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MALHEUR COUNTY



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DATA TABLES INTRODUCTION

The 2024 Student Health Survey (SHS) provides important data that can improve our understanding of the challenges students face. The findings from the SHS can be used to bridge the knowledge gap between students and the adults and communities who support them to ensure that Oregon provides a safe, supportive, and equitable environment where all youth can thrive.

Results for your DISTRICT / SCHOOL are provided in these data tables.

These data tables show your district or school results by grade, compared to the statewide results. A table is included for every question in the survey, as well as for calculated variables (ex: PYD Benchmark) and recoded or collapsed responses (ex: has a disability/does not have a disability).

2024 results are presented in comparison to 2022 SHS data tables. Results for previous years are available on the Oregon Student Health Survey (SHS) Data Portal (<https://www.bach-harrison.com/SHSDataPortal>) (2024 results will be available on the portal by the end of June 2025).

Information required for Drug-Free Communities (DFC) Core Measure reporting is also included with these tables.

BY THE NUMBERS

Over 62,000 students participated in the 2024 SHS:

6th grade:	23,326
8th grade:	21,884
11th grade:	17,041
Total:	62,251

They represent:

- 139 Districts
- 533 Schools
- 35 Counties

The SHS was administered at schools between October 2024 and January 2025.

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This section features results by grade for each question on the survey. A table is also included for calculated variables/recodes.

These tables show the percentage that marked each possible response for each question. Calculated variables or recodes that show the results for questions in a different way, such as combining responses (e.g., percentage of students who have one or more disabilities vs. those with no disabilities) or basing percentages on a subset of respondents (e.g., percentage who drank 5 or more drinks in row in past 30 days only among those who drank alcohol in past 30 days).

The 6th and 8th grade surveys consisted of a subset of questions on the 11th grade survey. Data for questions that did not appear on the 6th or 8th grade version are shown as “n/a” (not applicable). Response categories for questions with no respondents will show “0.0”.

Table 1. Students Surveyed

	County 2022								County 2024								State 2024							
	6th		8th		11th		Total		6th		8th		11th		Total		6th		8th		11th		Total	
	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n
Students surveyed	32.3	203	32.6	205	35.0	220	100.0	628	38.7	270	34.0	237	27.3	190	100.0	697	37.5	23,326	35.2	21,884	27.4	17,041	100.0	62,251

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OVERALL HEALTH

Table 2. Would you say that in general your emotional and mental health is...

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Excellent	15.1	9.7	9.7	11.5	13.5	10.5	7.4	10.8	15.5	12.7	8.5	12.6
Very good	16.0	12.8	10.1	12.9	22.5	18.1	16.3	19.3	22.4	20.8	16.1	20.1
Good	29.2	28.0	24.7	27.3	27.7	28.3	31.6	29.0	28.1	27.4	28.8	28.0
Fair	15.3	28.5	24.4	22.8	15.7	21.9	28.4	21.3	15.2	20.2	26.4	20.0
Poor	10.9	10.2	25.4	15.7	7.5	10.1	8.4	8.6	7.6	10.5	14.2	10.4
Don't know/Refused to answer	13.4	10.8	5.7	9.9	13.1	11.0	7.9	11.0	11.2	8.4	6.1	8.8

Table 3. Would you say that in general your physical health is...

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Excellent	19.7	20.2	12.2	17.3	21.1	12.2	10.6	15.2	20.9	17.6	11.9	17.3
Very good	19.6	19.9	24.5	21.4	21.1	28.7	21.2	23.7	27.5	26.4	24.5	26.3
Good	33.5	36.3	34.1	34.6	29.3	35.0	40.2	34.2	29.3	31.6	33.3	31.2
Fair	10.6	14.7	18.7	14.8	14.3	13.9	17.5	15.0	12.1	15.5	21.2	15.8
Poor	5.2	1.8	7.8	5.0	1.9	5.9	5.8	4.3	2.9	4.4	6.1	4.3
Don't know/Refused to answer	11.3	7.3	2.6	6.9	12.4	4.2	4.8	7.5	7.2	4.5	3.0	5.1

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Table 4. Which of the following are you most likely to do after you complete high school? You can choose more than one.

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Join the military	n/a	n/a	16.8	16.8	n/a	n/a	10.6	10.6
Work a full-time job	n/a	n/a	42.1	42.1	n/a	n/a	28.8	28.8
Work a part-time job	n/a	n/a	26.8	26.8	n/a	n/a	27.8	27.8
Attend a technical or trade school	n/a	n/a	24.7	24.7	n/a	n/a	16.8	16.8
Attend community college	n/a	n/a	25.8	25.8	n/a	n/a	27.2	27.2
Attend a 4-year college	n/a	n/a	50.0	50.0	n/a	n/a	56.9	56.9
Something else	n/a	n/a	8.4	8.4	n/a	n/a	10.6	10.6
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	n/a	14.2	14.2	n/a	n/a	11.1	11.1

*New question in 2024.

CLIMATE CHANGE

Table 5. How confident are you that climate change is or is not happening?

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Very confident it IS NOT happening	n/a	n/a	7.4	7.4	n/a	n/a	3.1	3.1
Somewhat confident it IS NOT happening	n/a	n/a	2.6	2.6	n/a	n/a	2.7	2.7
Don't know if it is happening or not	n/a	n/a	14.3	14.3	n/a	n/a	9.4	9.4
Somewhat confident it IS happening	n/a	n/a	23.8	23.8	n/a	n/a	19.6	19.6
Very confident it IS happening	n/a	n/a	23.8	23.8	n/a	n/a	48.7	48.7
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	n/a	28.0	28.0	n/a	n/a	16.5	16.5

*New question in 2024.

Table 6. How often do you feel emotionally stressed (for example: helpless, frustrated or sad) about the future because of climate change?

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Never	n/a	n/a	24.7	24.7	n/a	n/a	20.6	20.6
Rarely	n/a	n/a	17.9	17.9	n/a	n/a	20.6	20.6
Sometimes	n/a	n/a	26.3	26.3	n/a	n/a	27.4	27.4
Often	n/a	n/a	10.5	10.5	n/a	n/a	13.9	13.9
Very often	n/a	n/a	8.4	8.4	n/a	n/a	10.5	10.5
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	n/a	12.1	12.1	n/a	n/a	7.0	7.0

*New question in 2024.

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Table 7. In the past 12 months, have your feelings about climate change negatively affected your daily life (for example: ability to focus or concentrate, sleep, eat, have fun, enjoy relationships)?

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Never	n/a	n/a	48.4	48.4	n/a	n/a	50.8	50.8
Rarely	n/a	n/a	14.2	14.2	n/a	n/a	20.4	20.4
Sometimes	n/a	n/a	10.5	10.5	n/a	n/a	12.2	12.2
Often	n/a	n/a	2.6	2.6	n/a	n/a	3.4	3.4
Very often	n/a	n/a	1.1	1.1	n/a	n/a	1.8	1.8
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	n/a	23.2	23.2	n/a	n/a	11.4	11.4

*New question in 2024.

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SOCIAL MEDIA

Table 8. How often do you check your phone, laptop, Chromebook or tablet when you're not asleep or in school?

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Every 5 minutes or less	n/a	19.3	11.4	15.8	n/a	13.7	14.5	14.1
Every 6-15 minutes	n/a	21.0	31.0	25.4	n/a	22.3	31.2	26.1
Every half hour to hour	n/a	15.9	26.6	20.6	n/a	24.4	28.2	26.1
Every 2-4 hours	n/a	11.6	8.2	10.1	n/a	11.6	7.6	9.8
Every 4+ hours	n/a	9.4	6.5	8.2	n/a	8.5	5.0	7.0
I don't have a cell phone, smart phone , laptop, Chromebook or tablet	n/a	5.6	1.1	3.6	n/a	2.8	0.6	1.9
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	17.2	15.2	16.3	n/a	16.6	12.9	15.0

*New question in 2024.

Table 9. Do you think your use of social media (Instagram or TikTok) makes each of the following better or worse?: How you feel about your body

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
A lot better	n/a	9.0	12.7	10.6	n/a	11.9	7.7	10.1
A little better	n/a	9.4	10.5	9.9	n/a	9.9	7.7	8.9
Neither better nor worse	n/a	32.9	38.1	35.2	n/a	38.9	43.3	40.8
A little worse	n/a	11.1	17.7	14.0	n/a	13.2	18.8	15.6
A lot worse	n/a	10.7	5.5	8.4	n/a	7.5	8.9	8.1
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	26.9	15.5	21.9	n/a	18.7	13.6	16.5

*New question in 2024.

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Table 10. Do you think your use of social media (Instagram or TikTok) makes each of the following better or worse?: Grades in school

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
A lot better	n/a	10.4	17.1	13.3	n/a	11.9	9.2	10.8
A little better	n/a	19.0	19.3	19.2	n/a	15.8	12.2	14.3
Neither better nor worse	n/a	35.9	38.1	36.9	n/a	43.2	46.3	44.5
A little worse	n/a	12.6	10.5	11.7	n/a	10.1	15.3	12.4
A lot worse	n/a	5.6	1.7	3.9	n/a	4.2	5.6	4.8
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	16.5	13.3	15.0	n/a	14.8	11.4	13.3

*New question in 2024.

Table 11. Do you think your use of social media (Instagram or TikTok) makes each of the following better or worse?: Relationships with friends or family

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
A lot better	n/a	21.0	22.2	21.5	n/a	19.7	13.0	16.8
A little better	n/a	22.3	16.1	19.6	n/a	17.0	15.8	16.5
Neither better nor worse	n/a	28.8	36.7	32.3	n/a	37.7	46.9	41.7
A little worse	n/a	5.2	7.2	6.1	n/a	8.3	10.3	9.2
A lot worse	n/a	5.2	4.4	4.9	n/a	2.8	2.7	2.8
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	17.5	13.3	15.6	n/a	14.4	11.3	13.1

*New question in 2024.

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Table 12. Do you think your use of social media (Instagram or TikTok) makes each of the following better or worse?: Your mental health or sense of well-being

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
A lot better	n/a	13.4	13.7	13.6	n/a	14.2	8.8	11.9
A little better	n/a	16.9	13.2	15.3	n/a	15.0	11.5	13.5
Neither better nor worse	n/a	27.7	36.3	31.5	n/a	35.0	41.3	37.7
A little worse	n/a	12.1	13.7	12.8	n/a	12.5	18.4	15.0
A lot worse	n/a	8.2	6.6	7.5	n/a	6.3	7.6	6.8
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	21.6	16.5	19.4	n/a	17.0	12.5	15.1

*New question in 2024.

DEMOGRAPHICS

Table 13. What is your race or ethnicity? You can choose more than one.*

	County 2022								County 2024								State 2024							
	6th		8th		11th		Total		6th		8th		11th		Total		6th		8th		11th		Total	
	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n
Indigenous American, American Indian or Alaska Native	5.7	12	5.4	11	2.1	5	4.3	28	6.7	18	4.2	10	7.4	14	6.1	42	5.8	1,342	6.3	1,380	6.2	1,044	6.1	3,766
Asian Indian, Chinese, Filipino, Japanese, Korean, Vietnamese, or other Asian	1.3	3	2.0	4	1.5	3	1.6	10	1.1	3	3.0	7	2.7	5	2.2	15	8.7	2,004	9.7	2,109	9.7	1,647	9.3	5,760
Black or African American	2.6	6	5.6	11	1.0	2	3.1	19	1.9	5	2.5	6	2.7	5	2.3	16	4.9	1,143	5.9	1,280	5.0	849	5.3	3,272
Hispanic or Latino/a/x	35.9	78	41.1	82	43.7	89	40.3	249	45.9	124	58.1	137	55.3	104	52.6	365	21.5	4,976	25.5	5,545	26.0	4,402	24.1	14,923
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.0	0	1.9	4	1.2	3	1.0	7	0.7	2	0.4	1	2.7	5	1.2	8	2.4	545	2.8	610	2.5	416	2.5	1,571
Middle Eastern	0.9	2	1.5	3	0.0	0	0.8	5	1.1	3	0.8	2	2.1	4	1.3	9	1.5	338	1.9	418	1.8	299	1.7	1,055
North African	0.4	1	0.5	1	0.0	0	0.3	2	0.0	0	0.8	2	1.6	3	0.7	5	0.8	184	0.8	178	0.7	112	0.8	474
White	36.9	70	50.3	104	56.4	130	48.1	304	35.9	97	37.7	89	46.8	88	39.5	274	49.9	11,554	59.8	13,010	66.8	11,336	58.0	35,900
Don't know/Refused to answer	17.8	35	10.3	21	5.5	12	11.1	68	21.5	58	7.6	18	5.3	10	12.4	86	20.8	4,807	9.3	2,031	4.3	722	12.2	7,560

*Totals may not sum to 100% as multiple responses are permitted. Response categories changed from 2022.

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Table 14. If you chose American Indian or Alaska Native. Are you... You can choose more than one.*

	County 2022								County 2024								State 2024							
	6th		8th		11th		Total		6th		8th		11th		Total		6th		8th		11th		Total	
	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n
Indigenous American**	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	27.8	5	10.0	1	35.7	5	26.2	11	36.1	474	42.4	569	48.7	499	41.9	1,542
American Indian	80.7	10	64.1	7	56.6	3	69.8	20	22.2	4	10.0	1	50.0	7	28.6	12	27.0	354	32.7	438	38.6	396	32.3	1,188
Alaska Native	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	5.6	1	10.0	1	0.0	0	4.8	2	6.6	87	11.3	151	10.4	107	9.4	345
Indigenous Mexican, Central American, or South American	38.4	5	18.8	2	37.7	2	30.2	9	5.6	1	10.0	1	14.3	2	9.5	4	13.0	171	15.1	203	16.5	169	14.8	543
Canadian Inuit, Metis, or First Nation	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	1.1	14	4.1	55	3.9	40	3.0	109
Something else fits better (Please Specify)	19.3	2	18.8	2	0.0	0	15.9	4	33.3	6	40.0	4	7.1	1	26.2	11	26.5	348	20.9	280	10.4	107	20.0	735
Don't know/Refused to answer	7.6	1	26.5	3	43.4	2	21.4	6	27.8	5	30.0	3	28.6	4	28.6	12	17.3	227	15.2	204	11.4	117	14.9	548

*Denominator is among those who identify as American Indian or Alaska Native. Totals may not sum to 100% as multiple responses are permitted.

**New option in 2024.

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Table 15. If you chose Asian. Are you... You can choose more than one.*

	County 2022								County 2024								State 2024							
	6th		8th		11th		Total		6th		8th		11th		Total		6th		8th		11th		Total	
	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n
Asian Indian	0.0	0	0.0	0	33.3	1	11.0	1	0.0	0	0.0	0	20.0	1	6.7	1	13.3	261	13.3	274	9.9	160	12.3	695
Cambodian	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	20.0	1	6.7	1	4.2	82	4.8	98	5.0	80	4.6	260
Chinese	33.3	1	32.8	1	0.0	0	22.1	2	0.0	0	14.3	1	20.0	1	13.3	2	21.6	426	22.1	456	24.5	395	22.6	1,277
Communities of Myanmar	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	20.0	1	6.7	1	1.4	27	2.8	58	2.5	40	2.2	125
Filipino/a/x	0.0	0	25.5	1	33.3	1	21.5	2	0.0	0	42.9	3	40.0	2	33.3	5	10.7	210	18.4	378	17.6	284	15.5	872
Hmong	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	20.0	1	6.7	1	2.3	45	4.6	95	3.3	53	3.4	193
Japanese	33.5	1	41.7	2	0.0	0	25.8	3	33.3	1	28.6	2	40.0	2	33.3	5	12.2	241	15.3	316	14.7	238	14.1	795
Korean	33.5	1	0.0	0	0.0	0	8.7	1	0.0	0	0.0	0	20.0	1	6.7	1	10.0	196	13.3	274	12.5	201	11.9	671
Laotian	33.5	1	0.0	0	33.3	1	19.7	2	0.0	0	14.3	1	20.0	1	13.3	2	2.1	41	3.9	81	4.6	75	3.5	197
South Asian	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	20.0	1	6.7	1	3.7	73	6.1	126	6.6	106	5.4	305
Vietnamese	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	20.0	1	6.7	1	15.3	302	14.7	302	20.3	327	16.5	931
Something else fits better (Please Specify)	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	33.3	1	42.9	3	0.0	0	26.7	4	21.0	414	15.3	316	11.0	177	16.1	907
Don't know/Refused to answer	33.3	1	0.0	0	0.0	0	8.6	1	33.3	1	0.0	0	40.0	2	20.0	3	7.6	149	5.5	114	4.3	69	5.9	332

* Denominator is among those who identify as Asian. Totals may not sum to 100% as multiple responses are permitted.

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Table 16. If you chose Black or African American. Are you... You can choose more than one.*

	County 2022								County 2024								State 2024							
	6th		8th		11th		Total		6th		8th		11th		Total		6th		8th		11th		Total	
	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n
Black	33.4	2	36.4	4	0.0	0	31.3	6	40.0	2	50.0	3	60.0	3	50.0	8	57.5	642	56.0	696	60.4	501	57.7	1,839
African American	66.6	4	36.4	4	50.0	1	46.3	9	40.0	2	50.0	3	20.0	1	37.5	6	47.0	525	47.4	589	51.0	423	48.2	1,537
Afro-Caribbean**	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0.0	0	0.0	0	20.0	1	6.3	1	1.7	19	6.5	81	7.7	64	5.1	164
Afro-Latino/a/x**	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	40.0	2	16.7	1	40.0	2	31.3	5	6.0	67	10.1	125	12.7	105	9.3	297
Jamaican	0.0	0	9.1	1	0.0	0	5.5	1	20.0	1	0.0	0	20.0	1	12.5	2	3.8	42	7.5	93	8.1	67	6.3	202
Haitian	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	20.0	1	6.3	1	1.3	14	4.6	57	6.0	50	3.8	121
Ethiopian	16.7	1	0.0	0	0.0	0	4.6	1	0.0	0	0.0	0	20.0	1	6.3	1	3.9	44	7.7	96	9.6	80	6.9	220
Somali	16.7	1	0.0	0	0.0	0	4.6	1	0.0	0	0.0	0	20.0	1	6.3	1	3.8	42	5.6	69	6.9	57	5.3	168
Something else fits better (Please Specify)	16.7	1	9.1	1	0.0	0	10.1	2	20.0	1	33.3	2	20.0	1	25.0	4	21.6	241	16.0	199	12.3	102	17.0	542
Don't know/Refused to answer	0.0	0	9.1	1	50.0	1	11.3	2	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	8.0	89	8.3	103	6.5	54	7.7	246

*Denominator is among those who identify as Black or African American. Totals may not sum to 100% as multiple responses are permitted.

**New option in 2024.

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Table 17. If you chose Hispanic or Latino/a/x. Are you... You can choose more than one.*

	County 2022								County 2024								State 2024							
	6th		8th		11th		Total		6th		8th		11th		Total		6th		8th		11th		Total	
	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n
Mexican, Mexican American, Chicano/a/x	93.2	72	83.9	67	91.2	78	89.3	217	91.1	112	86.7	117	92.3	96	89.8	325	78.1	3,799	81.1	4,391	82.6	3,583	80.5	11,773
Puerto Rican	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.8	1	0.7	1	1.0	1	0.8	3	2.2	109	3.5	187	3.0	128	2.9	424
Cuban	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.7	1	1.0	1	0.6	2	1.3	63	2.1	113	1.8	78	1.7	254
Guatemalan	0.0	0	1.0	1	2.1	2	1.1	3	1.6	2	0.7	1	2.9	3	1.7	6	5.0	245	5.1	278	5.1	223	5.1	746
Honduran	0.0	0	1.3	1	0.0	0	0.4	1	0.8	1	0.7	1	1.0	1	0.8	3	1.2	57	1.7	94	1.9	81	1.6	232
El Salvadoran	1.2	1	2.3	2	1.2	1	1.6	4	0.8	1	0.0	0	2.9	3	1.1	4	2.2	108	3.2	176	3.0	128	2.8	412
Afro-Latino/a/x/e**	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	1.6	2	1.5	2	2.9	3	1.9	7	2.7	130	2.5	136	2.2	94	2.5	360
Something else fits better (Please Specify)	3.1	2	5.1	4	1.2	1	3.1	7	6.5	8	5.2	7	1.9	2	4.7	17	12.5	606	8.1	439	6.3	275	9.0	1,320
Don't know/Refused to answer	4.9	4	11.2	9	5.5	5	7.3	18	5.7	7	5.9	8	4.8	5	5.5	20	6.6	323	5.8	316	4.9	214	5.8	853

*Denominator is among those who identify as Hispanic or Latino/a/x. Totals may not sum to 100% as multiple responses are permitted.

**New option in 2024.

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Table 18. If you chose Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander. Are you... You can choose more than one.*

	County 2022								County 2024								State 2024							
	6th		8th		11th		Total		6th		8th		11th		Total		6th		8th		11th		Total	
	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n
Native Hawaiian/Kanaka Maoli	n/a	n/a	27.5	1	66.7	2	43.2	3	0.0	0	0.0	0	40.0	2	25.0	2	31.9	161	35.6	195	38.1	145	35.0	501
CHAmoru (Chamorro)	n/a	n/a	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	20.0	1	12.5	1	4.6	23	10.9	60	13.4	51	9.4	134
Chuukese	n/a	n/a	0.0	0	66.7	2	26.7	2	0.0	0	0.0	0	20.0	1	12.5	1	11.7	59	14.6	80	11.3	43	12.7	182
Communities of the Micronesia Region	n/a	n/a	0.0	0	33.3	1	13.3	1	0.0	0	0.0	0	20.0	1	12.5	1	5.4	27	10.0	55	10.0	38	8.4	120
Fijian	n/a	n/a	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	20.0	1	12.5	1	2.0	10	8.0	44	9.2	35	6.2	89
Guamanian	n/a	n/a	0.0	0	33.3	1	13.3	1	0.0	0	0.0	0	20.0	1	12.5	1	3.2	16	7.3	40	8.4	32	6.1	88
Kosraean	n/a	n/a	0.0	0	66.7	2	26.7	2	0.0	0	0.0	0	20.0	1	12.5	1	1.0	5	6.2	34	6.8	26	4.5	65
Maori	n/a	n/a	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	20.0	1	12.5	1	1.2	6	5.8	32	9.4	36	5.2	74
Marshallese	n/a	n/a	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	20.0	1	12.5	1	4.0	20	8.8	48	10.2	39	7.5	107
Palauan	n/a	n/a	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	20.0	1	12.5	1	2.4	12	6.2	34	7.3	28	5.2	74
Samoan	n/a	n/a	27.5	1	33.3	1	29.9	2	50.0	1	0.0	0	20.0	1	25.0	2	10.9	55	15.5	85	18.6	71	14.7	211
Tongan	n/a	n/a	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	100.0	1	20.0	1	25.0	2	3.8	19	8.2	45	10.0	38	7.1	102
Something else fits better (Please Specify)	n/a	n/a	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	20.0	1	12.5	1	20.6	104	13.5	74	11.8	45	15.6	223
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	n/a	44.9	2	0.0	0	27.0	2	50.0	1	0.0	0	40.0	2	37.5	3	23.4	118	21.2	116	21.0	80	21.9	314

*Denominator is among those who identify as Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander. Totals may not sum to 100% as multiple responses are permitted.

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Table 19. If you chose White. Are you... You can choose more than one.*

	County 2022								County 2024								State 2024							
	6th		8th		11th		Total		6th		8th		11th		Total		6th		8th		11th		Total	
	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n
English	90.3	60	65.3	66	65.8	79	71.8	205	96.9	93	79.3	69	80.7	71	86.0	233	83.4	9,542	75.9	9,756	70.1	7,847	76.5	27,145
French	6.2	4	2.4	2	4.0	5	4.0	11	4.2	4	5.7	5	3.4	3	4.4	12	4.7	533	6.2	798	6.5	724	5.8	2,055
German	8.6	6	13.7	13	17.1	21	13.8	40	12.5	12	13.8	12	21.6	19	15.9	43	12.6	1,445	18.0	2,312	19.0	2,133	16.6	5,890
Greek	0.0	0	2.1	2	3.3	4	2.0	6	0.0	0	1.1	1	3.4	3	1.5	4	1.2	138	1.8	227	1.5	171	1.5	536
Irish	8.6	5	20.3	19	18.9	24	16.8	48	5.2	5	10.3	9	14.8	13	10.0	27	11.9	1,361	14.9	1,910	15.7	1,764	14.2	5,035
Italian	0.0	0	5.0	5	10.1	13	5.8	18	3.1	3	3.4	3	3.4	3	3.3	9	5.8	668	8.0	1,029	7.1	797	7.0	2,494
Norwegian	0.0	0	1.7	2	3.8	5	2.1	7	2.1	2	2.3	2	8.0	7	4.1	11	3.8	437	5.2	665	5.7	634	4.9	1,736
Polish	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	3.1	3	1.1	1	4.5	4	3.0	8	2.6	295	3.3	420	3.4	383	3.1	1,098
Romanian	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.8	1	0.3	1	0.0	0	0.0	0	2.3	2	0.7	2	0.6	63	0.8	100	0.8	86	0.7	249
Russian	1.2	1	3.2	3	3.3	4	2.7	8	1.0	1	3.4	3	2.3	2	2.2	6	2.8	315	3.9	496	2.8	316	3.2	1,127
Scottish	3.7	2	6.8	6	4.8	6	5.2	14	5.2	5	4.6	4	8.0	7	5.9	16	6.3	720	8.6	1,102	8.9	993	7.9	2,815
Spaniard/Spanish	6.1	5	4.9	5	7.0	8	6.0	18	8.3	8	5.7	5	8.0	7	7.4	20	5.4	619	4.4	567	3.5	397	4.5	1,583
Swedish	1.2	1	1.1	1	1.5	2	1.3	4	3.1	3	5.7	5	5.7	5	4.8	13	4.3	497	5.1	655	5.1	571	4.9	1,723
Ukrainian	0.0	0	0.0	0	1.8	2	0.7	2	0.0	0	0.0	0	2.3	2	0.7	2	1.5	166	2.1	264	1.5	173	1.7	603
Something else fits better (Please Specify)	9.8	7	3.0	3	10.3	12	7.6	22	11.5	11	3.4	3	3.4	3	6.3	17	11.0	1,254	9.0	1,163	8.0	891	9.3	3,308
Don't know/Refused to answer	7.3	5	21.3	21	11.3	13	13.8	39	2.1	2	14.9	13	13.6	12	10.0	27	7.5	855	10.0	1,286	11.7	1,310	9.7	3,451

*Denominator is among those who identify as White. Totals may not sum to 100% as multiple responses are permitted.

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Table 20. Single vs. Multiple Identities Selected

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Single race or ethnicity selected	73.4	68.7	81.1	74.6	64.8	78.8	78.2	73.2	65.7	74.0	78.0	72.0
Two or more races or ethnicities selected	7.5	20.6	13.3	13.9	13.7	13.6	16.5	14.4	13.5	16.7	17.7	15.8
Don't know/Refused to answer	9.8	3.3	1.7	4.8	21.5	7.6	5.3	12.4	20.8	9.3	4.3	12.2

Table 21. Is there one you think of as your main racial or ethnic identity?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes, I have one main race or ethnic identity	35.3	33.9	37.2	35.2	29.7	28.1	38.7	32.0	33.6	38.9	40.7	37.8
I do not have just one main racial or ethnic identity/No single race best describes me	15.7	20.3	13.4	17.0	18.9	28.1	19.4	22.0	20.8	18.4	15.7	18.3
I identify as biracial or multiracial	2.0	7.7	14.1	7.5	2.7	9.4	22.6	11.0	8.6	15.1	24.3	15.9
Don't know/Refused to answer	19.6	20.3	19.6	19.9	48.6	34.4	19.4	35.0	37.0	27.7	19.3	28.0

*Denominator: Those who identify as more than one race or ethnicity.

Table 22. Which one do you think is your main racial or ethnic identity?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
American Indian or Alaska Native	27.8	0.0	0.0	9.4	27.3	0.0	0.0	9.4	6.0	5.8	4.5	5.4
Asian	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	11.1	8.3	6.3	8.8	9.6	7.6	8.7
Black or African American	5.5	0.0	0.0	1.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.5	8.0	7.7	8.0
Hispanic, Latino/a/x, or Spanish origin	36.1	22.6	27.3	28.4	36.4	33.3	25.0	31.3	18.3	18.6	16.1	17.7
Pacific Islander	0.0	5.6	0.0	2.3	0.0	0.0	8.3	3.1	2.3	3.0	1.8	2.4
Middle Eastern	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.2	2.1	1.1	1.8
North African	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.9	0.3	0.2	0.4
White	16.6	46.7	45.5	36.2	36.4	55.6	58.3	50.0	53.0	52.6	61.0	55.5

*Denominator: Those who identify with more than one race or ethnicity and have one they think of as their main racial or ethnic identity.

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Table 23. What language or languages do you use at home? You can choose more than one.

	County 2022								County 2024								State 2024							
	6th		8th		11th		Total		6th		8th		11th		Total		6th		8th		11th		Total	
	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n
English	92.2	182	93.4	191	94.4	205	93.4	578	89.2	239	93.6	221	90.4	170	91.0	630	92.0	21,089	92.9	20,044	94.3	15,945	92.9	57,078
Spanish	40.0	82	29.7	60	32.6	65	34.0	207	44.4	119	43.6	103	45.2	85	44.4	307	22.3	5,113	22.3	4,820	20.5	3,472	21.8	13,405
American Indian/Alaska Native tribal language	0.9	2	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.3	2	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.4	103	0.5	98	0.3	55	0.4	256
Cantonese	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.5	123	0.6	129	0.6	108	0.6	360
Mandarin	0.7	1	0.5	1	0.0	0	0.4	2	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	1.1	251	1.1	237	1.0	167	1.1	655
Vietnamese	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	1.0	226	1.0	222	1.5	246	1.1	694
Hawaiian	0.0	0	0.4	1	0.4	1	0.3	2	0.4	1	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.1	1	0.5	112	0.4	90	0.3	47	0.4	249
Samoan	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.2	44	0.3	72	0.2	40	0.3	156
Somali	0.4	1	0.5	1	0.0	0	0.3	2	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.2	53	0.3	70	0.2	40	0.3	163
Russian	0.0	0	0.5	1	0.0	0	0.2	1	1.5	4	0.4	1	0.5	1	0.9	6	1.4	310	1.4	311	1.1	192	1.3	813
ASL, PSE, tactile interpreting, etc.	0.0	0	1.0	2	1.2	3	0.8	5	0.4	1	0.8	2	0.0	0	0.4	3	0.6	138	0.9	200	1.0	162	0.8	500
Another language	4.5	8	4.8	10	2.1	4	3.8	22	4.5	12	3.0	7	1.6	3	3.2	22	9.8	2,236	8.1	1,753	5.9	1,004	8.1	4,993
Don't know/Refused to answer	4.0	7	2.6	5	2.3	5	3.0	17	2.6	7	1.3	3	1.6	3	1.9	13	1.8	414	1.2	261	0.9	157	1.4	832

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Table 24. What is your gender identity? You can choose more than one.

	County 2022								County 2024								State 2024							
	6th		8th		11th		Total		6th		8th		11th		Total		6th		8th		11th		Total	
	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n
Two Spirit	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.4	1	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.1	1	0.1	24	0.1	32	0.2	26	0.1	82
Girl/Woman	42.7	82	37.7	75	46.2	99	42.3	256	50.6	135	45.9	106	45.9	85	47.7	326	45.9	10,432	46.2	9,889	47.6	7,915	46.5	28,236
Boy/Man	45.2	86	49.0	96	46.3	100	46.8	282	47.2	126	51.1	118	48.4	90	48.8	334	47.9	10,879	48.2	10,319	46.2	7,681	47.5	28,879
Demigirl/Demiboy	0.5	1	0.5	1	0.0	0	0.3	2	0.0	0	0.9	2	0.5	1	0.4	3	1.1	253	1.4	294	1.1	183	1.2	730
Nonbinary	2.3	4	3.1	6	1.8	4	2.4	14	1.1	3	0.0	0	0.5	1	0.6	4	2.0	443	1.8	386	2.3	384	2.0	1,213
Gender fluid	1.2	2	1.0	2	1.8	4	1.3	8	0.4	1	1.3	3	3.3	6	1.5	10	1.2	281	1.6	346	1.8	299	1.5	926
Genderqueer**	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.5	1	0.1	1	0.2	51	0.6	119	1.0	163	0.5	333
Questioning**	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	1.1	3	0.9	2	0.0	0	0.7	5	0.8	178	1.2	261	1.2	203	1.1	642
Agender/No gender	0.0	0	0.0	0	2.1	5	0.8	5	0.4	1	0.0	0	0.5	1	0.3	2	0.4	95	0.6	130	0.9	153	0.6	378
Fa'afafine	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	0.1	20	0.1	15	0.1	37
Fa'atane	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	0.1	21	0.1	15	0.1	39
Leiti	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5	0.1	17	0.1	14	0.1	36
Mahu kane	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	0.1	18	0.1	17	0.1	37
Mahu wahine	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	0.1	18	0.1	15	0.1	36
Takatapui	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	0.1	17	0.1	15	0.1	34
Something else fits better	3.5	7	4.1	8	1.3	3	2.9	18	0.0	0	1.3	3	3.2	6	1.3	9	2.6	601	3.3	701	2.1	343	2.7	1,645
Don't know/Refused to answer	7.2	13	6.7	13	3.8	8	5.8	34	1.1	3	0.4	1	3.3	6	1.5	10	2.1	484	1.7	371	2.1	354	2.0	1,209

*Totals may not sum to 100% as multiple responses are permitted.

**New option in 2024.

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Table 25. Are you transgender?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	1.3	1.0	1.3	1.2	0.4	2.7	2.2	1.6	2.0	2.9	4.2	2.9
No	80.3	92.7	93.9	89.1	90.2	94.7	95.1	93.0	90.5	93.5	92.2	92.0
Don't know/Refused to answer	7.3	3.7	1.5	4.1	9.4	2.7	2.7	5.3	7.6	3.7	3.5	5.1

Table 26. What is your sexual orientation? You can choose more than one.

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Straight	70.7	77.7	81.2	76.7	76.1	88.5	84.3	82.5	70.8	78.4	74.3	74.4
Lesbian**	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0.8	0.4	1.1	0.7	2.4	2.3	2.6	2.4
Gay	4.5	2.1	1.0	2.5	0.8	0.0	1.1	0.6	1.1	1.6	2.1	1.6
Bisexual	6.0	7.0	5.4	6.1	4.5	3.5	4.9	4.3	6.6	7.3	9.9	7.8
Pansexual	1.6	4.4	4.6	3.6	0.8	1.3	2.2	1.3	2.8	2.9	3.6	3.1
Asexual or Aromantic	0.7	1.9	2.7	1.8	1.1	1.8	1.1	1.3	2.1	2.8	2.9	2.6
Queer	0.0	0.5	2.3	1.0	0.0	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.5	1.1	2.5	1.3
Questioning**	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0.4	1.3	0.0	0.6	1.2	2.2	2.3	1.9
Something else fits better	2.4	4.0	1.3	2.6	1.1	0.9	3.2	1.6	2.8	3.1	2.1	2.7
Don't know/Refused to answer	20.0	7.8	5.1	10.7	18.2	3.5	7.0	10.2	15.6	6.7	6.0	9.8

*Totals may not sum to 100% as multiple responses are permitted.

**New option in 2024.

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Table 27. Are you deaf or do you have serious difficulty hearing?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	2.9	2.0	2.2	2.3	2.2	2.6	2.2	2.3	1.5	2.0	1.9	1.8
No	90.7	89.8	91.4	90.7	91.8	90.9	90.7	91.2	92.4	92.1	93.5	92.6
Don't know/Refused to answer	6.4	8.2	6.4	7.0	6.0	6.5	7.1	6.5	6.0	5.9	4.6	5.6

Table 28. Are you blind or do you have serious difficulty seeing, even when wearing glasses?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	7.2	9.6	4.8	7.2	10.9	9.6	6.0	9.1	3.9	4.7	5.0	4.5
No	86.3	84.1	90.7	87.1	82.0	84.3	87.5	84.3	89.8	89.4	90.5	89.9
Don't know/Refused to answer	6.5	6.3	4.5	5.8	7.1	6.1	6.5	6.6	6.3	5.9	4.5	5.6

Table 29. Because of a physical, mental, or emotional condition, do you have serious difficulty concentrating, remembering or making decisions?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	n/a	28.1	29.1	28.6	n/a	25.8	17.3	22.0	n/a	22.9	26.8	24.6
No	n/a	46.9	53.5	50.3	n/a	55.9	57.8	56.8	n/a	57.4	56.4	56.9
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	25.0	17.3	21.1	n/a	18.3	24.9	21.3	n/a	19.7	16.8	18.4

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Table 30. Do you have serious difficulty walking or climbing stairs?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	0.4	1.7	1.8	1.3	2.3	2.2	1.1	1.9	1.3	2.1	2.6	2.0
No	95.8	91.9	94.4	94.0	92.9	96.1	93.5	94.1	95.2	94.5	94.4	94.7
Don't know/Refused to answer	3.7	6.4	3.8	4.6	4.9	1.7	5.4	4.0	3.5	3.4	2.9	3.3

Table 31. Do you have difficulty dressing or bathing?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	1.1	1.0	1.4	1.2	1.1	2.1	1.6	1.6	0.9	1.1	1.2	1.1
No	96.7	94.1	95.3	95.4	93.3	96.1	93.5	94.3	95.2	96.2	96.6	96.0
Don't know/Refused to answer	2.2	4.8	3.3	3.5	5.6	1.7	4.9	4.1	3.8	2.7	2.1	3.0

Table 32. Student disability

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Marked 'Yes' to 1 or more of 4 disability questions	10.3	n/a	n/a	10.3	16.2	n/a	n/a	16.2	7.5	n/a	n/a	7.5
Marked 'No' to all 4 disability questions	89.7	n/a	n/a	89.7	83.8	n/a	n/a	83.8	92.5	n/a	n/a	92.5
Marked 'Yes' to 1 or more of 5 disability questions	n/a	42.9	42.0	42.4	n/a	39.9	32.1	36.6	n/a	34.6	37.5	35.9
Marked 'No' to all 5 disability questions	n/a	57.1	58.0	57.6	n/a	60.1	67.9	63.4	n/a	65.4	62.5	64.1

*Results are not comparable between the 6th grade survey and the 8th/11th grade surveys as the 6th grade survey did not include the question "Because of a physical, mental, or emotional condition, do you have serious difficulty concentrating, remembering or making decisions?"

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Table 33. I can do most things if I try.

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Very much true	26.4	30.5	31.3	29.4	35.1	36.8	37.5	36.3	34.9	35.5	36.3	35.5
Pretty much true	39.6	44.2	47.4	43.8	41.4	44.6	36.4	41.2	45.0	42.9	42.8	43.7
A little true	27.7	18.1	17.5	21.0	18.3	15.2	21.6	18.1	15.8	16.4	15.8	16.0
Not at all true	3.3	2.0	0.5	1.9	1.5	0.9	0.6	1.0	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.5
Don't know/Refused to answer	3.0	5.2	3.3	3.8	3.7	2.6	4.0	3.4	3.0	3.7	3.5	3.4

Table 34. I can work out my problems.

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Very much true	24.9	22.7	21.1	22.9	22.6	21.4	32.4	24.7	24.7	26.9	29.7	26.8
Pretty much true	32.6	33.4	44.3	36.9	41.7	37.6	32.4	37.9	40.7	40.1	43.1	41.1
A little true	29.3	30.0	26.1	28.4	23.7	31.4	26.7	27.1	25.0	23.7	20.5	23.3
Not at all true	4.8	6.2	4.0	5.0	5.6	3.5	2.8	4.2	4.4	3.8	2.6	3.7
Don't know/Refused to answer	8.3	7.7	4.5	6.8	6.4	6.1	5.7	6.1	5.2	5.6	4.1	5.0

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Table 35. There are people in my life who encourage me to do my best.

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Very much true	65.0	52.9	55.1	58.3	66.5	56.0	54.1	59.4
Pretty much true	17.3	30.0	27.3	24.2	19.6	25.5	28.5	24.1
A little true	10.2	11.5	9.7	10.5	8.5	11.8	12.1	10.6
Not at all true	2.3	3.1	1.7	2.4	1.8	2.4	1.8	2.0
Don't know/Refused to answer	5.3	2.6	6.3	4.6	3.7	4.3	3.5	3.8

*New question in 2024.

Table 36. I believe that I can make a difference in my community.

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Very much true	22.2	21.2	24.4	22.4	25.8	21.8	22.7	23.5
Pretty much true	26.3	21.6	24.4	24.2	28.3	24.3	25.9	26.2
A little true	22.6	24.7	24.4	23.8	23.3	26.3	28.8	25.8
Not at all true	8.3	16.0	11.9	11.9	9.8	13.6	11.3	11.6
Don't know/Refused to answer	20.7	16.5	14.8	17.7	12.9	14.0	11.3	12.8

*New question in 2024.

Table 37. There is at least one teacher or other adult in my school that really cares about me.

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Very much true	49.6	29.5	24.6	34.3	38.2	28.8	41.6	35.9	40.7	34.3	36.0	37.2
Pretty much true	20.0	21.9	23.4	21.8	40.1	37.6	33.7	37.5	37.0	40.4	43.1	39.9
A little true	8.1	14.7	16.5	13.2	3.4	7.0	4.5	4.9	4.0	6.1	5.3	5.1
Not at all true	4.6	8.4	9.9	7.7	1.1	3.1	1.7	1.9	2.5	3.2	2.0	2.6
Don't know/Refused to answer	17.8	25.6	25.5	23.0	17.2	23.6	18.5	19.7	15.7	16.0	13.6	15.2

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Table 38. I feel safe at my school.

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Strongly agree	37.2	14.9	7.3	19.3	30.0	15.0	23.3	23.2	27.6	16.9	16.1	20.7
Agree	38.2	36.8	51.4	42.5	46.1	45.6	47.2	46.2	47.8	49.0	54.3	50.0
Disagree	9.6	21.9	19.0	16.9	10.1	13.7	10.8	11.5	8.4	13.6	11.7	11.2
Strongly disagree	4.8	5.5	10.9	7.2	3.0	8.4	2.8	4.8	3.9	6.0	4.1	4.7
Don't know/Refused to answer	10.1	21.0	11.4	14.0	10.9	17.3	15.9	14.3	12.3	14.4	13.8	13.4

Table 39. It is easy to talk with teachers and other adults at this school.

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Strongly agree	26.9	16.4	12.7	18.4	25.8	18.6	23.7	22.8	27.1	20.1	20.0	22.7
Agree	37.7	35.1	44.8	39.4	39.0	38.9	42.9	40.0	43.7	44.2	51.3	45.9
Disagree	14.0	22.1	21.0	19.1	13.1	17.7	14.1	14.9	12.6	16.7	13.6	14.3
Strongly disagree	7.4	12.7	12.4	10.9	8.2	12.4	6.2	9.1	5.7	7.0	4.1	5.7
Don't know/Refused to answer	14.0	13.6	9.0	12.1	13.9	12.4	13.0	13.1	10.8	12.0	10.9	11.3

Table 40. I am happy to be at this school.

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Strongly agree	36.1	15.0	11.1	20.3	38.2	16.4	19.0	25.7	33.7	17.8	15.3	23.1
Agree	38.9	31.0	40.3	36.9	34.4	34.7	37.4	35.3	40.3	40.0	43.0	41.0
Disagree	6.1	19.3	16.6	14.1	8.9	17.3	11.5	12.5	8.6	15.2	15.8	12.9
Strongly disagree	5.6	14.5	15.4	12.0	6.2	17.8	12.1	11.7	6.2	11.7	9.8	9.1
Don't know/Refused to answer	13.3	20.3	16.6	16.7	12.4	13.8	20.1	14.9	11.2	15.2	16.0	13.9

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Table 41. In my classes I am often distracted from doing schoolwork because other students are misbehaving, for example, talking or fighting.

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Strongly agree	17.9	19.4	8.9	15.2	27.8	29.1	11.9	24.0	19.2	19.1	12.3	17.3
Agree	26.0	32.1	27.0	28.3	28.2	28.6	23.7	27.2	30.6	31.4	27.3	30.0
Disagree	29.2	25.4	47.8	34.6	18.0	23.8	31.1	23.4	28.2	29.0	39.4	31.5
Strongly disagree	12.7	11.0	8.1	10.5	9.0	4.4	10.7	7.9	8.7	7.1	8.6	8.1
Don't know/Refused to answer	14.2	12.0	8.3	11.4	16.9	14.1	22.6	17.5	13.3	13.4	12.4	13.1

Table 42. PYD (Positive Youth Development Benchmark)

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Meets PYD Benchmark	62.1	41.5	45.6	49.6	81.9	72.1	80.6	78.3	83.2	76.8	74.5	78.4
Does not meet PYD Benchmark	37.9	58.5	54.4	50.4	18.1	27.9	19.4	21.7	16.8	23.2	25.5	21.6

*Data is not comparable across years as an additional PYD question was asked in 2024. The PYD benchmark calculation excludes these responses from the denominator: "I am not sure", "I don't know what this question is asking", and "I prefer not to answer".

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Table 43. During the past 30 days, where did you usually sleep?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
In my parent's or guardian's home	71.4	88.7	94.3	85.1	82.1	87.9	92.6	87.0	87.9	93.4	95.3	91.9
In the home of a friend, family member, or other person because I had to leave my home, or my parent or guardian cannot afford housing	3.5	0.4	1.2	1.7	2.3	3.5	1.1	2.3	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.2
In a foster home	1.3	0.5	1.7	1.2	2.3	0.4	1.1	1.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3
In a shelter or emergency housing	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1
In a motel or hotel	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1
In a car, park, campground, or other public place	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
I do not have a usual place to sleep	1.7	1.0	0.0	0.9	1.1	0.9	1.1	1.0	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.3
Somewhere else fits better	12.9	4.8	1.0	6.1	5.7	4.3	1.1	4.0	5.3	2.3	1.0	3.1
Don't know/Refused to answer	8.5	4.0	1.3	4.5	6.5	2.6	3.2	4.2	4.3	2.3	1.6	2.8

Table 44. Have you ever been placed in foster care or stayed in a group home?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	4.3	7.2	6.9	6.1	8.0	7.4	7.0	7.5	3.6	3.9	4.2	3.9
No	88.8	87.1	90.3	88.8	79.9	86.6	89.8	84.9	84.4	89.6	91.8	88.3
Don't know/Refused to answer	6.9	5.7	2.9	5.1	12.1	6.1	3.2	7.6	12.1	6.6	4.0	7.9

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Table 45. I think this school welcomes and respects students...Of all races and ethnicities

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Strongly agree	n/a	38.1	36.6	37.4	n/a	40.8	32.8	37.4
Agree	n/a	37.2	42.3	39.4	n/a	41.8	48.8	44.8
Disagree	n/a	6.6	6.3	6.5	n/a	5.6	7.0	6.2
Strongly disagree	n/a	2.7	4.0	3.2	n/a	2.3	2.6	2.4
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	15.5	10.9	13.5	n/a	9.4	8.8	9.1

*New question in 2024.

Table 46. I think this school welcomes and respects students...From all cultures

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Strongly agree	n/a	36.3	35.8	36.1	n/a	41.0	32.3	37.2
Agree	n/a	42.6	44.5	43.4	n/a	43.2	49.8	46.1
Disagree	n/a	4.5	5.8	5.1	n/a	4.9	7.0	5.8
Strongly disagree	n/a	2.2	4.0	3.0	n/a	2.0	2.3	2.1
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	14.3	9.8	12.4	n/a	8.9	8.6	8.8

*New question in 2024.

Table 47. I think this school welcomes and respects students...From all religions

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Strongly agree	n/a	35.6	32.7	34.3	n/a	39.7	30.1	35.5
Agree	n/a	41.3	41.5	41.4	n/a	42.7	48.9	45.4
Disagree	n/a	2.2	8.2	4.8	n/a	5.8	8.3	6.8
Strongly disagree	n/a	4.0	4.7	4.3	n/a	2.4	2.9	2.6
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	16.9	12.9	15.2	n/a	9.5	9.9	9.7

*New question in 2024.

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Table 48. I think this school welcomes and respects students...Of all gender identities

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Strongly agree	n/a	26.3	21.5	24.2	n/a	33.9	27.2	31.0
Agree	n/a	33.0	36.6	34.6	n/a	36.8	42.6	39.3
Disagree	n/a	12.5	13.4	12.9	n/a	11.4	13.1	12.1
Strongly disagree	n/a	8.0	10.5	9.1	n/a	5.8	5.4	5.6
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	20.1	18.0	19.2	n/a	12.1	11.7	11.9

*New question in 2024.

Table 49. I think this school welcomes and respects students...Of all sexual orientations

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Strongly agree	n/a	24.9	21.5	23.4	n/a	33.4	27.4	30.8
Agree	n/a	32.6	35.5	33.8	n/a	36.9	43.6	39.8
Disagree	n/a	12.7	14.5	13.5	n/a	11.2	12.1	11.6
Strongly disagree	n/a	8.1	11.0	9.4	n/a	5.6	5.0	5.4
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	21.7	17.4	19.8	n/a	12.9	11.9	12.4

*New question in 2024.

Table 50. I think this school welcomes and respects students...Who have disabilities

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Strongly agree	n/a	37.2	33.7	35.7	n/a	39.9	32.1	36.5
Agree	n/a	39.0	45.9	42.0	n/a	39.7	47.5	43.1
Disagree	n/a	4.5	7.0	5.6	n/a	7.0	8.2	7.5
Strongly disagree	n/a	4.0	5.2	4.6	n/a	3.7	3.2	3.5
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	15.2	8.1	12.2	n/a	9.7	9.0	9.4

*New question in 2024.

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Table 51. What kind of grades do you usually get in school?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Mostly A's	39.0	32.3	41.5	37.7	43.3	32.3	43.4	39.6	47.7	47.0	46.4	47.1
Mostly B's	29.9	42.3	39.6	37.4	30.6	41.6	41.7	37.2	26.7	29.1	30.5	28.6
Mostly C's	9.5	7.2	10.9	9.3	10.4	14.2	11.4	12.0	8.7	11.7	13.4	11.0
Mostly D's	0.0	2.5	1.2	1.2	2.6	2.2	0.0	1.8	1.7	2.3	3.0	2.3
Mostly F's	0.5	3.0	1.8	1.8	0.7	3.5	0.0	1.5	1.3	2.2	1.1	1.6
None of these grades	1.6	1.1	0.0	0.9	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.3	2.1	0.8	0.2	1.1
Don't know/Refused to answer	19.5	11.6	5.0	11.8	11.6	6.2	3.4	7.6	11.8	6.9	5.3	8.3

Table 52. In the past 30 days, have you missed any days of school?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	39.5	54.4	56.8	50.5	39.0	40.0	49.7	42.1	43.2	52.3	64.1	52.0
No	50.4	33.4	35.3	39.6	48.3	43.6	41.0	44.8	40.7	35.8	29.2	35.9
Don't know/Refused to answer	10.0	12.2	7.9	9.9	12.7	16.4	9.2	13.1	16.1	11.9	6.7	12.1

Table 53. During the past 30 days, have you been bullied by another student using any kind of technology, such as texting, the Internet or apps (messaging, social media, games, livestreaming, etc.)?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	9.5	10.7	4.3	8.0	10.2	10.3	4.5	8.7	8.8	8.2	5.3	7.6
No	78.2	78.0	86.3	81.1	77.4	80.8	86.9	81.1	80.6	83.5	88.9	83.9
Don't know/Refused to answer	12.3	11.3	9.4	10.9	12.5	8.9	8.5	10.2	10.5	8.3	5.8	8.5

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Table 54. During the past 30 days, have you ever been bullied AT SCHOOL (including any school events)? This includes in-person bullying and bullying through technology such as texting, the Internet or apps (messaging, social media, games, livestreaming).

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	16.5	22.7	8.5	16.4	16.9	14.8	7.4	13.6
No	69.3	66.2	85.3	72.5	70.9	75.1	86.5	76.6
Don't know/Refused to answer	14.2	11.1	6.2	11.1	12.2	10.1	6.1	9.8

*New question in 2024.

Table 55. During the past 30 days, how often have you felt worried or stressed?

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Not at all	30.6	23.6	21.6	25.9	30.8	24.6	13.9	24.0
Several days	32.1	38.2	38.0	35.7	33.9	36.3	40.4	36.5
More than half the days	10.9	12.9	15.2	12.7	9.0	11.3	15.0	11.4
Nearly every day	18.1	18.7	17.0	18.0	14.9	18.1	24.0	18.5
Don't know/Refused to answer	8.3	6.7	8.2	7.7	11.3	9.7	6.7	9.5

*New question in 2024.

Table 56. During the past year, 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?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	28.0	33.3	39.4	33.8	30.0	35.6	29.1	31.7	22.7	26.9	31.4	26.5
No	50.0	43.5	49.2	47.6	49.4	47.6	52.3	49.5	59.1	57.5	54.4	57.3
Don't know/Refused to answer	22.0	23.3	11.5	18.6	20.5	16.9	18.6	18.8	18.2	15.6	14.3	16.2

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Table 57. During the past year, did you do something to purposely hurt yourself without wanting to die, such as cutting or burning yourself on purpose?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	14.3	13.3	10.9	12.8	16.0	13.8	8.2	13.2	10.9	13.0	12.1	11.9
No	69.5	67.9	81.1	73.1	69.1	79.1	80.6	75.5	75.9	75.4	78.5	76.4
Don't know/Refused to answer	16.3	18.7	8.0	14.1	14.9	7.1	11.2	11.3	13.2	11.6	9.4	11.6

*Question wording changed from 2022.

Table 58. During the past year, did you ever consider attempting suicide?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	7.8	11.1	15.7	11.7	8.4	16.3	9.9	11.5	9.7	12.6	13.5	11.8
No	72.2	67.0	72.3	70.6	74.1	70.0	77.3	73.6	75.6	74.3	75.6	75.2
Don't know/Refused to answer	20.1	21.9	12.0	17.7	17.5	13.7	12.8	15.0	14.7	13.0	10.9	13.1

*Question wording changed from 2022.

Table 59. During the past year, did you attempt suicide?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	4.6	5.6	7.0	5.8	2.3	3.1	2.4	2.6	2.6	3.9	3.4	3.3
No	95.0	93.5	92.5	93.6	87.5	89.0	87.6	88.1	87.2	87.3	90.3	88.1
Don't know/Refused to answer	0.5	0.9	0.5	0.6	10.2	7.9	10.0	9.4	10.2	8.8	6.3	8.6

*Question wording changed from 2022.

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Table 60. There is a teacher or some other adult in my school I feel safe going to if I need help.

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	n/a	n/a	36.9	36.9	68.6	56.1	62.8	62.8	71.6	64.8	69.5	68.6
No	n/a	n/a	37.1	37.1	11.1	21.5	14.5	15.6	11.0	16.2	12.9	13.3
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	n/a	26.1	26.1	20.3	22.4	22.7	21.6	17.4	18.9	17.7	18.0

* Question wording changed from 2022 and question was added to all surveys.

Table 61. How likely are you to go to this teacher or other adult in school if you need help?

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Very likely	36.2	27.3	38.3	34.0	32.4	27.3	27.2	29.3
Somewhat likely	44.1	50.0	45.8	46.4	48.8	49.6	46.2	48.3
Somewhat unlikely	10.7	10.2	6.5	9.5	8.3	11.8	15.0	11.3
Not at all likely	4.0	7.8	6.5	5.8	5.3	6.8	8.1	6.6
Don't know/Refused to answer	5.1	4.7	2.8	4.4	5.2	4.5	3.6	4.5

*New question in 2024, this question was only asked of people who responded "Yes" to "There is a teacher or some other adult in my school I feel safe going to if I need help."

Table 62. Outside of school hours, there is a safe place or person I can go to if I need help.

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	78.7	87.2	77.2	81.2	86.6	84.4	85.3	85.5
No	6.1	5.7	7.0	6.2	4.1	4.9	4.6	4.5
Don't know/Refused to answer	15.2	7.0	15.8	12.6	9.3	10.7	10.1	10.0

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Table 63. How likely are you to go to this safe place or person outside of school if you need help?

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Very likely	64.1	53.3	59.8	59.1	63.9	57.4	54.4	59.1
Somewhat likely	21.8	26.4	28.8	25.2	23.7	29.3	32.1	27.9
Somewhat unlikely	5.8	8.1	3.0	6.0	4.2	5.9	6.7	5.5
Not at all likely	3.9	5.6	3.0	4.3	3.0	3.3	3.5	3.3
Don't know/Refused to answer	4.4	6.6	5.3	5.4	5.1	4.1	3.2	4.2

*New question in 2024, this question was only asked of people who responded "Yes" to "Outside of school hours, there is a safe place or person I can go to if I need help."

Table 64. 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 spent in any kind of physical activity that increased your heart rate and made you breathe hard some of the time.)

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
0 days	5.1	4.0	12.0	7.3	5.8	5.0	6.0	5.6	4.4	4.6	8.7	5.6
1 day	3.0	2.7	6.7	4.2	2.7	5.9	3.0	3.9	3.2	2.7	4.7	3.4
2 days	7.5	5.4	5.0	5.9	3.1	3.6	6.0	4.0	4.4	4.6	7.2	5.2
3 days	6.6	5.3	8.0	6.7	5.4	10.4	6.6	7.4	6.6	7.8	10.9	8.2
4 days	5.8	11.6	9.5	8.9	11.6	12.7	13.3	12.4	7.7	9.4	11.0	9.2
5 days	7.2	11.6	15.2	11.5	10.4	11.8	9.0	10.5	12.2	15.8	14.9	14.2
6 days	6.3	4.3	11.9	7.7	6.9	5.9	6.0	6.3	7.7	8.6	8.3	8.2
7 days	25.0	28.7	19.5	24.2	22.4	14.5	24.7	20.3	27.2	27.1	18.9	25.0
Don't know/Refused to answer	33.4	26.5	12.3	23.5	31.7	30.3	25.3	29.6	26.5	19.3	15.4	21.0

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Table 65. In the past 30 days, how often were you hungry because there was not enough food at home?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Never or almost never	60.4	65.9	69.0	65.3	70.9	71.8	75.8	72.5	76.3	79.0	79.8	78.2
About once a week	9.4	10.1	11.6	10.4	10.9	10.9	4.8	9.3	8.1	7.4	7.3	7.6
2 to 3 times a week	5.9	6.5	6.5	6.3	3.1	3.6	2.4	3.1	3.4	2.9	3.1	3.1
Almost every day	8.0	4.0	3.0	4.9	3.1	2.3	2.4	2.6	2.5	2.0	1.5	2.1
Don't know/Refused to answer	16.2	13.5	9.9	13.1	12.0	11.4	14.5	12.4	9.8	8.6	8.3	9.0

Table 66. During the past 7 days, how many times did you eat fruit? (Do not count fruit juice.)

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
I did not eat fruit during the past 7 days	7.9	6.5	5.6	6.6	6.5	5.9	5.5	6.1	5.3	5.4	6.3	5.6
1 to 3 times during the past 7 days	25.3	28.1	41.1	32.0	19.6	31.5	27.0	25.5	18.5	22.4	28.0	22.4
4 to 6 times during the past 7 days	23.9	20.1	26.1	23.6	20.0	24.7	30.1	24.1	21.2	23.8	24.8	23.1
1 time per day	10.2	9.3	11.0	10.2	11.2	8.2	5.5	8.7	10.2	11.0	11.2	10.8
2 times per day	6.3	10.9	4.5	7.1	10.4	9.6	6.1	9.0	12.8	12.9	11.2	12.5
3 times per day	4.0	4.5	1.7	3.3	9.2	2.3	3.1	5.3	8.7	7.0	4.8	7.0
4 or more times per day	9.0	7.1	1.4	5.6	6.5	6.4	3.7	5.8	9.1	6.1	3.3	6.5
Don't know/Refused to answer	13.4	13.5	8.6	11.7	16.5	11.4	19.0	15.4	14.1	11.5	10.4	12.2

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Table 67. During the past 7 days, how many times did you eat vegetables?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
I did not eat vegetables during the past 7 days	11.2	6.5	6.7	8.1	9.3	8.6	6.7	8.4	7.4	6.5	5.5	6.6
1 to 3 times during the past 7 days	16.3	26.8	31.1	25.0	17.8	26.8	30.1	24.0	18.8	21.1	24.1	21.0
4 to 6 times during the past 7 days	21.7	19.6	30.4	24.2	22.9	20.5	28.2	23.4	20.7	22.4	26.2	22.8
1 time per day	13.3	12.1	11.9	12.4	9.7	11.4	8.6	10.0	12.4	13.8	14.1	13.4
2 times per day	7.9	9.9	4.7	7.3	10.9	7.3	2.5	7.5	11.9	12.7	11.6	12.1
3 times per day	3.5	6.1	2.6	4.0	6.2	3.6	1.8	4.2	7.2	5.9	4.7	6.1
4 or more times per day	10.0	5.6	2.5	5.9	5.0	7.3	4.3	5.6	7.9	5.5	3.4	5.9
Don't know/Refused to answer	16.1	13.4	10.1	13.1	18.2	14.5	17.8	16.8	13.7	12.0	10.3	12.2

Table 68. Five-a-day Consumption of Fruits and Vegetables

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Zero servings per day	3.0	2.2	1.8	2.3	4.0	2.8	2.3	3.1	2.6	2.7	2.6	2.6
Less than one serving per day	14.1	18.0	26.6	20.4	17.8	28.7	30.5	24.9	15.3	17.1	21.1	17.5
One to less than three servings per day	41.7	42.6	56.8	48.1	42.6	45.5	51.9	46.0	43.4	48.4	51.6	47.5
Three to less than five servings per day	17.5	19.9	9.3	14.9	21.3	11.2	9.9	14.9	19.7	17.8	15.5	17.9
Five or more servings per day	23.6	17.4	5.6	14.4	14.4	11.8	5.3	11.2	18.9	14.0	9.1	14.5

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Table 69. During the past 7 days how many times did you drink soda or pop, such as Coke, Pepsi, or Sprite? (Do not include diet soda or diet pop)

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
0 times in past 7 days	23.0	26.7	29.8	26.7	29.1	21.4	23.3	25.0	33.9	29.7	29.8	31.3
1 to 3 times in past 7 days	37.1	44.6	42.7	41.5	34.1	37.7	38.0	36.3	39.2	42.5	41.7	41.0
4 to 6 times in past 7 days	5.3	5.1	11.2	7.4	8.8	13.2	8.0	10.1	6.3	8.3	10.3	8.1
1 time per day	10.0	7.0	5.5	7.4	10.3	10.5	11.0	10.6	6.6	6.1	5.6	6.2
2 times per day	7.2	4.6	1.8	4.4	2.3	3.2	1.2	2.3	2.7	2.5	2.3	2.5
3 times per day	1.2	1.7	1.9	1.6	0.8	0.9	0.6	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.9	0.8
4 or more times per day	5.1	1.2	1.0	2.4	2.7	2.3	1.8	2.3	1.2	1.4	1.3	1.3
Don't know/Refused to answer	11.1	9.0	6.0	8.6	11.9	10.9	16.0	12.6	9.4	8.7	8.0	8.8

ACCESS TO CARE

Table 70. During the past year, did you have any physical health care needs that were not met? (Count any situation where you thought you should see a doctor, nurse, or other health professional.)

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	n/a	4.8	11.9	8.6	n/a	14.7	10.1	12.8	n/a	9.7	11.9	10.6
No	n/a	67.9	70.6	69.4	n/a	59.9	74.1	65.9	n/a	70.0	73.2	71.4
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	27.3	17.5	22.1	n/a	25.3	15.8	21.3	n/a	20.3	14.9	18.0

Table 71. During the past year, did you have any emotional or mental health care needs that were not met? (Count any situation where you thought you should see a counselor, social worker, or other mental health professional.)

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	n/a	9.2	19.1	14.5	n/a	13.2	15.6	14.2	n/a	15.5	19.3	17.1
No	n/a	57.4	64.1	61.0	n/a	61.3	65.6	63.1	n/a	64.2	64.8	64.5
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	33.4	16.8	24.5	n/a	25.5	18.8	22.7	n/a	20.3	15.9	18.4

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Table 72. What things in your life help with your emotional and mental health? You can choose more than one.

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Friends	n/a	76.9	73.4	75.5	n/a	77.0	80.3	78.4
Family	n/a	71.9	60.8	67.3	n/a	68.4	69.2	68.7
A boyfriend, girlfriend or partner	n/a	29.0	37.3	32.5	n/a	22.0	34.0	27.1
Talking to a counselor, therapist or other mental health professional	n/a	13.1	19.6	15.8	n/a	12.2	17.1	14.3
After school programs or activities (clubs, sports, etc.)	n/a	27.1	32.3	29.3	n/a	25.4	30.6	27.6
Exercising	n/a	25.8	44.3	33.5	n/a	34.5	43.5	38.3
Religion/Faith (praying, attending church, gatherings)	n/a	24.4	26.6	25.3	n/a	21.9	22.7	22.3
Journaling	n/a	8.6	8.9	8.7	n/a	9.9	13.7	11.5
Spending time outdoors/in nature	n/a	26.7	29.1	27.7	n/a	28.9	36.6	32.1
Pets/animals	n/a	48.9	46.8	48.0	n/a	49.0	50.6	49.7
Something else fits better	n/a	18.1	7.0	13.5	n/a	17.8	12.5	15.6
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	5.9	10.1	7.7	n/a	5.7	4.8	5.3

*New question in 2024.

Table 73. When did you last go to a doctor or nurse practitioner for a check-up when you were not sick or injured?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
During the past year	48.1	47.8	62.4	53.2	52.1	56.2	64.6	56.6	56.9	61.6	62.1	59.9
Between 1 and 2 years ago	10.7	13.0	13.3	12.4	10.5	12.9	11.4	11.6	10.7	11.2	13.2	11.6
More than 2 years ago	6.3	4.2	5.8	5.4	3.1	2.8	2.5	2.8	3.4	3.1	5.2	3.8
Never	5.8	4.9	5.7	5.5	4.7	1.8	1.9	3.0	3.5	3.2	3.1	3.3
Don't know/Refused to answer	29.1	30.0	12.8	23.4	29.6	26.3	19.6	25.9	25.5	20.9	16.3	21.4

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Table 74. When did you last go to a dentist or dental hygienist for a check-up, exam, teeth cleaning, or other dental work?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
During the past year	58.2	60.1	71.0	63.5	62.1	74.0	71.5	68.6	67.0	72.5	72.4	70.4
Between 1 and 2 years ago	11.3	12.0	10.6	11.3	11.3	7.3	8.9	9.3	9.4	8.1	10.6	9.2
More than 2 years ago	4.2	4.4	6.0	4.9	3.1	2.7	3.2	3.0	3.0	3.2	5.3	3.7
Never	2.1	1.1	0.5	1.2	0.8	1.4	0.6	0.9	1.1	0.9	0.9	1.0
Don't know/Refused to answer	24.2	22.4	11.9	19.1	22.7	14.6	15.8	18.2	19.5	15.3	10.8	15.7

Table 75. Have you ever had a cavity? You can choose more than one.

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
During the past year	23.8	24.6	22.0	23.4	15.6	19.5	17.7	17.5	15.9	15.4	20.0	16.8
Between 1 and 2 years ago	20.9	19.7	21.6	20.7	19.5	20.4	19.0	19.7	18.7	14.2	14.6	16.0
More than 2 years ago	22.1	25.6	32.2	26.9	30.0	25.3	31.0	28.6	23.2	27.6	30.0	26.6
I have never had a cavity	23.9	21.8	19.1	21.5	20.2	19.9	14.6	18.7	31.4	31.2	27.4	30.3
Don't know/Refused to answer	14.8	12.9	11.2	12.9	22.2	19.5	22.2	21.2	16.1	15.0	13.1	14.9

*Totals may not sum to 100% as multiple responses are permitted.

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Table 76. During the past year, did you miss one or more hours of school due to any of the following reasons? You can choose more than one.

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
I had a toothache or painful tooth	n/a	n/a	2.6	2.6	n/a	n/a	2.0	2.0	n/a	n/a	3.7	3.7
My mouth was hurting	n/a	n/a	1.4	1.4	n/a	n/a	2.7	2.7	n/a	n/a	2.9	2.9
I had to go to the dentist because of tooth or mouth pain (Do not include regular check-up visits)	n/a	n/a	3.2	3.2	n/a	n/a	8.8	8.8	n/a	n/a	5.1	5.1
I had to go to the hospital emergency room because of tooth or mouth pain	n/a	n/a	0.0	0.0	n/a	n/a	1.4	1.4	n/a	n/a	0.7	0.7
I had a mouth injury from playing a sport	n/a	n/a	0.0	0.0	n/a	n/a	0.7	0.7	n/a	n/a	1.1	1.1
I did not miss school for any of these reasons	n/a	n/a	81.1	81.1	n/a	n/a	57.4	57.4	n/a	n/a	72.6	72.6
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	n/a	12.7	12.7	n/a	n/a	32.4	32.4	n/a	n/a	17.8	17.8

*Totals may not sum to 100% as multiple responses are permitted.

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Table 77. During the last school year, were you taught in school about how to use a condom to prevent pregnancy or sexually transmitted infections, including HIV?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	n/a	58.4	40.7	44.1	n/a	40.8	25.3	34.2	n/a	51.4	62.6	56.3
No	n/a	41.6	48.0	46.7	n/a	42.7	53.1	47.1	n/a	34.4	28.6	31.9
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	0.0	11.3	9.1	n/a	16.5	21.6	18.7	n/a	14.1	8.8	11.8

*Due to an error in the online questionnaire in 2022, this question was only asked of people who responded "Yes" to ever having sex. Interpret with caution.

Table 78. During the last school year, were you taught in school about how to use birth control methods or where to get birth control?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	n/a	19.6	18.1	18.8	n/a	35.9	19.4	28.9	n/a	37.9	58.6	46.8
No	n/a	60.2	73.1	67.1	n/a	45.9	60.6	52.1	n/a	43.7	31.6	38.5
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	20.2	8.7	14.1	n/a	18.2	20.0	18.9	n/a	18.4	9.7	14.7

Table 79. During the last school year, were you taught in school about healthy and respectful relationships?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	62.6	69.1	56.0	62.3	71.1	63.5	52.5	63.8	64.2	75.9	74.3	71.0
No	15.9	16.2	34.4	22.7	9.0	18.7	30.0	17.6	12.8	13.2	18.1	14.3
Don't know/Refused to answer	21.5	14.7	9.6	15.0	19.9	17.8	17.5	18.6	23.0	10.9	7.7	14.7

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Table 80. Thinking about the education you received during the last school year about healthy and respectful relationships, were LGBTQ2SIA+ (lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer, two-spirit, intersex, asexual, etc.) identities included in any of your classroom instruction?

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes, LGBTQSIA+ identities were included in education on healthy relationships	n/a	n/a	8.3	8.3	n/a	n/a	31.9	31.9
No, LGBTQSIA+ identities were not included in education on healthy relationships	n/a	n/a	20.7	20.7	n/a	n/a	16.6	16.6
I'm not sure if they were included in education on healthy relationships	n/a	n/a	24.1	24.1	n/a	n/a	25.2	25.2
I am not sure if I received any education on healthy relationships	n/a	n/a	13.8	13.8	n/a	n/a	6.2	6.2
I did not receive any education on healthy relationships	n/a	n/a	33.1	33.1	n/a	n/a	20.0	20.0

Table 81. Have you ever had sex or engaged in sexual behavior with another person?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	n/a	9.4	34.1	22.5	n/a	8.8	23.3	14.9	n/a	5.1	26.7	14.4
No	n/a	74.3	55.9	64.5	n/a	84.3	57.9	73.1	n/a	86.3	60.2	75.1
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	16.4	10.0	13.0	n/a	6.9	18.9	12.0	n/a	8.5	13.1	10.5

*Question wording changed from 2022.

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Table 82. How old were you the first time you had sex or engaged in sexual behavior with another person?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
11 years old or younger	n/a	29.0	3.3	7.8	n/a	21.1	8.3	12.7	n/a	23.3	4.0	7.8
12 years old	n/a	29.0	4.1	8.5	n/a	15.8	0.0	5.5	n/a	18.5	2.0	5.3
13 years old	n/a	20.4	1.6	5.0	n/a	31.6	5.6	14.5	n/a	39.5	6.7	13.2
14 years old	n/a	0.0	17.3	14.3	n/a	10.5	19.4	16.4	n/a	9.5	16.2	14.9
15 years old	n/a	0.0	31.3	25.7	n/a	0.0	30.6	20.0	n/a	0.1	31.8	25.5
16 years old	n/a	0.0	34.5	28.4	n/a	0.0	22.2	14.5	n/a	0.0	31.1	24.9
17 years old or older	n/a	0.0	0.0	0.0	n/a	0.0	11.1	7.3	n/a	0.0	2.8	2.2
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	21.7	7.8	10.3	n/a	21.1	2.8	9.1	n/a	9.2	5.4	6.1

*Question wording changed from 2022; 2024 denominator includes only those who responded "Yes" to having ever had sex or engaged in sexual behavior with another person.

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Table 83. The last time you had sex or engaged in sexual behavior, what method(s) did you or your partner use to prevent pregnancy or sexually transmitted infections? You can choose more than one.

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
I have never engaged in sexual behavior or had sexual contact that could lead to pregnancy or a sexually transmitted infection	n/a	23.8	17.1	18.4	n/a	26.3	5.4	12.5	n/a	27.2	13.1	15.9
Condom or other barrier method	n/a	47.6	52.6	51.6	n/a	21.1	45.9	37.5	n/a	25.9	49.1	44.5
Birth control pills	n/a	29.7	23.8	25.0	n/a	10.5	18.9	16.1	n/a	9.4	22.0	19.5
Contraceptive implant (Implanon or Nexplanon)	n/a	5.9	6.1	6.1	n/a	0.0	10.8	7.1	n/a	1.1	7.7	6.3
Contraceptive patch	n/a	0.0	1.5	1.2	n/a	0.0	2.7	1.8	n/a	1.1	1.6	1.5
Contraceptive ring	n/a	0.0	1.5	1.2	n/a	0.0	0.0	0.0	n/a	0.7	0.7	0.7
Depo-Provera (injectable birth control)	n/a	0.0	1.5	1.2	n/a	5.3	2.7	3.6	n/a	1.1	2.1	1.9
Emergency contraception (Plan B/morning after pill)	n/a	0.0	8.3	6.7	n/a	5.3	0.0	1.8	n/a	1.7	3.7	3.3
IUD (intrauterine device such as Mirena or Paragard)	n/a	0.0	1.5	1.2	n/a	0.0	2.7	1.8	n/a	0.7	5.9	4.8
Withdrawal/Pull out	n/a	10.8	1.5	3.3	n/a	15.8	32.4	26.8	n/a	13.6	18.6	17.6
Some other method	n/a	0.0	3.0	2.4	n/a	0.0	2.7	1.8	n/a	3.7	1.9	2.2
No method was used to prevent pregnancy or sexually transmitted infections	n/a	0.0	16.0	12.9	n/a	21.1	10.8	14.3	n/a	12.3	7.2	8.3
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	11.9	6.0	7.2	n/a	5.3	13.5	10.7	n/a	19.3	9.7	11.6

*Question wording changed from 2022; 2024 denominator includes only those who responded "Yes" to having ever had sex or engaged in sexual behavior with another person.

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Table 84. The last time you had sex, what method did you or your partner use to prevent pregnancy?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
High effectiveness	n/a	7.8	6.0	6.4	n/a	0.0	12.5	8.9	n/a	1.5	16.0	13.7
Mid effectiveness	n/a	39.0	29.0	31.0	n/a	15.4	25.0	22.2	n/a	15.9	28.7	26.7
Low effectiveness	n/a	37.6	33.4	34.2	n/a	46.2	40.6	42.2	n/a	45.1	38.0	39.1
Some effectiveness	n/a	0.0	0.0	0.0	n/a	0.0	3.1	2.2	n/a	5.3	1.7	2.2
No methods or not sure	n/a	15.6	20.8	19.8	n/a	30.8	18.8	22.2	n/a	29.4	11.0	13.9
Emergency birth control	n/a	0.0	10.8	8.7	n/a	7.7	0.0	2.2	n/a	2.9	4.6	4.4

*Denominator: Those who had sex or engaged in sexual behavior.

Table 85. During the past year, did someone you were dating, hooking up, hanging out or going out with ever physically hurt you? For example, slapped or shoved you, threw something at you or physically prevented you from doing something, such as leaving?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	4.1	5.5	8.2	6.0	n/a	6.4	5.0	5.8	n/a	4.8	5.1	4.9
No	86.5	82.0	85.1	84.6	n/a	87.2	85.6	86.5	n/a	89.0	88.9	88.9
Don't know/Refused to answer	9.4	12.5	6.7	9.4	n/a	6.4	9.4	7.7	n/a	6.2	6.0	6.1

Table 86. During the past year, did someone you were dating, hooking up, hanging out or going out with ever purposely try to control you, manipulate you or hurt you mentally or emotionally? For example, told you who you could and could not spend time with or what you could or could not wear, humiliated or insulted you in front of others, or tried to control you via social media?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	n/a	n/a	18.4	18.4	n/a	n/a	10.0	10.0	n/a	n/a	13.8	13.8
No	n/a	n/a	73.8	73.8	n/a	n/a	78.8	78.8	n/a	n/a	78.2	78.2
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	n/a	7.8	7.8	n/a	n/a	11.3	11.3	n/a	n/a	8.0	8.0

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Table 87. Has someone you were dating, hooking up, hanging out or going out with ever used your phone, social media or other technology to control or monitor you or shame or embarrass you with something you shared privately?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	n/a	n/a	9.4	9.4	n/a	n/a	6.2	6.2	n/a	n/a	7.2	7.2
No	n/a	n/a	83.1	83.1	n/a	n/a	82.6	82.6	n/a	n/a	86.2	86.2
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	n/a	7.5	7.5	n/a	n/a	11.2	11.2	n/a	n/a	6.5	6.5

Table 88. Have you ever been pressured or forced to engage in sexual behavior when you did not want to?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	n/a	n/a	7.9	7.9	n/a	n/a	8.1	8.1	n/a	n/a	11.8	11.8
No	n/a	n/a	84.1	84.1	n/a	n/a	78.8	78.8	n/a	n/a	79.8	79.8
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	n/a	8.0	8.0	n/a	n/a	13.1	13.1	n/a	n/a	8.4	8.4

Table 89. Has anyone ever touched or grabbed you or made unwanted sexual comments about your body without your permission?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	10.6	20.6	23.2	18.3	n/a	12.8	14.9	13.7	n/a	16.9	22.8	19.4
No	77.5	64.6	69.4	70.5	n/a	77.2	70.2	74.2	n/a	73.7	67.8	71.2
Don't know/Refused to answer	11.9	14.9	7.3	11.2	n/a	10.0	14.9	12.1	n/a	9.4	9.4	9.4

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Table 90. Have you ever witnessed someone at school being physically, emotionally or sexually harmed?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	9.7	23.5	21.3	18.3	n/a	21.4	11.8	17.3	n/a	21.8	17.9	20.1
No	69.5	56.5	68.6	65.0	n/a	63.6	72.7	67.5	n/a	63.8	68.2	65.7
Don't know/Refused to answer	20.8	20.0	10.1	16.7	n/a	15.0	15.5	15.2	n/a	14.5	13.8	14.2

Table 91. Has an adult ever physically hurt you? For example, slapped or shoved you, threw something at you or physically prevented you from leaving when you felt unsafe?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	9.4	10.9	23.8	15.1	n/a	16.8	14.9	16.0	n/a	12.0	14.5	13.1
No	76.0	68.5	70.0	71.5	n/a	73.2	74.5	73.8	n/a	77.2	76.5	76.9
Don't know/Refused to answer	14.6	20.5	6.2	13.4	n/a	10.0	10.6	10.2	n/a	10.7	9.1	10.0

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Table 92. Have you ever had a drink of alcohol other than a few sips?

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	5.8	18.3	24.8	15.1	7.4	13.8	29.2	15.6
No	80.6	66.2	56.5	69.3	78.3	69.8	57.0	69.5
Don't know/Refused to answer	13.6	15.5	18.6	15.6	14.3	16.4	13.8	14.9

*New question in 2024.

Table 93. How old were you when you had your first drink of alcohol other than a few sips?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
I have never had a drink of alcohol other than a few sips	n/a	53.8	46.4	49.9	n/a	0.0	0.0	0.0	n/a	0.0	0.0	0.0
12 years old or younger	n/a	13.3	11.2	12.2	n/a	64.1	23.1	43.6	n/a	55.8	14.8	30.1
13 years old	n/a	7.4	4.4	5.8	n/a	20.5	10.3	15.4	n/a	31.1	10.5	18.2
14 years old	n/a	1.4	3.8	2.7	n/a	7.7	7.7	7.7	n/a	4.2	16.3	11.8
15 years old	n/a	0.0	10.5	5.5	n/a	0.0	25.6	12.8	n/a	0.0	25.7	16.1
16 years old	n/a	0.0	8.0	4.2	n/a	0.0	20.5	10.3	n/a	0.0	23.1	14.5
17 years old or older	n/a	0.0	3.0	1.6	n/a	0.0	2.6	1.3	n/a	0.0	2.5	1.6
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	24.0	12.8	18.1	n/a	7.7	10.3	9.0	n/a	8.8	7.2	7.8

*Denominator for 2022 data is all respondents; denominator for 2024 data is respondents who responded "Yes" to ever having had a drink of alcohol other than a few sips.

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Table 94. During the past 30 days, did you have at least one drink of alcohol?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	3.3	8.1	18.0	10.0	14.3	33.3	35.0	31.2	19.1	28.8	39.5	32.6
No	89.0	89.1	80.4	85.9	85.7	64.1	60.0	65.6	73.3	65.6	55.8	61.9
Don't know/Refused to answer	7.6	2.7	1.6	4.1	0.0	2.6	5.0	3.2	7.5	5.6	4.8	5.5

*Denominator for 2022 data is all respondents; denominator for 2024 data is respondents who responded "Yes" to ever having had a drink of alcohol other than a few sips.

Table 95. During the past 30 days, did you have 5 or more drinks of alcohol in a row, that is, within a couple of hours?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	n/a	1.5	9.5	6.0	n/a	30.8	57.1	44.4	n/a	35.1	44.4	41.6
No	n/a	98.5	90.5	94.0	n/a	53.8	28.6	40.7	n/a	57.7	50.0	52.3
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	0.0	0.0	0.0	n/a	15.4	14.3	14.8	n/a	7.2	5.6	6.1

*Denominator for 2022 data is all respondents; denominator for 2024 data is respondents who responded "Yes" to having at least one drink of alcohol in the past 30 days.

Table 96. Have you ever used marijuana in any form?

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	1.2	11.2	11.1	7.3	1.4	6.0	19.8	8.0
I have never used marijuana in any form	82.2	77.6	71.6	77.8	83.9	85.2	70.4	80.6
Don't know/Refused to answer	16.6	11.2	17.3	14.9	14.8	8.9	9.8	11.3

*New question in 2024.

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Table 97. How old were you when you tried marijuana for the first time?

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
12 years old or younger	n/a	47.8	22.2	36.6	n/a	55.2	12.7	24.3
13 years old	n/a	43.5	33.3	39.0	n/a	34.1	14.5	19.9
14 years old	n/a	4.3	16.7	9.8	n/a	4.8	22.6	17.7
15 years old	n/a	4.3	11.1	7.3	n/a	0.1	25.9	18.8
16 years old	n/a	0.0	16.7	7.3	n/a	0.0	17.9	13.0
17 years old or older	n/a	0.0	0.0	0.0	n/a	0.0	1.8	1.3
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	0.0	0.0	0.0	n/a	5.8	4.6	4.9

*New question in 2024. Denominator is respondents who responded "Yes" to having used marijuana in any form.

Table 98. During the past 30 days, did you use marijuana?

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	33.3	54.2	22.2	40.0	28.5	36.9	42.5	40.1
No	66.7	37.5	72.2	53.3	56.7	58.0	53.9	55.1
Don't know/Refused to answer	0.0	8.3	5.6	6.7	14.8	5.2	3.6	4.7

*New question in 2024. Denominator is respondents who responded "Yes" to having used marijuana in any form.

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Table 99. During the past 30 days, how did you use marijuana?

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Smoked it (in a joint, bong, pipe, blunt)	n/a	66.7	50.0	62.5	n/a	75.8	73.3	73.9
Vaporized it (e.g., vapor pen)	n/a	58.3	25.0	50.0	n/a	66.8	67.2	67.1
Ate it (in brownies, cakes, cookies, candy)	n/a	50.0	0.0	37.5	n/a	39.7	32.5	34.3
Drank it (tea, cola, alcohol)	n/a	8.3	0.0	6.3	n/a	16.5	8.8	10.7
Dabbed it	n/a	25.0	50.0	31.3	n/a	30.7	22.1	24.2
Used in some other way	n/a	8.3	0.0	6.3	n/a	10.5	4.0	5.6
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	0.0	0.0	0.0	n/a	3.7	2.8	3.0

*New question in 2024. Denominator is respondents who responded "Yes" to having used marijuana in the past 30 days. Totals may not sum to 100% as multiple responses are permitted.

Table 100. Have you ever used prescriptions opioid drugs such as Oxycontin, Percocet, Vicodin or Codeine without a doctor's orders or differently than how a doctor told you to use it?

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	2.1	1.9	3.1	2.3	1.0	1.4	2.0	1.4
No	81.1	87.6	87.0	84.9	81.1	89.6	92.7	87.2
Don't know/Refused to answer	16.9	10.5	9.9	12.9	17.9	9.0	5.3	11.3

*New question in 2024.

Table 101. During the past 30 days, did you use prescription opioid drugs such as Oxycontin, Percocet, Vicodin, or Codeine without a doctor's orders or differently than how a doctor told you to use it?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	0.9	0.5	1.0	0.8	40.0	25.0	40.0	35.7	28.9	36.3	24.1	29.6
No	87.3	90.4	94.3	90.9	60.0	50.0	40.0	50.0	53.8	55.9	72.2	61.7
Don't know/Refused to answer	11.7	9.1	4.6	8.3	0.0	25.0	20.0	14.3	17.3	7.8	3.8	8.7

*Denominator for 2022 data is all respondents; denominator for 2024 data is respondents who responded "Yes" to having used prescription opioid drugs without a doctor's order or differently than how a doctor told you to use it.

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Table 102. Have you ever used any drugs such as cocaine, ecstasy, LSD, shrooms (mushrooms that make you high), heroin, fentanyl or meth?

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	n/a	2.8	1.9	2.4	n/a	1.2	3.8	2.3
No	n/a	94.4	91.3	93.0	n/a	95.1	92.5	93.9
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	2.8	6.8	4.5	n/a	3.7	3.7	3.7

*New question in 2024.

Table 103. During the past 30 days, have you used any drugs such as cocaine, ecstasy, LSD, shrooms, heroin, fentanyl or meth?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	n/a	0.5	0.5	0.5	n/a	16.7	33.3	22.2	n/a	40.7	24.7	29.3
No	n/a	91.5	94.7	93.2	n/a	83.3	33.3	66.7	n/a	55.2	73.5	68.2
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	7.9	4.8	6.3	n/a	0.0	33.3	11.1	n/a	4.1	1.8	2.5

*Denominator for 2022 data is all respondents; denominator for 2024 data is respondents who responded "Yes" to having ever used any drugs such as cocaine, ecstasy, LSD, shrooms, heroin, fentanyl or meth.

Table 104. Have you ever used vape, cigarettes or chewing tobacco products? (6th grade)

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	4.6	n/a	n/a	4.6	2.9	n/a	n/a	2.9
No	88.3	n/a	n/a	88.3	91.7	n/a	n/a	91.7
Don't know/Refused to answer	7.1	n/a	n/a	7.1	5.4	n/a	n/a	5.4

*New question in 2024.

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Table 105. During the past 30 days, which products have you used? You can choose more than one. (6th grade)

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Cigarettes	0.0	n/a	n/a	0.0	9.9	n/a	n/a	9.9
Vaping product or other e-cigarettes	27.3	n/a	n/a	27.3	43.5	n/a	n/a	43.5
Chewing tobacco	0.0	n/a	n/a	0.0	4.1	n/a	n/a	4.1
I have not used any of these products	63.6	n/a	n/a	63.6	37.2	n/a	n/a	37.2
Don't know/Refused to answer	0.0	n/a	n/a	0.0	4.6	n/a	n/a	4.6

*New question in 2024. Denominator includes those who responded "Yes" to having ever used vape, cigarettes, or chewing tobacco products. Totals may not sum to 100% as multiple responses are permitted.

Table 106. Have you ever used any vape, e-cigarettes or other tobacco products such cigarettes, chewing tobacco, cigarillos, or hookah? (8th and 11th grades)

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	n/a	14.3	10.1	12.5	n/a	8.2	16.9	12.0
No	n/a	77.1	81.8	79.1	n/a	86.0	77.5	82.3
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	8.6	8.2	8.4	n/a	5.8	5.6	5.7

*New question in 2024.

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Table 107. During the past 30 days, which products have you used? You can choose more than one. (8th and 11th grades)

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Cigarettes	n/a	3.3	20.0	8.9	n/a	11.5	15.1	13.7
Vaping product or other e-cigarettes	n/a	46.7	46.7	46.7	n/a	49.2	51.7	50.7
Chewing tobacco, such as Skoal or Copenhagen	n/a	0.0	13.3	4.4	n/a	4.3	4.4	4.4
Cigarillos or little cigars, such as Swisher Sweets	n/a	0.0	0.0	0.0	n/a	3.4	3.9	3.7
Hookah or waterpipe	n/a	0.0	0.0	0.0	n/a	3.0	2.5	2.7
Any other tobacco product	n/a	3.3	6.7	4.4	n/a	3.9	4.4	4.2
I have not used any of these products	n/a	43.3	46.7	44.4	n/a	37.7	37.9	37.8
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	10.0	0.0	6.7	n/a	10.5	6.9	8.3

*Denominator for 2022 includes all students; denominator for 2024 includes those who responded "Yes" to having ever used vape, cigarettes, or chewing tobacco products. Totals may not sum to 100% as multiple responses are permitted.

Table 108. Tobacco and cigarette use in the past 30 days.

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes, used tobacco.	1.7	9.4	15.1	9.3	30.0	51.9	53.3	48.1	57.0	57.9	59.3	58.6
No, didn't use tobacco.	98.3	90.6	84.9	90.7	70.0	48.1	46.7	51.9	43.0	42.1	40.7	41.4
Yes, used cigarettes	0.0	1.1	0.5	0.6	0.0	3.3	20.0	7.1	9.9	11.5	15.1	13.2
No, didn't use cigarettes.	100.0	98.9	99.5	99.4	100.0	96.7	80.0	92.9	90.1	88.5	84.9	86.8

*Denominator for 2022 includes all students; denominator for 2024 includes those who responded "Yes" to having ever used vape, cigarettes, or chewing tobacco products.

**Denominator for all years excludes those who responded, "I am not sure", "I don't know what this question is asking", and "I prefer not to answer".

Table 109. In the past month, have you seen advertising promoting tobacco or a vaping products at a store, on billboards, or online?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	n/a	n/a	52.1	52.1	n/a	n/a	53.1	53.1	n/a	n/a	53.5	53.5
No	n/a	n/a	33.3	33.3	n/a	n/a	37.7	37.7	n/a	n/a	36.4	36.4
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	n/a	14.6	14.6	n/a	n/a	9.3	9.3	n/a	n/a	10.1	10.1

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Table 110. In the past month, have you smoked menthol cigarettes?

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	n/a	n/a	66.7	66.7	n/a	n/a	48.2	48.2
No	n/a	n/a	33.3	33.3	n/a	n/a	45.2	45.2
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	n/a	0.0	0.0	n/a	n/a	6.6	6.6

*Denominator for 2022 data is all respondents; denominator for 2024 data is respondents who responded "Yes" to having used cigarettes in the past 30 days.

Table 111. The very first time you used any tobacco or vaping product, which type of product did you use?

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Cigarette	n/a	n/a	25.0	25.0	n/a	n/a	20.0	20.0
Chewing tobacco	n/a	n/a	0.0	0.0	n/a	n/a	2.2	2.2
Cigarillo or small cigar	n/a	n/a	0.0	0.0	n/a	n/a	1.2	1.2
Hookah	n/a	n/a	0.0	0.0	n/a	n/a	1.1	1.1
E-cigarette or other vaping product	n/a	n/a	75.0	75.0	n/a	n/a	70.2	70.2
Another type of product	n/a	n/a	0.0	0.0	n/a	n/a	1.4	1.4
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	n/a	0.0	0.0	n/a	n/a	3.9	3.9

*Denominator is respondents who responded "Yes" to having used tobacco or vaping products in the past 30 days.

Table 112. In the past month, have you used any flavored tobacco or vaping product such as mint, fruit, coffee, candy, or other flavors? Exclude marijuana.

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	n/a	n/a	87.5	63.6	n/a	n/a	78.3	73.7
No	n/a	n/a	12.5	31.8	n/a	n/a	18.9	22.5
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	n/a	0.0	4.5	n/a	n/a	2.8	3.7

*Denominator is respondents who responded "Yes" to having used tobacco or vaping products in the past 30 days.

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Table 113. In the past month, where did you get your tobacco or vaping products? You can choose more than one.

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
A store or gas station	n/a	0.0	25.0	9.1	n/a	6.5	11.9	9.9
Friends or family members 21 or older	n/a	14.3	37.5	22.7	n/a	17.6	22.2	20.5
Friends or family members under 21	n/a	71.4	12.5	50.0	n/a	35.9	29.8	32.1
The Internet	n/a	7.1	0.0	4.5	n/a	6.0	4.4	5.0
Some other source	n/a	0.0	12.5	4.5	n/a	12.0	14.8	13.7
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	28.6	37.5	31.8	n/a	38.7	37.0	37.6

*Denominator is respondents who responded "Yes" to having used tobacco or vaping products in the past 30 days. Totals may not sum to 100% as multiple responses are permitted.

Table 114. 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?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
No Risk	22.5	15.4	7.7	14.8	19.2	7.7	7.6	12.2	18.0	11.6	7.9	13.0
Slight Risk	12.9	22.9	23.0	19.8	11.7	10.6	12.0	11.4	13.2	13.3	14.3	13.5
Moderate Risk	18.1	24.7	35.8	26.7	28.8	26.4	31.0	28.5	25.2	28.6	32.1	28.3
Great Risk	19.4	22.0	24.7	22.1	22.5	30.8	26.6	26.4	24.3	29.3	33.1	28.5
Don't know/Refused to answer	27.1	15.1	8.8	16.5	17.9	24.5	22.8	21.5	19.4	17.2	12.6	16.8

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Table 115. 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?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
No Risk	24.8	10.8	5.6	13.3	19.3	6.7	5.8	11.4	17.9	10.5	7.0	12.3
Slight Risk	5.3	9.4	7.7	7.5	6.4	5.3	3.8	5.4	4.8	5.6	6.0	5.4
Moderate Risk	6.5	21.5	16.3	14.9	12.9	16.8	13.5	14.4	12.8	14.6	14.3	13.8
Great Risk	41.2	43.8	61.1	49.4	46.4	48.6	55.1	49.4	48.3	53.9	61.4	53.8
Don't know/Refused to answer	22.2	14.5	9.3	15.0	15.0	22.6	21.8	19.4	16.3	15.5	11.3	14.6

Table 116. How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Use e-cigarettes or other vaping products, such as Juul?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
No Risk	19.5	10.8	5.1	11.5	16.8	6.3	6.3	10.5	17.3	10.4	6.8	12.0
Slight Risk	7.3	14.1	16.2	12.7	8.4	10.7	9.4	9.5	7.5	9.2	10.7	9.0
Moderate Risk	17.3	25.0	35.8	26.5	22.7	25.9	27.0	24.9	20.9	26.3	30.3	25.4
Great Risk	27.9	32.8	33.5	31.5	29.8	34.6	34.6	32.7	33.8	37.4	40.2	36.8
Don't know/Refused to answer	28.0	17.4	9.4	17.8	22.3	22.4	22.6	22.4	20.5	16.7	12.1	16.8

Table 117. How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Use marijuana regularly (once or twice a week)?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
No Risk	24.3	16.8	15.4	18.6	19.9	9.4	8.2	13.2	18.8	13.5	13.7	15.5
Slight Risk	8.0	19.1	25.3	17.9	9.3	11.3	13.3	11.1	8.2	13.2	24.4	14.4
Moderate Risk	15.7	25.6	30.8	24.5	21.6	23.6	21.5	22.3	18.5	22.8	25.7	22.0
Great Risk	25.0	22.2	18.6	21.7	28.4	32.0	33.5	31.0	33.2	33.7	24.3	30.9
Don't know/Refused to answer	27.0	16.3	9.9	17.2	20.8	23.6	23.4	22.4	21.3	16.8	12.0	17.2

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Table 118. 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?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
No Risk	22.1	10.2	4.7	11.9	18.3	6.8	5.8	11.1	18.0	10.4	5.8	12.0
Slight Risk	1.7	3.9	3.4	3.0	3.8	5.3	3.9	4.4	2.9	3.2	3.6	3.2
Moderate Risk	9.9	13.4	10.7	11.3	6.4	12.1	12.3	9.9	10.4	12.8	13.8	12.2
Great Risk	41.1	56.1	71.0	56.9	51.1	52.4	57.8	53.3	50.0	57.4	65.2	56.7
Don't know/Refused to answer	25.2	16.3	10.3	16.9	20.4	23.3	20.1	21.3	18.6	16.2	11.6	15.9

Table 119. How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: Have one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Very wrong	66.9	67.1	70.6	68.4	67.4	67.5	57.6	64.8	71.1	70.7	67.9	70.1
Wrong	11.0	15.1	17.4	14.7	12.3	11.5	13.3	12.3	10.4	12.5	16.0	12.7
A little bit wrong	1.9	2.8	4.7	3.2	4.7	5.3	7.0	5.5	3.0	3.2	4.5	3.5
Not wrong at all	3.2	2.1	1.3	2.1	3.0	1.0	2.5	2.2	3.7	2.6	2.3	2.9
Don't know/Refused to answer	17.0	12.9	6.0	11.6	12.7	14.8	19.6	15.3	11.7	11.0	9.2	10.8

Table 120. How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: Smoke cigarettes?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Very wrong	72.7	77.8	80.1	77.1	69.7	73.9	63.7	69.6	76.7	75.8	74.9	75.9
Wrong	7.9	7.6	11.2	9.0	11.1	9.2	10.2	10.2	7.8	9.9	12.7	9.9
A little bit wrong	1.5	1.2	2.8	1.9	3.0	1.9	5.1	3.2	1.5	1.6	2.4	1.8
Not wrong at all	2.5	0.6	0.0	0.9	3.8	0.5	1.3	2.0	3.3	2.2	1.6	2.4
Don't know/Refused to answer	15.5	12.9	5.9	11.1	12.4	14.5	19.7	15.1	10.7	10.5	8.4	10.0

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Table 121. How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: Use marijuana?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Very wrong	74.2	73.6	67.4	71.5	68.0	70.0	61.4	66.9	75.9	72.9	62.1	71.0
Wrong	3.5	8.6	12.1	8.3	11.7	7.7	12.0	10.4	6.4	9.9	15.3	10.1
A little bit wrong	2.8	3.3	10.9	6.0	3.9	4.3	3.8	4.0	1.7	3.3	9.1	4.3
Not wrong at all	4.3	0.6	3.4	2.8	2.6	1.9	2.5	2.3	3.4	3.0	4.4	3.5
Don't know/Refused to answer	15.3	13.9	6.3	11.5	13.9	15.9	20.3	16.3	12.8	10.9	9.1	11.1

Table 122. How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: Use prescription drugs not prescribed to you?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Very wrong	74.6	75.2	85.8	79.0	74.6	77.5	66.7	73.5	77.6	78.2	79.4	78.3
Wrong	3.2	9.3	6.8	6.5	6.6	3.9	9.6	6.5	6.2	7.8	9.0	7.5
A little bit wrong	0.5	2.3	0.9	1.2	0.9	1.0	3.2	1.5	0.9	0.9	1.4	1.0
Not wrong at all	3.2	0.6	1.0	1.6	3.5	2.5	1.3	2.6	3.4	2.3	1.6	2.5
Don't know/Refused to answer	18.4	12.5	5.5	11.7	14.5	15.2	19.2	16.0	12.0	10.8	8.5	10.6

Table 123. How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: Have one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Very wrong	48.9	30.1	32.6	36.9	52.3	38.3	34.4	42.9	55.2	46.9	37.7	47.5
Wrong	17.2	28.3	26.4	24.1	20.9	24.4	22.1	22.4	19.4	23.3	26.2	22.6
A little bit wrong	5.8	17.0	18.3	14.0	6.7	11.0	16.9	10.8	4.8	8.5	14.3	8.7
Not wrong at all	3.9	7.6	11.7	8.0	3.3	5.3	4.5	4.3	4.1	5.1	8.4	5.6
Don't know/Refused to answer	24.2	17.0	11.0	17.1	16.7	21.1	22.1	19.6	16.5	16.2	13.4	15.5

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Table 124. How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: Smoke cigarettes?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Very wrong	55.3	36.4	50.1	47.4	55.9	46.4	41.1	48.8	60.0	51.3	42.7	52.2
Wrong	16.1	29.7	22.3	22.7	20.2	22.2	22.5	21.5	17.1	21.9	25.6	21.1
A little bit wrong	2.4	11.6	11.1	8.6	2.9	7.2	11.9	6.7	3.5	6.5	11.5	6.7
Not wrong at all	3.7	6.4	6.9	5.8	4.2	2.9	2.0	3.2	3.7	4.5	7.2	4.9
Don't know/Refused to answer	22.5	15.9	9.5	15.6	16.8	21.3	22.5	19.8	15.8	15.8	13.0	15.0

Table 125. How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: Use marijuana?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Very wrong	60.6	33.9	34.5	42.4	57.0	42.0	36.6	46.6	61.4	50.3	32.8	49.7
Wrong	10.9	26.4	17.2	18.2	16.9	18.4	22.2	18.8	14.6	20.0	20.3	18.1
A little bit wrong	2.7	11.6	17.7	11.1	4.2	9.2	14.4	8.5	2.8	7.6	16.4	8.2
Not wrong at all	4.2	10.4	20.1	12.1	3.8	8.2	4.6	5.5	3.8	6.3	17.2	8.3
Don't know/Refused to answer	21.6	17.7	10.5	16.2	18.1	22.2	22.2	20.6	17.4	15.9	13.3	15.7

Table 126. How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: Use prescription drugs not prescribed to you?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Very wrong	58.9	41.3	61.0	54.0	57.6	51.5	48.3	53.1	62.2	56.2	54.1	57.9
Wrong	11.9	25.3	19.0	18.8	16.9	18.0	20.5	18.2	14.7	19.5	22.4	18.5
A little bit wrong	1.7	9.0	5.5	5.4	2.1	6.3	9.3	5.4	2.4	4.7	6.7	4.4
Not wrong at all	3.2	5.5	3.4	4.0	3.8	4.4	0.0	3.0	3.7	3.6	3.9	3.7
Don't know/Refused to answer	24.3	18.9	11.1	17.7	19.5	19.9	21.9	20.2	17.0	16.0	12.9	15.5

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Table 127. If you wanted to, how easy would it be for you to get: Beer, wine or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey or gin)?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Very easy	n/a	20.2	31.8	26.5	n/a	6.8	12.8	9.4	n/a	12.0	19.4	15.3
Sort of easy	n/a	14.5	17.2	15.9	n/a	15.5	21.8	18.2	n/a	16.1	21.7	18.6
Sort of hard	n/a	14.9	14.2	14.5	n/a	13.5	8.3	11.3	n/a	16.2	16.6	16.4
Very hard	n/a	25.1	23.7	24.3	n/a	34.8	27.6	31.7	n/a	33.6	23.3	29.1
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	25.4	13.0	18.7	n/a	29.5	29.5	29.5	n/a	22.0	19.0	20.7
Easy to get	n/a	46.4	56.4	52.2	n/a	31.5	49.1	39.1	n/a	36.1	50.8	42.7
Hard to get	n/a	53.6	43.6	47.8	n/a	68.5	50.9	60.9	n/a	63.9	49.2	57.3

*Easy to get is the sum of very easy and sort of easy; Hard to get is the sum of sort of hard and very hard. Both measures exclude "Don't know/Refused to answer" from the calculation.

Table 128. If you wanted to, how easy would it be for you to get: Cigarettes?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Very easy	n/a	13.7	13.0	13.3	n/a	5.3	7.7	6.3	n/a	5.8	10.5	7.9
Sort of easy	n/a	8.8	21.4	15.6	n/a	6.7	13.5	9.6	n/a	6.8	11.8	9.0
Sort of hard	n/a	14.4	16.9	15.7	n/a	16.3	12.2	14.5	n/a	14.3	18.9	16.3
Very hard	n/a	36.7	35.6	36.1	n/a	42.6	37.8	40.5	n/a	51.3	39.4	46.0
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	26.5	13.0	19.3	n/a	29.2	28.8	29.0	n/a	21.8	19.4	20.7
Easy to get	n/a	30.5	39.6	35.8	n/a	16.9	29.7	22.4	n/a	16.2	27.7	21.3
Hard to get	n/a	69.5	60.4	64.2	n/a	83.1	70.3	77.6	n/a	83.8	72.3	78.7

*Easy to get is the sum of very easy and sort of easy; Hard to get is the sum of sort of hard and very hard. Both measures exclude "Don't know/Refused to answer" from the calculation.

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Table 129. If you wanted to, how easy would it be for you to get: E-cigarettes or other vaping products, such as Juul?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Very easy	n/a	13.9	30.0	22.5	n/a	8.7	13.6	10.8	n/a	8.5	17.6	12.5
Sort of easy	n/a	11.1	18.9	15.2	n/a	9.6	17.5	13.0	n/a	9.7	16.0	12.5
Sort of hard	n/a	13.7	13.6	13.6	n/a	13.0	7.1	10.5	n/a	12.6	15.3	13.7
Very hard	n/a	34.9	25.9	30.0	n/a	40.9	31.8	37.0	n/a	47.6	32.3	40.8
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	26.5	11.7	18.6	n/a	27.9	29.9	28.7	n/a	21.6	18.9	20.4
Easy to get	n/a	33.9	55.3	46.4	n/a	25.3	44.4	33.3	n/a	23.3	41.4	31.4
Hard to get	n/a	66.1	44.7	53.6	n/a	74.7	55.6	66.7	n/a	76.7	58.6	68.6

*Easy to get is the sum of very easy and sort of easy; Hard to get is the sum of sort of hard and very hard. Both measures exclude "Don't know/Refused to answer" from the calculation.

Table 130. If you wanted to, how easy would it be for you to get: Marijuana?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Very easy	n/a	11.9	29.1	21.2	n/a	8.2	15.5	11.3	n/a	7.4	18.5	12.3
Sort of easy	n/a	9.9	19.2	14.9	n/a	5.8	12.9	8.8	n/a	7.1	15.1	10.6
Sort of hard	n/a	11.6	13.7	12.7	n/a	10.6	6.5	8.8	n/a	11.0	14.3	12.5
Very hard	n/a	38.4	25.0	31.2	n/a	45.7	35.5	41.3	n/a	52.7	33.0	44.0
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	28.2	13.1	20.1	n/a	29.8	29.7	29.8	n/a	21.9	19.1	20.6
Easy to get	n/a	30.4	55.6	45.1	n/a	19.9	40.4	28.6	n/a	18.5	41.5	28.9
Hard to get	n/a	69.6	44.4	54.9	n/a	80.1	59.6	71.4	n/a	81.5	58.5	71.1

*Easy to get is the sum of very easy and sort of easy; Hard to get is the sum of sort of hard and very hard. Both measures exclude "Don't know/Refused to answer" from the calculation.

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Table 131. If you wanted to, how easy would it be for you to get: Prescription drugs not prescribed to you?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Very easy	n/a	14.6	12.4	13.4	n/a	7.7	7.1	7.4	n/a	7.1	8.6	7.8
Sort of easy	n/a	11.8	11.4	11.6	n/a	6.7	6.4	6.6	n/a	7.4	8.9	8.1
Sort of hard	n/a	12.7	19.4	16.3	n/a	10.0	8.3	9.3	n/a	11.7	15.4	13.4
Very hard	n/a	35.5	42.3	39.1	n/a	46.9	46.8	46.8	n/a	51.5	46.4	49.2
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	25.4	14.5	19.6	n/a	28.7	31.4	29.9	n/a	22.2	20.7	21.5
Easy to get	n/a	35.3	27.9	31.1	n/a	20.1	19.6	19.9	n/a	18.7	22.1	20.2
Hard to get	n/a	64.7	72.1	68.9	n/a	79.9	80.4	80.1	n/a	81.3	77.9	79.8

*Easy to get is the sum of very easy and sort of easy; Hard to get is the sum of sort of hard and very hard. Both measures exclude "Don't know/Refused to answer" from the calculation.

Table 132. If you wanted to, how easy would it be for you to get: Shrooms (mushrooms that make you high) or psilocybin?

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Very easy	n/a	2.4	5.2	3.6	n/a	2.9	6.2	4.3
Sort of easy	n/a	3.8	4.5	4.1	n/a	2.9	7.0	4.7
Sort of hard	n/a	8.1	10.3	9.1	n/a	8.2	13.3	10.4
Very hard	n/a	55.0	47.1	51.6	n/a	62.9	52.2	58.2
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	30.6	32.9	31.6	n/a	23.1	21.3	22.3
Easy to get	n/a	9.0	14.4	11.2	n/a	7.6	16.7	11.7
Hard to get	n/a	91.0	85.6	88.8	n/a	92.4	83.3	88.3

*New question in 2024. Easy to get is the sum of very easy and sort of easy; Hard to get is the sum of sort of hard and very hard. Both measures exclude "Don't know/Refused to answer" from the calculation.

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Table 133. If you wanted to, how easy would it be for you to get: Other drugs such as cocaine, ecstasy, LSD, heroin, fentanyl or meth?

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Very easy	n/a	1.0	1.9	1.4	n/a	2.3	3.7	2.9
Sort of easy	n/a	1.0	5.2	2.8	n/a	1.6	3.6	2.5
Sort of hard	n/a	5.8	8.4	6.9	n/a	6.4	9.5	7.8
Very hard	n/a	61.5	52.9	57.9	n/a	67.2	62.0	64.9
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	30.8	31.6	31.1	n/a	22.5	21.2	22.0
Easy to get	n/a	2.8	10.4	6.0	n/a	5.1	9.2	6.9
Hard to get	n/a	97.2	89.6	94.0	n/a	94.9	90.8	93.1

*New question in 2024. Easy to get is the sum of very easy and sort of easy; Hard to get is the sum of sort of hard and very hard. Both measures exclude "Don't know/Refused to answer" from the calculation.

Table 134. If you wanted to, how easy would it be for you to get: A loaded gun without a parent or other adult's permission?

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Very easy	n/a	5.4	10.3	7.6	n/a	5.7	7.9	6.7
Sort of easy	n/a	4.0	11.6	7.3	n/a	6.1	7.3	6.7
Sort of hard	n/a	10.9	8.4	9.8	n/a	11.0	11.8	11.4
Very hard	n/a	51.0	37.4	45.1	n/a	55.5	52.5	54.2
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	28.7	32.3	30.3	n/a	21.7	20.4	21.1
Easy to get	n/a	13.2	32.4	21.3	n/a	15.1	19.2	16.9
Hard to get	n/a	86.8	67.6	78.7	n/a	84.9	80.8	83.1

*New question in 2024. Easy to get is the sum of very easy and sort of easy; Hard to get is the sum of sort of hard and very hard. Both measures exclude "Don't know/Refused to answer" from the calculation.

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Table 135. There is a place or person I can go to if I need help with substance use problems for me or someone I care about.

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes	n/a	n/a	65.6	65.6	n/a	n/a	74.8	74.8
No	n/a	n/a	8.3	8.3	n/a	n/a	6.9	6.9
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	n/a	26.1	26.1	n/a	n/a	18.2	18.2

*New question in 2024.

Table 136. Gambling, or betting, involves the risking of something of value (money, a watch, a soda, etc.) on a game or event in order to win money or something of value. Please choose ALL the types of gambling that you have done in the last 3 months.

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
I did not gamble in the last 3 months	43.5	51.4	75.5	57.7	46.8	42.9	59.9	48.8	54.7	55.3	66.2	58.1
Sporting events where I was not playing (betting on a sporting event outcome, score, raffle, pool, etc.)	6.3	12.5	13.4	10.1	3.4	6.4	2.6	4.3	3.3	5.3	5.3	4.6
Skill games where I was playing (sports, video games, dares, etc.)	21.2	19.5	23.5	21.1	11.6	15.3	7.2	11.7	8.9	11.3	9.2	9.8
Games of chance where I was playing (cards, dice, Loteria, etc.)	4.7	20.3	28.9	15.6	9.9	11.8	6.6	9.7	5.5	9.2	8.6	7.6
Lottery games (scratchoffs, PowerBall®, Megabucks™, etc.)	1.7	2.3	5.9	2.8	0.9	2.5	1.3	1.5	2.1	2.9	2.6	2.5
Internet/online gambling activities (using real money to purchase tokens or loot boxes for e-sports, casino games, video games, etc.)	5.9	4.6	12.3	6.8	1.7	3.0	2.6	2.4	2.3	4.1	4.7	3.6
Other activities where I bet or gambled	2.5	11.4	7.5	6.9	1.7	3.4	0.0	1.9	2.8	3.4	2.5	2.9
Don't know/Refused to answer	40.4	25.9	10.5	24.8	31.3	32.5	26.3	30.4	28.3	23.6	16.1	23.3

*Totals may not sum to 100% as multiple responses are permitted.

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Table 137. Gambled in the past 3 months

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Yes, I have gambled in the past 3 months	26.9	30.7	15.6	23.2	31.9	36.5	18.8	29.8	23.8	27.7	21.2	24.3
No, I haven't gambled in the past 3 months	73.1	69.3	84.4	76.8	68.1	63.5	81.3	70.2	76.2	72.3	78.8	75.7

*Denominator excludes those who say "I am not sure", "I don't know what this question is asking", and "I prefer not to answer".

Table 138. During the last 3 months, how often have you... Skipped hanging out with friends or family who do not gamble or bet to hang out with friends or family who do gamble or bet?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Never	n/a	n/a	98.4	98.4	n/a	n/a	75.0	75.0	n/a	n/a	85.7	85.7
Sometimes	n/a	n/a	1.0	1.0	n/a	n/a	10.0	10.0	n/a	n/a	4.7	4.7
Most of the time	n/a	n/a	0.0	0.0	n/a	n/a	0.0	0.0	n/a	n/a	1.1	1.1
Almost Always	n/a	n/a	0.0	0.0	n/a	n/a	0.0	0.0	n/a	n/a	2.0	2.0
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	n/a	0.6	0.6	n/a	n/a	15.0	15.0	n/a	n/a	6.5	6.5

*Denominator is respondents who responded "Yes" to having gambled in the past 3 months.

Table 139. During the last 3 months, how often have you... Felt that you might have a problem with gambling or betting?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Never	n/a	n/a	99.4	99.4	n/a	n/a	70.0	70.0	n/a	n/a	83.2	83.2
Sometimes	n/a	n/a	0.0	0.0	n/a	n/a	5.0	5.0	n/a	n/a	8.7	8.7
Most of the time	n/a	n/a	0.0	0.0	n/a	n/a	5.0	5.0	n/a	n/a	1.8	1.8
Almost Always	n/a	n/a	0.6	0.6	n/a	n/a	0.0	0.0	n/a	n/a	2.2	2.2
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	n/a	0.0	0.0	n/a	n/a	20.0	20.0	n/a	n/a	4.1	4.1

*Denominator is respondents who responded "Yes" to having gambled in the past 3 months.

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Table 140. During the last 3 months, how often have you... Hidden your gambling or betting from your parents, other family members or teachers?

	County 2022				County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
Never	n/a	n/a	98.8	98.8	n/a	n/a	80.0	80.0	n/a	n/a	87.6	87.6
Sometimes	n/a	n/a	0.0	0.0	n/a	n/a	0.0	0.0	n/a	n/a	3.7	3.7
Most of the time	n/a	n/a	0.6	0.6	n/a	n/a	0.0	0.0	n/a	n/a	1.6	1.6
Almost Always	n/a	n/a	0.0	0.0	n/a	n/a	0.0	0.0	n/a	n/a	2.8	2.8
Don't know/Refused to answer	n/a	n/a	0.6	0.6	n/a	n/a	20.0	20.0	n/a	n/a	4.4	4.4

*Denominator is respondents who responded "Yes" to having gambled in the past 3 months.

Table 141. How honest were you in answering the questions?

	County 2024				State 2024			
	6th	8th	11th	Total	6th	8th	11th	Total
I was very honest	86.9	74.3	76.0	79.7	86.9	79.2	78.8	82.0
I was honest most of the time	13.1	25.7	24.0	20.3	13.1	20.8	21.2	18.0

*New question in 2024. Respondents who responded, "I was honest once in a while" and "I was not honest at all" were marked as invalid and not included in survey results.

DRUG-FREE COMMUNITIES CORE MEASURES REPORTING

DRUG-FREE COMMUNITIES

Risk factors are associated with drug use and other problem behaviors (delinquent and antisocial behavior, school drop-out and teenage pregnancy). While exposure to one risk factor does not determine if a child will have problems later in life, research shows that exposure to a greater number of risk factors increases a young person's risk exponentially.

The Drug-Free Communities (DFC) Support Program (<https://www.samhsa.gov/about/offices-centers/csap>), administered by the Center for Substance Abuse Prevention, is the nation's leading effort to mobilize communities to prevent and reduce substance use among youth.

More than 700 community coalitions across the country receive funding up to \$125,000 per year to strengthen collaboration among local partners to create or strengthen infrastructure that reduces youth substance use. The grant funding for this requires specific data referred to as the Core Measures. We included additional questions about e-cigarette use for added context about substance use among youth.

DFC programs are required to report on four (4) categories:

- Alcohol;
- Tobacco;
- Marijuana; and
- Prescription drugs not prescribed by a doctor.

Required DFC Reporting

The table on the following page includes all of the information required for DFC reporting.



APPENDIX II: DRUG-FREE COMMUNITIES CORE MEASURES REPORTING

Core Measure	Definition	Substance	6th		8th		11th	
			Percent	Sample	Percent	Sample	Percent	Sample
Perception of risk (People are at moderate or great risk of harming themselves if they...)	Have five or more drinks of an alcoholic beverage once or twice a week?	Binge drinking	62.4	197	75.8	157	74.6	122
	Smoke one or more packs of cigarettes per day?	Cigarettes	69.7	198	84.5	161	87.7	122
	Use e-cigarettes or other vaping products, such as Juul?	E-cigarettes	67.6	185	78.0	159	79.7	123
	Use marijuana regularly (once or twice a week)?	Marijuana	63.1	187	72.9	155	71.9	121
	Use prescription drugs that are not prescribed to them?	Prescription drugs	72.2	187	84.2	158	87.8	123
Perception of parental disapproval (Parents feel it would be wrong or very wrong to...)	Have one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day?	Regular drinking	91.3	206	92.7	178	88.2	127
	Smoke cigarettes?	Cigarettes	92.2	205	97.2	177	92.1	126
	Use Marijuana?	Marijuana	92.5	199	92.5	174	92.1	126
	Use prescription drugs not prescribed to you?	Prescription drugs	94.9	195	96.0	173	94.4	126
Perception of peer disapproval (Friends feel it would be wrong or very wrong to...)	Have one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day?	Regular drinking	87.9	199	79.4	165	72.5	120
	Smoke cigarettes?	Cigarettes	91.4	198	87.1	163	82.1	117
	Use Marijuana?	Marijuana	90.2	194	77.6	161	75.6	119
	Use prescription drugs not prescribed to you?	Prescription drugs	92.6	190	86.7	165	88.1	118
Past 30-day use (at least one use in the past 30 days)	Had beer, wine, or hard liquor?	Alcohol	1.0	209	7.3	179	10.9	129
	Smoked cigarettes?	Cigarettes	0.0	222	0.5	189	2.1	145
	Use e-cigarettes or other vaping products, such as Juul?	E-cigarettes	1.4	222	7.4	189	4.8	145
	Used marijuana?	Marijuana	0.5	201	6.9	188	3.0	133
	Prescription drugs?	Prescription drugs	1.0	202	0.5	186	1.4	145

* For Past 30-Day Use, Perception of Risk, and Perception of Parental/Peer Disapproval, the "Sample" column represents the sample size - the number of people who answered the question and whose responses were used to determine the percentage. The "Percent" column represents the percentage of youth in the sample answering the question as specified in the definition.

APPENDIX III: METHODOLOGY

The 2024 SHS was designed to be administered online to 6th, 8th and 11th graders statewide in one classroom period to provide state- and county-level estimates.

The sampling frame is based on the Oregon Department of Education's (ODE) Fall Membership Report for 2023-2024 and consists of public schools in Oregon with 6th, 8th and 11th grade enrollment of at least 10 students within the grade. The following types of schools were excluded from the sampling frame:

- State run schools/Schools with no associated school district, such as:
 - » Juvenile justice facilities
 - » Treatment facilities
 - » Boarding schools

HB 2656 requires districts to make the SHS available to students. Students may choose not to take the survey or may refuse to answer any question on the survey. Since the survey covers a comprehensive range of health-related topics, some of the questions can be considered sensitive. There are opportunities for districts, parents/guardians and students to choose whether or not to participate.

SHS uses an active notification/passive consent model for the survey. Once district approval is received, schools send Parental Notification letters to parents and guardians at least two weeks prior to survey administration to inform them of the upcoming survey and provide an opportunity to opt their student out of the survey. The parent letters were available in English, Spanish, Russian, simplified Chinese, Vietnamese and Somali. Students can also choose to opt themselves out of the survey or to skip over any question they do not want to answer.

OTHER IMPORTANT THINGS TO KNOW

- The online surveys were available in English and Spanish and had a Flesch-Kincaid Grade level of 6 (reader needs a grade 6 level of reading or above to understand it):
 - » 6th grade: 6.0
 - » 8th grade: 5.9
 - » 11th grade: 6.4
- The longer the survey, the higher the drop-off (i.e., non-response) for questions that are towards the end. To minimize this, some question topics were rotated on a random basis:
 - » School Climate, Absenteeism and Bullying
 - » Mental Health
 - » Healthy Body
 - » Access to Care
 - » Sexual Health, Dating Violence and Sexual Violence
 - » Injury Prevention
 - » Gambling, Substance Use and Drug-Free Communities
- School and district-level data are unweighted.
- The data are weighted by enrollment for state-and county-level estimates. State results are weighted to account for lack of participation from the one non-participating county.
- The participation rate for a large district (Salem-Keizer) was quite low, so caution should be used when interpreting results for Marion county.

PARTICIPATING DISTRICTS BY COUNTY

Baker

Baker SD 5J
Huntington SD 16J
Pine Eagle SD 6I

Benton

Monroe SD 1J
Alsea SD 7J
Corvallis SD 509J

Clackamas

West Linn-Wilsonville SD 3J
Lake Oswego SD 7J
North Clackamas SD 12
Molalla River SD 35
Colton SD 53
Oregon City SD 62
Estacada SD 108
Gladstone SD 115

Clatsop

Astoria SD 1
Jewell SD 8
Seaside SD 10
Warrenton-Hammond SD 30

Columbia

Scappoose SD 1J
Clatskanie SD 6J
Rainier SD 13
Vernonia SD 47J
St Helens SD 502

Coos

Powers School District 31
Bandon School District 54

Crook (did not participate)

Curry

Central Curry SD 1
Port Orford-Langlois SD 2CJ
Brookings-Harbor SD 17C

Deschutes

Bend-LaPine Administrative School District 1
Redmond School District 2J

Douglas

Oakland SD 1
Douglas County SD 4
Glide SD 12
North Douglas SD 22
Yoncalla SD 32
Riddle SD 70
Glendale SD 77
Reedsport SD 105
Sutherlin SD 130

Gilliam

Condon SD 25J

Grant

John Day SD 3
Prairie City SD 4

Harney

Harney County SD 3

Hood River

Hood River County SD

Jackson

Phoenix-Talent SD 4
Ashland SD 5
Central Point SD 6
Eagle Point SD 9
Rogue River SD 35
Prospect SD 59
Medford SD 549C

Jefferson

Culver SD 4
Jefferson County SD 509J

Josephine

Grants Pass School District 7
Three Rivers/Josephine County SD

Klamath

Klamath Falls City Schools
Klamath County SD

Lake

Lake County SD 7
Paisley SD 11
North Lake SD 14

Lane

Pleasant Hill SD 1
Eugene SD 4J
Springfield SD 19
Fern Ridge SD 28J
Mapleton SD 32
Creswell SD 40
South Lane SD 45J3
Bethel SD 52
Crow-Applegate-Lorane SD 66
McKenzie SD 68
Junction City SD 69
Lowell SD 71
Oakridge SD 76
Siuslaw SD 97J

Lincoln

Lincoln County SD

Linn

Harrisburg SD 7J
Greater Albany Public SD 8J
Lebanon Community SD 9
Sweet Home SD 55
Scio SD 95
Santiam Canyon SD 129J

Malheur

Ontario SD 8C
Nyssa SD 26
Adrian SD 61
Vale SD 84

Marion

Gervais SD 1
Jefferson SD 14J
North Marion SD 15
Salem-Keizer SD 24J
North Santiam SD 29J
St Paul SD 45
Mt Angel SD 91
Woodburn SD 103

Morrow

Morrow School District 1

Multnomah

Portland SD 1J
Parkrose SD 3
Reynolds SD 7
Gresham-Barlow SD 10J
Centennial SD 28J
Corbett SD 39
David Douglas SD 40
Riverdale SD 51J

Polk

Dallas SD 2
Central SD 13J
Perrydale SD 21
Falls City SD 57

Sherman

Sherman County SD

Tillamook

Tillamook School District 9
Neah-Kah-Nie School District 56
Nestucca Valley School District 101J

Umatilla

Milton-Freewater Unified SD 7
Hermiston SD 8
Pendleton SD 16
Athena-Weston SD 29RJ
Stanfield SD 61

Union

La Grande SD 1
North Powder SD 8J
Imbler SD 11
Elgin SD 23

Wallowa

Joseph SD 6
Wallowa SD 12
Enterprise SD 21

Wasco

Dufur SD 29

Washington

Hillsboro SD 1J
Banks SD 13
Forest Grove SD 15
Tigard-Tualatin SD 23J
Beaverton SD 48J
Sherwood SD 88J
Gaston SD 511J

Wheeler

Fossil SD 21J
Mitchell SD 55

Yamhill

Yamhill Carlton SD 1
Dayton SD 8
Willamina SD 30J
McMinnville SD 40
Sheridan SD 48J