

2024 Illinois Youth Survey
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STUDENT CHARACTERISTICS	2022		2024	
Question Wording	8th	HS	8th	HS
How old are you?	D1	D1	D1	D1
What grade are you in?	D2	D2	D2	D2
Are you: What sex were you assigned at birth?	D3	D3	D3	D3
Does your current gender identity match your sex assigned at birth?			D4	D4
What sexual orientation do you most identify with?			D5	D5
What is your race? White	D4	D4	D6	D6
What is your race? Black/African American	D4	D4	D6	D6
What is your race? Latino/Latina	D4	D4	D6	D6
What is your race? Asian American	D4	D4	D6	D6
What is your race? Native American/American Indian	D4	D4	D6	D6
What is your race? Multi-racial	D4	D4	D6	D6
What is your race? Other	D4	D4	D6	D6
Who do you live with MOST OF THE TIME? (select one) Both parents	D5	D5	D7	D7
Who do you live with MOST OF THE TIME? (select one) Parent and step parent	D5	D5	D7	D7
Who do you live with MOST OF THE TIME? (select one) Mother only	D5	D5	D7	D7
Who do you live with MOST OF THE TIME? (select one) Father only	D5	D5	D7	D7
Who do you live with MOST OF THE TIME? (select one) Split time between parents	D5	D5	D7	D7
Who do you live with MOST OF THE TIME? (select one) Legal guardian	D5	D5	D7	D7
Who do you live with MOST OF THE TIME? (select one) Foster parent (including relatives if they are your foster parent)	D5	D5	D7	D7
Who do you live with MOST OF THE TIME? (select one) Group home or residential care	D5	D5	D7	D7
Who do you live with MOST OF THE TIME? (select one) Grandparents only	D5	D5	D7	D7
Who do you live with MOST OF THE TIME? (select one) Living independently		D5		D7
During the past 30 days, where did you usually sleep?	D7	D7	D8	D8
What is your zip code?	D8	D8	D9	D9
At school, are you eligible to receive: (select one)	D9	D9	D10	D10
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	
Deletions				
Which of the following best describes you?	D4	D4		

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How old were you when you first: had more than a sip or two of beer, wine, or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin)?	U1a	U1a	U1a	U1a
How old were you when you first: smoked a cigarette, even just a puff?	U1b	U1b	U1b	U1b
How old were you when you first: used an e-cigarette or other vaping product?	U1c	U1c	U1c	U1c
How old were you when you first: used marijuana?	U1d	U1d	U1d	U1d
How old were you when you first: began drinking alcoholic beverages regularly, that is, at least once or twice a month?	U1e	U1e	U1e	U1e
How frequently have you: used smokeless tobacco such as chewing tobacco, snuff, dip, or snus during the past 30 days?	U3a	U3a	U2a	U2a
How frequently have you: smoked tobacco products other than cigarettes such as cigars, cigarillos, or little cigars during the past 30 days?	U3b	U3b	U2b	U2b
How frequently have you: used e-cigarettes or other vaping products during the past 30 days?	U3c	U3c	U2c	U2c
How frequently have you: smoked cigarettes during the past 30 days?			U2d	U2d
On how many occasions (if any) have you had beer, wine, or hard liquor during the past 30 days?	U4	U4	U3	U3
Think back over the last two weeks. How many times have you had five or more alcoholic drinks in a row?	U5	U5	U4	U4
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Beer from bottles, cans, or a keg			U5a	U5a
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Wine			U5b	U5b
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Hard liquor (vodka, whiskey, or gin)			U5c	U5c
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Alcopops (wine coolers, hard lemonade, hard cider, or hard seltzers)			U5d	U5d
On how many occasions (if any) have you used marijuana during the past 30 days?	U6	U6	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)	U7a	U7a	U7a	U7a
In the past 30 days, have you used marijuana in any of the following ways? Vaporized it (e.g., vapor pen)	U7b	U7b	U7b	U7b
In the past 30 days, have you used marijuana in any of the following ways? Ate it (in brownies, cakes, candy, etc.)	U7c	U7c	U7c	U7c
In the past 30 days, have you used marijuana in any of the following ways? Dabbed it	U7d	U7d	U7d	U7d
During the past 30 days have you used prescription drugs not prescribed to you?	U8	U8	U8	U8
In the past year, on how many occasions (if any) have you: had beer, wine, or liquor?	U9a	U9a	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?	U9b	U9b	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	U9c	U9c
In the past year, on how many occasions (if any) have you: used marijuana?	U9d	U9d	U9d	U9d
In the past year, on how many occasions (if any) have you: used MDMA ("ecstasy")?	U9e	U9e	U9e	U9e
In the past year, on how many occasions (if any) have you: used LSD or other psychedelics?	U9f	U9f	U9f	U9f
In the past year, on how many occasions (if any) have you: used cocaine or crack?	U9g	U9g	U9g	U9g
In the past year, on how many occasions (if any) have you: used nazuphan ("narz", "fan", "zee")?	U9h	U9h	U9h	U9h

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In the past year, on how many occasions (if any) have you: used meth (methamphetamine)?	U9i	U9i	U9i	U9i
In the past year, on how many occasions (if any) have you: used heroin?	U9j	U9j	U9j	U9j
In the past year, on how many occasions (if any) have you: used e-cigarettes or other vaping products?	U9k	U9k	U9k	U9k
In the past year, on how many occasions (if any) have you: used synthetic marijuana (K2, spice, or fake weed)?	U9l	U9l	U9l	U9l
In the past year, on how many occasions (if any) have you: used marijuana and alcohol at the same time?	U9m	U9m	U9m	U9m
In the past year, on how many occasions (if any) have you: used alcohol and energy drinks at the same time?	U9n	U9n	U9n	U9n
During the past year have you used prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU?	U10	U10	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.)	U11a	U11a	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.)	U11b	U11b	U11b	U11b
During the past 12 months, how often have you used: prescription painkillers to get high? (e.g., OxyContin, Vicodin, Lortab, etc.)	U11c	U11c	U11c	U11c
During the past 12 months, how often have you used: other prescription drugs to get high? (e.g., Ritalin, Adderall, Xanax, etc.)	U11d	U11d	U11d	U11d
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		U16a
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been in trouble with the police		U18b		U16b
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Damaged property		U18c		U16c
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Got into an argument or fight		U18d		U16d
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been hurt or injured		U18e		U16e
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		U16f
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		U16g
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		U16h
During the past 12 months, did you ever use alcohol or drugs to RELAX, feel better about yourself, or fit in?		U19		U17a
During the past 12 months, did you ever use alcohol or drugs while you were by yourself, ALONE?		U20		U17b
During the past 12 months, did you ever FORGET things you did while using alcohol or drugs?		U21		U17c
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		U17d
During the past 12 months, have you ever gotten into TROUBLE while you were using alcohol or drugs?		U23		U17e
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		U17f
During the past 12 months, how many times did you drive a car or other vehicle when you had been drinking alcohol?		U25		U18a

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During the past 12 months, how many times did you drive a car or other vehicle when you had been using marijuana?		U26		U18b
Besides nicotine, did you used to have a problem with drugs or alcohol, but no longer do?		U28		U19
With which substance do you no longer have a problem? (select all that apply) Does not apply		U29		U20
With which substance do you no longer have a problem? (select all that apply) Alcohol		U29		U20
With which substance do you no longer have a problem? (select all that apply) Marijuana		U29		U20
With which substance do you no longer have a problem? (select all that apply) Opioids		U29		U20
With which substance do you no longer have a problem? (select all that apply) Other substance		U29		U20
Do you consider yourself to be in recovery?		U30		U21
Deletions				
How frequently have you smoked cigarettes during the past 30 days?	U2	U2		
How frequently have you: used a hookah or water pipe during the past 30 days?	U3d	U3d		
How frequently have you smoked cigarettes during the past year?	U13	U13		
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		

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If you wanted to get any of the following, how easy would it be for you to get some? Beer, wine, or hard liquor (e.g., vodka, whiskey, or gin)	P1	P1	P1a	P1a
If you wanted to get any of the following, how easy would it be for you to get some? E-cigarettes or other vaping products	P2	P2	P1b	P1b
If you wanted to get any of the following, how easy would it be for you to get some? Cigarettes	P3	P3	P1c	P1c
If you wanted to get any of the following, how easy would it be for you to get some? Marijuana	P4	P4	P1d	P1d
If you wanted to get any of the following, how easy would it be for you to get some? Prescription drugs not prescribed to you	P5	P5	P1e	P1e
If you wanted to get any of the following, how easy would it be for you to get some? Opioid medications from your home (Opioids include methadone, opium, morphine, fentanyl, Vicodin, MS Contin, codeine, Demerol, Roxicodone, hydrocodone (Lortab, Lorcet, Norco), Suboxone, OxyContin, Percocet, Tylox, Percodan, Ultram, and tramadol.)	P6	P6	P1f	P1f
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?	P8a	P8a	P2a	P2a
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: use e-cigarettes or other vaping products?	P8b	P8b	P2b	P2b
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: smoke cigarettes?	P8c	P8c	P2c	P2c
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: use marijuana?	P8d	P8d	P2d	P2d
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: use prescription drugs not prescribed to them?	P8e	P8e	P2e	P2e
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: drink beer, wine, or hard liquor (e.g., vodka, whiskey, or gin) regularly (at least once or twice a month)?	P9a	P9a	P3a	P3a
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: have one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day?	P9b	P9b	P3b	P3b
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: use e-cigarettes or other vaping products?	P9c	P9c	P3c	P3c
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: smoke tobacco?	P9d	P9d	P3d	P3d
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: use marijuana?	P9e	P9e	P3e	P3e
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: use prescription drugs not prescribed to you?	P9f	P9f	P3f	P3f
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: have one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day?	P10a	P10a	P4a	P4a
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: use e-cigarettes or other vaping products?	P10b	P10b	P4b	P4b
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: smoke tobacco?	P10c	P10c	P4c	P4c
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: use marijuana?	P10d	P10d	P4d	P4d
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: use prescription drugs not prescribed to you?	P10e	P10e	P4e	P4e
What percent of students at your school do you think: have smoked cigarettes in the past 30 days?		P11		P5a
What percent of students at your school do you think have had beer, wine, or hard liquor in the past 30 days?		P12		P5b
What percent of students at your school do you think have used marijuana in the past 30 days?		P13		P5c
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?	P11a	P14a	P5a	P6a
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: use e-cigarettes or other vaping products?	P11b	P14b	P5b	P6b
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?	P11c	P14c	P5c	P6c
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?	P11d	P14d	P5d	P6d
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: use marijuana once or twice a week?	P11e	P14e	P5e	P6e

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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?	P11f	P14f	P5f	P6f
What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you: used e-cigarettes or other vaping products?	P12a	P15a	P6a	P7a
What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you: smoked cigarettes?	P12b	P15b	P6b	P7b
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?	P12c	P15c	P6c	P7c
What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you: used marijuana?	P12d	P15d	P6d	P7d
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?	P13	P16	P7	P8
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.)	U12a	U12a	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	U12b	U12b	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	U12c	U12c	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	U12d	U12d	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.)	U12e	U12e	U12e	U12e
During the past year, did you get any tobacco products, e-cigarettes, or other vaping products from the following sources? I bought them at a gas station, store, or mall			U13a	U13a
During the past year, did you get any tobacco products, e-cigarettes, or other vaping products from the following sources? A friend gave them to me			U13b	U13b
During the past year, did you get any tobacco products, e-cigarettes, or other vaping products from the following sources? My older brother or sister gave them to me			U13c	U13c
During the past year, did you get any tobacco products, e-cigarettes, or other vaping products from the following sources? Bought online			U13d	U13d
During the past year, did you get any tobacco products, e-cigarettes, or other vaping products from the following sources? My parents WITH their permission			U13e	U13e
During the past year, did you get any tobacco products, e-cigarettes, or other vaping products from the following sources? My parents WITHOUT their permission			U13f	U13f
In the past year, did you get your own marijuana from any of the following sources? A friend gave it to me	U16a	U16a	U14a	U14a
In the past year, did you get your own marijuana from any of the following sources? My parents WITH their permission	U16b	U16b	U14b	U14b
In the past year, did you get your own marijuana from any of the following sources? My parents WITHOUT their permission	U16c	U16c	U14c	U14c
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	U14d	U14d
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	U14e	U14e
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	U14f	U14f
In the past year, did you get your own marijuana from any of the following sources? Someone else's medical marijuana prescription	U16g	U16g	U14g	U14g

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In the past year, did you get your own marijuana from any of the following sources? My own medical marijuana prescription	U16h	U16h	U14h	U14h
In the past year, did you get your own marijuana from any of the following sources? I gave a stranger money to buy it at a marijuana dispensary	U16i	U16i	U14i	U14i
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	U15a	U15a
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	U15b	U15b
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	U15c	U15c
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	U15d	U15d
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	U15e	U15e
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	U15f	U15f
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	U15g	U15g
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	U15h	U15h
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	U15i	U15i
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	U17j	U17j	U15j	U15j
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? Curbside/Home delivery	U17k	U17k	U15k	U15k
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	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
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

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How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your community think it is for kids your age: to use marijuana?		P7a	P7a		
How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your community think it is for kids your age: to drink alcohol?		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?		P7d	P7d		
What percent of students at your school do you think have smoked cigarettes in the past 30 days?			P11		
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		

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INTERPERSONAL CONFLICT, VIOLENCE, & DELINQUENCY		2022		2024	
Question Wording		8th	HS	8th	HS
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		G1a
During the past 12 months, how often have you bet/gambled for money in the following ways? Online (internet) gambling			G1b		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		G2
In the past 12 months, have you ever gambled more than you had planned to?			G3		G3

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About how many days are you absent from school during an entire year?	D10	D10	D11	D11
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?	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

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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
The next questions are about substance use education or advertisements you have seen in your school. To what extent have you seen ads or participated in these activities in the past 12 months? Played interactive games to learn about alcohol and other drugs			S5a	S6a
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MENTAL, SOCIAL, & PHYSICAL HEALTH	2022		2024	
Question Wording	8th	HS	8th	HS
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?	P14	P17	P8	P9
Is there an adult you know (other than your parent) you could talk to about important things in your life?	P15	P18	P9	P10
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	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.)	N8	N8	N8	N8