 (± 1.7)
c.	A little bit wrong	8.1 (± 1.2)
d.	Not wrong at all	5.6 (± 1.1)

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186.	Putting them all together, what were your grades like last year?	State (n = 5,770)
a.	Mostly As	35.0% (± 3.0%)
b.	Mostly Bs	35.0 (± 1.5)
c.	Mostly Cs	22.7 (± 2.0)
d.	Mostly Ds	4.7 (± 1.0)
e.	Mostly Fs	2.6 (± 0.6)

187.	Are your school grades better than the grades of most students in your class?	State (n = 2,901)
a.	NO!	7.9% (± 1.0%)
b.	no	35.4 (± 1.8)
c.	yes	43.1 (± 2.0)
d.	YES!	13.6 (± 1.2)

188.	How often do you feel the schoolwork you are assigned is meaningful and important?	State (n = 2,894)
a.	Almost always	12.6% (± 1.7%)
b.	Often	25.7 (± 1.3)
c.	Sometimes	36.6 (± 1.4)
d.	Seldom	18.1 (± 1.6)
e.	Never	7.0 (± 1.0)

189.	How interesting are most of your courses to you?	State (n = 2,944)
a.	Very interesting and stimulating	10.2% (± 1.6%)
b.	Quite interesting	30.8 (± 1.7)
c.	Fairly interesting	36.2 (± 1.5)
d.	Slightly dull	15.9 (± 1.3)
e.	Very dull	6.9 (± 1.0)

190.	How important do you think the things you are learning in school are going to be for you later in life?	State (n = 2,942)
a.	Very important	20.0% (± 2.0%)
b.	Quite important	26.1 (± 1.7)
c.	Fairly important	32.2 (± 1.7)
d.	Slightly important	17.3 (± 1.5)
e.	Not at all important	4.4 (± 0.7)

Think back over the past year in school. How often did you:

191. Enjoy being in school?	State (n = 5,805)
a. Never	7.8% (± 1.2%)
b. Seldom	16.8 (± 1.4)
c. Sometimes	33.8 (± 1.4)
d. Often	28.6 (± 1.4)
e. Almost always	13.0 (± 1.5)
192. Hate being in school?	State (n = 2,943)
a. Never	7.8% (± 1.1%)
b. Seldom	27.7 (± 1.7)
c. Sometimes	38.0 (± 1.4)
d. Often	18.9 (± 1.4)
e. Almost always	7.6 (± 1.0)
193. Try to do your best work in school?	State (n = 2,939)
a. Never	1.8% (± 0.5%)
b. Seldom	7.1 (± 0.9)
c. Sometimes	19.5 (± 1.6)
d. Often	34.8 (± 2.1)
e. Almost always	36.7 (± 2.2)
194. During the LAST 4 WEEKS, how many whole days of school have you missed because you skipped or “cut”?	State (n = 2,939)
a. None	72.5% (± 3.0%)
b. 1	11.1 (± 1.0)
c. 2	5.3 (± 0.6)
d. 3	4.3 (± 1.0)
e. 4–5	3.6 (± 0.9)
f. 6–10	1.7 (± 0.6)
g. 11 or more	1.7 (± 0.6)
195. In my school, students have lots of chances to help decide things like class activities and rules.	State (n = 2,928)
a. NO!	17.4% (± 2.7%)
b. no	35.2 (± 2.4)
c. yes	38.8 (± 3.0)
d. YES!	8.6 (± 1.7)
196. There are lots of chances for students in my school to talk with a teacher one-on-one.	State (n = 2,922)
a. NO!	4.8% (± 1.2%)
b. no	14.0 (± 1.5)
c. yes	55.8 (± 1.9)
d. YES!	25.4 (± 2.9)

197. Teachers ask me to work on special classroom projects.	State (n = 2,913)
a. NO!	15.8% (± 1.6%)
b. no	49.2 (± 2.3)
c. yes	29.0 (± 2.0)
d. YES!	5.9 (± 1.0)
198. There are lots of chances for students in my school to get involved in sports, clubs, and other school activities outside of class.	State (n = 2,926)
a. NO!	3.3% (± 1.2%)
b. no	6.4 (± 1.9)
c. yes	38.1 (± 2.4)
d. YES!	52.2 (± 3.9)
199. I have lots of chances to be part of class discussions or activities.	State (n = 2,927)
a. NO!	3.1% (± 0.8%)
b. no	9.7 (± 1.4)
c. yes	56.2 (± 2.2)
d. YES!	31.0 (± 3.2)
200. My teacher(s) notices when I am doing a good job and lets me know about it.	State (n = 2,930)
a. NO!	8.4% (± 1.5%)
b. no	27.5 (± 2.3)
c. yes	51.0 (± 2.0)
d. YES!	13.2 (± 2.0)
201. The school lets my parents know when I have done something well.	State (n = 2,924)
a. NO!	29.8% (± 2.5%)
b. no	47.9 (± 2.4)
c. yes	17.5 (± 2.1)
d. YES!	4.9 (± 1.1)
202. I feel safe at my school.	State (n = 5,866)
a. NO! ^{A,C} / Definitely NOT true ^B	4.3% (± 0.8%)
b. no ^{A,C} / Mostly not true ^B	7.2 (± 1.1)
c. yes ^{A,C} / Mostly true ^B	51.4 (± 2.1)
d. YES! ^{A,C} / Definitely true ^B	37.0 (± 3.1)
203. My teachers praise me when I work hard in school.	State (n = 2,923)
a. NO!	13.8% (± 1.7%)
b. no	41.3 (± 1.8)
c. yes	37.8 (± 1.9)
d. YES!	7.1 (± 1.3)

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How much do you think people risk harming themselves if they:

204. Smoke one or more packs of cigarettes per day?	State (n = 2,925)
a. No risk	2.5% (± 0.7%)
b. Slight risk	4.2 (± 1.0)
c. Moderate risk	15.1 (± 1.6)
d. Great risk	76.0 (± 2.6)
e. Not sure	2.2 (± 0.7)

205. Try marijuana once or twice?	State (n = 2,918)
a. No risk	42.6% (± 2.4%)
b. Slight risk	27.0 (± 2.0)
c. Moderate risk	14.4 (± 1.4)
d. Great risk	13.8 (± 1.5)
e. Not sure	2.3 (± 0.7)

206. Smoke marijuana regularly (at least once or twice a week)?	State (n = 2,918)
a. No risk	16.9% (± 1.9%)
b. Slight risk	18.0 (± 1.5)
c. Moderate risk	25.0 (± 2.0)
d. Great risk	37.2 (± 2.8)
e. Not sure	2.9 (± 0.8)

207. Take one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage (wine, beer, a shot, liquor) nearly every day?	State (n = 2,913)
a. No risk	10.4% (± 1.8%)
b. Slight risk	19.4 (± 1.2)
c. Moderate risk	29.9 (± 1.9)
d. Great risk	37.9 (± 2.5)
e. Not sure	2.4 (± 0.8)

How old were you the first time you:

208. Smoked marijuana?	State (n = 5,791)
a. Never have	54.3% (± 2.4%)
b. 10 or younger	2.3 (± 0.5)
c. 11	1.9 (± 0.5)
d. 12	3.0 (± 0.6)
e. 13	5.2 (± 0.8)
f. 14	7.4 (± 1.0)
g. 15	9.7 (± 0.8)
h. 16	10.1 (± 1.1)
i. 17 or older	6.1 (± 0.8)

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210. Smoked a cigarette, even just a puff?	State (<i>n</i> = 2,858)
a. Never have	59.2% (± 3.6%)
b. 10 or younger	6.6 (± 1.4)
c. 11	2.7 (± 0.7)
d. 12	3.3 (± 0.8)
e. 13	4.3 (± 0.8)
f. 14	4.8 (± 0.8)
g. 15	6.2 (± 1.1)
h. 16	7.2 (± 0.9)
i. 17 or older	5.7 (± 0.9)
211. Had more than a sip or two of beer, wine, or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin)?	State (<i>n</i> = 5,783)
a. Never have	29.4% (± 2.0%)
b. 10 or younger	9.2 (± 1.1)
c. 11	3.3 (± 0.7)
d. 12	5.0 (± 0.7)
e. 13	8.1 (± 0.9)
f. 14	10.9 (± 0.9)
g. 15	13.6 (± 0.8)
h. 16	13.3 (± 0.9)
i. 17 or older	7.3 (± 0.7)

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213. Began drinking alcoholic beverages regularly, that is, at least once or twice a month?	State (<i>n</i> = 2,850)
a. Never have	62.5% (± 2.5%)
b. 10 or younger	1.1 (± 0.4)
c. 11	0.8 (± 0.3)
d. 12	1.1 (± 0.3)
e. 13	2.1 (± 0.8)
f. 14	3.0 (± 0.7)
g. 15	7.3 (± 1.1)
h. 16	11.9 (± 1.5)
i. 17 or older	10.2 (± 1.4)

How old were you when you first:

214. Got suspended from school?	State (<i>n</i> = 2,840)
a. Never have	73.3% (± 3.2%)
b. 10 or younger	6.2 (± 1.2)
c. 11	2.3 (± 0.6)
d. 12	2.9 (± 0.6)
e. 13	5.0 (± 1.0)
f. 14	4.2 (± 0.8)
g. 15	3.0 (± 0.7)
h. 16	2.1 (± 0.5)
i. 17 or older	1.1 (± 0.4)

215. Got arrested?	State (n = 2,841)
a. Never have	87.3% (± 2.0%)
b. 10 or younger	1.4 (± 0.5)
c. 11	0.7 (± 0.3)
d. 12	0.7 (± 0.3)
e. 13	1.5 (± 0.5)
f. 14	1.3 (± 0.5)
g. 15	2.4 (± 0.6)
h. 16	2.5 (± 0.7)
i. 17 or older	2.0 (± 0.5)
216. Carried a handgun?	State (n = 2,828)
a. Never have	88.2% (± 1.6%)
b. 10 or younger	2.8 (± 0.7)
c. 11	1.2 (± 0.4)
d. 12	1.0 (± 0.4)
e. 13	1.0 (± 0.4)
f. 14	1.6 (± 0.4)
g. 15	1.5 (± 0.4)
h. 16	1.9 (± 0.5)
i. 17 or older	1.0 (± 0.4)
217. Attacked someone with the idea of seriously hurting them?	State (n = 2,820)
a. Never have	83.8% (± 1.9%)
b. 10 or younger	3.3 (± 0.7)
c. 11	0.9 (± 0.3)
d. 12	2.0 (± 0.6)
e. 13	2.5 (± 0.5)
f. 14	2.0 (± 0.5)
g. 15	2.7 (± 0.7)
h. 16	1.8 (± 0.5)
i. 17 or older	1.1 (± 0.4)
<i>How wrong do YOU think it is for someone your age to:</i>	
218. Drink beer, wine, or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin) regularly?	State (n = 2,788)
a. Very wrong	32.4% (± 2.0%)
b. Wrong	25.1 (± 1.7)
c. A little bit wrong	28.3 (± 1.5)
d. Not wrong at all	14.1 (± 1.4)
219. Smoke cigarettes?	State (n = 5,568)
a. Very wrong	44.7% (± 2.2%)
b. Wrong	25.1 (± 1.3)
c. A little bit wrong	16.1 (± 1.2)
d. Not wrong at all	14.1 (± 1.7)

220. Smoke marijuana?	State (n = 2,784)
a. Very wrong	38.2% (± 2.2%)
b. Wrong	21.4 (± 1.4)
c. A little bit wrong	19.9 (± 1.2)
d. Not wrong at all	20.6 (± 2.1)
221. Use LSD, cocaine, amphetamines, or another illegal drug?	State (n = 2,781)
a. Very wrong	78.0% (± 1.7%)
b. Wrong	12.8 (± 1.1)
c. A little bit wrong	6.0 (± 1.0)
d. Not wrong at all	3.2 (± 0.7)
222. Take a handgun to school?	State (n = 2,815)
a. Very wrong	85.6% (± 1.9%)
b. Wrong	10.6 (± 1.4)
c. A little bit wrong	2.3 (± 0.6)
d. Not wrong at all	1.5 (± 0.5)
223. Steal anything worth more than \$5?	State (n = 2,813)
a. Very wrong	51.4% (± 2.1%)
b. Wrong	33.7 (± 1.6)
c. A little bit wrong	11.9 (± 1.3)
d. Not wrong at all	3.0 (± 0.8)
224. Pick a fight with someone?	State (n = 2,806)
a. Very wrong	34.2% (± 2.5%)
b. Wrong	38.6 (± 2.2)
c. A little bit wrong	21.7 (± 1.9)
d. Not wrong at all	5.6 (± 0.8)
225. Attack someone with the idea of seriously hurting them?	State (n = 2,807)
a. Very wrong	64.0% (± 2.8%)
b. Wrong	25.4 (± 2.1)
c. A little bit wrong	7.6 (± 1.1)
d. Not wrong at all	3.0 (± 0.7)
226. Stay away from school all day when their parents think they are at school?	State (n = 2,803)
a. Very wrong	32.7% (± 2.8%)
b. Wrong	37.9 (± 2.1)
c. A little bit wrong	23.6 (± 2.3)
d. Not wrong at all	5.9 (± 1.0)

227. What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you began drinking alcoholic beverages regularly, that is, at least once or twice a month?	State (n = 2,902)
a. No or very little chance	32.8% (± 2.5%)
b. Little chance	23.0 (± 1.7)
c. Some chance	21.4 (± 1.8)
d. Pretty good chance	16.3 (± 1.9)
e. Very good chance	6.6 (± 0.9)

Think of your four best friends (the friends you feel closest to). In the past year (12 months), how many of your best friends have . . .

228. Smoked cigarettes?	State (n = 2,738)
a. None	52.1% (± 4.0%)
b. 1	19.4 (± 1.6)
c. 2	11.0 (± 1.2)
d. 3	7.1 (± 1.2)
e. 4	10.4 (± 1.9)

229. Tried beer, wine, or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin) when their parents didn't know about it?	State (n = 2,733)
a. None	28.6% (± 1.9%)
b. 1	15.6 (± 1.1)
c. 2	14.0 (± 1.2)
d. 3	13.1 (± 1.4)
e. 4	28.8 (± 2.2)

230. Used marijuana?	State (n = 2,726)
a. None	39.8% (± 2.7%)
b. 1	17.0 (± 1.4)
c. 2	13.6 (± 1.1)
d. 3	11.1 (± 1.5)
e. 4	18.5 (± 1.8)

231. Used LSD, cocaine, amphetamines, or other illegal drugs?	State (n = 2,727)
a. None	81.0% (± 2.3%)
b. 1	9.8 (± 1.3)
c. 2	4.4 (± 0.7)
d. 3	2.0 (± 0.6)
e. 4	2.7 (± 0.7)

232. Been suspended from school?	State (n = 2,894)
a. None of my friends	77.2% (± 2.6%)
b. 1 of my friends	13.5 (± 1.5)
c. 2 of my friends	5.2 (± 1.1)
d. 3 of my friends	1.7 (± 0.6)
e. 4 of my friends	2.4 (± 0.5)

233. Carried a handgun?	State (n = 2,897)
a. None of my friends	91.4% (± 1.5%)
b. 1 of my friends	4.9 (± 1.1)
c. 2 of my friends	1.6 (± 0.5)
d. 3 of my friends	0.8 (± 0.4)
e. 4 of my friends	1.3 (± 0.4)
234. Sold illegal drugs?	State (n = 2,897)
a. None of my friends	68.4% (± 2.0%)
b. 1 of my friends	15.5 (± 1.1)
c. 2 of my friends	8.2 (± 1.0)
d. 3 of my friends	3.3 (± 0.6)
e. 4 of my friends	4.6 (± 0.9)
235. Stolen or tried to steal a motor vehicle such as a car or motorcycle?	State (n = 2,893)
a. None of my friends	92.5% (± 1.5%)
b. 1 of my friends	4.3 (± 0.9)
c. 2 of my friends	1.2 (± 0.5)
d. 3 of my friends	1.1 (± 0.4)
e. 4 of my friends	0.9 (± 0.4)
236. Been arrested?	State (n = 2,893)
a. None of my friends	78.2% (± 2.1%)
b. 1 of my friends	13.3 (± 1.5)
c. 2 of my friends	4.2 (± 0.8)
d. 3 of my friends	2.0 (± 0.5)
e. 4 of my friends	2.3 (± 0.7)
237. Dropped out of school?	State (n = 2,895)
a. None of my friends	82.6% (± 2.2%)
b. 1 of my friends	11.2 (± 1.5)
c. 2 of my friends	3.3 (± 0.7)
d. 3 of my friends	1.7 (± 0.5)
e. 4 of my friends	1.3 (± 0.4)
238. When I am an adult I will smoke cigarettes.	State (n = 2,730)
a. NO!	68.7% (± 2.8%)
b. no	20.3 (± 1.9)
c. yes	8.4 (± 1.5)
d. YES!	2.6 (± 0.9)
239. When I am an adult I will drink beer, wine, or liquor.	State (n = 2,732)
a. NO!	18.8% (± 1.8%)
b. no	15.7 (± 1.5)
c. yes	46.6 (± 2.2)
d. YES!	18.9 (± 1.7)

240.	When I am an adult I will smoke marijuana.	State (n = 2,733)
a.	NO!	54.9% (± 2.5%)
b.	no	24.0 (± 1.7)
c.	yes	13.8 (± 1.5)
d.	YES!	7.4 (± 1.2)

Think about your four best friends (the friends you feel closest to). In the past year (12 months), how many of your best friends have...

241.	Participated in clubs, organizations or activities at school?	State (n = 2,753)
a.	None of my friends	14.4% (± 2.5%)
b.	1 of my friends	12.0 (± 1.7)
c.	2 of my friends	14.6 (± 1.3)
d.	3 of my friends	13.9 (± 1.3)
e.	4 of my friends	45.1 (± 3.2)

242.	Made a commitment to stay drug-free?	State (n = 2,740)
a.	None of my friends	33.0% (± 2.2%)
b.	1 of my friends	17.3 (± 1.5)
c.	2 of my friends	12.2 (± 1.1)
d.	3 of my friends	10.0 (± 1.3)
e.	4 of my friends	27.6 (± 2.3)

243.	Liked school?	State (n = 2,742)
a.	None of my friends	24.4% (± 1.8%)
b.	1 of my friends	13.9 (± 1.6)
c.	2 of my friends	19.2 (± 1.6)
d.	3 of my friends	17.2 (± 1.4)
e.	4 of my friends	25.4 (± 1.8)

244.	Regularly attended religious services?	State (n = 2,733)
a.	None of my friends	34.0% (± 3.0%)
b.	1 of my friends	26.6 (± 1.4)
c.	2 of my friends	18.0 (± 1.8)
d.	3 of my friends	8.7 (± 1.2)
e.	4 of my friends	12.7 (± 2.3)

245.	Tried to do well in school?	State (n = 2,741)
a.	None of my friends	5.7% (± 1.1%)
b.	1 of my friends	6.0 (± 0.9)
c.	2 of my friends	12.9 (± 1.6)
d.	3 of my friends	19.6 (± 1.4)
e.	4 of my friends	55.9 (± 2.6)

246.	I think it is okay to take something without asking as long as you get away with it.	State (n = 2,910)
a.	NO!	50.3% (± 1.7%)
b.	no	39.6 (± 1.8)
c.	yes	7.4 (± 0.8)
d.	YES!	2.8 (± 0.7)

247.	I think sometimes it's okay to cheat at school.	State (n = 2,903)
	a. NO!	24.9% (± 1.7%)
	b. no	37.8 (± 1.6)
	c. yes	32.2 (± 1.8)
	d. YES!	5.1 (± 1.0)
248.	It is all right to beat up people if they start the fight.	State (n = 2,906)
	a. NO!	26.4% (± 2.1%)
	b. no	23.2 (± 2.0)
	c. yes	31.7 (± 1.6)
	d. YES!	18.7 (± 2.7)
249.	It is important to be honest with your parents, even if they become upset or you get punished.	State (n = 2,899)
	a. NO!	5.8% (± 1.0%)
	b. no	15.4 (± 1.7)
	c. yes	48.8 (± 2.1)
	d. YES!	30.1 (± 2.3)
[Items 250–252 appear only on the elementary version of the survey.]		
253.	You're looking at CDs in a music store with a friend. You look up and see her slip a CD under her coat. She smiles and says, "Which one do you want? Go ahead, take it while nobody's around." There is nobody in sight, no employees, and no other customers. What would you do now?	State (n = 2,705)
	a. Ignore her	31.7% (± 2.0%)
	b. Grab a CD and leave the store	9.0 (± 1.2)
	c. Tell her to put the CD back	31.2 (± 2.0)
	d. Act like it's a joke and ask her to put the CD back	28.1 (± 2.2)
254.	You are visiting another part of town and you don't know any of the people your age there. You are walking down the street and some teenager you don't know is walking toward you. He is about your size. As he is about to pass you, he deliberately bumps into you and you almost lose your balance. What would you say or do?	State (n = 2,685)
	a. Push the person back	13.2% (± 1.7%)
	b. Say nothing and keep on walking	44.7 (± 2.2)
	c. Say, "Watch where you're going," and keep on walking	28.8 (± 1.8)
	d. Swear at the person and walk away	13.3 (± 1.1)
255.	You are at a party at someone's house and one of your friends offers you a drink containing alcohol. What would you say or do?	State (n = 2,678)
	a. Drink it	43.5% (± 2.2%)
	b. Tell your friend, "No thanks. I don't drink," and suggest that you and your friend go and do something else	25.1 (± 2.1)
	c. Just say, "No, thanks," and walk away	25.1 (± 1.4)
	d. Make up a good excuse, tell your friend you had something else to do, and leave	6.3 (± 1.0)

256. During the past 12 months, how many days did you miss some school because of a toothache (do not include toothache due to braces or an injury)? (For the elementary version of this question, please see Item 85.)

- a. None
- b. 1–4 days
- c. 5 days or more
- d. Not sure

State
($n = 2,901$)
92.1% ($\pm 1.3\%$)
4.8 (± 0.9)
1.4 (± 0.4)
1.7 (± 0.6)

List of Core Items

The core items that appeared on both Forms A and B (the secondary versions of the survey) are listed below. All other items appeared on either Form A or Form B, but not both. Core items may or may not have appeared on Form C (the elementary version).

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1	Age	58	Drinking categories variable
3	Gender	59	Drunk or high at school (past 12 months)
4	Race/Ethnicity	78	Participation in after school activities
5	Language spoken at home	97	30-day ridden in car with drinking driver
7	Mother's education	99	30-day driven a car while drinking
8	Father's education	102	Weapon carrying on school property (past 30 days)
14	Honesty in completing survey	103	Physical fighting (past 12 months)
16	Lifetime alcohol use	105	Gang membership
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24	30-day use of cigarettes	111	Seriously consider attempting suicide
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