

2020 Illinois Youth Survey
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STUDENT CHARACTERISTICS	2018		2020	
	8th	HS	8th	HS
Question Wording				
How old are you?	D1	D1	D1	D1
What grade are you in?	D2	D2	D2	D2
Are you: Female, Male, Transgender, or Do not identify as Female, Male or Transgender?	D3	D3	D3	D3
What is your race? White	D4	D4	D4	D4
What is your race? Black/African American	D4	D4	D4	D4
What is your race? Latino/Latina	D4	D4	D4	D4
What is your race? Asian American	D4	D4	D4	D4
What is your race? Native American/American Indian	D4	D4	D4	D4
What is your race? Multi-racial	D4	D4	D4	D4
What is your race? Other	D4	D4	D4	D4
Who do you live with MOST OF THE TIME? (select one) Both parents	D5	D5	D5	D5
Who do you live with MOST OF THE TIME? (select one) Parent and step parent	D5	D5	D5	D5
Who do you live with MOST OF THE TIME? (select one) Mother only	D5	D5	D5	D5
Who do you live with MOST OF THE TIME? (select one) Father only	D5	D5	D5	D5
Who do you live with MOST OF THE TIME? (select one) Split time between parents			D5	D5
Who do you live with MOST OF THE TIME? (select one) Legal guardian	D5	D5	D5	D5
Who do you live with MOST OF THE TIME? (select one) Foster parent (including relatives if they are your foster parent)	D5	D5	D5	D5
Who do you live with MOST OF THE TIME? (select one) Group home or residential care	D5	D5	D5	D5
Who do you live with MOST OF THE TIME? (select one) Grandparents only	D5	D5	D5	D5
Who do you live with MOST OF THE TIME? (select one) Living independently		D5		D5
What is your zip code?	D6	D6	D6	D6
At school, are you eligible to receive: (select one)	D7	D7	D7	D7
How many days each week do you take care of yourself after school without an adult being there?	H3		H3	
Think of those days that you are home after school without an adult being there. How many hours a day do you usually take care of yourself after school?	H4		H4	

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When, if ever, did you FIRST: drink more than a sip or two of beer, wine, or hard liquor (e.g., vodka, whiskey, or gin)?	U1a	U1a	U1a	U1a
When, if ever, did you FIRST: smoke a cigarette, even just a puff?	U1b	U1b	U1b	U1b
When, if ever, did you FIRST: use an electronic cigarette (e-cigarette) e-cigarette or other vaping product?	U1c	U1c	U1c	U1c
When, if ever, did you FIRST: use marijuana?	U1d	U1d	U1d	U1d
How frequently have you smoked cigarettes during the past 30 days?	U2	U2	U2	U2
How frequently have you: used smokeless tobacco such as chewing tobacco, snuff, dip, or snus during the past 30 days?	U3a	U3a	U3a	U3a
How frequently have you: smoked tobacco products other than cigarettes such as cigars, cigarillos, or little cigars during the past 30 days?	U3b	U3b	U3b	U3b
How frequently have you: used electronic cigarettes (e-cigarettes) e-cigarettes or other vaping products during the past 30 days?	U3c	U3c	U3c	U3c
How frequently have you: used a hookah or water pipe during the past 30 days?	U3d	U3d	U3d	U3d
On how many occasions (if any) have you had beer, wine, or hard liquor during the past 30 days?	U4	U4	U4	U4
Think back over the last two weeks. How many times have you had five or more alcoholic drinks in a row?	U5	U5	U5	U5
On how many occasions (if any) have you used marijuana during the past 30 days?	U7	U7	U6	U6
In the past 30 days, have you used marijuana in any of the following ways? Smoked it (in a joint, bong, pipe, blunt)	U8a	U8a	U7a	U7a
In the past 30 days, have you used marijuana in any of the following ways? Vaporized it (e.g., vapor pen)	U8b	U8b	U7b	U7b
In the past 30 days, have you used marijuana in any of the following ways? Ate it (in brownies, cakes, candy, etc.)	U8c	U8c	U7c	U7c
In the past 30 days, have you used marijuana in any of the following ways? Dabbed it			U7d	U7d
During the past 30 days have you used prescription drugs not prescribed to you?	U9	U9	U8	U8
In the past year, on how many occasions (if any) have you: had beer, wine, or hard liquor?	U10a	U10a	U9a	U9a
In the past year, 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?	U10b	U10b	U9b	U9b
In the past year, on how many occasions (if any) have you: used any tobacco product including smokeless tobacco, tobacco smoked through cigarettes or cigars/cigarillos, or tobacco used in a hookah water pipe?			U9c	U9c
In the past year, on how many occasions (if any) have you: used marijuana?	U10d	U10d	U9d	U9d
In the past year, on how many occasions (if any) have you: used MDMA ("ecstasy")?	U10e	U10e	U9e	U9e
In the past year, on how many occasions (if any) have you: used LSD or other psychedelics?	U10f	U10f	U9f	U9f
In the past year, on how many occasions (if any) have you: used cocaine or crack?	U10g	U10g	U9g	U9g
In the past year, on how many occasions (if any) have you: used nazuphan ("narz", "fan", "zee")?	U10h	U10h	U9h	U9h
In the past year, on how many occasions (if any) have you: used meth (methamphetamine)?	U10i	U10i	U9i	U9i
In the past year, on how many occasions (if any) have you: used heroin?	U10j	U10j	U9j	U9j
In the past year, on how many occasions (if any) have you: used e-cigarettes or other vaping products?			U9k	U9k
In the past year, on how many occasions (if any) have you: used synthetic marijuana (K2, spice, or fake weed)?			U9l	U9l
In the past year, on how many occasions (if any) have you: used marijuana and alcohol at the same time?			U9m	U9m

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In the past year, on how many occasions (if any) have you: used alcohol and energy drinks at the same time?			U9n	U9n
During the past year have you used prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU?	U11	U11	U10	U10
During the past 12 months, how often have you used: prescription pain medicine without a doctor's prescription or differently than how a doctor told you to use it? (Count drugs such as codeine/"lean", Vicodin, OxyContin, hydrocodone, and Percocet.)	U12a	U12a	U11a	U11a
During the past 12 months, how often have you used: something you bought in a store to get high? (e.g., cough syrup, etc.)	U12b	U12b	U11b	U11b
During the past 12 months, how often have you used: prescription painkillers to get high? (e.g., OxyContin, Vicodin, Lortab, etc.)	U12c	U12c	U11c	U11c
During the past 12 months, how often have you used: other prescription drugs to get high? (e.g., Ritalin, Adderall, Xanax, etc.)	U12d	U12d	U11d	U11d
How frequently have you smoked cigarettes during the past year?	U14	U14	U13	U13
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Performed poorly on a test or important project		U18a		U18a
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been in trouble with the police		U18b		U18b
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Damaged property		U18c		U18c
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Got into an argument or fight		U18d		U18d
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been hurt or injured		U18e		U18e
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been a victim of a violent crime		U18f		U18f
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been treated in a hospital Emergency Department		U18g		U18g
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: A friend who is about your age said they were worried about your alcohol use				U18h
During the past 12 months, did you ever use alcohol or drugs to RELAX, feel better about yourself, or fit in?		U19		U19
During the past 12 months, did you ever use alcohol or drugs while you are by yourself, ALONE?		U20		U20
During the past 12 months, did you ever FORGET things you did while using alcohol or drugs?		U21		U21
During the past 12 months, did your family or FRIENDS ever tell you that you should cut down on your drinking or drug use?		U22		U22
During the past 12 months, have you gotten into TROUBLE while you were using alcohol or drugs?		U23		U23
During the past 12 months, have you ever ridden in a CAR driven by someone (including yourself) who was "high" or had been using alcohol or drugs?		U24		U24
During the past 12 months, how many times did you drive a car or other vehicle when you had been drinking alcohol?		U25		U25
During the past 12 months, how many times did you drive a car or other vehicle when you had been using marijuana?		U26		U26
During the past 12 months, did you worry about any of your friends' substance use? (Only include concerns about alcohol and other drugs. Do not include tobacco, e-cigarettes, or other vaping products.)				U27
Besides nicotine, did you used to have a problem with drugs or alcohol, but no longer do?				U28
With which substance do you no longer have a problem? (select all that apply) Does not apply				U29a
With which substance do you no longer have a problem? (select all that apply) Alcohol				U29b
With which substance do you no longer have a problem? (select all that apply) Marijuana				U29c

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With which substance do you no longer have a problem? (select all that apply) Opioids				U29d
With which substance do you no longer have a problem? (select all that apply) Other substance				U29e
Do you consider yourself to be in recovery?				U30
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Beer from bottles or cans	U6a	U6a		
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Beer from a keg	U6b	U6b		
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Wine	U6c	U6c		
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Liquor (vodka, whiskey, etc.)	U6d	U6d		
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Alcopops (wine coolers, hard lemonade, hard cider)	U6e	U6e		
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Liquor with energy drinks (e.g., Red Bull)	U6f	U6f		
In the past 30 days, have you used marijuana in any of the following ways? Consumed in some other way	U8d	U8d		
In the past year, on how many occasions (if any) have you: used any tobacco or vaping product including smokeless tobacco, tobacco smoked through cigarettes or cigars/cigarillos, e-cigarettes or a hookah water pipe?	U10c	U10c		

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If you wanted to get beer, wine, or hard liquor (e.g., vodka, whiskey, or gin) how easy would it be for you to get some?	P1	P1	P1	P1
If you wanted to get e-cigarettes or other vaping products, how easy would it be for you to get some?			P2	P2
If you wanted to get cigarettes, how easy would it be for you to get some?	P2	P2	P3	P3
If you wanted to get marijuana, how easy would it be for you to get some?	P3	P3	P4	P4
If you wanted to get prescription drugs not prescribed to you, how easy would it be for you to get some?	P4	P4	P5	P5
If you wanted to get opioid medications in your home, how easy would it be for you to get some? Opioids include methadone, opium, morphine, Vicodin, MS Contin, codeine, Demerol, Roxicodone, hydrocodone (Lortab, Lorcet, Norco), Suboxone, OxyContin, Percocet, Tylox, Percodan, Ultram, and tramadol.			P6	P6
How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your community think it is for kids your age: to use marijuana?	P5a	P5a	P7a	P7a
How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your community think it is for kids your age: to drink alcohol?	P5b	P5b	P7b	P7b
How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your community think it is for kids your age: to use e-cigarettes or other vaping products?			P7c	P7c
How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your community think it is for kids your age: to smoke cigarettes?	P5c	P5c	P7d	P7d
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: drink beer, wine, or hard liquor (e.g., vodka, whiskey or gin) regularly?	P7a	P7a	P8a	P8a
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: use e-cigarettes or other vaping products?			P8b	P8b
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: smoke cigarettes?	P7b	P7b	P8c	P8c
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: smoke use marijuana?	P7c	P7c	P8d	P8d
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: use prescription drugs not prescribed to them?	P7d	P7d	P8e	P8e
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for <u>you</u> to: drink beer, wine, or hard liquor (e.g., vodka, whiskey, or gin) regularly (at least once or twice a month)?	P8a	P8a	P9a	P9a
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for <u>you</u> to: have one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day?	P8b	P8b	P9b	P9b
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for <u>you</u> to: use e-cigarettes or other vaping products?			P9c	P9c
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for <u>you</u> to: smoke tobacco?			P9d	P9d
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for <u>you</u> to: smoke use marijuana?	P8d	P8d	P9e	P9e
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for <u>you</u> to: use prescription drugs not prescribed to you?	P8e	P8e	P9f	P9f
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: have one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day?	P9a	P9a	P10a	P10a
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: use e-cigarettes or other vaping products?			P10b	P10b
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: smoke tobacco?	P9b	P9b	P10c	P10c
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: smoke use marijuana?	P9c	P9c	P10d	P10d
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: use prescription drugs not prescribed to you?	P9d	P9d	P10e	P10e
What percent of students at your school do you think have smoked cigarettes in the past 30 days?		P10		P11
What percent of students at your school do you think have had beer, wine, or hard liquor in the past 30 days?		P11		P12
What percent of students at your school do you think have used marijuana in the past 30 days?		P12		P13

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How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: smoke one or more packs of cigarettes per day?	P10a	P13a	P11a	P14a
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: use e-cigarettes or other vaping products?	P10b	P13b	P11b	P14b
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: take one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage (beer, wine, liquor) nearly every day?	P10c	P13c	P11c	P14c
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: have five or more drinks of an alcoholic beverage once or twice a week?	P10d	P13d	P11s	P14d
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: smoke use marijuana once or twice a week?	P10e	P13e	P11e	P14e
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: use prescription drugs that are not prescribed to them?	P10f	P13f	P11f	P14f
What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you: used e-cigarettes or other vaping products?			P12a	P15a
What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you: smoked cigarettes?	P11a	P14a	P12b	P15b
What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you: began drinking alcohol regularly, that is, at least once or twice a month?	P11b	P14b	P12c	P15c
What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you: smoked-used marijuana?	P11c	P14c	P12d	P15d
How much do you think people YOUR AGE risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they use alcohol once or twice per month?	P12	P15	P13	P16
In the past year, did you get prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? I bought them from someone (friend, relative, stranger, etc.)	U13a	U13a	U12a	U12a
In the past year, did you get prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? I took them from home without the knowledge of my parents/guardians	U13b	U13b	U12b	U12b
In the past year, did you get prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? I took them from someone else's home	U13c	U13c	U12c	U12c
In the past year, did you get prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? My parents gave them to me	U13d	U13d	U12d	U12d
In the past year, did you get prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? Someone other than my parents gave them to me (friend, relative, friends' parent, etc.)	U13e	U13e	U12e	U12e
During the past year, did you get any tobacco products from the following sources? I bought them at a gas station, store, or mall			U14a	U14a
During the past year, did you get any tobacco products from the following sources? A friend gave them to me			U14b	U14b
During the past year, did you get any tobacco products from the following sources? My older brother or sister gave them to me			U14c	U14c
During the past year, did you get any tobacco products from the following sources? Bought online			U14d	U14d
During the past year, did you get any tobacco products from the following sources? My parents WITH their permission			U14e	U14e
During the past year, did you get any tobacco products from the following sources? My parents WITHOUT their permission			U14f	U14f
During the past year, did you get any e-cigarettes or other vaping products from the following sources? I bought them at a gas station, store, or mall			U15a	U15a
During the past year, did you get any e-cigarettes or other vaping products from the following sources? A friend gave them to me			U15b	U15b
During the past year, did you get any e-cigarettes or other vaping products from the following sources? My older brother or sister gave them to me			U15c	U15c
During the past year, did you get any e-cigarettes or other vaping products from the following sources? Bought online			U15d	U15d
During the past year, did you get any e-cigarettes or other vaping products from the following sources? My parents WITH their permission			U15e	U15e
During the past year, did you get any e-cigarettes or other vaping products from the following sources? My parents WITHOUT their permission			U15f	U15f
In the past year, did you get your own marijuana from any of the following sources? A friend gave it to me	U16a	U16a	U16a	U16a

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In the past year, did you get your own marijuana from any of the following sources? My parents WITH their permission	U16b	U16b	U16b	U16b
In the past year, did you get your own marijuana from any of the following sources? My parents WITHOUT their permission	U16c	U16c	U16c	U16c
In the past year, did you get your own marijuana from any of the following sources? My older brother or sister gave it to me	U16d	U16d	U16d	U16d
In the past year, did you get your own marijuana from any of the following sources? I bought it from someone who sells drugs	U16e	U16e	U16e	U16e
In the past year, did you get your own marijuana from any of the following sources? An adult (other than my parents) WITH that adult's permission	U16f	U16f	U16f	U16f
In the past year, did you get your own marijuana from any of the following sources? Someone else's medical marijuana prescription			U16g	U16g
In the past year, did you get your own marijuana from any of the following sources? My own medical marijuana prescription			U16h	U16h
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? I bought it at a gas station or store	U17a	U17a	U17a	U17a
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? I bought it at a bar or restaurant	U17b	U17b	U17b	U17b
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? I gave a stranger money to buy it for me	U17c	U17c	U17c	U17c
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? A friend gave it to me	U17d	U17d	U17d	U17d
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? My older brother or sister gave it to me	U17e	U17e	U17e	U17e
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? My parents WITH their permission	U17f	U17f	U17f	U17f
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? My parents WITHOUT their permission	U17g	U17g	U17g	U17g
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? An adult (other than my parents) WITH that adult's permission	U17h	U17h	U17h	U17h
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? An adult (other than my parents) WITHOUT that adult's permission	U17i	U17i	U17i	U17i
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? I got it at a party	U17k	U17k	U17j	U17j
In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using the following: Tobacco	H1a	H1a	H1a	H1a
In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using the following: Alcohol	H1b	H1b	H1b	H1b
In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using the following: Marijuana	H1c	H1c	H1c	H1c
In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using the following: Opioids for non-medical reasons			H1d	H1d
My family has clear rules about alcohol and drug use.	H2	H2	H2	H2
In the past year, have your parents/guardians talked with you about not drinking and driving or riding with a drunk driver?		H3		H3
If you drank some beer, wine, or liquor (e.g., vodka, whiskey, or gin) without your parents' permission, would you be caught by your parents?	H5	H4	H5	H4
If you go to a party where alcohol is served, would you be caught by your parents?	H6	H5	H6	H5
If you drank and drove, would you be caught by your parents/guardians?		H6		H6
If you rode in a car driven by a teen driver who had been drinking, would you be caught by your parents/guardians?		H7		H7

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When I am not at home, one of my parents/guardians knows where I am and who I am with.	H7	H8	H7	H8
My parents/guardians ask if I've gotten my homework done.	H8	H9	H8	H9
Would your parents/guardians know if you did not come home on time?	H9	H10	H9	H10
How safe do you feel in your neighborhood?	P6	P6		
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: smoke cigarettes?	P8c	P8c		
During the past year, did you get any tobacco or vaping products from the following sources? I bought them at a gas station, store, or mall	U15a	U15a		
During the past year, did you get any tobacco or vaping products from the following sources? I bought them from a vending machine	U15b	U15b		
During the past year, did you get any tobacco or vaping products from the following sources? I gave a stranger money to buy them for me	U15c	U15c		
During the past year, did you get any tobacco or vaping products from the following sources? A friend gave them to me	U15d	U15d		
During the past year, did you get any tobacco or vaping products from the following sources? My older brother or sister gave them to me	U15e	U15e		
During the past year, did you get any tobacco or vaping products from the following sources? My parent gave them to me	U15f	U15f		
During the past year, did you get any tobacco or vaping products from the following sources? I took them from a store	U15g	U15g		
During the past year, did you get any tobacco or vaping products from the following sources? I took them from home without my parents knowing it	U15h	U15h		
During the past year, did you get any tobacco or vaping products from the following sources? Bought online	U15i	U15i		
In the past year, did you get your own marijuana from any of the following sources? I took it from someone else's home	U16g	U16g		
In the past year, did you get your own marijuana from any of the following sources? I gave a stranger money to buy it for me	U16h	U16h		
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? I took it from a store	U17j	U17j		

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INTERPERSONAL CONFLICT, VIOLENCE, & DELINQUENCY	2018		2020	
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Question Wording				
How many times in the past year (12 months) have you: been in a physical fight?	V1a	V1a	V1a	V1a
How many times in the past year (12 months) have you: carried a weapon such as a handgun, knife, or club?	V1b	V1b	V1b	V1b
How many times in the past year (12 months) have you: sold illegal drugs?	V1c	V1c	V1c	V1c
How many times in the past year (12 months) have you: been drunk or high at school?	V1d	V1d	V1d	V1d
In the past 12 months at school, how often have you been bullied, harassed, or made fun of because of: what someone assumed about your religion, sexual orientation, or race/ethnicity?		V2a		V2a
In the past 12 months at school, how often have you been bullied, harassed, or made fun of because of: your appearance or a disability?	V2	V2b	V2	V2b
During the past 12 months, has another student at school: bullied you by calling you names?	V3a	V3a	V3a	V3a
During the past 12 months, has another student at school: threatened to hurt you?	V3b	V3b	V3b	V3b
During the past 12 months, has another student at school: bullied you by hitting, punching, kicking, or pushing you?	V3c	V3c	V3c	V3c
During the past 12 months, has another student at school: bullied, harrassed, or spread rumors about you on the Internet, social media, or through text messages?	V3d	V3d	V3d	V3d
In the past 12 months, have you been slapped, kicked, punched, hit, or threatened in a dating relationship?	V5	V6	V5	V6
In the past 12 months, has someone put you down or tried to control you in a dating relationship?		V7		V7
During the past 12 months, how often have you bet/gambled for money in the following ways? At a gambling machine in a bar, restaurant, gas station, or gambling establishment				G1a
During the past 12 months, how often have you bet/gambled for money in the following ways? Online (internet) gambling				G1b
In the past 12 months, have you ever felt bad about the amount of money you bet, or about what happens when you bet money?				G2
In the past 12 months, have you ever gambled more than you had planned to?				G3

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ACADEMIC & SCHOOL EXPERIENCES	2018		2020	
	8th	HS	8th	HS
Question Wording				
About how many days are you absent from school during an entire year?	D8	D8	D8	D8
In which of the following activities do you participate? School sports team	A1	A1	A1	A1
In which of the following activities do you participate? Other sports	A1	A1	A1	A1
In which of the following activities do you participate? School clubs	A1	A1	A1	A1
In which of the following activities do you participate? Service clubs or volunteer projects (e.g., Scouting, 4H)	A1	A1	A1	A1
In which of the following activities do you participate? Other activity clubs (e.g., Boys & Girls, YMCA, etc.)	A1	A1	A1	A1
In which of the following activities do you participate? Church or other faith-based youth group	A1	A1	A1	A1
On the average over the school year, how many hours per week do you work in a paid or unpaid job?		A2		A2
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?	V4	V4	V4	V4
Putting them all together, what were your grades like for the last year?	S1	S1	S1	S1
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?		S2		S2
How true are the following statements? At my school, there is a teacher or some other adult: who really cares about me.	S2a	S3a	S2a	S3a
How true are the following statements? At my school, there is a teacher or some other adult: who notices when I'm not there.	S2b	S3b	S2b	S3b
How true are the following statements? At my school, there is a teacher or some other adult: who listens to me when I have something to say.	S2c	S3c	S2c	S3c
How true are the following statements? At my school, there is a teacher or some other adult: who notices if I have trouble learning something.	S2d	S3d	S2d	S3d
How true are the following statements? At my school, there is a teacher or some other adult: who tells me when I do a good job.	S2e	S3e	S2e	S3e
How true are the following statements? At my school, there is a teacher or some other adult: who always wants me to do my best.	S2f	S3f	S2f	S3f
How true are the following statements? At my school, there is a teacher or some other adult: who believes I will be a success.	S2g	S3g	S2g	S3g
How true are the following statements? At my school, there is a teacher or some other adult: who encourages me to work hard in school.	S2h	S3h	S2h	S3h
How true are the following statements? At school, I do interesting activities.	S3a	S4a	S3a	S4a
How true are the following statements? At school, I help decide things like class activities or rules.	S3b	S4b	S3b	S4b
How true are the following statements? At school, I do things that make a difference.	S3c	S4c	S3c	S4c
How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statements about your school? I feel close to people at this school.	S4a	S5a	S4a	S5a
How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statements about your school? I am happy to be at this school.	S4b	S5b	S4b	S5b
How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statements about your school? I feel safe in my school.	S4c	S5c	S4c	S5c
How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statements about your school? The teachers at this school treat students fairly.	S4d	S5d	S4d	S5d
In which of the following activities do you participate? Youth drug prevention leadership group	A1	A1		

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MENTAL, SOCIAL, & PHYSICAL HEALTH	2018		2020	
	8th	HS	8th	HS
Question Wording				
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?	P13	P16	P14	P17
Is there an adult you know (other than your parent) you could talk to about important things in your life?	P14	P17	P15	P18
During the past 12 months, did you ever seriously consider attempting suicide?		V5		V5
How tall are you without your shoes on? Height - Feet	N1	N1	N1	N1
How tall are you without your shoes on? Height - Inches	N1	N1	N1	N1
How much do you weigh without your shoes on? Weight - Pounds	N2	N2	N2	N2
During the past 7 days, on how many days did you eat dinner at home with at least one of your parents or guardians?	N3	N3	N3	N3
During the past 7 days, how many times did you eat fruit?	N4	N4	N4	N4
During the past 7 days, how many times did you eat vegetables?	N5	N5	N5	N5
During the past 30 days, how often did you go hungry because there was not enough food in your home ?	N6	N6	N6	N6
On an average school day, how many hours do you spend on NON-SCHOOL RELATED "screen time"? (e.g., TV, videos, streaming, gaming (Xbox, PlayStation, or Internet-based games), smart phone use, texting, social media, or the Internet)			N7	N7
During 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 spend in any kind of physical activity that increases your heart rate and makes you breathe hard some of the time.)	N9	N9	N8	N8
On an average school day, how many hours do you watch TV?	N7	N7		
On an average school day, how many hours do you play video or computer games or use a computer for something that is not school work? (Count time spent on things such as Xbox, PlayStation, an iPod, an iPad or other tablet, a smartphone, YouTube, Facebook or other social networking tools, and the Internet.)	N8	N8		