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Introduction

Based on the administration of the Illinois Survey (2012), this report provides community-level data on a variety of health and social indicators such as drug use, bullying, and school climate. The data has been organized into topical sections as noted in the table of contents following this introduction. In most cases, only a portion of schools in a community participate in the Illinois Youth Survey (IYS). There will be NO DATA presented in this report for any grade level with only one school reporting. This is to protect the confidentiality of school-level results.

The IYS is offered to both public and private schools. In order to have the best understanding of how well the results in this report reflect the experience of the youth in this community, several factors should be considered including: Public School Building Participation, Public School Student Participation, and Private School Student Participation.

Public School Building Participation

In Table 1, the **number of eligible public schools** (i.e. contain at least 15 students at the 6^{th}, 8^{th}, 10^{th}, or 12^{th} grade level) is compared with the actual **number of IYS participating public schools** in the community.

Table 1: Public School Building IYS Participation by School Level

Elementary & Middle Schools (6th and/or 8th grades)		High Schools (10th and/or 12th grades)	
N Schools Participating	N Schools Eligible	N Schools Participating	N Schools Eligible
2	4	0	1

Public School Student Participation

Table 2 provides a comparison between the actual number of students surveyed and the number of all students enrolled in public schools within the community. This percentage can be increased by surveying more schools and students within the community. Again, enrollment totals are based on student enrollment at public schools with at least 15 enrolled students at the 6^{th} , 8^{th}, 10^{th}, or 12^{th} grade level. Table 2 is based solely on public school students due to the lack of available enrollment information for private schools.

Table 2: Public School Student IYS Participation by Grade

	N Students Surveyed	N Enrolled Students in Community	% Enrolled Students in Community Reported
8th	94	217	43%
Total	94	217	43%

Private School Student Participation

Table 3 provides a count of the number of private school students surveyed in this community. Note that the data presented in this report **includes both public and private schools that participated in this community.**

Table 3: Number of Private School Students Surveyed by Grade

6th	8th	10th	12th	Total
0	16	0	0	16

If schools that serve youth in specialized settings like charter schools, alternative schools, etc. participated in the IYS, these students are represented in the survey results but are not included in data summaries presented in Table 2 or Table 3 above.

Organization of the Report Data (Data Tables and Charts)

Tables can be helpful when you are looking for a summary of responses for particular survey questions, for example, the percentage of 8th grade youth who report using prescription pain killers to get high. Some tables may contain a mean score (an average of all the responses), a median score (the middle point of all responses given) or an "N" (number of students who responded to that question). Tables can also be useful when you need specific data to support a grant or report. If you see an **"N/A" (Not Applicable)** noted in a table, this indicates that the question was **not asked at that grade level**. If you see an **"N/R (Not Reported)** noted in a table, this indicates that *at least 90% of the students skipped the question for no known reason*, making the results too biased to report.

Summary charts can be helpful to view multiple questions in one place (e.g., use of different drugs to determine which is the most used) and to compare your results with the scientific sample of Illinois students who participated in the 2010 IYS. State level results from the 2012 IYS will not be available until late fall. IYS state level norms from 2010 are a good benchmark for immediate decision-making because state estimates stay relatively stable across two IYS administration years. To locate the starting page of the Summary Charts, refer to the Table of Contents on the next page.

Keep in mind that the IYS 6th and 8th grade forms do not include all questions asked on the IYS high school form. For that reason, responses to some questions do not appear in the tables and the charts for some grade levels. If you would like to determine what section includes responses to a specific survey item or verify if a question was asked at a specific grade level, please refer to the Site Report Appendix on our website http://iys.cprd.illinois.edu/results/individual-school-reports.

We are confident that you will find this report to be a valuable resource for planning, grant writing, program development and reporting. If you have any questions about this report, please call 888-333-5612 and ask for an IYS Coordinator or visit the IYS website at http://iys.cprd.illinois.edu/.

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(1) Student Characteristics

Age

8th	
Avg	N
13.9	110

Gender

	8th	
	%	N
Female	50%	55
Male	50%	55
Total	100%	110

Race

	8th	
	%	N
White	17%	18
Black/African American	28%	30
Latino/Latina	38%	41
Asian American	6%	6
Native American/American Indian	0%	0
Multi-racial	9%	10
Other	3%	3
Total	100%	108

Who do you live with MOST OF THE TIME:

	8th	
	%	N
Both parents	64%	70
Parent and step parent	7%	8
Mother only	24%	26
Father only	1%	1
Legal guardian	1%	1
Foster parent (including relatives if they are your foster parent)	0%	0
Group home or residential care	0%	0
Grandparents only	0%	0
Living independently	N/A	N/A
Multiple living situations	3%	3
Total	100%	109

Zip code of student

	8th
60201	2%
60202	2%
60409	1%
60609	1%
60614	3%
60618	2%
60623	1%
60625	1%
60626	70%
60637	1%
60645	6%
60659	2%
Invalid or no response	9%

At school, are you eligible to receive:

	8th	
	%	N
Free lunch	79%	83
Reduced price lunch	5%	5
Neither	16%	17
Total	100%	105

Amount of time spent home alone each week after school:

	8th
None	47%
1 to 2 days, less than 3 hours per day	15%
1 to 2 days, more than 3 hours per day	7%
3 or more days, less than 3 hours per day	12%
3 or more days, more than 3 hours per day	18%
Total	100%

(2) Drug Prevalence and Behaviors

2012 Substance Use Rates by Grade

Substance Used	8th Grade
Used Past Year	
Any Substance (including alcohol, cigarettes, inhalants or marijuana)	**31%**
Alcohol	25%
Cigarettes	4%
Inhalants	1%
Marijuana	9%
Any Illicit Drugs (excluding marijuana)	**1%**
Crack/Cocaine	0%
Hallucinogens/LSD	1%
Ecstasy/MDMA	0%
Methamphetamine	0%
Heroin	0%
Any Prescription Drugs	**3%**
Steroids	2%
Prescription Painkillers	1%
Other Prescription Drugs	0%
Over-the-Counter Drugs	**1%**
Used Past 30 Days	
Alcohol	15%
Any Tobacco Products	**4%**
Cigarettes	1%
Smokeless tobacco	1%
Smoking tobacco (other than cigarettes)	4%
Inhalants	1%
Marijuana	8%
Any Prescription Drugs	**0%**
Prescription Painkillers	0%
Other Prescription Drugs	0%
Over-the-Counter Drugs	0%
Used Past 2 Weeks	
Binge Drinking	4%
# of Respondents	110

How old were you when you first:

		Never have	10 or younger	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18 or older	Total
8th	Had more than a sip or two of alcohol	72%	5%	4%	6%	8%	5%	0%	0%	0%	0%	100%
	Began drinking alcohol regularly (at least once or twice a month)	95%	1%	1%	0%	2%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	100%
	Smoked a cigarette, even just a puff	92%	1%	0%	3%	2%	3%	0%	0%	0%	0%	100%
	Used any other tobacco product (e.g., chewing tobacco or cigars)	97%	0%	0%	0%	1%	2%	0%	0%	0%	0%	100%
	Smoked marijuana	91%	0%	0%	1%	5%	4%	0%	0%	0%	0%	100%

ALCOHOL: On how many occasions (if any) have you had alcohol:

		0 occasions	1-2 occasions	3-5 occasions	6-9 occasions	10-19 occasions	20 or more occasions	Total
8th	In the past 30 days	84%	10%	3%	2%	1%	0%	100%
	In the past year	76%	14%	7%	2%	1%	0%	100%

BINGE DRINKING: Think back over the last two weeks. How many times have you had five or more alcoholic drinks in a row:

	8th
None	96%
Once	1%
Twice	3%
3-5 times	0%
6-9 times	0%
10 or more times	0%
Total	100%

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

		Did not drink alcohol during the past 30 days	Never	Sometimes	Often	Total
8th	Beer	91%	3%	5%	1%	100%
	Malt liquor	91%	7%	2%	0%	100%
	Wine	91%	3%	6%	0%	100%
	Liquor (vodka, whiskey, etc.)	90%	6%	3%	1%	100%
	Alcopops (wine coolers, hard lemonade, hard cider)	90%	7%	2%	1%	100%
	Liquor with energy drinks (e.g., Red Bull)	91%	5%	2%	2%	100%

***ALCOHOL TYPE: Among alcohol users in the past 30 days, what did you drink:**

	8th
	Among 15 users
Beer	67%
Malt liquor	22%
Wine	67%
Liquor (vodka, whiskey, etc.)	40%
Alcopops (wine coolers, hard lemonade, hard cider)	30%
Liquor with energy drinks (e.g., Red Bull)	44%

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CIGARETTES: How frequently have you smoked cigarettes:

		Not at all	Less than one cigarette per day	1-5 cigarettes per day	About one-half pack per day	About one pack per day	More than 1 pack per day	Total
8th	In the past 30 days	99%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	100%
	In the past year	96%	2%	2%	0%	0%	0%	100%

INHALANTS: On how many occasions (if any) have you sniffed glue, breathed the contents of an aerosol spray can, or inhaled other gases or sprays, in order to get high:

		0 occasions	1-2 occasions	3-5 occasions	6-9 occasions	10-19 occasions	20 or more occasions	Total
8th	In the past 30 days	97%	2%	0%	1%	0%	0%	100%
	In the past year	99%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	100%

MARIJUANA: On how many occasions (if any) have you used marijuana:

		0 occasions	1-2 occasions	3-5 occasions	6-9 occasions	10-19 occasions	20 or more occasions	Total
8th	In the past 30 days	90%	5%	2%	3%	1%	0%	100%
	In the past year	92%	2%	4%	1%	0%	2%	100%

OTHER TOBACCO: During the past 30 days, how frequently have you used:

		Never	Once or twice	Once or twice per week	About once a day	More than once a day	Total
8th	Smokeless tobacco such as chewing tobacco, snuff, dip, or snus	99%	1%	0%	0%	0%	100%
	Smoked tobacco products other than cigarettes such as cigars, cigarillos, or little cigars	96%	4%	0%	0%	0%	100%

PRESCRIPTION AND OVER THE COUNTER DRUGS: During the past 30 days, how often have you used the following to get high:

	8th
Prescription painkillers (like Oxycontin, Vicodin, Lortab, or others)	0%
Other prescription drugs (like Ritalin, Adderall, or Xanax)	0%
Anything you could buy in a store ("over the counter drugs")	0%

ILLICIT DRUGS: During the past 12 months, how often have you used:

		0 occasions	1-2 occasions	3-5 occasions	6-9 occasions	10-19 occasions	20 or more occasions	Total
8th	MDMA ("ecstasy")	100%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	100%
	LSD or other psychedelics	99%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	100%
	Cocaine or crack	100%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	100%
	Meth (methamphetamine)	100%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	100%
	Heroin	100%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	100%

PRESCRIPTION AND OVER THE COUNTER DRUGS: During the past 12 months, how often have you used:

		Never	1-2 times	3-5 times	6 or more times	Total
8th	Steroids without a doctor's prescription?	98%	2%	0%	0%	100%
	Prescription painkillers to get high? (e.g., Oxycontin, Vicodin, Lortab, etc.)	99%	1%	0%	0%	100%
	Other prescription drugs to get high? (e.g., Ritalin, Adderall, Xanax, etc.)	100%	0%	0%	0%	100%
	Something you bought in a store to get high? (e.g., cough syrup, etc.)	99%	1%	0%	0%	100%

(3) Drug Use Contributing Factors

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

		Very wrong	Wrong	A little bit wrong	Not wrong at all	Total
8th	Drink beer, wine or hard liquor (e.g., vodka, whiskey or gin) regularly	58%	22%	14%	6%	100%
	Smoke cigarettes	70%	20%	10%	0%	100%
	Smoke marijuana	61%	19%	14%	6%	100%
	Use LSD, cocaine, amphetamines, or another illegal drug	84%	13%	1%	2%	100%

PERCEIVED RISK ASSOCIATED WITH USE: How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they:

		No risk	Slight risk	Moderate risk	Great risk	Total
8th	Take one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage (beer, wine, liquor) nearly every day	16%	17%	28%	39%	100%
	Have five or more drinks of an alcoholic beverage once or twice a week	12%	12%	29%	46%	100%
	Smoke one or more packs of cigarettes per day	10%	6%	19%	65%	100%
	Smoke marijuana regularly	13%	12%	19%	55%	100%
	Smoke marijuana once or twice a week	19%	25%	25%	31%	100%
	Use inhalants regularly	13%	3%	19%	66%	100%

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

		No or very little chance	Little chance	Some chance	Pretty good chance	Very good chance	Total
8th	Began drinking alcohol regularly, that is, at least once or twice a month	58%	18%	12%	8%	4%	100%
	Smoked cigarettes	71%	17%	8%	3%	1%	100%
	Smoke marijuana	58%	13%	11%	8%	10%	100%

PERCEIVED PARENT DISAPPROVAL OF USE: How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to:

		Very wrong	Wrong	A little bit wrong	Not wrong at all	Total
8th	Drink beer, wine, or hard liquor (e.g., vodka, whiskey, or gin) regularly (at least once or twice a month)	73%	21%	7%	0%	100%
	Smoke cigarettes	87%	10%	3%	0%	100%
	Smoke marijuana	86%	12%	1%	1%	100%

PARENT COMMUNICATION ABOUT DRUGS: In the past year, have your parents/guardians talked to you about:

		Yes	No	Don't remember	Total
8th	Not using alcohol	59%	30%	11%	100%
	Not using tobacco	49%	37%	14%	100%
	Not using marijuana and other illegal drugs	62%	32%	6%	100%

PARENT ALCOHOL MONITORING: Would you be caught by your parents if:

		Never	Sometimes	Most of the time	Always	Total
8th	You drank some beer, wine or liquor (e.g., vodka, whiskey, or gin) without your parents' permission	48%	14%	12%	25%	100%
	You go to a party where alcohol is served	47%	19%	10%	23%	100%

PARENT OVERALL MONITORING:

		Never	Sometimes	Most of the time	Always	Total
8th	When I am not at home, one of my parents/guardians knows where I am and who I am with	7%	12%	25%	56%	100%
	My parents/guardians ask if I've gotten my homework done	7%	21%	16%	56%	100%
	Would your parents/guardians know if you did not come home on time	10%	23%	13%	54%	100%

My family has clear rules about alcohol and drug use.

	8th
Yes	74%
No	26%
Total	100%

PERCEIVED ACCESS: If you wanted to get the following, how easy would it be for you to get some:

		Very hard	Sort of hard	Sort of easy	Very easy	Total
8th	Beer, wine, or hard liquor (e.g., vodka, whiskey, or gin)	54%	15%	24%	7%	100%
	Cigarettes	51%	27%	16%	6%	100%
	Marijuana	56%	16%	19%	9%	100%
	A drug like cocaine, LSD, or amphetamines	80%	12%	6%	2%	100%

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

		Very wrong	Wrong	A little bit wrong	Not wrong at all	Total
8th	To drink alcohol	50%	23%	25%	2%	100%
	To smoke cigarettes	62%	24%	12%	2%	100%
	To use marijuana	54%	30%	14%	2%	100%

How safe do you feel in your neighborhood:

	8th
Very safe	37%
Sort of safe	42%
Sort of unsafe	19%
Very unsafe	2%
Total	100%

TOBACCO SUPPLY SOURCE AMONG ALL STUDENTS: During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources:

		Did not smoke cigarettes or use other tobacco products during the past year	Never	Sometimes	Often	Total
8th	I bought them at a gas station	99%	1%	0%	0%	100%
	I bought them at a store	99%	1%	0%	0%	100%
	I bought them from a vending machine	99%	1%	0%	0%	100%
	I gave a stranger money to buy them for me	99%	0%	1%	0%	100%
	I bought them over the Internet	99%	1%	0%	0%	100%
	A friend gave them to me	99%	0%	1%	0%	100%
	My older brother or sister gave them to me	99%	1%	0%	0%	100%
	My parent gave them to me	99%	1%	0%	0%	100%
	I took them from a store	99%	1%	0%	0%	100%
	I took them from home without my parents knowing it	99%	0%	1%	0%	100%

***TOBACCO SOURCE TYPE ONLY AMONG TOBACCO USERS IN THE PAST YEAR: During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources:**

	8th Grade
Retail Purchase	
Any Retail Source	**N/R**
I bought them at a gas station	N/R
I bought them at a store	N/R
I bought them from a vending machine	N/R
Parent Supply	
My parent gave them to me	N/R
Social Access	
Any Social Source (excluding parents)	**N/R**
A friend gave them to me	N/R
My older brother or sister gave them to me	N/R
I gave a stranger money to buy them for me	N/R
Accessed Without Permission	
Stole or Took Without Permission	**N/R**
I took them from home without my parents knowing it	N/R
I took them from a store	N/R
Other Supply Source	
I bought them over the Internet	N/R
# of Tobacco Users in the Past Year	4

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ALCOHOL SUPPLY SOURCE AMONG ALL STUDENTS: During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine or liquor from the following sources:

		Did not drink beer, wine or liquor during the past year	Never	Sometimes	Often	Total
8th	I bought it at a gas station	84%	15%	1%	0%	100%
	I bought it at a store	85%	15%	0%	0%	100%
	I bought it at a bar or restaurant	85%	15%	0%	0%	100%
	I gave a stranger money to buy it for me	85%	14%	1%	0%	100%
	I bought it over the Internet	85%	15%	0%	0%	100%
	A friend gave it to me	85%	11%	4%	0%	100%
	My older brother or sister gave it to me	85%	13%	2%	0%	100%
	My parents WITH their permission	83%	9%	6%	1%	100%
	My parents WITHOUT their permission	85%	12%	3%	0%	100%
	An adult (other than my parents) WITH that adult's permission	85%	13%	1%	1%	100%
	An adult (other than my parents) WITHOUT that adult's permission	85%	12%	3%	0%	100%
	I took it from a store	85%	15%	0%	0%	100%
	I got it at a party	85%	9%	4%	2%	100%

***ALCOHOL SOURCE TYPE ONLY AMONG ALCOHOL USERS IN THE PAST YEAR: During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine or liquor from the following sources:**

	8th Grade
Retail Purchase	
Any Retail Source	**7%**
I bought it at a bar or restaurant	0%
I bought it at a gas station	7%
I bought it at a store	0%
Parent Supply	
My parents WITH their permission	44%
Social Access	
Any Social Source (excluding parents)	**57%**
A friend gave it to me	29%
I got it at a party	43%
I gave a stranger money to buy it for me	7%
My older brother or sister gave it to me	14%
An adult (other than my parents) WITH that adult's permission	14%
Accessed Without Permission	
Stole or Took Without Permission	**40%**
I took it from a store	0%
My parents WITHOUT their permission	21%
An adult (other than my parents) WITHOUT that adult's permission	21%
Other Supply Source	
I bought it over the Internet	0%
# of Alcohol Users in the Past Year	26

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(4) Interpersonal Conflict, Violence and Delinquency

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

		Never	1-2 times	3-5 times	6 or more times	Total
8th	Been in a physical fight	62%	25%	7%	7%	100%
	Carried a weapon such as a handgun, knife or club	93%	5%	1%	1%	100%
	Sold illegal drugs	99%	0%	0%	1%	100%
	Been drunk or high at school	93%	6%	0%	1%	100%

Do you currently belong to a "street gang":

	8th
Yes	4%
No	96%
Total	100%

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

	8th
Bullied you by calling you names	32%
Threatened to hurt you	12%
Bullied you by hitting, punching, kicking, or pushing you	12%
Bullied, harassed or spread rumors about you on the Internet or through text messages	10%
Ever bullied (reported at least 1 type of bullying)	37%
Intensely bullied (reported all types of bullying)	3%

BIAS-BASED BULLYING: In the past 12 months at school, how often have you been bullied, harassed, or made fun of because of:

		Never	1-2 times	3-5 times	6 or more times	Total
8th	Your appearance or a disability	71%	16%	5%	8%	100%

DATING VIOLENCE: During the past 12 months, have any of the following been done by someone in a dating relationship with you:

		I have not begun to date	Yes	No	Not sure	Total
8th	Slapped, kicked, punched, hit, or threatened you	37%	4%	57%	2%	100%

(5) Academic and School Experiences

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

	8th
0-9 days	89%
10-19 days	10%
20-30 days	1%
More than 30 days	0%
Total	100%

ACTIVITIES AND OPPORTUNITIES: In which of the following activities do you participate:

	8th	
	%	N
School sports team	67%	68
Other sports	56%	53
Service clubs (e.g., scouting, 4H)	10%	9
Other activity clubs (e.g., Boys & Girls, YMCA, etc.)	23%	20
Service or volunteer projects	22%	19
Church youth group or other faith-based youth group	22%	20
Youth drug prevention leadership group	3%	3

ACTIVITIES AND OPPORTUNITIES: Participation in activities:

	8th
0 activities	20%
1 activity	23%
2 or more activities	57%
Total	100%

ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT: Putting them all together, what were your grades like for the last year:

	8th
Mostly A	20%
Mostly A and B	45%
Mostly B	4%
Mostly B and C	21%
Mostly C	3%
Mostly C and D	6%
Mostly D	2%
Mostly F	0%
Total	100%

SCHOOL CLIMATE/CARING ADULTS: At my school, there is a teacher or some other adult:

		Not at all true	A little true	Pretty much true	Very much true	Total
8th	Who really cares about me	14%	21%	36%	29%	100%
	Who notices when I'm not there	18%	19%	34%	29%	100%
	Who listens to me when I have something to say	16%	18%	36%	30%	100%
	Who notices if I have trouble learning something	16%	19%	39%	26%	100%

SCHOOL CLIMATE/HIGH EXPECTATIONS: At my school, there is a teacher or some other adult:

		Not at all true	A little true	Pretty much true	Very much true	Total
8th	Who tells me when I do a good job	14%	8%	39%	38%	100%
	Who always wants me to do my best	13%	10%	25%	52%	100%
	Who believes I will be a success	15%	10%	32%	44%	100%
	Who encourages me to work hard in school	14%	14%	25%	48%	100%

SCHOOL CLIMATE/MEANINGFUL PARTICIPATION: How true are the following statements:

		Not at all true	A little true	Pretty much true	Very much true	Total
8th	At school, I do interesting activities	16%	26%	34%	24%	100%
	At school, I help decide things like class activities or rules	37%	25%	28%	11%	100%
	At school, I do things that make a difference	30%	32%	29%	9%	100%

SCHOOL CLIMATE/SCHOOL CONNECTEDNESS: How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statements about your school:

		Strongly disagree	Disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Agree	Strongly agree	Total
8th	I feel close to people at this school	11%	6%	18%	40%	25%	100%
	I am happy to be at this school	15%	10%	24%	31%	21%	100%
	I feel safe in my school	8%	6%	28%	34%	25%	100%
	The teachers at this school treat students fairly	14%	12%	18%	43%	14%	100%

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 your way to or from school:

	8th
0 days	91%
1 day	2%
2 or 3 days	5%
4 or 5 days	1%
6 or more days	2%
Total	100%

During the past 12 months, how many times on school property have you been in a physical fight:

	8th
0 times	75%
1 time	13%
2 or 3 times	8%
4 or more times	4%
Total	100%

(6) Mental, Social and Physical Health

During the past 12 months did you ever:

	8th	
	%	N
Feel so sad or hopeless almost every day for two weeks or more in a row that you stopped doing some usual activities	24%	25

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	Total
8th	22%	28%	50%	100%

Average (mean, median) height and weight:

	8th		
	Mean	Median	N
Height (in feet)	5.4	5.4	83
Weight (in pounds)	129.5	122.0	81

BMI (Body Mass Index) Categories based on CDC guidelines:

	8th	
	%	N
Underweight	3%	2
Healthy weight	69%	47
Overweight	18%	12
Obese	10%	7
Total	100%	68

How do you describe your weight:

	8th
Very underweight	6%
Slightly underweight	10%
About the right weight	57%
Slightly overweight	23%
Very overweight	3%
Total	100%

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

	8th
Never	11%
1 day	6%
2 days	5%
3 days	8%
4 days	9%
5 days	12%
6 days	10%
7 days	39%
Total	100%

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

		0 times during the past 7 days	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	Total
8th	Eat fruit	6%	27%	15%	12%	17%	10%	14%	100%
	Eat vegetables	20%	32%	15%	11%	9%	3%	11%	100%

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

	8th
I do not watch TV on an average school day	15%
Less than 1 hour per day	17%
1 hour per day	11%
2 hours per day	18%
3 hours per day	19%
4 hours per day	6%
5 or more hours per day	14%
Total	100%

During the past 7 days, on how many days were you physically active for a total of at least 60 minutes per day:

	8th
0 days	17%
1 day	6%
2 days	11%
3 days	13%
4 days	15%
5 days	13%
6 days	9%
7 days	15%
Total	100%

Summary Charts

Summary charts provide a snapshot of selected health and social indicators. All charts provide grade-level data. Some charts illustrate comparisons between one grade level of *Your Students in 2012* with the same grade level in a statewide random sample of *Illinois Students in 2010* (as noted in the introduction to your report). Other charts provide a comparison of *Your Students in 2012* across all grades surveyed to easily surface developmental trends.

Your report may not contain the full array of charts listed below. As noted in the introduction to your report, there will be NO DATA presented in this report for any grade level with **fewer than 10 valid surveys** in order to protect the confidentiality of your students. In addition, the IYS 6th and 8th grade forms contain a subset of the questions asked on the IYS high school form. As a result, some of the charts listed below may not be included in your report. Information about the availability of grade-specific charts or data is defined for each chart below. If an item within a chart is not displayed for a grade level (most often 6th and 8th grades), a footnote is included on the chart to explain.

Substance Use Behaviors and Consequences

Substance Use in the Past Year

- Separate chart displayed for each grade level surveyed
- Your Students in 2012 compared to Illinois Students in 2010

Substance Use in the Past 30 Days

- Separate chart displayed for each grade level surveyed
- Your Students in 2012 compared to Illinois Students in 2010

Average Age of First Use: Among 12th Graders Having Ever Used the Drug

- ONLY reported for 12th graders
- Your Students in 2012 compared to Illinois Students in 2010

First Use Before Age 15: Among 12th Graders Having Ever Used the Drug

- ONLY reported for 12th graders
- Your Students in 2012 compared to Illinois Students in 2010

Source of Alcohol in the Past Year: Among Alcohol Users

- Separate chart displayed for each grade level surveyed (these items are not included on the IYS 6th grade form)
- Your Students in 2012 compared to Illinois Students in 2010
- Note that alcohol sources are classified into types based on responses to a specific set of questions on the IYS. To determine what items are included in each type of alcohol source, refer to the relevant tables in the "**Drug Use Contributing Factors**" section of this report.

Source of Tobacco in the Past Year: Among Tobacco Users

- Separate chart displayed for each grade level surveyed (these items are not included on the IYS 6th grade form)
- Your Students in 2012 compared to Illinois Students in 2010
- Note that tobacco sources are classified into types based on responses to a specific set of questions on the IYS. To determine what items are included in each type of tobacco source, refer to the relevant tables in the "**Drug Use Contributing Factors**" section of this report.

Driving Under the Influence in the Past Year

- Separate chart displayed for each grade level surveyed (NOT included on the IYS 6th grade or 8th grade forms)
- Your Students in 2012 compared to Illinois Students in 2010

High School Students Who May Benefit from an Individual Substance Abuse Assessment: By Grade in 2012

- One chart displaying all grade levels surveyed (NOT included on the IYS 6th grade or 8th grade forms)
- No comparisons between Your Students in 2012 and Illinois Students in 2010 are available because the questions from the CRAFFT Screening Tool are new in the 2012 IYS.

Interpersonal Violence and Safety

Bullying Victimization in the Past 12 Months

- Separate chart displayed for each grade level surveyed
- Your Students in 2012 compared to Illinois Students in 2010

Extent of Bullying in the Past 12 Months: By Grade in 2012

- One chart displaying all grade levels surveyed
- No comparisons between Your Students in 2012 and Illinois Students in 2010 are available because one additional form of bullying (cyber-bullying) is new in the 2012 IYS, making the 2010 vs. 2012 summaries incomparable.

Bias-Based Bullying Victimization in the Past 12 Months: By Grade in 2012

- One chart displaying all grade levels surveyed
- No comparisons between Your Students in 2012 and Illinois Students in 2010 are available because the bias-based bullying questions are new in the 2012 IYS.

Dating Violence in the Past 12 Months By Grade

- Dating Violence is defined as being "punched, hit or threatened in a dating relationship."
- One chart displaying all grade levels surveyed (NOT asked on the 6th grade IYS form)
- Your Students in 2012 compared to Illinois Students in 2010

School Climate

Student Perceptions of School Climate Mean Scores

- Separate chart displayed for each grade level surveyed
- Your Students in 2012 compared to Illinois Students in 2010
- In order to compare perceptions across different dimensions of school climate, a mean score for each school climate scale (*Caring Adults, High Expectations, Meaningful Participation, and School Connectedness*) is adjusted to a 4-point scale, where "1"= the least positive and "4"= the most positive perception. To determine what IYS questions are included in each school climate scale, refer to the relevant tables in the "**Academic and School Experiences**" section of this report.

Student Perceptions of School Climate Mean Scores: By Grade in 2012

- One chart displaying all grade levels surveyed
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Mental and Physical Health

Mental Health Concerns in the Past 12 Months

- Separate chart displayed for each grade level surveyed (NOT asked on the IYS 6th grade form)
- Your Students in 2012 compared to Illinois Students in 2010

Prevalence of Obesity According to BMI

- Obesity is defined by the Centers for Disease Control based on Body Mass Index (BMI) as calculated by a self-reported height and weight ratio for age and gender
- One chart displaying all grade levels surveyed
- Your Students in 2012 compared to Illinois Students in 2010

Nutrition Behavior

- Separate chart displayed for each grade level surveyed
- Your Students in 2012 compared to Illinois Students in 2010

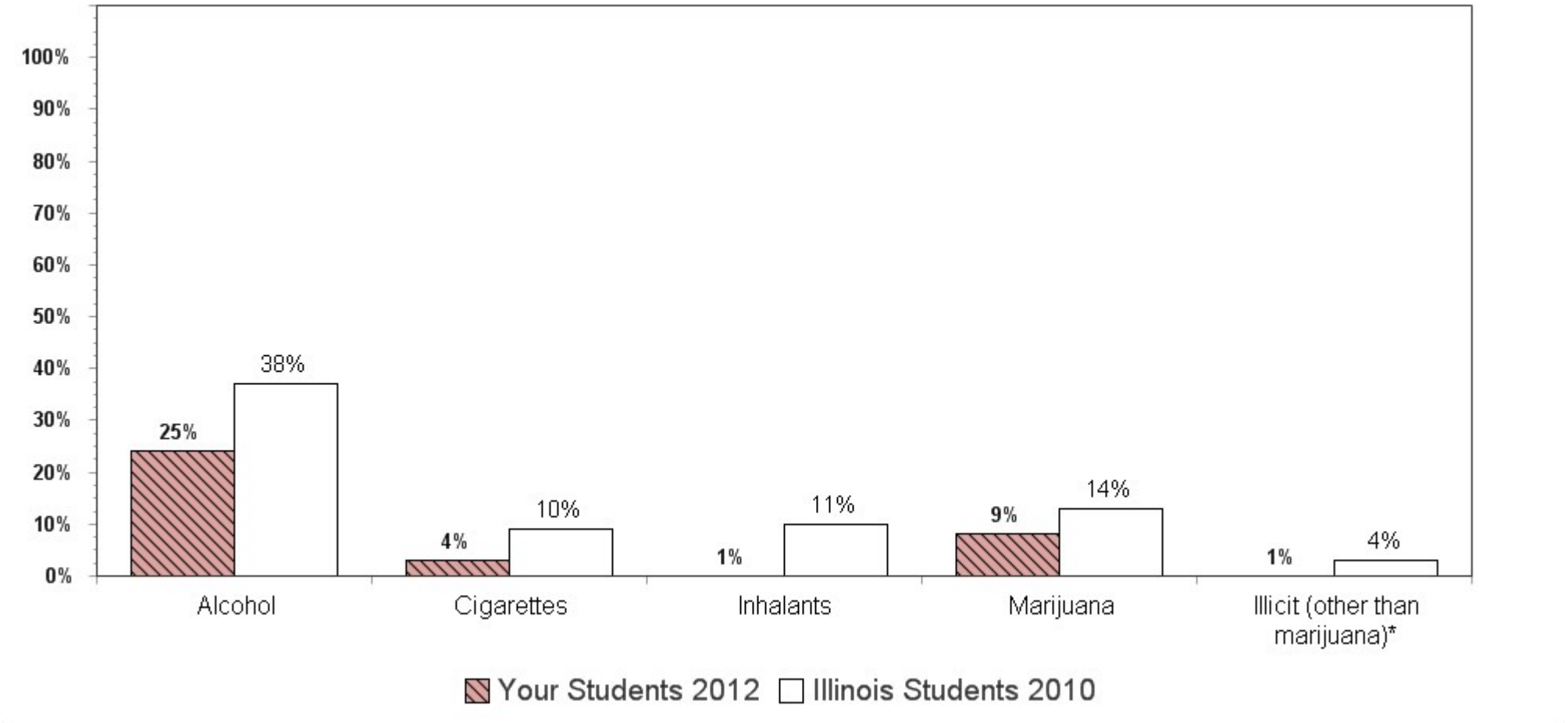
Frequency of Physical Activity

- Separate chart displayed for each grade level surveyed
- Your Students in 2012 compared to Illinois Students in 2010

Sedentary Activity: TV Watching Behavior

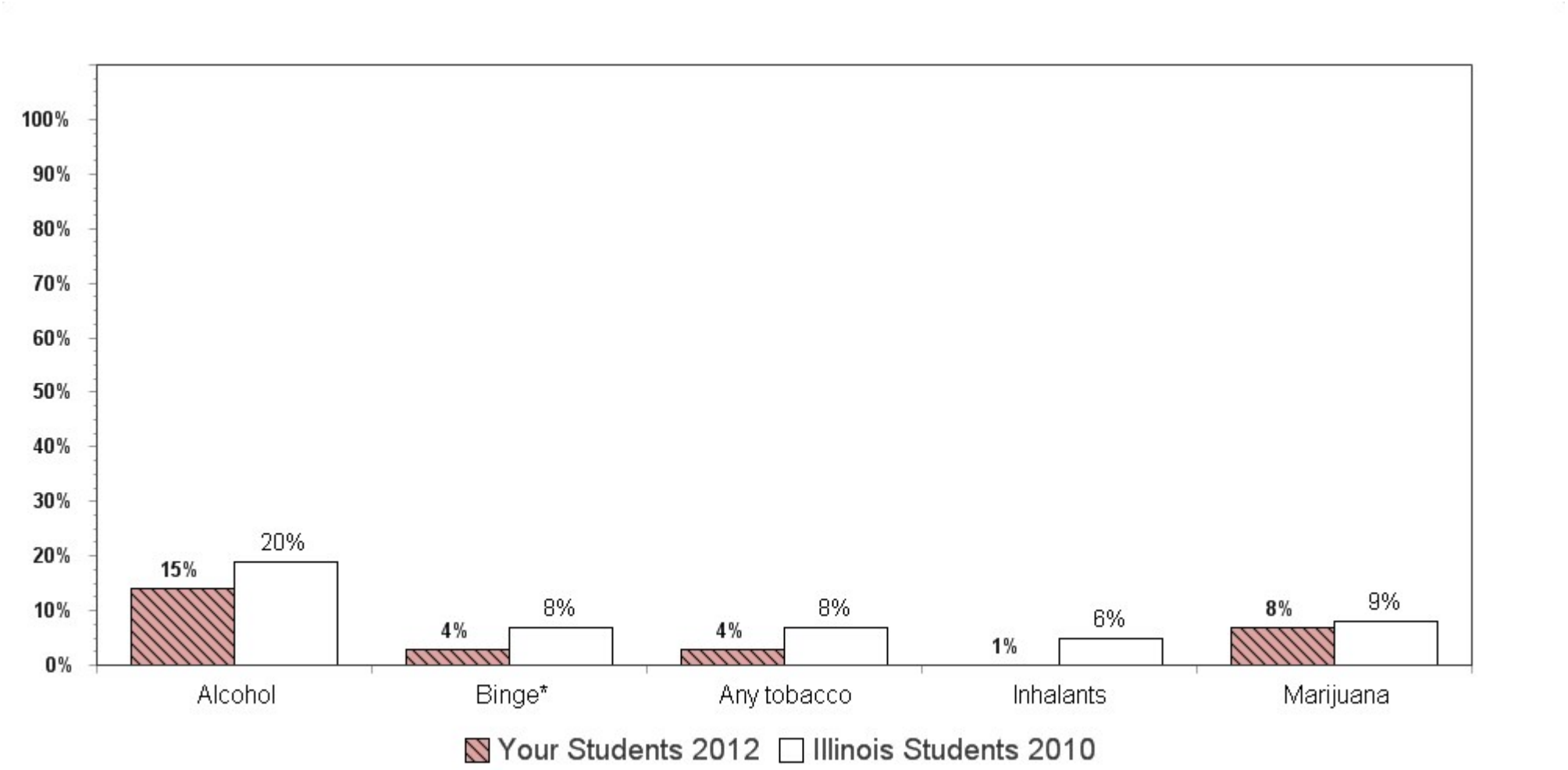
- One chart displaying all grade levels surveyed
- Your Students in 2012 compared to Illinois Students in 2010

Substance Use in the Past Year
Among 8th Grade Youth



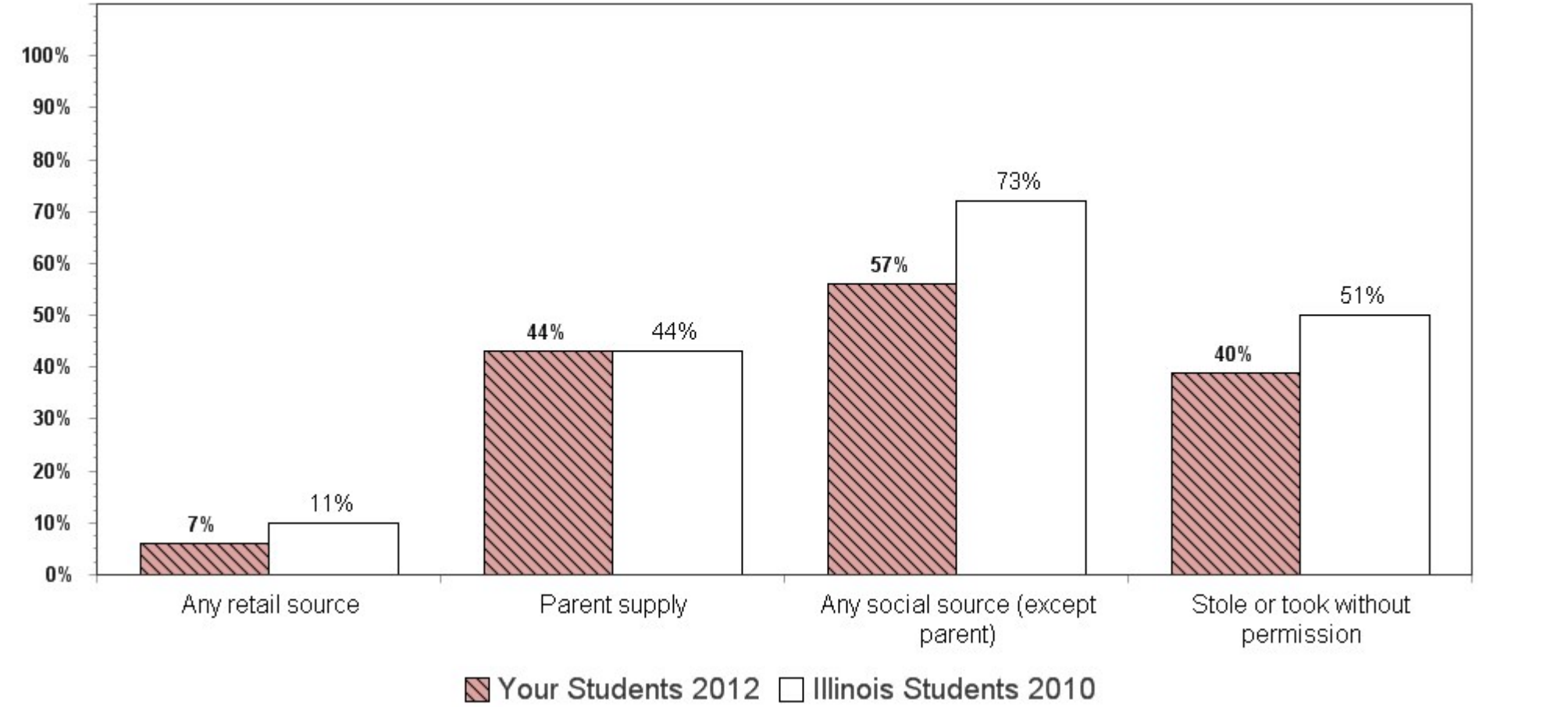
** Questions not asked on IYS 6th grade form*

Substance Use in the Past 30 Days
Among 8th Grade Youth



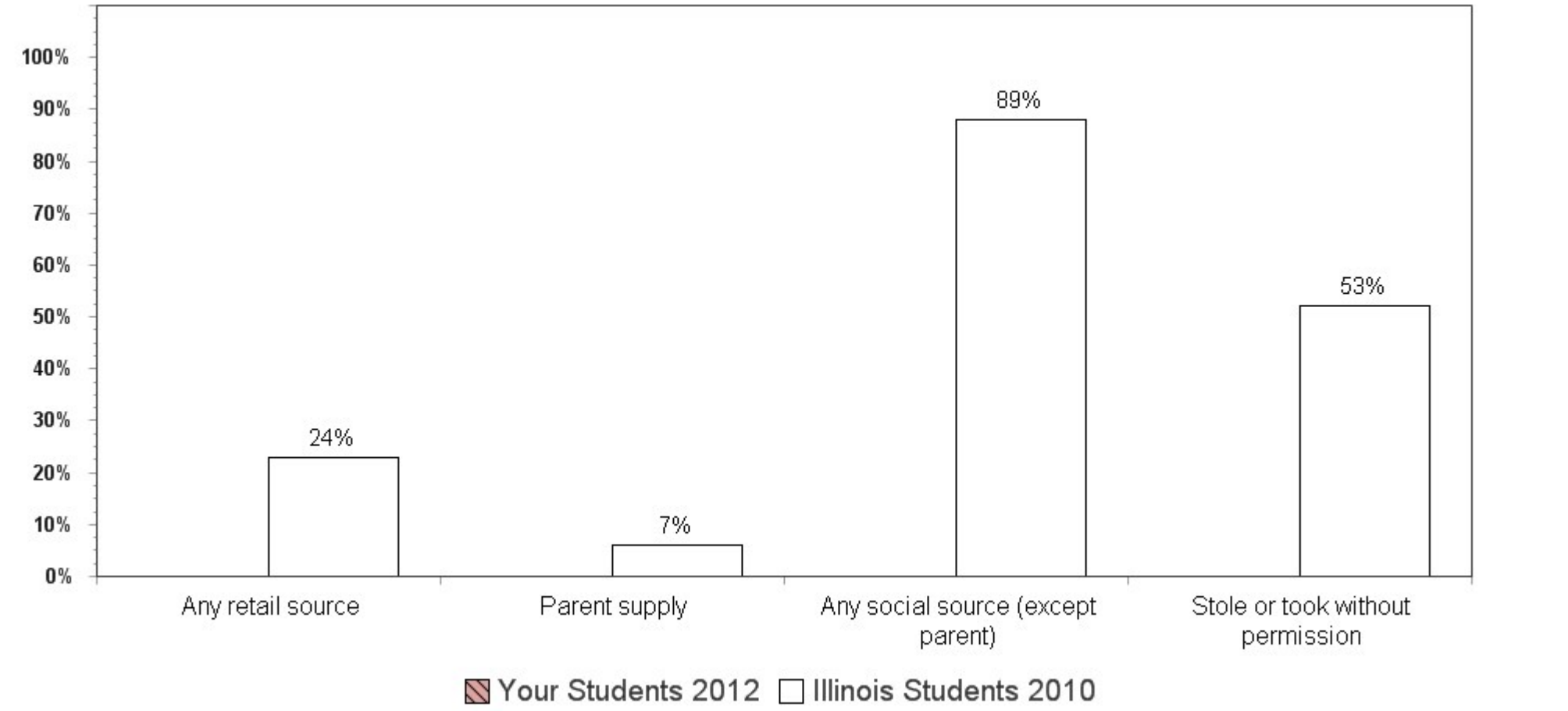
** 5 or more drinks at one sitting in the past two weeks*

Source of Alcohol in the Past Year
Among 8th Grade Alcohol Users*



Refer to the "Drug Use Contributing Factors" section of your report in the table entitlted **ALCOHOL SOURCE TYPE ONLY AMONG ALCOHOL USERS IN THE PAST YEAR to identify the number (N) of students who have used alcohol in the past year (a subset of students surveyed).*

Source of Tobacco in the Past Year
Among 8th Grade Tobacco Users*



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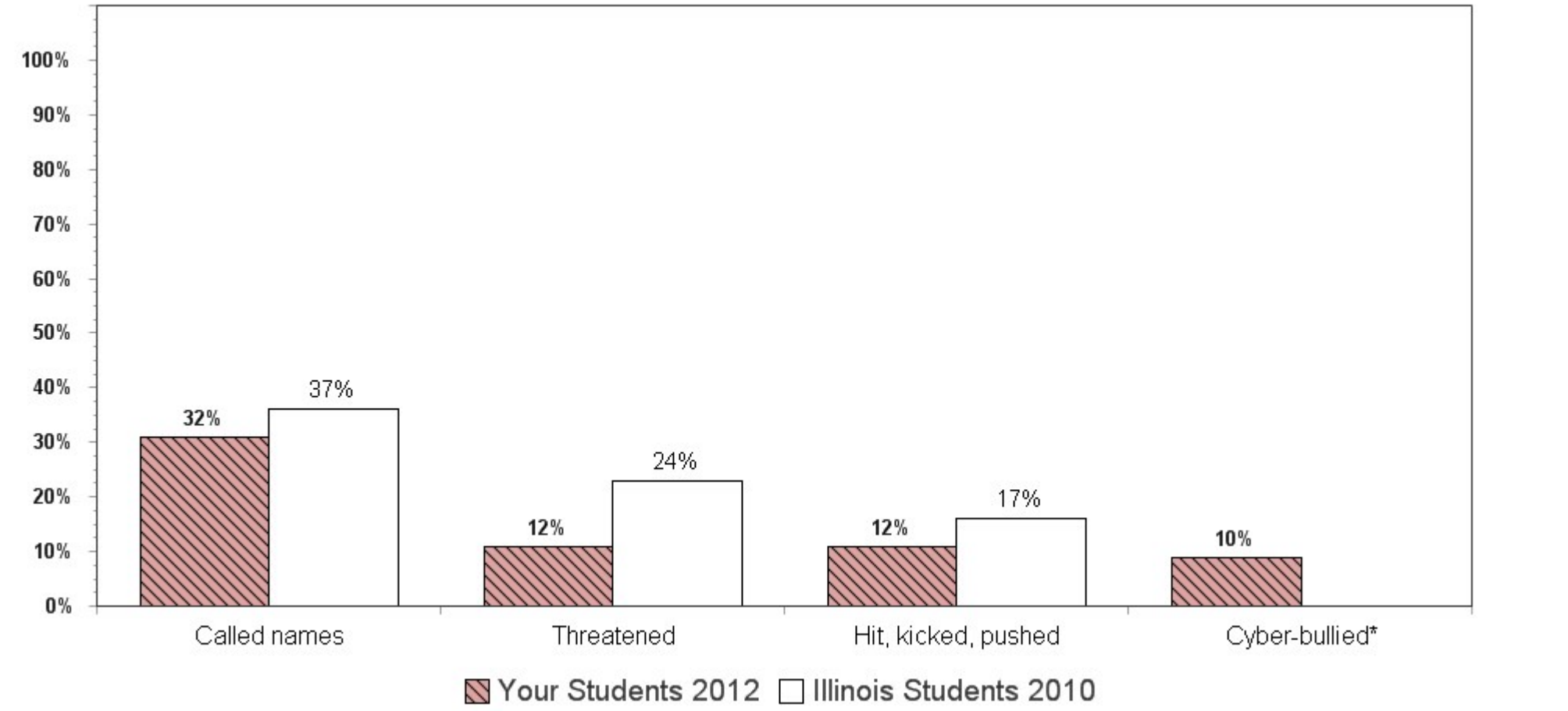
Bullying Victimization in the Past 12 Months
Among 8th Grade Youth



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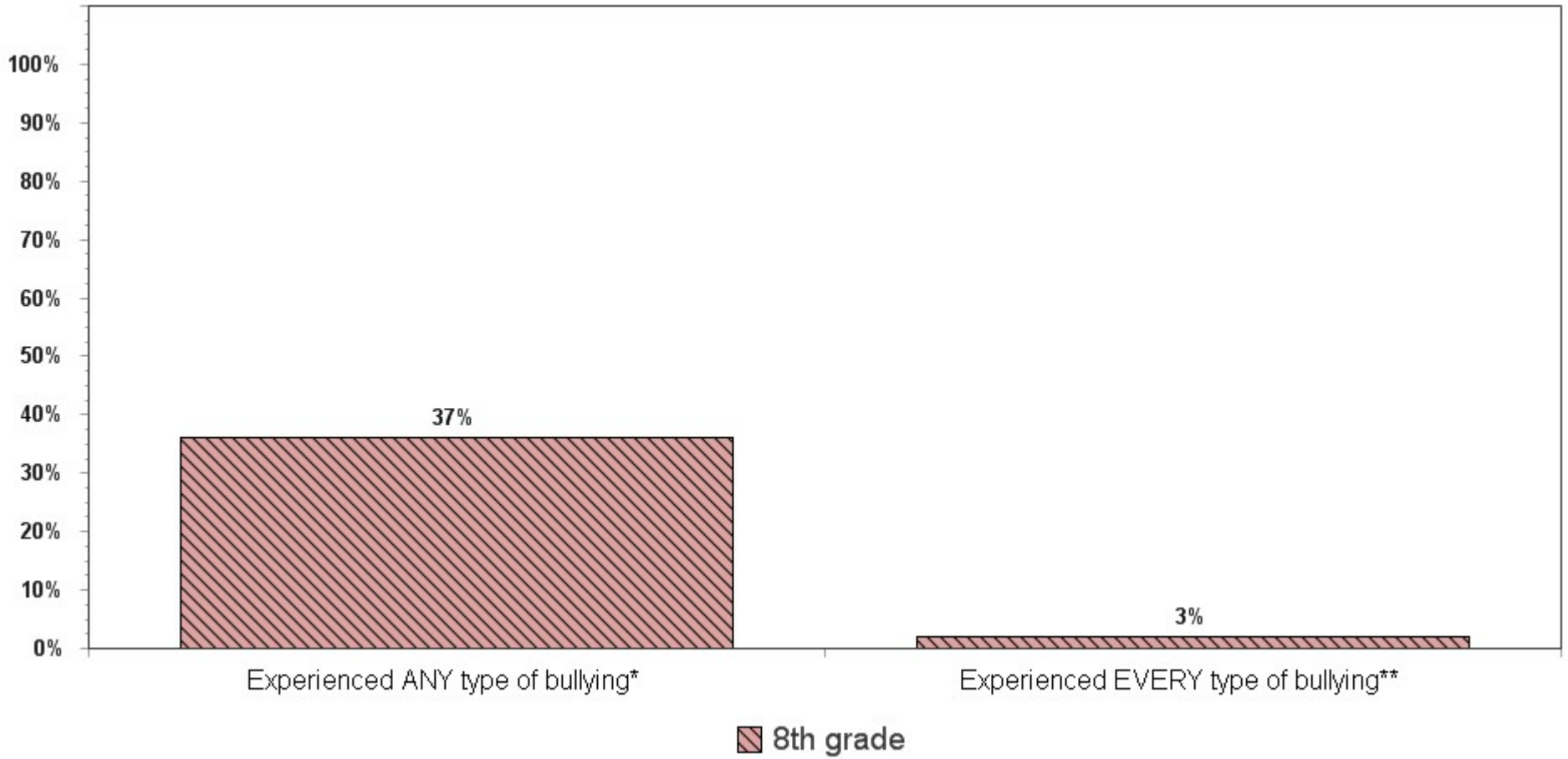
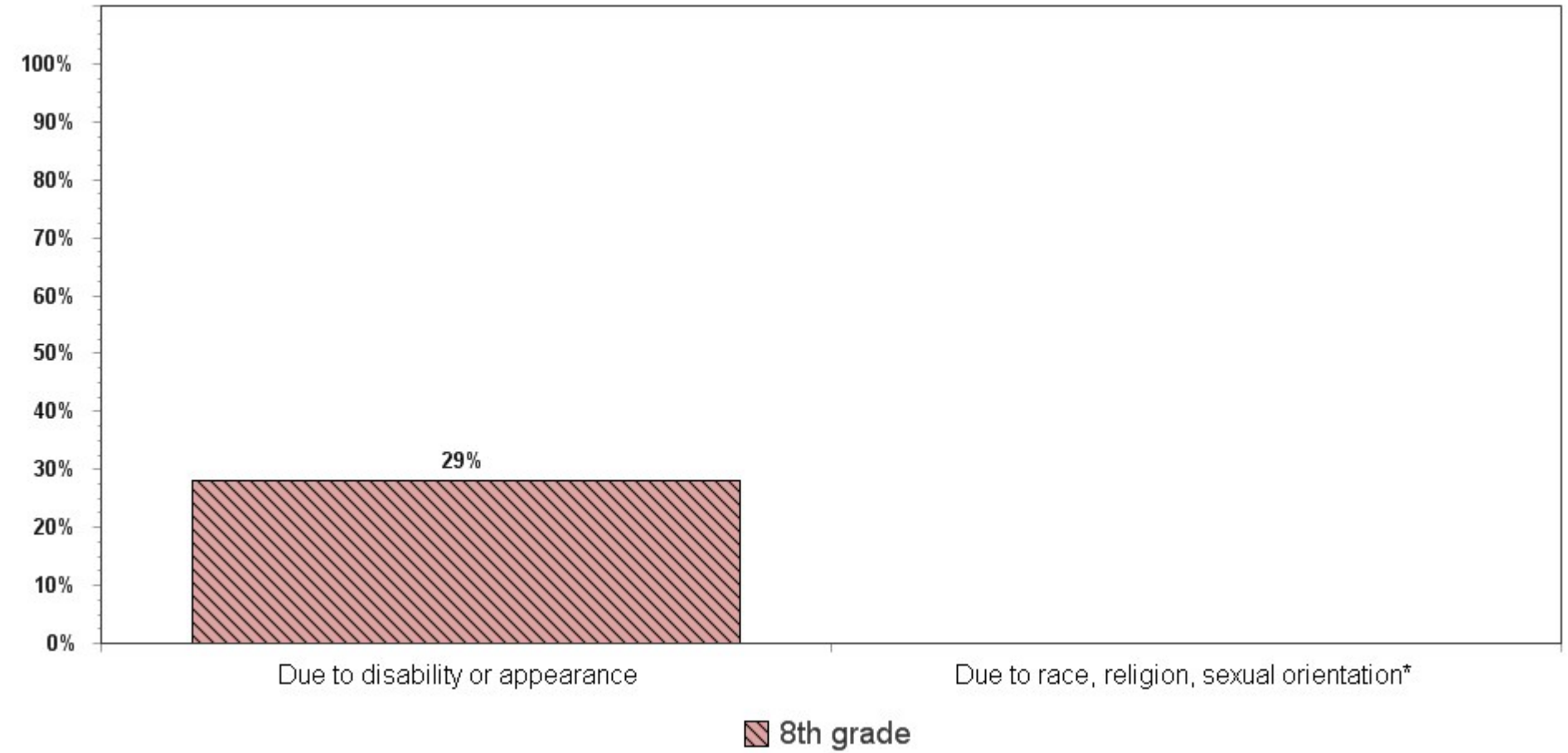
Extent of Bullying in the Past 12 Months
By Grade in 2012



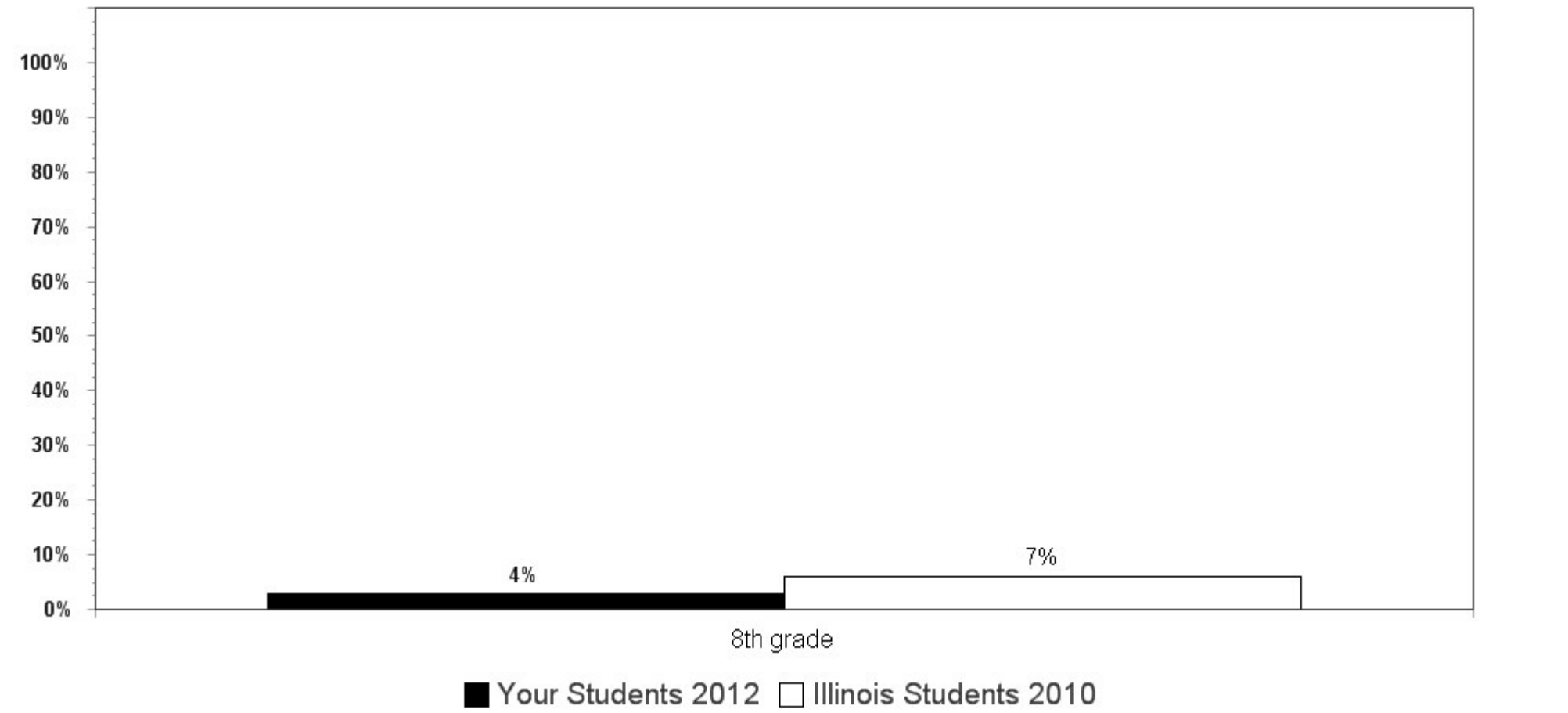
Victimized in **ONE OR MORE of the following ways: called names, threatened, physically assaulted, cyber-bullied*
*** Victimized in **ALL** of the following ways: called names, threatened, physically assaulted, cyber-bullied*

Bias-Based Bullying Victimization in the Past 12 Months
By Grade in 2012



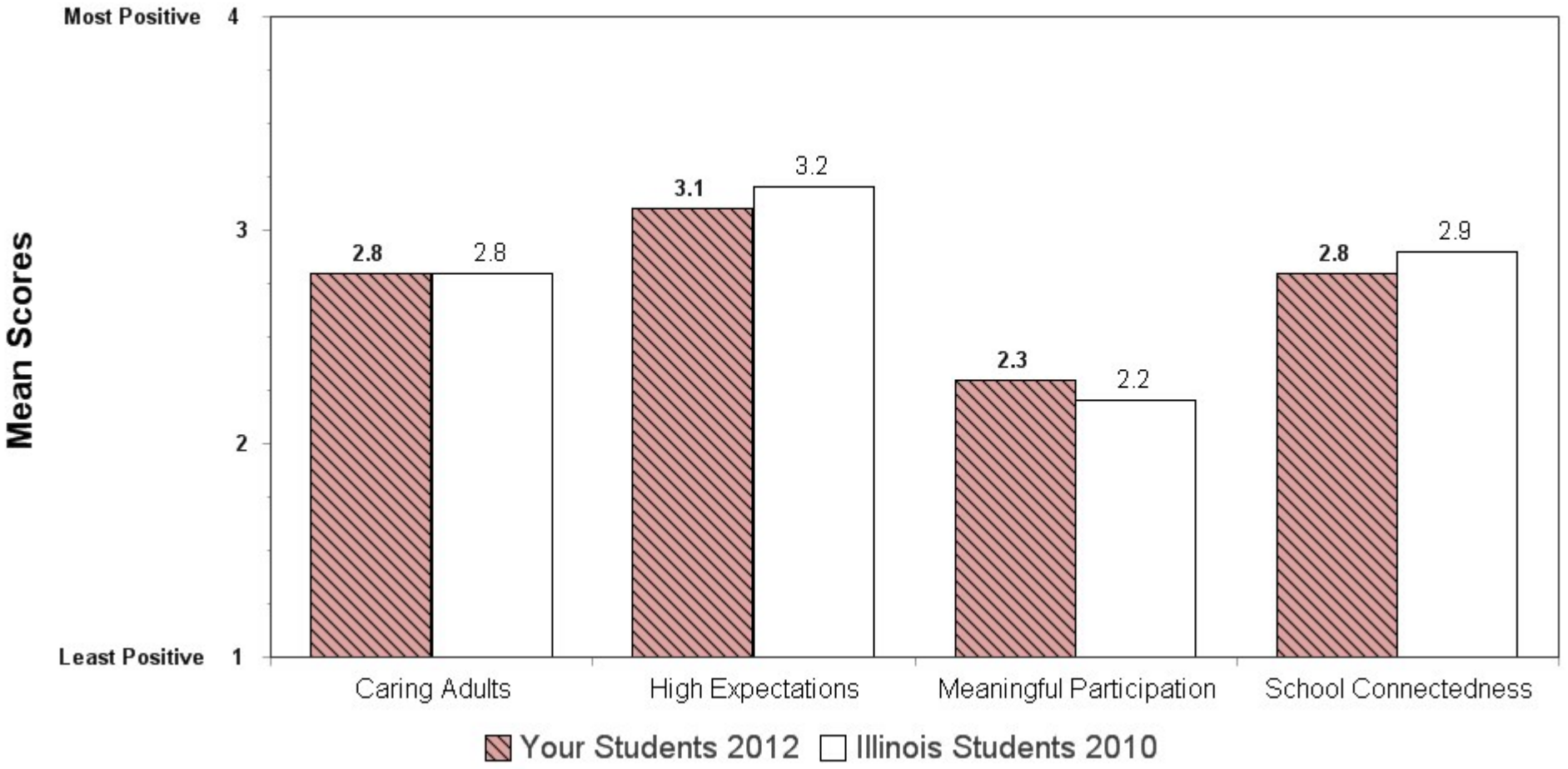
** Question asked only on IYS high school form*

Dating Violence* in the Past 12 Months
By Grade

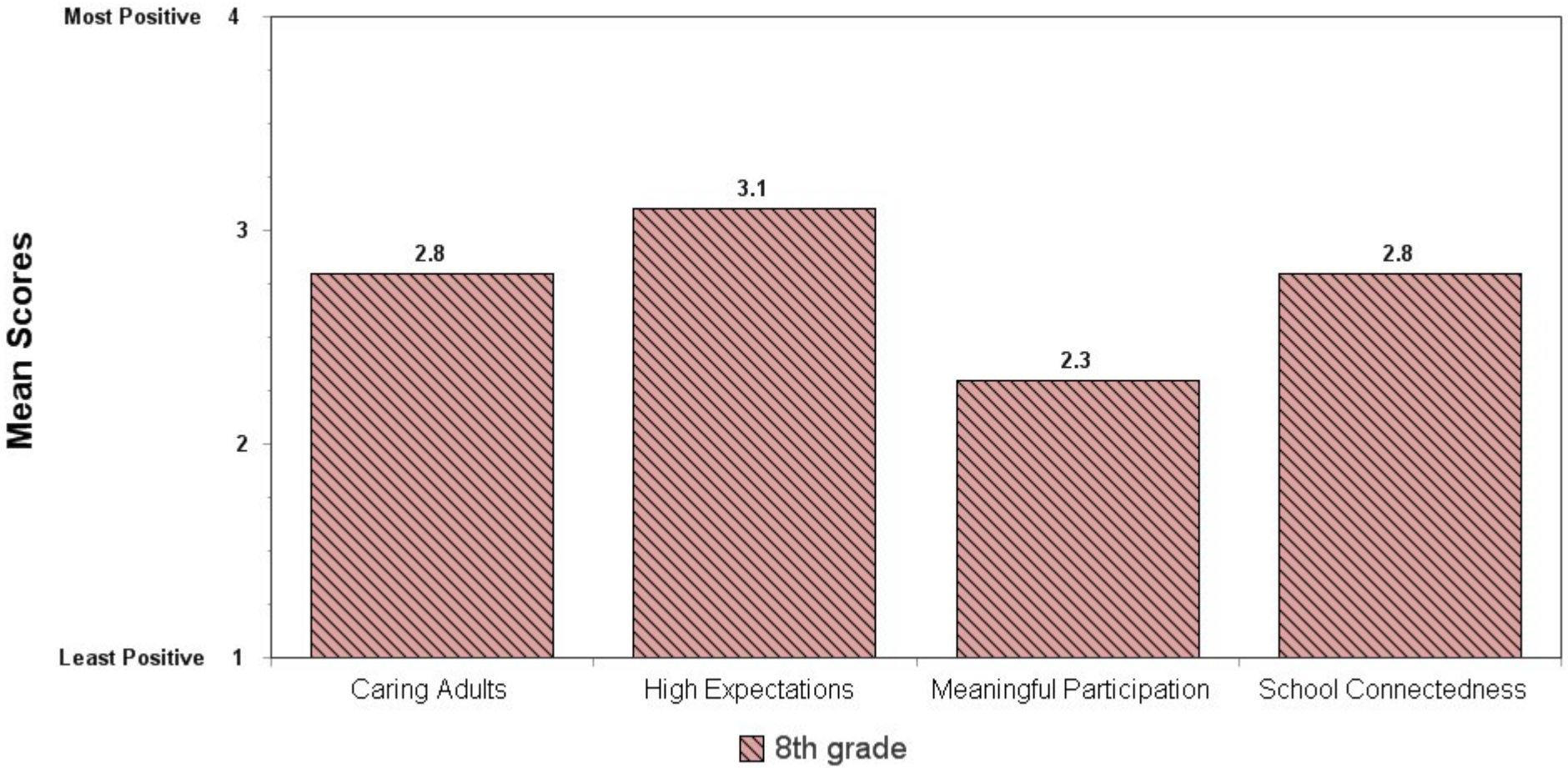


** Punched, hit, or threatened in a dating relationship*

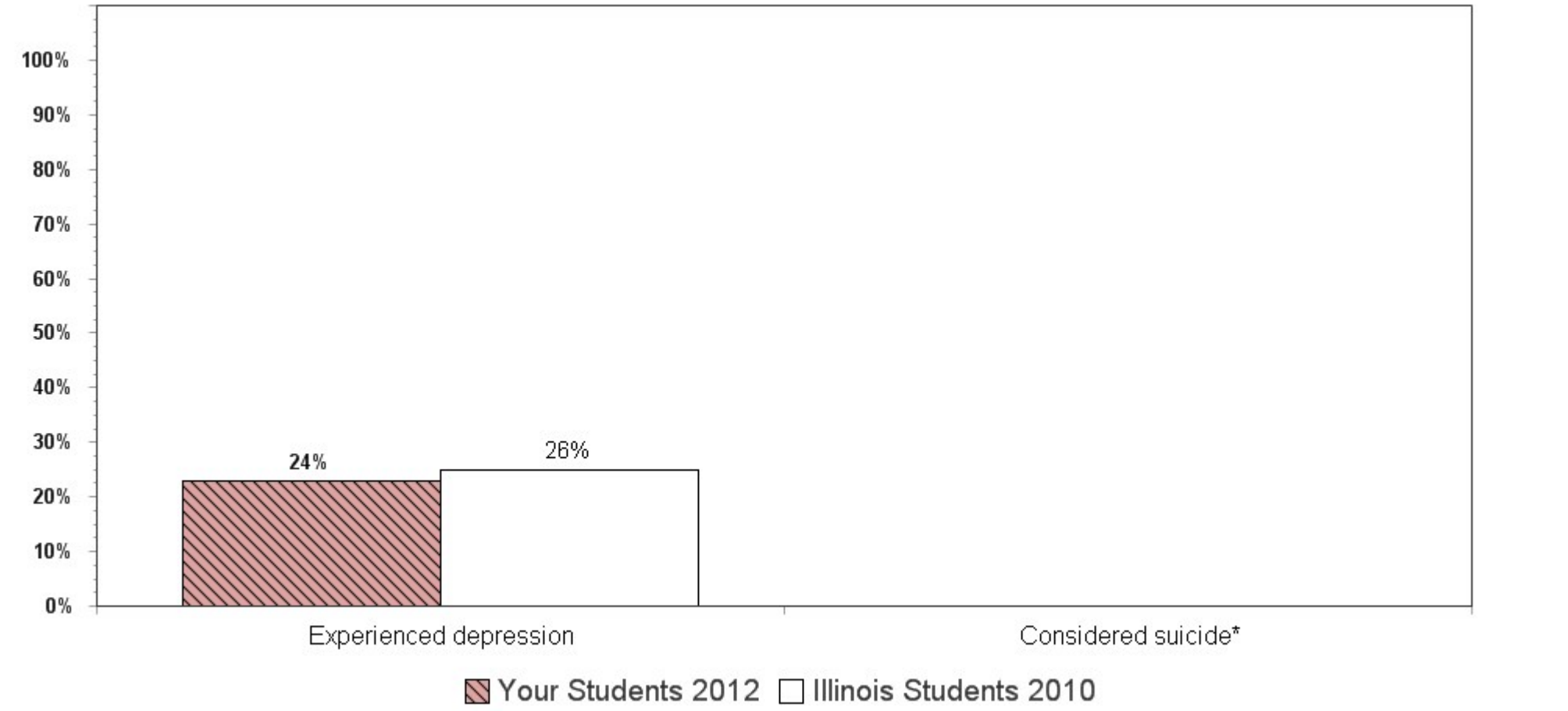
Student Perceptions of School Climate Mean Scores Among 8th Grade Youth



Student Perceptions of School Climate Mean Scores By Grade in 2012



Mental Health Concerns in the Past 12 Months
Among 8th Grade Youth



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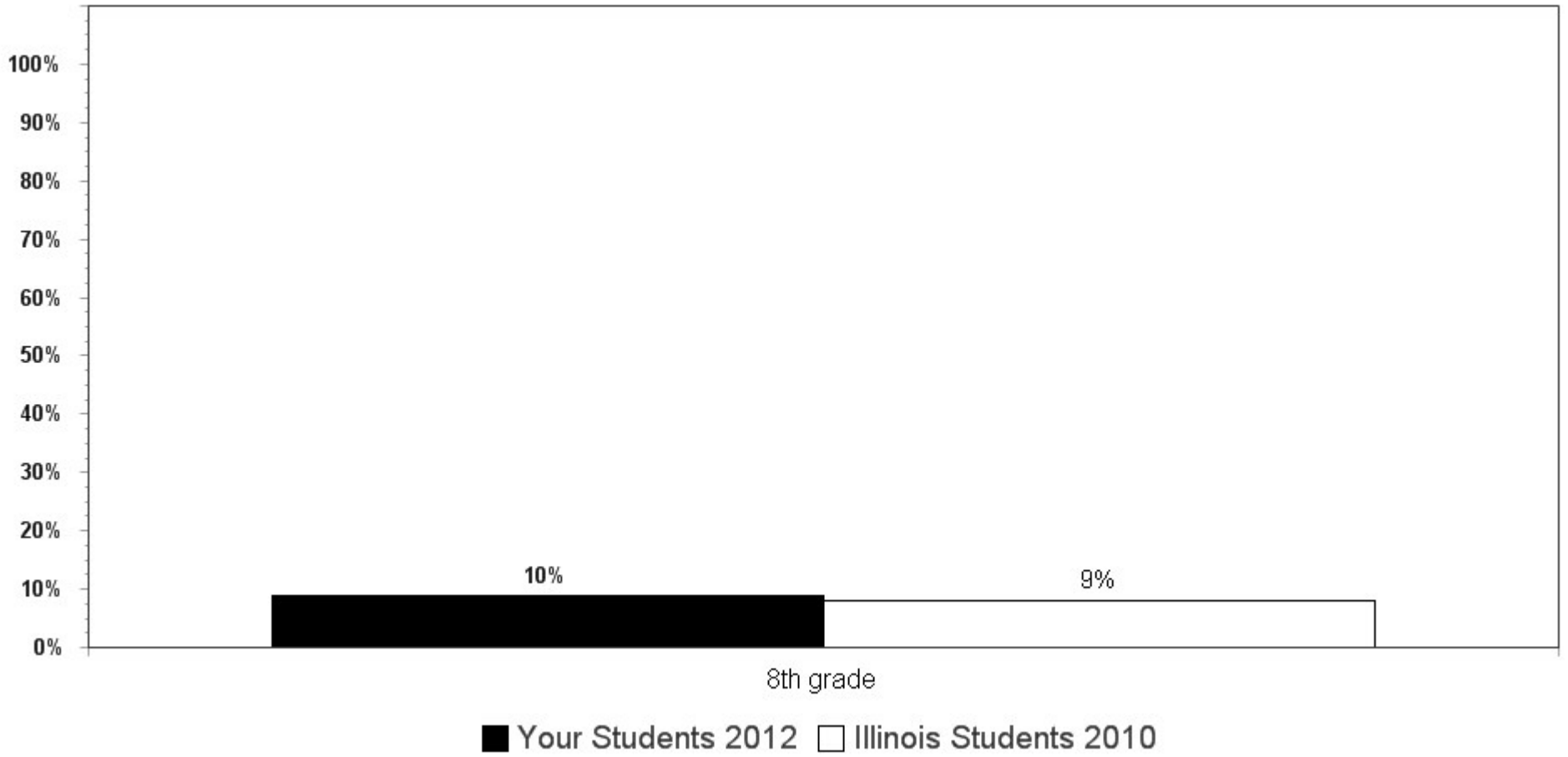
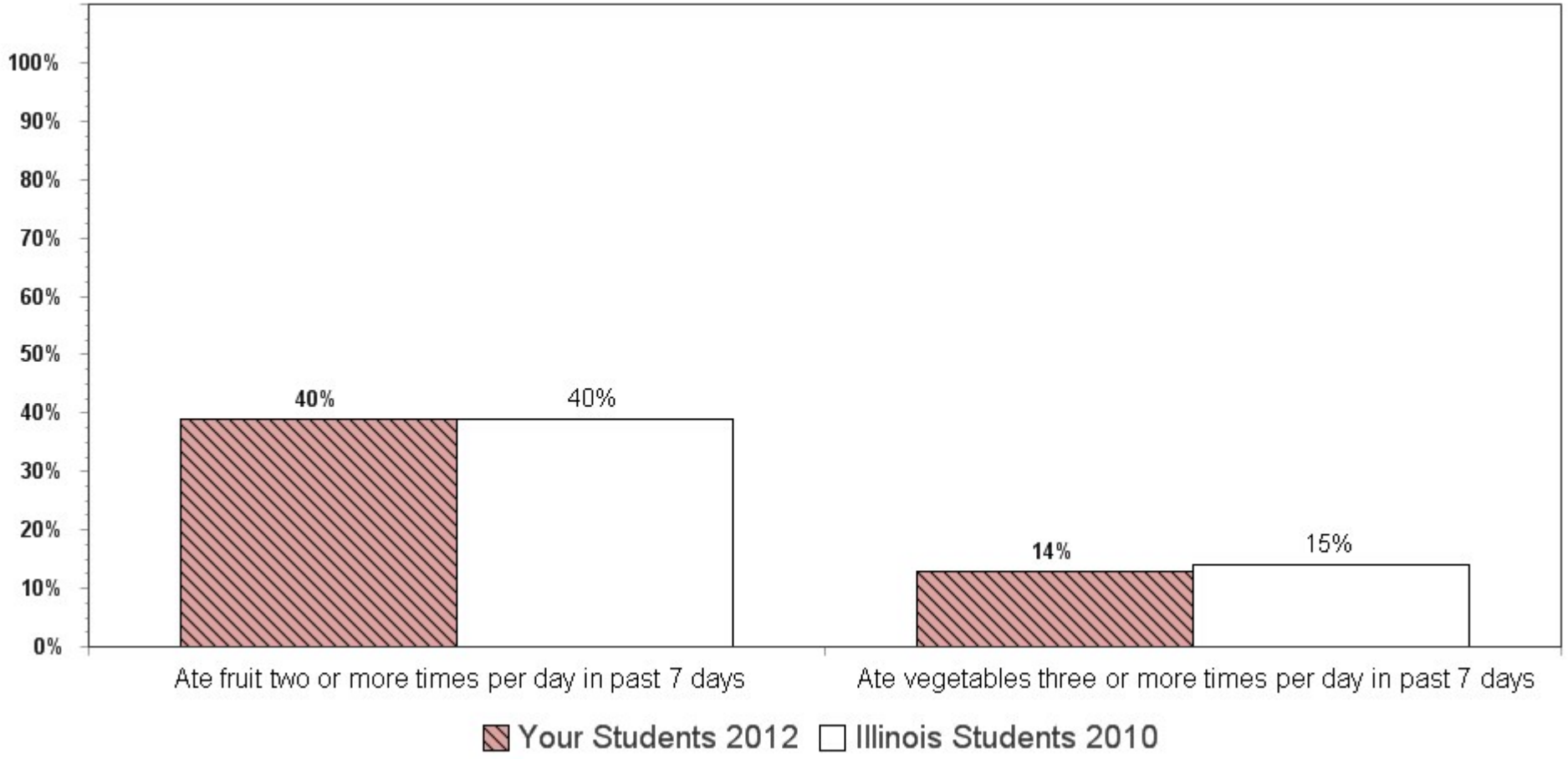
Prevalence of Obesity* According to BMI
By Grade

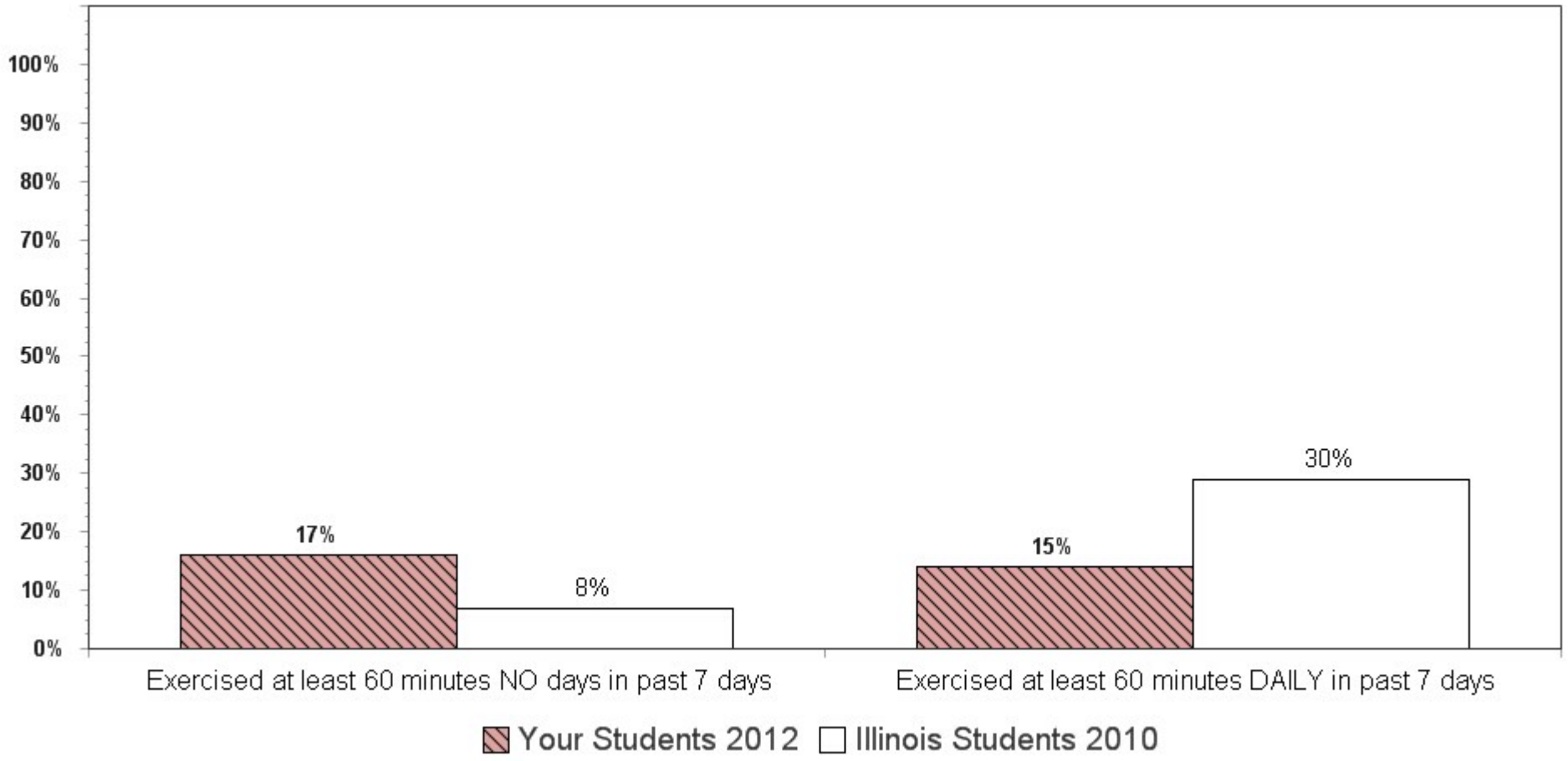


**As defined by the Centers for Disease Control based on Body Mass Index for age and gender*

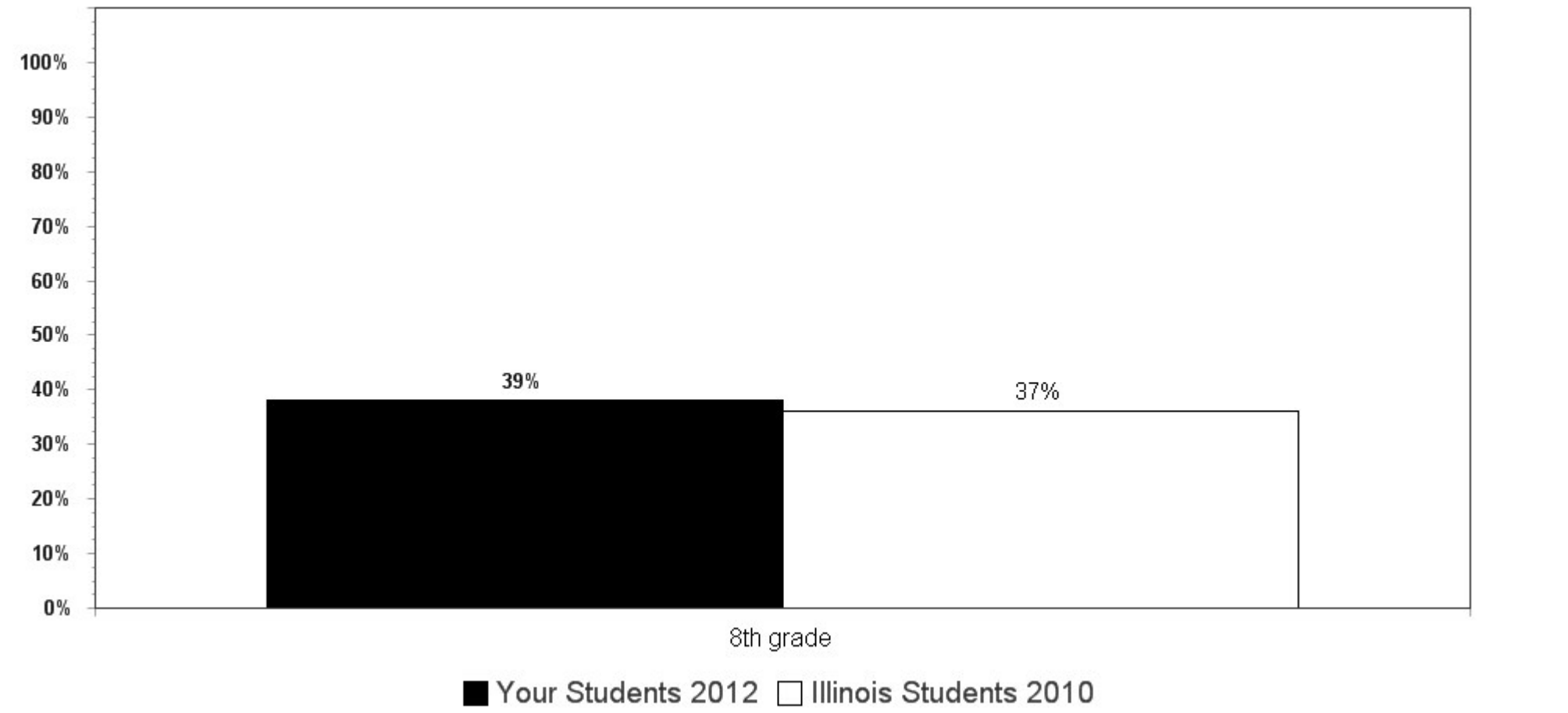
Nutrition Behavior
Among 8th Grade Youth



Frequency of Physical Activity
Among 8th Grade Youth



Sedentary Activity: TV Watching Behavior*
By Grade



** Watched TV 3 or more hours per day on an average school day*