

**Illinois Youth Survey
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Number of IYS 2010 Respondents

	N				
	6th	8th	10th	12th	Total
Grade	164	210	173	132	679

Age

	6th		8th		10th		12th	
	Avg	N	Avg	N	Avg	N	Avg	N
How old are you?	11.8	164	13.9	210	15.7	173	17.7	132

Gender

	6th		8th		10th		12th	
	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N
Female	48%	78	41%	86	56%	95	48%	63
Male	52%	85	59%	122	44%	76	52%	69

Race/Ethnicity

	6th		8th		10th		12th	
	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N
White	95%	154	96%	201	96%	166	95%	125
Black / African American	1%	2	1%	2	1%	1	1%	1
Latino / Latina	1%	1	0%	1	1%	1	1%	1
Asian American	0%	0	0%	1	1%	1	0%	0
Native American / American Indian	0%	0	1%	2	1%	1	1%	1
Multi-racial	1%	2	1%	2	1%	2	2%	3
Other	2%	4	1%	2	1%	1	1%	1

Living Arrangement

	6th		8th		10th		12th	
	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N
Both parents	65%	106	47%	99	69%	118	61%	80
Parent and step parent	17%	27	34%	71	12%	21	8%	10
Mother only	13%	22	12%	25	11%	19	19%	25
Father only	2%	3	2%	5	6%	11	7%	9
Legal Guardian	1%	2	1%	3	1%	2	4%	5
Foster parent	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	1%	1
Group home or residential care	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0
Other	2%	4	3%	7	1%	1	2%	2

At school are you eligible to receive:

	6th		8th		10th		12th	
	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N
Free lunch	18%	27	31%	66	9%	16	6%	8
Reduced lunch price	17%	26	11%	24	8%	13	5%	7
Neither	64%	96	57%	120	83%	144	89%	117

About how many days are you absent from school during an entire year?

	6th		8th		10th		12th	
	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N
0 - 9 days	73%	117	83%	174	89%	154	83%	110
10 - 19 days	21%	34	14%	29	9%	16	14%	18
20 - 30 days	5%	8	2%	4	2%	3	2%	3
More than 30 days	1%	1	1%	2	0%	0	1%	1

If you wanted to get the following, how difficult would it be to get?

		Very hard	Sort of hard	Sort of easy	Very easy
		%	%	%	%
6th	Alcohol	60%	23%	11%	5%
	Cigarettes	66%	15%	12%	7%
	Marijuana	85%	8%	4%	3%
8th	Alcohol	46%	23%	22%	9%
	Cigarettes	54%	17%	16%	13%
	Marijuana	62%	19%	12%	8%
	Drug like cocaine, LSD, or amphetamines	90%	8%	1%	0%
10th	Alcohol	25%	21%	32%	23%
	Cigarettes	42%	17%	14%	27%
	Marijuana	40%	23%	16%	21%
	Drug like cocaine, LSD, or amphetamines	69%	24%	6%	2%
12th	Alcohol	6%	8%	38%	48%
	Cigarettes	5%	6%	11%	78%
	Marijuana	11%	26%	36%	27%
	Drug like cocaine, LSD, or amphetamines	50%	34%	11%	5%

How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your neighborhood think it is for kids your age to:

		Very wrong	Wrong	A little bit wrong	Not wrong at all
		%	%	%	%
6th	Drink alcohol?	61%	28%	8%	3%
	Smoke cigarettes?	68%	16%	10%	6%
	Use marijuana?	76%	14%	8%	1%
8th	Drink alcohol?	57%	29%	12%	3%
	Smoke cigarettes?	66%	20%	12%	2%
	Use marijuana?	79%	17%	3%	0%
10th	Drink alcohol?	40%	33%	23%	4%
	Smoke cigarettes?	46%	26%	23%	4%
	Use marijuana?	65%	25%	8%	2%
12th	Drink alcohol?	15%	27%	47%	11%
	Smoke cigarettes?	15%	25%	45%	15%
	Use marijuana?	48%	34%	15%	2%

In which of the following activities do you participate?

	6th		8th		10th		12th	
	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N
School sports team	81%	121	62%	124	79%	130	70%	84
Other sports	73%	109	50%	99	58%	95	42%	50
Scouting	19%	29	10%	20	7%	12	6%	7
Boys and girls club	9%	14	3%	6	5%	9	3%	4
4-H club	11%	17	9%	18	8%	13	8%	9
Service or voluntary projects	35%	52	23%	46	59%	96	59%	71
Church youth group or other faith-based youth group	46%	69	42%	84	45%	73	37%	44
Other activities	45%	67	80%	159	81%	133	78%	93

How safe do you feel in your neighborhood?

	6th		8th		10th		12th	
	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N
Very safe	71%	111	74%	155	79%	137	84%	109
Sort of safe	24%	38	23%	49	19%	33	14%	18
Sort of unsafe	5%	8	2%	5	2%	3	1%	1
Very unsafe	0%	0	0%	1	0%	0	2%	2

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How old were you when you first:

		Never have	10 or younger	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18 or older
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
8th	Smoked marijuana	90%	0%	1%	3%	5%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Smoked a cigarette, even just a puff	83%	7%	2%	4%	2%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Used any other tobacco product (chewing tobacco or cigars)	87%	2%	0%	3%	6%	2%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Had more than a sip or two of alcohol	61%	10%	3%	11%	11%	3%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Began drinking alcoholic beverages regularly (at least once or twice a month)	86%	0%	1%	4%	6%	2%	0%	0%	0%	0%
10th	Smoked marijuana	83%	1%	1%	1%	3%	5%	6%	1%	0%	0%
	Smoked a cigarette, even just a puff	75%	7%	1%	3%	4%	3%	5%	1%	0%	0%
	Used any other tobacco product (chewing tobacco or cigars)	77%	3%	1%	1%	3%	4%	8%	2%	0%	0%
	Had more than a sip or two of alcohol	37%	6%	3%	3%	8%	11%	19%	12%	0%	0%
	Began drinking alcoholic beverages regularly (at least once or twice a month)	88%	0%	0%	0%	2%	2%	6%	2%	0%	0%
12th	Smoked marijuana	72%	1%	0%	2%	4%	3%	5%	5%	8%	1%
	Smoked a cigarette, even just a puff	58%	8%	1%	3%	4%	2%	10%	8%	5%	1%
	Used any other tobacco product (chewing tobacco or cigars)	63%	4%	1%	0%	5%	5%	11%	2%	8%	1%
	Had more than a sip or two of alcohol	32%	7%	0%	3%	8%	12%	17%	11%	10%	2%
	Began drinking alcoholic beverages regularly (at least once or twice a month)	63%	0%	0%	0%	3%	2%	5%	12%	11%	5%

Cigarettes: Past month and Past Year

		Not at all	Less than one cigarette per day	One to five cigarettes per day	About one-half pack per day	About one pack per day	About one and one-half packs per day	Two packs or more per day
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%
6th	PAST MONTH cigarette use	94%	3%	2%	0%	0%	0%	1%
	PAST YEAR cigarette use	93%	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%	0%
8th	PAST MONTH cigarette use	93%	3%	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%
	PAST YEAR cigarette use	87%	9%	3%	1%	0%	0%	0%
10th	PAST MONTH cigarette use	94%	2%	2%	2%	1%	0%	0%
	PAST YEAR cigarette use	88%	7%	3%	2%	0%	1%	0%
12th	PAST MONTH cigarette use	80%	7%	7%	5%	2%	0%	0%
	PAST YEAR cigarette use	72%	17%	4%	6%	2%	0%	0%

Other Tobacco Products: Past month and Past Year

		Never	Once or twice	Once or twice per week	About once a day	More than once a day
		%	%	%	%	%
6th	PAST MONTH other tobacco products use	96%	3%	0%	2%	0%
	PAST YEAR other tobacco products use	94%	3%	1%	2%	1%
8th	PAST MONTH other tobacco products use	90%	5%	1%	2%	1%
	PAST YEAR other tobacco products use	85%	8%	4%	2%	1%
10th	PAST MONTH other tobacco products use	90%	3%	1%	1%	5%
	PAST YEAR other tobacco products use	82%	10%	1%	0%	6%
12th	PAST MONTH other tobacco products use	78%	8%	2%	3%	9%
	PAST YEAR other tobacco products use	69%	15%	5%	2%	9%

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Alcohol: Number of Occasions of Past month and Past Year use

		0 Occasions	1 - 2 occasions	3 - 5 occasions	6 - 9 occasions	10 - 19 occasions	20 or more occasions
		%	%	%	%	%	%
6th	PAST MONTH alcohol use	86%	9%	3%	1%	1%	0%
	PAST YEAR alcohol use	77%	15%	2%	3%	1%	2%
8th	PAST MONTH alcohol use	81%	13%	4%	1%	0%	0%
	PAST YEAR alcohol use	66%	11%	12%	6%	2%	2%
10th	PAST MONTH alcohol use	80%	16%	2%	2%	1%	1%
	PAST YEAR alcohol use	52%	26%	10%	3%	4%	5%
12th	PAST MONTH alcohol use	55%	24%	10%	8%	1%	3%
	PAST YEAR alcohol use	36%	11%	11%	11%	13%	18%

In the past 2 weeks, how many times have you had five or more alcoholic drinks in a row?

		None	Once	Twice	3-5 times	6-9 times	10 or more times
		%	%	%	%	%	%
6th	Binge drinking	96%	2%	1%	0%	0%	0%
8th	Binge drinking	95%	1%	1%	2%	0%	0%
10th	Binge drinking	91%	5%	3%	1%	1%	0%
12th	Binge drinking	76%	10%	7%	4%	2%	2%

Illicit drugs: Number of Occasions of Past Month use

		0 Occasions	1 - 2 occasions	3 - 5 occasions	6 - 9 occasions	10 - 19 occasions	20 or more occasions
		%	%	%	%	%	%
6th	PAST MONTH marijuana use	97%	1%	2%	1%	0%	0%
	PAST MONTH inhalant use	90%	4%	2%	2%	1%	1%
8th	PAST MONTH marijuana use	93%	3%	1%	0%	1%	1%
	PAST MONTH inhalant use	95%	4%	1%	0%	0%	0%
10th	PAST MONTH marijuana use	91%	4%	1%	1%	0%	3%
	PAST MONTH inhalant use	95%	3%	2%	0%	0%	1%
12th	PAST MONTH marijuana use	85%	6%	3%	0%	3%	2%
	PAST MONTH inhalant use	100%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

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Illicit drugs: Number of Occasions of Past Year use

		0 Occasions	1 - 2 occasions	3 - 5 occasions	6 - 9 occasions	10 - 19 occasions	20 or more occasions
		%	%	%	%	%	%
6th	PAST YEAR marijuana use	97%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	PAST YEAR inhalant use	86%	6%	2%	2%	2%	1%
8th	PAST YEAR marijuana use	90%	3%	3%	0%	0%	3%
	PAST YEAR inhalant use	93%	3%	1%	1%	1%	0%
	PAST YEAR MDMA ('ecstasy') use	99%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	PAST YEAR LSD use	100%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	PAST YEAR cocaine / crack use	97%	3%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	PAST YEAR meth use	100%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	PAST YEAR heroin use	99%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%
10th	PAST YEAR marijuana use	84%	7%	2%	1%	2%	4%
	PAST YEAR inhalant use	93%	2%	3%	1%	1%	1%
	PAST YEAR MDMA ('ecstasy') use	98%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%
	PAST YEAR LSD use	98%	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%
	PAST YEAR cocaine / crack use	98%	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%
	PAST YEAR meth use	98%	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%
	PAST YEAR heroin use	99%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%
12th	PAST YEAR marijuana use	72%	9%	4%	3%	4%	8%
	PAST YEAR inhalant use	99%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	PAST YEAR MDMA ('ecstasy') use	99%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	PAST YEAR LSD use	98%	2%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	PAST YEAR cocaine / crack use	98%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%
	PAST YEAR meth use	99%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	PAST YEAR heroin use	99%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%

During the past 12 months, which of these over-the-counter drugs have you used for non-medical purposes?

		No	Yes: one or two times	Yes: 3-5 times	Yes: 6 or more times
		%	%	%	%
8th	Performance-enhancing or body-building supplements (Creatine, fat-burners, etc.)	94%	2%	1%	2%
	Over-the-counter weight loss aids (laxatives, Dexatrim, etc.)	99%	0%	0%	0%
	Other over-the-counter drugs (cough syrup, etc.)	69%	27%	2%	1%
10th	Performance-enhancing or body-building supplements (Creatine, fat-burners, etc.)	88%	3%	0%	9%
	Over-the-counter weight loss aids (laxatives, Dexatrim, etc.)	98%	1%	1%	1%
	Other over-the-counter drugs (cough syrup, etc.)	84%	8%	5%	3%
12th	Performance-enhancing or body-building supplements (Creatine, fat-burners, etc.)	95%	2%	0%	2%
	Over-the-counter weight loss aids (laxatives, Dexatrim, etc.)	98%	2%	0%	0%
	Other over-the-counter drugs (cough syrup, etc.)	95%	4%	2%	0%

During the past 12 months, which of these drugs have you used without a doctor's prescription?

		No	Yes: one or two times	Yes: 3-5 times	Yes: 6 or more times
		%	%	%	%
8th	Steroids	100%	0%	0%	0%
	Uppers (Ritalin, etc.)	99%	0%	1%	0%
	Downers (Valium, Ambien, etc.)	99%	0%	1%	0%
	Other prescription drugs (OxyContin, Ketamine, etc.)	98%	1%	1%	0%
10th	Steroids	100%	0%	0%	0%
	Uppers (Ritalin, etc.)	95%	2%	1%	3%
	Downers (Valium, Ambien, etc.)	92%	5%	1%	2%
	Other prescription drugs (OxyContin, Ketamine, etc.)	89%	6%	1%	4%
12th	Steroids	98%	0%	0%	2%
	Uppers (Ritalin, etc.)	95%	2%	2%	2%
	Downers (Valium, Ambien, etc.)	95%	2%	2%	2%
	Other prescription drugs (OxyContin, Ketamine, etc.)	95%	2%	2%	1%

During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources?

		I did not use cigarettes or other tobacco products during the past year	Never	Sometimes	Often
		%	%	%	%
8th	I bought them at a gas station	84%	14%	2%	1%
	I bought them at a store	84%	14%	1%	1%
	I bought them from a vending machine	84%	16%	0%	0%
	I gave a stranger money to buy them for me	84%	13%	3%	1%
	I bought them over the Internet	84%	16%	0%	0%
	A friend gave them to me	83%	3%	10%	4%
	My older brother or sister gave them to me	84%	15%	1%	0%
	My parent gave them to me	84%	14%	2%	0%
	I took them from a store	84%	16%	0%	0%
	I took them from home without my parents knowing it	84%	9%	6%	2%
	I got them some other way	84%	9%	3%	4%

During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources?(cont.)

		I did not use cigarettes or other tobacco products during the past year	Never	Sometimes	Often
		%	%	%	%
10th	I bought them at a gas station	83%	12%	2%	2%
	I bought them at a store	83%	13%	3%	1%
	I bought them from a vending machine	83%	16%	1%	0%
	I gave a stranger money to buy them for me	83%	14%	1%	2%
	I bought them over the Internet	83%	17%	0%	0%
	A friend gave them to me	82%	3%	8%	7%
	My older brother or sister gave them to me	83%	13%	2%	2%
	My parent gave them to me	83%	15%	1%	1%
	I took them from a store	83%	15%	1%	1%
	I took them from home without my parents knowing it	83%	15%	1%	1%
	I got them some other way	82%	9%	4%	5%
12th	I bought them at a gas station	64%	9%	10%	17%
	I bought them at a store	64%	21%	8%	8%
	I bought them from a vending machine	64%	31%	3%	2%
	I gave a stranger money to buy them for me	64%	31%	5%	0%
	I bought them over the Internet	64%	36%	0%	0%
	A friend gave them to me	64%	12%	19%	6%
	My older brother or sister gave them to me	64%	29%	7%	1%
	My parent gave them to me	64%	29%	6%	1%
	I took them from a store	64%	36%	0%	0%
	I took them from home without my parents knowing it	64%	33%	2%	1%
	I got them some other way	64%	27%	5%	3%

During the past year, how often did you get alcohol from the following sources?

		I did not drink beer, wine, or liquor during the past year	Never	Sometimes	Often
		%	%	%	%
8th	I bought it at a gas station	69%	31%	0%	0%
	I bought it at a store	69%	31%	0%	0%
	I bought it at a bar or restaurant	69%	31%	0%	0%
	I gave a stranger money to buy them for me	69%	28%	3%	1%
	I bought it over the Internet	69%	31%	0%	0%
	A friend gave it to me	68%	15%	13%	4%
	My older brother or sister gave it to me	69%	27%	3%	2%
	My parents with their permission	68%	20%	11%	1%
	My parents without their permission	69%	20%	9%	3%
	An adult (other than my parents) with that adult's permission	69%	21%	8%	2%
	An adult (other than my parents) without that adult's permission	69%	22%	8%	2%
	I took it from a store	69%	30%	1%	0%
	I got it at a party	69%	16%	11%	4%
	I got it some other way	69%	23%	6%	3%
10th	I bought it at a gas station	58%	40%	1%	1%
	I bought it at a store	58%	40%	1%	1%
	I bought it at a bar or restaurant	58%	39%	2%	1%
	I gave a stranger money to buy them for me	58%	37%	3%	1%
	I bought it over the Internet	58%	40%	1%	0%
	A friend gave it to me	57%	21%	15%	7%
	My older brother or sister gave it to me	58%	37%	3%	2%
	My parents with their permission	58%	29%	10%	3%
	My parents without their permission	57%	32%	7%	4%
	An adult (other than my parents) with that adult's permission	57%	28%	10%	4%
	An adult (other than my parents) without that adult's permission	58%	34%	5%	3%
	I took it from a store	58%	40%	1%	1%
	I got it at a party	58%	27%	8%	6%
	I got it some other way	58%	34%	5%	3%

**During the past year, how often did you get alcohol from the following sources?
(cont.)**

		I did not drink beer, wine, or liquor during the past year	Never	Sometimes	Often
		%	%	%	%
12th	I bought it at a gas station	38%	54%	6%	2%
	I bought it at a store	38%	56%	5%	2%
	I bought it at a bar or restaurant	38%	56%	5%	1%
	I gave a stranger money to buy them for me	38%	49%	10%	2%
	I bought it over the Internet	38%	61%	1%	0%
	A friend gave it to me	37%	18%	29%	16%
	My older brother or sister gave it to me	38%	42%	18%	2%
	My parents with their permission	38%	46%	14%	2%
	My parents without their permission	37%	52%	10%	2%
	An adult (other than my parents) with that adult's permission	37%	41%	16%	6%
	An adult (other than my parents) without that adult's permission	37%	56%	7%	0%
	I took it from a store	38%	61%	2%	0%
	I got it at a party	37%	19%	26%	17%
	I got it some other way	37%	49%	10%	4%

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

		None	One or two days	3-5 days	6 or more days
		%	%	%	%
8th	Drink alcohol on school property?	97%	2%	0%	0%
	Use marijuana on school property?	98%	1%	0%	0%
10th	Drink alcohol on school property?	98%	1%	1%	1%
	Use marijuana on school property?	97%	2%	1%	1%
12th	Drink alcohol on school property?	95%	2%	2%	1%
	Use marijuana on school property?	97%	2%	1%	1%

When was the LAST time that:

		Never	More than a year ago	2-12 months ago	Past month
		%	%	%	%
10th	you used alcohol or other drugs weekly?	88%	2%	3%	6%
	you kept using alcohol or drugs even after you knew it could get you into fights or other kinds of legal trouble?	91%	1%	4%	4%
	you had withdrawal problems from alcohol or drugs like shaking hands, throwing up, having trouble sitting still or sleeping, or that you used any alcohol or other drugs to stop being sick or avoid withdrawal?	97%	1%	1%	2%
	you spent a lot of time either getting alcohol or drugs, using alcohol or drugs, or feeling the effects of alcohol or drugs (high, sick)?	93%	2%	2%	3%
	your use of alcohol or drugs caused you to give up, reduce or have problems at important activities at work, school, home or social events?	97%	2%	1%	1%
12th	you used alcohol or other drugs weekly?	75%	2%	9%	14%
	you kept using alcohol or drugs even after you knew it could get you into fights or other kinds of legal trouble?	85%	1%	5%	9%
	you had withdrawal problems from alcohol or drugs like shaking hands, throwing up, having trouble sitting still or sleeping, or that you used any alcohol or other drugs to stop being sick or avoid withdrawal?	98%	0%	1%	1%
	you spent a lot of time either getting alcohol or drugs, using alcohol or drugs, or feeling the effects of alcohol or drugs (high, sick)?	94%	0%	2%	4%
	your use of alcohol or drugs caused you to give up, reduce or have problems at important activities at work, school, home or social events?	97%	0%	2%	2%

If you drank beer, wine, or liquor in the past 30 days, what did you drink?

		I did not drink beer, wine, or liquor during the past year	Never	sometimes	Often
		%	%	%	%
6th	Beer	88%	2%	8%	1%
	Malt liquor	88%	11%	1%	0%
	Wine	88%	6%	4%	2%
	Wine cooler	89%	7%	4%	0%
	Liquor (vodka, whiskey, etc.)	89%	6%	6%	0%
	Mixed drinks (margarita, etc.)	88%	6%	5%	1%
	Flavored 'alcopops' (hard lemonade, hard cider, etc.)	88%	4%	7%	1%
8th	Beer	82%	6%	10%	2%
	Malt liquor	83%	14%	2%	0%
	Wine	82%	10%	7%	1%
	Wine cooler	83%	11%	4%	2%
	Liquor (vodka, whiskey, etc.)	83%	5%	9%	3%
	Mixed drinks (margarita, etc.)	83%	10%	6%	1%
	Flavored 'alcopops' (hard lemonade, hard cider, etc.)	83%	9%	7%	1%
10th	Beer	81%	6%	7%	5%
	Malt liquor	82%	14%	2%	2%
	Wine	82%	12%	4%	2%
	Wine cooler	81%	11%	6%	2%
	Liquor (vodka, whiskey, etc.)	81%	4%	9%	5%
	Mixed drinks (margarita, etc.)	81%	9%	7%	3%
	Flavored 'alcopops' (hard lemonade, hard cider, etc.)	81%	11%	4%	5%
12th	Beer	55%	8%	15%	21%
	Malt liquor	55%	38%	5%	2%
	Wine	55%	34%	10%	2%
	Wine cooler	55%	31%	12%	2%
	Liquor (vodka, whiskey, etc.)	55%	13%	23%	9%
	Mixed drinks (margarita, etc.)	55%	27%	15%	2%
	Flavored 'alcopops' (hard lemonade, hard cider, etc.)	55%	25%	15%	5%

How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they:

		No risk	Slight risk	Moderate risk	Great risk
		%	%	%	%
6th	Smoke one or more packs of cigarettes per day	5%	13%	25%	57%
	Take one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage (beer, wine, liquor) nearly every day	17%	37%	25%	20%
	Have five or more drinks of an alcoholic beverage once or twice a week	12%	26%	31%	30%
	Smoke marijuana regularly	6%	8%	14%	73%
	Smoke marijuana once or twice a week	7%	12%	36%	45%
	Use inhalants regularly	6%	14%	23%	56%
8th	Smoke one or more packs of cigarettes per day	5%	23%	21%	51%
	Take one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage (beer, wine, liquor) nearly every day	11%	48%	22%	19%
	Have five or more drinks of an alcoholic beverage once or twice a week	9%	36%	34%	21%
	Smoke marijuana regularly	7%	22%	11%	60%
	Smoke marijuana once or twice a week	9%	27%	27%	38%
	Use inhalants regularly	5%	22%	16%	58%
10th	Smoke one or more packs of cigarettes per day	9%	4%	21%	66%
	Take one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage (beer, wine, liquor) nearly every day	18%	34%	32%	16%
	Have five or more drinks of an alcoholic beverage once or twice a week	10%	24%	39%	26%
	Smoke marijuana regularly	20%	11%	19%	50%
	Smoke marijuana once or twice a week	28%	10%	35%	26%
	Use inhalants regularly	6%	4%	15%	74%
12th	Smoke one or more packs of cigarettes per day	8%	6%	33%	54%
	Take one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage (beer, wine, liquor) nearly every day	21%	29%	36%	14%
	Have five or more drinks of an alcoholic beverage once or twice a week	11%	37%	33%	19%
	Smoke marijuana regularly	14%	17%	30%	39%
	Smoke marijuana once or twice a week	20%	26%	29%	26%
	Use inhalants regularly	6%	2%	16%	77%

During the past 12 months, how many times were you in a physical fight?

	Never	1-2 times	3-5 times	6 or more times
	%	%	%	%
6th	63%	21%	7%	9%
8th	49%	22%	24%	5%
10th	74%	15%	5%	6%
12th	86%	11%	2%	2%

During the past 12 months, how many times have you ridden in a car driven by:

		Never	1-2 times	3-5 times	6 or more times
		%	%	%	%
6th	a TEENAGER who had been drinking or using drugs	90%	8%	2%	0%
	an ADULT who had been drinking or using drugs	77%	15%	4%	4%
8th	a TEENAGER who had been drinking or using drugs	85%	10%	2%	3%
	an ADULT who had been drinking or using drugs	78%	12%	4%	5%
10th	a TEENAGER who had been drinking or using drugs	88%	6%	1%	5%
	an ADULT who had been drinking or using drugs	80%	12%	3%	5%
12th	a TEENAGER who had been drinking or using drugs	64%	21%	7%	8%
	an ADULT who had been drinking or using drugs	73%	16%	5%	6%

During the past 12 months, how many times did you drive a car or other vehicle when:

		Never	1-2 times	3-5 times	6 or more times
		%	%	%	%
10th	drinking alcohol	98%	1%	0%	2%
	using marijuana or other illegal drugs	96%	2%	0%	2%
12th	drinking alcohol	79%	13%	5%	4%
	using marijuana or other illegal drugs	87%	7%	1%	5%

During the past 12 months, have any of the following been done by someone in a dating relationship to you?

		I have not begun to date	Yes	No	Not sure
		%	%	%	%
8th	Abused in past year	18%	5%	74%	4%
10th	Abused in past year	16%	9%	70%	5%
	Called you names to put you down or make you feel bad?	18%	15%	63%	4%
	Insisted on knowing who you're with and where you are at all times?	18%	22%	58%	3%
	Followed you?	18%	12%	68%	2%
	Destroyed something that belonged to you or that you liked very much?	18%	6%	74%	2%
	Threatened or frightened your family or friends?	18%	5%	75%	2%
12th	Abused in past year	8%	8%	81%	3%
	Called you names to put you down or make you feel bad?	8%	16%	76%	1%
	Insisted on knowing who you're with and where you are at all times?	9%	22%	67%	2%
	Followed you?	9%	8%	80%	2%
	Destroyed something that belonged to you or that you liked very much?	9%	3%	86%	2%
	Threatened or frightened your family or friends?	9%	2%	89%	0%

In the past 12 months, did you ever seriously consider attempting suicide?

	Yes	No
	%	%
10th	12%	88%
12th	12%	88%

During the past year have any of the following happened to you due to someone else's drinking?

		Yes	No
		%	%
6th	I have been injured by a vehicle	2%	98%
	I have been physically attacked	7%	93%
	I have been threatened	16%	84%
8th	I have been injured by a vehicle	0%	100%
	I have been physically attacked	3%	97%
	I have been threatened	11%	89%
10th	I have been injured by a vehicle	3%	97%
	I have been physically attacked	9%	91%
	I have been threatened	13%	87%
12th	I have been injured by a vehicle	2%	98%
	I have been physically attacked	2%	98%
	I have been threatened	5%	95%

During the past year, in which of the following ways has another teen's drinking affected you?

		Yes	No
		%	%
8th	It made me feel unsafe	24%	76%
	It made learning harder	8%	92%
10th	It made me feel unsafe	18%	82%
	It made learning harder	8%	92%
12th	It made me feel unsafe	13%	87%
	It made learning harder	3%	97%

How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to:

		Very wrong	Wrong	A little bit wrong	Not wrong at all
		%	%	%	%
6th	Drink alcohol regularly	77%	11%	11%	1%
	Smoke cigarettes?	77%	14%	7%	2%
	Smoke marijuana?	91%	5%	3%	1%
	Use LSD, cocaine, amphetamines or another illegal drug?	93%	4%	2%	1%
8th	Drink alcohol regularly	39%	43%	14%	4%
	Smoke cigarettes?	52%	33%	11%	3%
	Smoke marijuana?	81%	11%	2%	5%
	Use LSD, cocaine, amphetamines or another illegal drug?	91%	7%	0%	2%
10th	Drink alcohol regularly	38%	38%	16%	8%
	Smoke cigarettes?	51%	33%	9%	8%
	Smoke marijuana?	54%	17%	20%	9%
	Use LSD, cocaine, amphetamines or another illegal drug?	88%	6%	1%	5%
12th	Drink alcohol regularly	18%	21%	43%	17%
	Smoke cigarettes?	24%	18%	35%	23%
	Smoke marijuana?	37%	25%	26%	12%
	Use LSD, cocaine, amphetamines or another illegal drug?	79%	15%	2%	4%

Do you currently belong to a street gang?

	Yes	No
	%	%
8th	3%	97%
10th	7%	93%
12th	5%	95%

How many times in the past year (12 months) have you:

		Never	1 or 2 times	3 to 5 times	6 to 9 times	10 to 19 times	20 or more times
		%	%	%	%	%	%
8th	Carried a weapon such as a handgun, knife or club?	58%	10%	4%	2%	2%	24%
	Sold illegal drugs?	97%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%
	Been drunk or high at school?	95%	2%	2%	0%	0%	0%
10th	Carried a weapon such as a handgun, knife or club?	73%	3%	4%	2%	0%	18%
	Sold illegal drugs?	95%	1%	1%	1%	0%	3%
	Been drunk or high at school?	95%	1%	0%	0%	1%	4%
12th	Carried a weapon such as a handgun, knife or club?	82%	4%	3%	1%	1%	10%
	Sold illegal drugs?	95%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%
	Been drunk or high at school?	89%	6%	1%	0%	0%	4%

During the past 12 months, has another student at school:

		Yes	No
		%	%
6th	Bullied you by calling you names?	44%	56%
	Threatened to hurt you?	25%	75%
	Bullied you by hitting, punching, kicking, or pushing you?	17%	83%
8th	Bullied you by calling you names?	57%	43%
	Threatened to hurt you?	27%	73%
	Bullied you by hitting, punching, kicking, or pushing you?	21%	79%
10th	Bullied you by calling you names?	30%	70%
	Threatened to hurt you?	14%	86%
	Bullied you by hitting, punching, kicking, or pushing you?	14%	86%
12th	Bullied you by calling you names?	18%	82%
	Threatened to hurt you?	14%	86%
	Bullied you by hitting, punching, kicking, or pushing you?	8%	92%

What are the chances you would be seen as cool if:

		No or very little chance	Little chance	Some chance	Pretty good chance	Very good chance
		%	%	%	%	%
6th	Smoked cigarettes?	74%	10%	5%	6%	5%
	Began drinking alcohol regularly?	76%	7%	10%	5%	2%
	Smoked marijuana?	81%	6%	3%	3%	7%
8th	Smoked cigarettes?	76%	11%	6%	4%	2%
	Began drinking alcohol regularly?	71%	12%	7%	7%	3%
	Smoked marijuana?	78%	8%	7%	3%	4%
10th	Smoked cigarettes?	78%	11%	6%	4%	2%
	Began drinking alcohol regularly?	68%	12%	11%	6%	3%
	Smoked marijuana?	71%	9%	12%	4%	4%
12th	Smoked cigarettes?	60%	17%	18%	4%	2%
	Began drinking alcohol regularly?	40%	18%	24%	11%	5%
	Smoked marijuana?	56%	19%	14%	8%	4%

Amount of time child spends alone each week after school:

	6th	8th
	%	%
None	40%	28%
1 to 2 days, < 3 hours per day	19%	17%
1 to 2 days, > 3 hours per day	4%	3%
3 or more days, < 3 hours per day	28%	38%
3 or more days, > 3 hours per day	9%	13%

How likely is it that you will complete a post high school program such as vocational training program, military service, community college, or 4-year college?

	Definitely will not	Probably will not	Probably will	Definitely will	Not sure
	%	%	%	%	%
10th	2%	3%	13%	78%	3%
12th	6%	2%	11%	76%	5%

How old were you the first time you gambled (bet money or something of value on sports, a game of chance or skill, plays the lottery or bet on cards or dice games?)

	Never	10 or younger	11	12	13	14	15	16	17 or older
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
10th	58%	19%	2%	3%	8%	3%	6%	0%	1%
12th	50%	7%	5%	8%	2%	3%	3%	8%	15%

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**In the last 30 days,
have you gambled
for money or
anything of value?**

	Yes	No
	%	%
10th	14%	86%
12th	14%	86%

**In the past 12
months, have you
gambled for
money or
anything of value?**

	Yes	No
	%	%
8th	34%	66%
10th	24%	76%
12th	31%	69%

**If you gambled for money in the past 12 months, where have
you gambled?**

	10th		12th	
	%	N	%	N
Didn't gamble for money	66%	89	58%	61
At someone's house	22%	29	26%	27
Casino or Riverboat	1%	1	4%	4
Internet	4%	6	4%	4
Poker Machine	2%	3	4%	4
Person-to-person betting with another teen	23%	31	22%	23
Person-to-person betting with an adult	22%	30	15%	16
Lottery self-service machine	6%	8	20%	21
Other lottery tickets	8%	11	17%	18
Off-Track Betting	4%	6	3%	3
Sports Pool	12%	16	11%	12
Other	11%	15	12%	13

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What percent of students at your school do you think have done the following in the past 30 days:

		0%	1-10%	11-20%	21-30%	31-40%	41-50%	51-60%	61-70%	71-80%	81-90%	91-100%
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
10th	Smoked cigarettes	1%	8%	12%	13%	29%	7%	8%	9%	6%	4%	3%
	Had beer, wine, or hard liquor	1%	4%	5%	7%	19%	11%	11%	16%	12%	9%	5%
	Used marijuana	2%	18%	22%	16%	14%	10%	3%	4%	6%	6%	1%
12th	Smoked cigarettes	4%	5%	11%	15%	17%	14%	11%	13%	7%	4%	0%
	Had beer, wine, or hard liquor	3%	0%	5%	8%	8%	12%	13%	18%	18%	15%	2%
	Used marijuana	5%	12%	21%	20%	16%	8%	8%	5%	3%	2%	0%

In the past 12 months did you ever feel so sad or hopeless that you stopped doing some usual activities?

	Yes	No
	%	%
8th	20%	80%
10th	23%	77%
12th	15%	85%

Is there an adult you know (other than your parent) you could talk to about important things in your life?

	No	Yes, one adult	Yes, more than one adult
	%	%	%
6th	18%	23%	59%
8th	14%	40%	46%
10th	14%	19%	67%
12th	17%	24%	59%

How do you describe your weight?

	Very underweight	Slightly underweight	About the right weight	Slightly overweight	Very overweight
	%	%	%	%	%
6th	4%	9%	65%	19%	4%
8th	1%	10%	60%	26%	3%
10th	1%	12%	57%	19%	11%
12th	2%	6%	64%	22%	6%

Average Height and Weight

	Grade											
	6th			8th			10th			12th		
	Mean	Median	N	Mean	Median	N	Mean	Median	N	Mean	Median	N
Height (inches)	62.0	61.5	68	65.1	65.0	80	67.2	67.0	83	68.2	68.5	68
Weight (pounds)	109.1	101.0	67	138.3	127.0	79	164.0	140.0	83	162.9	155.0	67

Height and weight data not available for surveys taken online.

During the past 7 days, how many times did you:

		None	1 to 3 times during the past 7 days	4 to 6 times during the past 7 days	1 time per day	2 times per day	3 times per day	4 or more times per day
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%
6th	Eat fruit	6%	24%	17%	12%	17%	8%	16%
	Eat vegetables	10%	23%	17%	13%	17%	6%	15%
8th	Eat fruit	5%	19%	36%	15%	11%	9%	5%
	Eat vegetables	7%	22%	17%	12%	31%	5%	6%
10th	Eat fruit	5%	21%	24%	18%	22%	6%	4%
	Eat vegetables	3%	21%	21%	16%	24%	11%	4%
12th	Eat fruit	7%	23%	26%	17%	16%	8%	3%
	Eat vegetables	5%	21%	20%	23%	17%	8%	5%

During the past 7 days how many glasses of milk did you drink?

	I did not drink milk during the past 7 days	1 to 3 glasses during the past 7 days	4 to 6 glasses during the past 7 days	1 glass per day	2 glasses per day	3 glasses per day	4 or more glasses per day
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
10th	6%	14%	19%	20%	14%	12%	15%
12th	13%	15%	15%	15%	22%	13%	7%

On how many of the past 7 days did you participate in a physical activity?

	0 days	1 day	2 days	3 days	4 days	5 days	6 days	7 days
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
6th	5%	2%	6%	11%	14%	11%	12%	40%
8th	4%	3%	4%	9%	7%	35%	12%	26%
10th	4%	4%	4%	19%	10%	20%	15%	25%
12th	7%	7%	8%	11%	11%	25%	10%	21%

On an average school day, how many hours do you watch TV?

	I do not watch TV on an average school day	Less than 1 hour per day	1 hour per day	2 hours per day	3 hours per day	4 hours per day	5 or more hours per day
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
6th	7%	23%	14%	29%	14%	7%	7%
8th	7%	13%	19%	21%	13%	4%	21%
10th	17%	25%	18%	19%	11%	7%	4%
12th	15%	23%	19%	19%	13%	5%	6%

In a typical week how often do you and your parent(s) or guardian eat dinner together?

	Never	1 day	2 days	3 days	4 days	5 days	6 days	7 days
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
6th	5%	4%	2%	9%	9%	12%	12%	48%
8th	9%	2%	7%	10%	7%	16%	10%	39%
10th	8%	12%	8%	15%	12%	19%	9%	19%
12th	14%	11%	15%	12%	18%	12%	6%	12%

Putting them all together, what were your grades like for the last year?

	Mostly A	Mostly A and B	Mostly B	Mostly B and C	Mostly C	Mostly C and D	Mostly D	Mostly F
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
6th	30%	46%	3%	15%	1%	4%	1%	0%
8th	19%	35%	4%	13%	3%	22%	2%	1%
10th	44%	25%	8%	13%	2%	7%	1%	1%
12th	28%	31%	11%	16%	5%	8%	0%	2%

During the past 30 days, how many days did you not go to school because you felt you would be unsafe at school or on the way to or from school?

	0 days	1 day	2 or 3 days	4 or 5 days	6 or more days
	%	%	%	%	%
6th	97%	2%	1%	0%	0%
8th	95%	2%	1%	0%	1%
10th	98%	0%	2%	0%	1%
12th	97%	1%	1%	1%	1%

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How true are the following statements?

At my school there is a teacher or some other adult who:		Not at all true	A little true	Pretty much true	Very much true
		%	%	%	%
6th	Really cares about me.	11%	22%	28%	40%
	Notices when I'm not there.	6%	20%	37%	37%
	Listens to me when I have something to say.	8%	8%	33%	51%
	Notices if I have trouble learning something.	12%	18%	28%	42%
	Tells me when I do a good job.	7%	19%	35%	39%
	Always wants me to do my best.	3%	9%	22%	66%
	Believes that I will be a success.	6%	13%	30%	50%
8th	Encourages me to work hard in school.	5%	11%	28%	56%
	Really cares about me.	6%	38%	27%	29%
	Notices when I'm not there.	4%	38%	26%	31%
	Listens to me when I have something to say.	7%	32%	26%	34%
	Notices if I have trouble learning something.	10%	36%	33%	20%
	Tells me when I do a good job.	6%	15%	47%	32%
	Always wants me to do my best.	3%	10%	43%	44%
10th	Believes that I will be a success.	5%	13%	46%	35%
	Encourages me to work hard in school.	5%	10%	44%	41%
	Really cares about me.	10%	22%	36%	33%
	Notices when I'm not there.	5%	17%	34%	44%
	Listens to me when I have something to say.	8%	14%	38%	40%
	Notices if I have trouble learning something.	13%	22%	43%	22%
	Tells me when I do a good job.	7%	16%	41%	36%
12th	Always wants me to do my best.	2%	16%	40%	42%
	Believes that I will be a success.	5%	17%	38%	40%
	Encourages me to work hard in school.	6%	16%	36%	41%
	Really cares about me.	11%	17%	32%	40%
	Notices when I'm not there.	10%	16%	35%	39%
	Listens to me when I have something to say.	7%	12%	40%	41%
	Notices if I have trouble learning something.	11%	20%	39%	31%
12th	Tells me when I do a good job.	11%	16%	35%	38%
	Always wants me to do my best.	8%	10%	39%	44%
	Believes that I will be a success.	6%	15%	35%	44%
	Encourages me to work hard in school.	10%	14%	36%	40%

How true are the following statements?

At school:		Not at all true	A little true	Pretty much true	Very much true
		%	%	%	%
6th	I do interesting activities.	6%	17%	38%	40%
	I help decide things like class activities or rules.	40%	34%	15%	10%
	I do things that make a difference.	21%	34%	23%	21%
8th	I do interesting activities.	12%	37%	26%	26%
	I help decide things like class activities or rules.	34%	49%	13%	5%
	I do things that make a difference.	17%	51%	19%	13%
10th	I do interesting activities.	10%	27%	34%	29%
	I help decide things like class activities or rules.	36%	25%	27%	11%
	I do things that make a difference.	18%	32%	39%	11%
12th	I do interesting activities.	20%	26%	34%	21%
	I help decide things like class activities or rules.	37%	29%	19%	15%
	I do things that make a difference.	26%	27%	28%	20%

How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statements about your school?

		Strongly disagree	Disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
		%	%	%	%	%
6th	I feel close to people at this school.	2%	4%	18%	39%	37%
	I am happy to be at this school.	7%	5%	17%	30%	41%
	I feel safe in my school.	1%	3%	14%	32%	50%
	The teachers at this school treat students fairly.	12%	6%	16%	28%	38%
8th	I feel close to people at this school.	4%	4%	29%	37%	26%
	I am happy to be at this school.	12%	2%	33%	25%	28%
	I feel safe in my school.	3%	1%	31%	33%	32%
	The teachers at this school treat students fairly.	7%	10%	32%	28%	22%
10th	I feel close to people at this school.	3%	15%	9%	42%	32%
	I am happy to be at this school.	14%	21%	13%	32%	20%
	I feel safe in my school.	3%	2%	18%	48%	29%
	The teachers at this school treat students fairly.	9%	12%	29%	36%	14%
12th	I feel close to people at this school.	9%	10%	20%	42%	19%
	I am happy to be at this school.	10%	13%	26%	34%	18%
	I feel safe in my school.	7%	0%	8%	44%	41%
	The teachers at this school treat students fairly.	16%	18%	26%	28%	12%

How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to:

		Very wrong	Wrong	A little bit wrong	Not wrong at all
		%	%	%	%
6th	Drink alcohol regularly	85%	8%	6%	1%
	Smoke cigarettes	92%	6%	2%	1%
	Smoke marijuana	96%	2%	1%	1%
8th	Drink alcohol regularly	57%	36%	5%	2%
	Smoke cigarettes	71%	26%	1%	1%
	Smoke marijuana	77%	21%	1%	0%
10th	Drink alcohol regularly	74%	18%	5%	3%
	Smoke cigarettes	85%	12%	2%	0%
	Smoke marijuana	88%	10%	1%	1%
12th	Drink alcohol regularly	43%	24%	24%	8%
	Smoke cigarettes	63%	20%	11%	6%
	Smoke marijuana	79%	15%	3%	4%

In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using the following:

		Yes	No	Don't remember
		%	%	%
6th	Tobacco	55%	25%	20%
	Alcohol	59%	20%	21%
	Marijuana and other illegal drugs	63%	19%	18%
8th	Tobacco	63%	22%	15%
	Alcohol	62%	22%	16%
	Marijuana and other illegal drugs	67%	19%	14%
10th	Tobacco	49%	41%	10%
	Alcohol	56%	35%	9%
	Marijuana and other illegal drugs	51%	39%	11%
12th	Tobacco	33%	58%	9%
	Alcohol	43%	50%	7%
	Marijuana and other illegal drugs	35%	55%	10%

Family Relationships

		Never	Sometimes	Most of the time	Always
		%	%	%	%
6th	When I am not at home, one of my parents knows where I am and who I am with.	3%	9%	19%	69%
	My parents ask if I've gotten my homework done.	4%	8%	24%	64%
	Would your parents know if you did not come home on time?	4%	13%	23%	60%
8th	When I am not at home, one of my parents knows where I am and who I am with.	2%	4%	45%	48%
	If you drank some beer or wine or liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin) without your parents' permission would you be caught by your parents?	18%	17%	27%	38%
	My parents ask if I've gotten my homework done.	3%	12%	20%	64%
	Would your parents know if you did not come home on time?	7%	15%	36%	42%
	If you go to a party where alcohol is served, would you be caught by your parents?	33%	17%	17%	33%
10th	When I am not at home, one of my parents knows where I am and who I am with.	2%	10%	31%	56%
	If you drank some beer or wine or liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin) without your parents' permission would you be caught by your parents?	20%	21%	37%	22%
	My parents ask if I've gotten my homework done.	8%	25%	34%	33%
	Would your parents know if you did not come home on time?	2%	14%	31%	53%
	If you go to a party where alcohol is served, would you be caught by your parents?	16%	23%	36%	24%
	If you drank and drove, would you be caught by your parents?	8%	13%	23%	56%
	If you rode in a car driven by a teen driver who had been drinking, would you be caught by your parents?	16%	21%	34%	29%

Family Relationships(cont.)

		Never	Sometimes	Most of the time	Always
		%	%	%	%
12th	When I am not at home, one of my parents knows where I am and who I am with.	5%	12%	48%	35%
	If you drank some beer or wine or liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin) without your parents' permission would you be caught by your parents?	36%	32%	19%	14%
	My parents ask if I've gotten my homework done.	22%	26%	26%	27%
	Would your parents know if you did not come home on time?	14%	24%	23%	39%
	If you go to a party where alcohol is served, would you be caught by your parents?	39%	34%	12%	15%
	If you drank and drove, would you be caught by your parents?	27%	25%	16%	32%
	If you rode in a car driven by a teen driver who had been drinking, would you be caught by your parents?	40%	28%	16%	15%

My family has clear rules about alcohol and drug use

	Yes	No
	%	%
6th	89%	11%
8th	64%	36%
10th	88%	12%
12th	75%	25%

In the past 3 months, have your parents ever talked with you about:

		Yes	No
		%	%
10th	not drinking and driving?	60%	40%
	not riding with a driver who had been drinking?	57%	43%
12th	not drinking and driving?	50%	50%
	not riding with a driver who had been drinking?	49%	51%