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Section A

1. Introduction

Table A1.1

CHKS Survey Modules Administered

Survey Module	Administered
A. Core (Required)	x
B. Resilience & Youth Development	
C. AOD Use & Safety	
D. Tobacco	
E. Physical Health	
F. Sexual Behavior	
G. Custom Questions	x
H. District After School Module	

Table A1.2

Student Sample Characteristics

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT*
<i>Student Sample Size</i>				
Target Sample	2598	2723	2211	579
Final Number	2151	1501	1587	260
Average Response Rate	83%	55%	72%	45%

* NT includes continuation, community day, and other alternative school types

2. Sample Characteristics

Table A2.1

Age of Sample

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
12 years or younger	40	0	0	3
13 years old	56	0	0	1
14 years old	4	43	0	5
15 years old	0	51	0	8
16 years old	0	5	44	20
17 years old	0	0	54	43
18 years or older	0	0	2	21

Question HS/MS A.3: How old are you?

Table A2.2

Gender of Sample

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Male	48	50	49	68
Female	52	50	51	32

Question HS/MS A.4: What is your sex?

Table A2.3

Ethnic/Racial Characteristics of Sample

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
American Indian or Alaska Native	3	2	2	3
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	2	1	1	2
Asian	4	2	7	0
Black or African American (non-Hispanic)	3	3	3	2
Hispanic or Latino/Latina	84	89	83	90
White or Caucasian (non-Hispanic)	4	5	6	1
Other	5	5	4	4
Selected more than one	5	6	5	3

Question HS/MS A.6: How do you describe yourself? (Mark all that apply)

Note: Column totals may add up to more than 100% because students could select more than one response.

Table A2.4***Living Situation***

	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
	%	%	%
A home with both parents	62	64	47
A home with only one parent	28	28	40
Other relative's home	5	4	7
A home with more than one family	4	5	5
Friend's home	0	0	1
Foster home, group care, or waiting placement	1	0	1
Hotel or motel	0	0	1
Migrant housing	0	0	0
Shelter	0	0	0
On the street (no fixed housing), car campground	1	0	1
Other transitional or temporary housing	0	0	0
Other living arrangements	1	1	2

Question HS A.9: What best describes where you live? A home includes a house, apartment, trailer, or mobile home. (Mark all)

Table A2.5***Grades, Past 12 Months***

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
	%	%	%	%
Mostly A's	18	10	7	10
A's and B's	29	20	20	17
Mostly B's	7	6	9	10
B's and C's	24	22	28	26
Mostly C's	6	9	11	9
C's and D's	11	19	15	15
Mostly D's	2	6	5	5
Mostly F's	3	8	4	7

Question HS A.124/MS A.106: During the past 12 months, how would you describe the grades you mostly received in school?

Table A2.6***Truancy, Past 12 Months***

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
0 times	78	53	38	43
1-2 times	12	20	23	17
A few times	7	17	24	23
Once a month	1	1	3	2
Once a week	1	2	4	4
More than once a week	2	7	8	11

Question HS A.125/MS A.107: During the past 12 months, about how many times did you skip school or cut classes?

Table A2.7***Days Home Alone During Normal School Week***

	Grade 7 %
Never	65
1 day	16
2 days	10
3 days	6
4 days	3
5 days	0

Question MS A.102: In a normal school week, how many days are you home after school for at least one hour without an adult there?

Table A2.8***Migrant Education***

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Yes	2	2	2	2
No	42	56	77	61
Don't know	56	42	22	38

Question HS A10/MS A9: In the past three years, were you part of the Migrant Education program or did your family move to find work in agriculture?

3. Resilience and Youth Development

Table A3.1

Summary of External Assets

Percent of students scoring High, Moderate, and Low in Assets (%)	Grade 7			Grade 9			Grade 11			NT		
	H	M	L	H	M	L	H	M	L	H	M	L
<i>School Environment</i>												
Total Assets	29	57	14	24	57	19	32	53	15	26	57	17
Caring Relationships: Adult in School	32	54	14	30	55	15	37	53	10	35	52	13
High Expectations: Adult in School	52	42	6	44	45	10	48	45	7	43	44	12
Meaningful Participation	12	52	36	10	48	42	14	47	39	10	48	42
<i>Community Environment</i>												
Total Assets	54	36	11	54	35	12	57	33	10	39	45	16
Caring Relationships: Adult in Community	58	31	11	59	30	11	61	28	10	49	36	16
High Expectations: Adult in Community	58	32	10	59	30	11	60	30	10	44	40	16
Meaningful Participation	34	43	23	34	41	26	37	42	21	17	47	36
<i>School Connectedness Scale</i>												
	45	45	10	43	47	11	42	47	11	35	48	17

Table A3.2

Summary of External Assets - American Indian or Alaska Native

Cells are empty if there are less than 25 respondents

Percent of students scoring High, Moderate, and Low in Assets (%)	Grade 7			Grade 9			Grade 11			NT		
	H	M	L	H	M	L	H	M	L	H	M	L
School Environment												
Total Assets	30	58	13	24	55	21						
Caring Relationships: Adult in School	38	46	15	24	55	21						
High Expectations: Adult in School	52	38	11	28	59	14						
Meaningful Participation	12	49	39	7	33	60						
Community Environment												
Total Assets	51	33	16	54	29	18						
Caring Relationships: Adult in Community	55	32	12	57	23	20						
High Expectations: Adult in Community	60	30	10	54	25	21						
Meaningful Participation	31	43	25	33	47	20						
School Connectedness Scale												
	35	45	20	27	50	23						

Table A3.3

Summary of External Assets - Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander

Cells are empty if there are less than 25 respondents

Percent of students scoring High, Moderate, and Low in Assets (%)	Grade 7			Grade 9			Grade 11			NT		
	H	M	L	H	M	L	H	M	L	H	M	L
School Environment												
Total Assets	39	45	15									
Caring Relationships: Adult in School	50	32	18									
High Expectations: Adult in School	66	31	3									
Meaningful Participation	23	40	37									
Community Environment												
Total Assets	58	33	9									
Caring Relationships: Adult in Community	54	37	9									
High Expectations: Adult in Community	65	29	6									
Meaningful Participation	39	42	18									
School Connectedness Scale												
	40	46	14									

Table A3.4

Summary of External Assets - Asian

Cells are empty if there are less than 25 respondents

Percent of students scoring High, Moderate, and Low in Assets (%)	Grade 7			Grade 9			Grade 11			NT		
	H	M	L	H	M	L	H	M	L	H	M	L
School Environment												
Total Assets	25	66	9	28	52	20	42	49	9			
Caring Relationships: Adult in School	26	62	12	14	68	18	39	51	10			
High Expectations: Adult in School	54	40	6	42	46	12	55	39	6			
Meaningful Participation	12	65	23	22	37	41	21	55	25			
Community Environment												
Total Assets	60	35	6	58	27	15	53	39	8			
Caring Relationships: Adult in Community	56	38	5	52	34	14	55	33	13			
High Expectations: Adult in Community	62	34	4	62	23	15	52	39	9			
Meaningful Participation	34	58	8	44	44	11	50	41	9			
School Connectedness Scale												
	54	38	9	64	29	7	46	44	9			

Table A3.5

Summary of External Assets - Black or African American (non-Hispanic)

Cells are empty if there are less than 25 respondents

Percent of students scoring High, Moderate, and Low in Assets (%)	Grade 7			Grade 9			Grade 11			NT		
	H	M	L	H	M	L	H	M	L	H	M	L
School Environment												
Total Assets	28	62	10	32	57	11	34	46	20			
Caring Relationships: Adult in School	29	60	11	24	61	16	39	49	12			
High Expectations: Adult in School	38	51	11	42	47	11	49	41	10			
Meaningful Participation	10	69	21	11	47	42	14	57	29			
Community Environment												
Total Assets	42	50	8	62	27	11	62	26	12			
Caring Relationships: Adult in Community	44	44	11	59	30	11	67	17	17			
High Expectations: Adult in Community	44	49	7	68	24	8	64	29	7			
Meaningful Participation	26	56	18	46	41	14	52	29	19			
School Connectedness Scale												
	40	42	18	46	44	10	39	39	22			

Table A3.6

Summary of External Assets - Hispanic or Latino/Latina

Cells are empty if there are less than 25 respondents

Percent of students scoring High, Moderate, and Low in Assets (%)	Grade 7			Grade 9			Grade 11			NT		
	H	M	L	H	M	L	H	M	L	H	M	L
School Environment												
Total Assets	29	56	14	24	57	19	32	54	14	27	57	17
Caring Relationships: Adult in School	32	54	14	31	55	15	37	54	9	36	51	12
High Expectations: Adult in School	52	41	6	45	45	10	49	45	7	45	43	13
Meaningful Participation	12	51	37	9	48	43	13	47	40	10	47	43
Community Environment												
Total Assets	54	36	10	53	36	12	56	34	10	41	43	16
Caring Relationships: Adult in Community	59	30	11	58	30	12	61	29	10	52	34	14
High Expectations: Adult in Community	59	31	10	58	30	11	60	30	10	47	37	16
Meaningful Participation	35	42	23	33	40	27	35	42	23	18	45	38
School Connectedness Scale												
	46	44	10	43	48	10	42	48	10	36	49	15

Table A3.7

Summary of External Assets - White or Caucasian (non-Hispanic)

Cells are empty if there are less than 25 respondents

Percent of students scoring High, Moderate, and Low in Assets (%)	Grade 7			Grade 9			Grade 11			NT		
	H	M	L	H	M	L	H	M	L	H	M	L
School Environment												
Total Assets	30	59	11	26	49	26	38	43	19			
Caring Relationships: Adult in School	32	55	13	36	43	21	37	49	14			
High Expectations: Adult in School	49	49	1	43	44	13	46	44	9			
Meaningful Participation	18	50	32	7	49	44	18	45	38			
Community Environment												
Total Assets	59	29	13	65	28	7	65	23	12			
Caring Relationships: Adult in Community	51	41	8	65	20	14	72	16	13			
High Expectations: Adult in Community	53	36	11	70	22	9	72	16	13			
Meaningful Participation	43	39	18	44	38	18	47	35	18			
School Connectedness Scale												
	44	43	13	46	41	13	41	46	12			

Table A3.8

Summary of External Assets - Other Ethnicity

Cells are empty if there are less than 25 respondents

Percent of students scoring High, Moderate, and Low in Assets (%)	Grade 7			Grade 9			Grade 11			NT		
	H	M	L	H	M	L	H	M	L	H	M	L
School Environment												
Total Assets	29	62	9	26	54	20	24	48	28			
Caring Relationships: Adult in School	33	58	10	25	52	23	31	52	16			
High Expectations: Adult in School	52	43	5	41	46	13	43	39	18			
Meaningful Participation	12	56	32	15	52	33	15	36	49			
Community Environment												
Total Assets	57	30	13	58	34	8	67	20	14			
Caring Relationships: Adult in Community	53	32	15	58	31	11	70	19	10			
High Expectations: Adult in Community	55	34	11	61	31	8	64	22	13			
Meaningful Participation	42	36	22	38	45	16	35	45	20			
School Connectedness Scale												
	37	50	12	46	38	16	31	50	19			

Table A3.9

Summary of External Assets - Selected More Than One Ethnicity

Cells are empty if there are less than 25 respondents

Percent of students scoring High, Moderate, and Low in Assets (%)	Grade 7			Grade 9			Grade 11			NT		
	H	M	L	H	M	L	H	M	L	H	M	L
School Environment												
Total Assets	29	60	11	22	53	25	39	41	20			
Caring Relationships: Adult in School	34	53	13	26	54	20	39	48	13			
High Expectations: Adult in School	52	44	4	38	53	9	56	30	13			
Meaningful Participation	12	58	30	9	41	49	15	50	35			
Community Environment												
Total Assets	60	30	9	51	37	12	63	25	13			
Caring Relationships: Adult in Community	56	37	7	56	29	15	68	19	14			
High Expectations: Adult in Community	59	33	8	58	30	12	65	22	12			
Meaningful Participation	39	47	14	42	40	18	41	43	16			
School Connectedness Scale												
	45	40	15	42	46	12	30	53	17			

Table A3.10.1

Summary of External Assets - 7th grade by race/ethnicity

Cells are empty if there are less than 25 respondents

Percent of students scoring High in Assets (%)	Grade 7							
	A I / A N	N H / P I	A s i a n	A A	H / L	W h i t e	O t h e r	M i x
School Environment								
Total Assets	30	39	25	28	29	30	29	29
Caring Relationships: Adult in School	38	50	26	29	32	32	33	34
High Expectations: Adult in School	52	66	54	38	52	49	52	52
Meaningful Participation	12	23	12	10	12	18	12	12
Community Environment								
Total Assets	51	58	60	42	54	59	57	60
Caring Relationships: Adult in Community	55	54	56	44	59	51	53	56
High Expectations: Adult in Community	60	65	62	44	59	53	55	59
Meaningful Participation	31	39	34	26	35	43	42	39
School Connectedness Scale								
	35	40	54	40	46	44	37	45

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Table A3.10.2

Summary of External Assets -9th grade by race/ethnicity

Cells are empty if there are less than 25 respondents

Percent of students scoring High in Assets (%)	Grade 9							
	A I / A N	N H / P I	A s i a n	A A	H / L	W h i t e	O t h e r	M i x
School Environment								
Total Assets	24		28	32	24	26	26	22
Caring Relationships: Adult in School	24		14	24	31	36	25	26
High Expectations: Adult in School	28		42	42	45	43	41	38
Meaningful Participation	7		22	11	9	7	15	9
Community Environment								
Total Assets	54		58	62	53	65	58	51
Caring Relationships: Adult in Community	57		52	59	58	65	58	56
High Expectations: Adult in Community	54		62	68	58	70	61	58
Meaningful Participation	33		44	46	33	44	38	42
School Connectedness Scale								
	27		64	46	43	46	46	42

AI/AN: American Indian or Alaska Native; NH/PI: Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander; Asian: Asian or Asian American; AA: Black or African American (non-Hispanic); H/L: Hispanic or Latino/Latina; White: White or Caucasian (non-Hispanic); Other: Other; Mix: Selected more than one

Table A3.10.3

Summary of External Assets - 11th grade by race/ethnicity

Cells are empty if there are less than 25 respondents

Percent of students scoring High in Assets (%)	Grade 11							
	A I / A N	N H / P I	A s i a n	A A	H / L	W h i t e	O t h e r	M i x
School Environment								
Total Assets			42	34	32	38	24	39
Caring Relationships: Adult in School			39	39	37	37	31	39
High Expectations: Adult in School			55	49	49	46	43	56
Meaningful Participation			21	14	13	18	15	15
Community Environment								
Total Assets			53	62	56	65	67	63
Caring Relationships: Adult in Community			55	67	61	72	70	68
High Expectations: Adult in Community			52	64	60	72	64	65
Meaningful Participation			50	52	35	47	35	41
School Connectedness Scale								
			46	39	42	41	31	30

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Table A3.10.4

Summary of External Assets - Non-traditional by race/ethnicity

Cells are empty if there are less than 25 respondents

Percent of students scoring High in Assets (%)	NT							
	A I / A N	N H / P I	A s i a n	A A	H / L	W h i t e	O t h e r	M i x
School Environment								
Total Assets					27			
Caring Relationships: Adult in School					36			
High Expectations: Adult in School					45			
Meaningful Participation					10			
Community Environment								
Total Assets					41			
Caring Relationships: Adult in Community					52			
High Expectations: Adult in Community					47			
Meaningful Participation					18			
School Connectedness Scale								
					36			

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Table A3.11
School Connectedness

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
I feel close to people in this school				
Strongly Disagree	4	5	5	10
Disagree	7	7	7	13
Neither Agree Nor Disagree	23	26	27	34
Agree	46	43	42	34
Strongly Agree	20	20	19	9
I am happy to be at this school				
Strongly Disagree	5	6	6	12
Disagree	7	7	6	9
Neither Agree Nor Disagree	19	21	25	29
Agree	42	41	42	27
Strongly Agree	26	26	20	22
I feel like I am part of this school				
Strongly Disagree	7	8	8	9
Disagree	11	11	10	13
Neither Agree Nor Disagree	25	31	30	33
Agree	40	33	38	32
Strongly Agree	17	17	14	13
Teachers at this school treat students fairly				
Strongly Disagree	11	9	8	12
Disagree	16	13	13	10
Neither Agree Nor Disagree	29	34	32	22
Agree	32	32	38	35
Strongly Agree	13	11	9	21
I feel safe in my school				
Strongly Disagree	8	7	7	12
Disagree	10	11	9	8
Neither Agree Nor Disagree	25	33	31	34
Agree	37	33	40	32
Strongly Agree	19	17	13	14

Questions HS A11-15 MS A10-14: I feel close to people at this school, I am happy to be at this school, I feel like I am a part of this school, The teachers at this school treat students fairly, I feel safe in my school.

Table A3.12
School Based Assets

At my school, there is a teacher or some other adult...	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
	%	%	%	%
who really cares about me				
Not At All True	12	14	10	15
A Little True	33	34	29	35
Pretty Much True	32	33	35	28
Very Much True	22	19	26	22
who tells me when I do a good job				
Not At All True	8	9	6	12
A Little True	21	24	22	20
Pretty Much True	36	36	38	36
Very Much True	35	31	34	32
who notices when I am not there				
Not At All True	15	13	10	12
A Little True	26	28	22	17
Pretty Much True	29	30	36	32
Very Much True	30	29	32	39
who always wants me to do my best				
Not At All True	5	7	5	10
A Little True	14	19	17	19
Pretty Much True	30	29	34	28
Very Much True	51	46	44	43
who listens when I have something to say				
Not At All True	12	14	8	13
A Little True	24	26	22	21
Pretty Much True	33	31	37	34
Very Much True	31	30	33	33
who believes that I will be a success				
Not At All True	8	13	8	14
A Little True	19	23	21	18
Pretty Much True	31	30	34	30
Very Much True	42	34	37	38

Questions HS A16-21/MS A15-20: At my school, there is a teacher or some other adults who...really cares about me, tells me when I do a good job.. notices when I am not there, =,, always wants me to do my best.. listens to me when I have something to say.. believe that I will be a success.

Table A3.12 - Continued
School Based Assets

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
I do interesting activities at school				
Not At All True	17	26	22	26
A Little True	30	26	26	32
Pretty Much True	29	24	25	24
Very Much True	24	24	27	18
I help decide things like class rules or activities				
Not At All True	51	56	52	54
A Little True	26	26	28	22
Pretty Much True	15	12	13	17
Very Much True	9	6	8	7
I do things that make a difference at school				
Not At All True	31	37	33	38
A Little True	37	32	33	29
Pretty Much True	20	19	21	20
Very Much True	12	12	14	13

Questions HS A22-24/MS A21-23: At school...I do interesting activities.. I help decide things like class activities or rules... I do things that make a difference.

Table A3.13
Community Based Assets

Outside of my home and school, there is a teacher or some other adult... who really cares about me	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Not At All True	10	9	8	12
A Little True	12	12	11	12
Pretty Much True	20	18	19	21
Very Much True	58	61	63	55
who tells me when I do a good job				
Not At All True	12	13	11	18
A Little True	15	16	16	19
Pretty Much True	27	24	26	29
Very Much True	46	47	48	34

Questions HS A25-26/MS 24-25: Outside of my home and school, there is an adult who...really cares about me, tells me when I do a good job

Table A3.13 - Continued
Community Based Assets

Outside of my home and school, there is a teacher or some other adult...	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
	%	%	%	%
who notices when I am upset about something				
Not At All True	14	14	12	17
A Little True	14	14	14	13
Pretty Much True	24	22	25	27
Very Much True	47	49	49	43
who believes that I will be a success				
Not At All True	10	11	9	17
A Little True	14	13	13	17
Pretty Much True	25	22	24	26
Very Much True	52	53	54	41
who always wants me to do my best				
Not At All True	9	9	8	14
A Little True	11	11	9	11
Pretty Much True	20	18	20	23
Very Much True	60	63	63	52
whom I trust				
Not At All True	13	14	12	20
A Little True	12	13	13	13
Pretty Much True	22	20	19	19
Very Much True	53	54	56	48

Questions HS A27-30/MS A26-29: Outside of my home and school, there is an adult...who notices when I am upset about something...believes that I will be a success...always wants me to do my best...whom I trust.

Table A3.13 - Continued
Community Based Assets

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
I am part of clubs, sports teams, church/temple or other group activities				
Not At All True	39	40	38	53
A Little True	13	13	13	16
Pretty Much True	14	13	14	15
Very Much True	33	34	35	15
I am involved in music, art, literature, sports or a hobby				
Not At All True	25	27	23	38
A Little True	12	13	14	15
Pretty Much True	17	17	18	17
Very Much True	45	44	46	30
I help other people				
Not At All True	14	17	13	25
A Little True	26	27	23	22
Pretty Much True	33	28	31	33
Very Much True	27	27	33	20

Questions HS A31-33/MS 30-32: Outside of my home and school...I am part of clubs, sports teams, church/temple or other group activities...I am involved in music, art, literature, sports, or a hobby...I help other people.

4. Alcohol and Other Drug Use

Table A4.1

AOD Use, Lifetime

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Alcohol (one full drink)				
0 times	73	45	35	21
1 time	10	10	9	6
2 to 3 times	8	14	14	12
4 or more times	9	31	43	61
Marijuana				
0 times	87	65	61	24
1 time	5	7	7	7
2 to 3 times	2	7	7	10
4 or more times	6	22	26	58
Inhalants (to get high)				
0 times	83	74	81	52
1 time	7	7	5	7
2 to 3 times	5	7	4	14
4 or more times	6	11	10	27
Cocaine				
0 times	na	92	92	62
1 time	na	4	3	10
2 to 3 times	na	2	2	11
4 or more times	na	3	3	17
Methamphetamine or any amphetamines				
0 times	na	93	94	70
1 time	na	3	2	8
2 to 3 times	na	1	1	7
4 or more times	na	2	2	14

*Question HS A.37-41/MS A.37-39: During your life, how many times have you used or tried...?
na=not asked of middle school students*

Table A4.1 - Continued

AOD Use, Lifetime

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
LSD or other psychedelics				
0 times	na	93	94	79
1 time	na	3	2	9
2 to 3 times	na	2	2	6
4 or more times	na	2	2	6
Ecstasy				
0 times	na	85	86	63
1 time	na	5	4	11
2 to 3 times	na	4	4	13
4 or more times	na	5	6	14
Heroin				
0 times	na	96	98	89
1 time	na	2	1	2
2 to 3 times	na	1	1	4
4 or more times	na	1	1	4
Other illegal drug or pill				
0 times	93	87	88	73
1 time	3	3	3	6
2 to 3 times	2	3	4	8
4 or more times	2	6	5	13
<i>Any of the above AOD Use</i>	34	61	68	83
Prescription pain killers				
0 times	na	86	85	67
1 time	na	4	3	9
2 to 3 times	na	4	5	10
4 or more times	na	5	6	13

Question HS A.43-47//MS A.41: During your life, how many times have you used or tried...?

na=not asked of middle school students

Table A4.1 - Continued**AOD Use, Lifetime**

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Barbiturates				
0 times	na	97	98	90
1 time	na	1	0	2
2 to 3 times	na	1	1	4
4 or more times	na	1	1	4
Tranquilizers or sedatives				
0 times	na	95	95	88
1 time	na	2	1	3
2 to 3 times	na	1	2	6
4 or more times	na	2	3	4
Cold/Cough Medicines				
0 times	na	75	76	65
1 time	na	4	3	8
2 to 3 times	na	7	6	9
4 or more times	na	13	15	17
Diet Pills				
0 times	na	91	93	89
1 time	na	3	1	2
2 to 3 times	na	2	2	4
4 or more times	na	5	4	5
Ritalin™ or Adderall™				
0 times	na	96	96	88
1 time	na	2	1	2
2 to 3 times	na	1	1	6
4 or more times	na	2	1	4

Question HS A.48-52: During your life, how many times have you used or tried...?

na=not asked of middle school students

Table A4.2***Age of Onset***

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Alcohol (one full drink)				
Never	67	39	32	20
10 or under	12	14	8	17
11 -12 years old	16	15	8	17
13-14 years old	4	26	18	25
15-16 years old	0	5	30	16
17 years or older	1	1	3	5
Marijuana				
Never	90	67	62	28
10 or under	2	3	2	8
11 -12 years old	6	8	4	19
13-14 years old	3	18	11	28
15-16 years old	0	3	18	12
17 years or older	0	1	3	5
Other illegal drug				
Never	93	80	80	56
10 or under	1	2	1	5
11 -12 years old	4	3	1	7
13-14 years old	2	13	4	14
15-16 years old	0	2	11	15
17 years or older	0	0	2	4

Question HS A.56,59-60/MS A.45,48-49: About how old were you the first time you had a full drink of alcohol....used marijuana used any other illegal drug?

Table A4.3***Current AOD Use, Past 30 Days***

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Alcohol (at least one drink)	16	32	36	57
Marijuana	7	21	20	50
Inhalants	9	12	7	20
Cocaine	na	5	3	16
Methamphetamine or any amphetamines	na	4	3	13
Ecstasy, LSD or other psychedelics	na	10	7	17
Other illegal drug or pill	5	9	6	17
<i>Any of the above AOD Use</i>	20	39	42	67
Two or more drugs at the same time	na	11	10	25

Question HS A.63, 65-71/MS A.52,54-56: During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use...?

na=not asked of middle school students

Table A4.4***Frequency of Current Alcohol and Marijuana Use, Past 30 days***

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Alcohol				
None	84	68	64	43
1 or 2 days	11	19	20	25
3 to 9 days	2	8	8	17
10 to 19 days	1	2	4	8
20 or more days (daily)	2	3	4	7
Marijuana				
None	93	79	80	50
1 or 2 days	3	9	8	16
3 to 9 days	2	4	4	9
10 to 19 days	1	3	3	5
20 or more days (daily)	1	4	5	20

Question HS A.63, 65/MS A.52,54: During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use...?

Table A4.5***Ever Very Drunk or Sick from Drinking Alcohol***

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
	%	%	%	%
0 times	88	67	60	39
1 to 2 times	8	18	22	23
3 to 6 times	2	8	9	16
7 or more times	1	7	9	23

Question HS A.53/MS A.42: During your life, how many times have you been very drunk or sick after drinking alcohol?

Table A4.6***Ever "High" from Using Drugs***

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
	%	%	%	%
0 times	89	67	65	35
1 to 2 times	6	11	11	11
3 to 6 times	2	7	7	11
7 or more times	3	15	17	43

Question HS A.54/MS A.43: During your life, how many times have you been high (loaded, stoned, or wasted) from using drugs?

Table A4.7***Current Binge (Episodic Heavy) Drinking, Past 30 Days***

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
	%	%	%	%
0 days	93	82	79	53
1 to 2 days	4	10	11	21
3 or more days	3	9	10	26

Question HS A.64/MS A.53: During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use five or more drinks of alcohol in a row, that is, within a couple of hours?

Table A4.8***Desired Level of Alcohol Consumption, Drinking Style or Preference***

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
	%	%	%	%
Don't drink alcohol	68	43	36	33
Just a sip or two	18	17	16	7
Enough to feel it a little	8	17	20	16
Enough to feel it a lot	5	13	19	24
Until really drunk	2	9	9	19

Question HS A.76/MS A.63: How do you like to drink alcohol?

Table A4.9***Usual Level of Highness When Using Drugs***

	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
	%	%	%
Don't use drugs	65	65	37
Not high at all	4	4	5
A little high	8	8	10
Moderately high	13	13	20
Very high	9	10	28

Question HS A.77: If you use marijuana or other drugs, how high (stoned, faded, wasted, trashed) do you usually get?

Table A4.10***Ever Driven after Drinking (Respondent or by Friend)***

	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
	%	%	%
<i>Never</i>	77	72	55
<i>Any</i>	23	28	45
1 time	6	7	9
2 times	6	7	8
3 to 6 times	6	7	14
7 or more times	5	6	14

Question HS A.89: In your life, how many times have you driven a car when you had been drinking alcohol, or been in a car driven by a friend when he or she had been drinking?

Table A4.11

Ever Been a Passenger in a Car Driven by Someone Who Had Been Drinking

	Grade 7
	%
<i>Never</i>	56
<i>Any</i>	44
1 time	14
2 times	10
3 to 6 times	9
7 or more times	11

Question MS A.81: In your life, how many times have you ridden in a car driven by someone who had been drinking alcohol?

Table A4.12***Any Current Alcohol and Marijuana Use on School Property, Past 30 Days***

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Alcohol				
0 days	92	88	93	79
1 to 2 days	6	8	5	12
3 or more days	2	4	3	9
Marijuana				
0 days	96	88	92	81
1 to 2 days	3	5	4	7
3 or more days	2	7	4	12
Any illegal drug or pill				
0 days	96	92	95	87
1 to 2 days	3	4	3	8
3 or more days	1	4	2	5

Question HS A.73-75/MS A.58-60: During the past 30 days, on how many days on school property did you... have at least one drink of alcohol? ...smoke marijuana?

Table A4.13***Ever Drunk or High on School Property***

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
0 times	92	77	77	49
1 to 2 times	4	10	10	15
3 to 6 times	2	6	4	11
7 or more times	1	6	8	26

Question HS A.55/MS A.44: During your life, how many times have you been drunk on alcohol or high on drugs on school property?

Table A4.14***Perceived Harm of Frequent Alcohol Use***

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Alcohol - Drink Occasionally				
Great	30	33	31	40
Moderate	21	25	27	21
Slight	17	21	27	20
None	32	21	15	19
Alcohol - 5 or more drinks once or twice a week				
Great	37	42	47	41
Moderate	18	23	27	19
Slight	11	14	12	21
None	34	21	14	19

Question HS A.80-81/MS A.66-67: How much do people risk harming themselves physically and in other ways when they do the following...alcohol

Table A4.15***Perceived Harm of Frequent Marijuana Use***

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Marijuana - Smoke Occasionally				
Great	41	40	35	35
Moderate	16	20	23	18
Slight	9	16	22	18
None	34	24	20	29
Marijuana - Smoke once or twice a week				
Great	40	40	42	30
Moderate	15	20	21	18
Slight	9	15	18	23
None	35	25	19	29

Question HS A.82-83/MS A.68-69: How much do people risk harming themselves physically and in other ways when they do the following...marijuana

Table A4.16***Personal Disapproval of Using Alcohol***

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Alcohol - One or two drinks nearly every day				
Neither approve or disapprove	31	30	25	47
Somewhat disapprove	16	26	26	27
Strongly disapprove	53	44	48	26
Marijuana or Hashish - Once or twice				
Neither approve or disapprove	32	38	41	53
Somewhat disapprove	15	23	22	23
Strongly disapprove	53	39	37	24
Marijuana - Once a month or more				
Neither approve or disapprove	32	38	38	55
Somewhat disapprove	13	21	22	20
Strongly disapprove	54	41	39	25

Question HS A.92-94/MS A.76-78: How do you feel about someone your age doing the following...alcohol, marijuana or hashish

Table A4.17***Student Perception of Percent of Marijuana Use Among Peers***

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
None of them	49	15	8	13
10 percent	20	10	6	6
20 percent	8	8	6	6
30 percent	5	7	7	3
40 percent	3	6	7	2
50 percent	7	17	17	13
60 percent	1	5	7	1
70 percent	1	7	11	5
80 percent	2	10	14	7
90 percent	1	9	12	18
All of them	2	6	6	26

Question HS A.88/MS A.74: Think about a group of 100 students in your grade. About how many students have done the following... Ever tried marijuana?

Table A4.18***Occurrence of Problems While Using Alcohol/Drugs***

	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Does not apply, never used alcohol/drugs	53	46	33
Problems with emotions, nerves, mental health	11	10	19
Trouble or problems with the police	8	7	20
Money problems	3	4	12
Get into trouble in school	6	7	20
Problems with school work	7	7	12
Fight with other kids	6	4	14
Damage a friendship	7	6	7
Physically hurt or injure yourself	4	4	9
Unwanted or unprotected sex	4	5	12
Forget what happened or pass out	11	11	16
Other problems	6	5	9
More than one problem	14	14	23
Never had problems when I've used alcohol/drugs	22	31	22

Question HS A.90: Has using alcohol, marijuana, or other drugs ever caused you to have any of the following problems? (Mark all that apply.) Please note: Because all that apply are marked, total percentages may exceed 100%.

Table A4.19
Occurrence of Experiences While Using Alcohol/Drugs

	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Does not apply, have not used alcohol or drugs	56	50	33
Had to increase use to get same effect as before	10	11	25
Spent a lot of time getting, using, or being "hung over" from using	6	5	17
Used alcohol or drugs a lot more than intended	7	8	15
Used alcohol or drugs when alone	8	9	22
Alcohol/drug use often kept you from going to school, working, recreational activities or hobbies	4	4	14
Didn't like the way you felt when not high or drunk	4	4	10
Thought about reducing or stopping	9	11	17
Told self not going to use but used anyway	9	10	14
Spoke with someone about reducing or stopping use	5	7	11
Attended counseling, program, or group to reduce/stop use	2	2	7
More than one experience	12	14	24
Use alcohol or drugs but have not experienced any of these things	19	26	21

Question HS A.97: If you use alcohol, marijuana, or another drug, have you had any of the following experiences?

(Mark all that apply.)

Please note: Because all that apply are marked, total percentages may exceed 100%.

Table A4.20***Perceived Difficulty of Obtaining Alcohol and Marijuana***

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Alcohol				
Very difficult	14	10	6	9
Fairly difficult	10	10	8	10
Fairly easy	14	21	23	19
Very easy	19	36	48	46
Don't know	42	23	16	16
Marijuana				
Very difficult	18	8	6	10
Fairly difficult	8	5	4	7
Fairly easy	11	16	19	9
Very easy	17	46	52	58
Don't know	46	25	19	17

Question HS A.85-86/MS A.71-72: How difficult is it for students in your grade to get any of the following substances if they really want them?

Table A4.21***Offered Illegal Drugs on School Property, Past 12 Months***

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
0 times	82	57	60	58
1 time	8	15	11	10
2 to 3 times	5	11	14	12
4 or more times	5	17	15	19

Question HS A.107/MS A.89: During the past 12 months, how many times on school property have you... been offered, sold, or given an illegal drug?

Table A4.22

Talked to parents or guardian about dangers of tobacco, alcohol, or drug use

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
	%	%	%	%
No	43	42	46	41
Yes	57	58	54	59

Question HS A 98/MS A.61: During the past 12 months...Have you talked with at least one of your parents (or guardian) about the dangers of tobacco, alcohol or drug use?

Table A4.23

Heard, read or watched any messages about not using alcohol, tobacco or drugs

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
	%	%	%	%
No	20	17	16	15
Yes	80	83	84	85

Question HS A 99/MS A.62: During the past 12 months...Have you heard, read or watched any messages about not using alcohol, tobacco, or drug use?

Table A4.24

Employer drug and alcohol testing

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
	%	%	%	%
More likely	na	27	29	28
Less likely	na	30	20	29
Would make no difference	na	43	51	43

Question HS A.119: Would you be more or less likely to want to work for an employer that tests its employees for drug or alcohol use on a random basis?

5. Tobacco Use

Table A5.1

Ever Used Cigarettes or Smokeless Tobacco, Lifetime

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
A cigarette, even one or two puffs				
0 times	84	na	na	na
1 time	8	na	na	na
2 to 3 times	5	na	na	na
4 or more times	3	na	na	na
A whole cigarette				
0 times	93	77	72	39
1 time	3	8	8	8
2 to 3 times	2	6	6	11
4 or more times	2	9	14	41
Smokeless tobacco				
0 times	95	93	94	85
1 time	2	3	2	4
2 to 3 times	2	2	2	6
4 or more times	1	2	2	6

Question HS A.35-36/MS A.34-36: During your life, how many times have you used or tried...?

Table A5.2***Age of Onset***

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Smoked part or all of a cigarette				
Never	87	71	66	34
10 or under	3	5	4	14
11 -12 years old	7	9	4	13
13-14 years old	2	13	10	18
15-16 years old	0	2	14	15
17 years or older	0	0	2	6
Smokeless Tobacco				
Never	95	88	90	73
10 or under	1	2	1	6
11 -12 years old	3	3	1	4
13-14 years old	1	6	2	10
15-16 years old	0	1	5	5
17 years or older	0	0	1	2

Question HS A.57-58/MS A.46-47: About how old were you the first time youSmoked part of all of a cigarette....Used smokeless tobacco or other tobacco products

Table A5.3***Any and Daily Use of Cigarettes and Smokeless Tobacco, Past 30 Days***

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Cigarettes				
Any	6	11	12	38
Daily	0	1	2	9
Smokeless Tobacco				
Any	4	3	3	9
Daily	0	1	1	2

Question HS A.61-62/MS A.51-51: During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use...

Table A5.4***Current Smoking on School Property, Past 30 Days***

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
	%	%	%	%
<i>None</i>	97	96	96	86
<i>Any</i>	3	4	4	14
1 or 2 days	2	2	2	7
3 to 9 days	1	1	1	3
10 to 19 days	0	0	0	0
20 to 30 days	0	1	1	4

Question HS A.72/MS A.57: During the past 30 days, on how many days on school property did you smoke cigarettes?

Table A5.5***Personal Disapproval of Using Cigarettes***

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
	%	%	%	%
Neither approve or disapprove	30	28	22	39
Somewhat disapprove	12	21	21	24
Strongly disapprove	58	51	57	37

Question HS A.91/MS A.75: How do you feel about someone your age doing the following... smoking one or more packs of cigarettes a day?

Table A5.6***Peer Disapproval of Using Cigarettes***

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
	%	%	%	%
Neither approve or disapprove	23	22	16	35
Somewhat disapprove	16	20	22	26
Strongly disapprove	61	58	62	39

Question HS A.96/MS A.80: How do you think your close friends would feel about your smoking one or more pack of cigarettes a day?

Table A5.7***Perceived Harm of Frequent Cigarette Smoking***

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Smoking Occasionally				
Great	33	35	35	40
Moderate	20	24	28	20
Slight	14	17	21	18
None	33	24	16	22
Smoking 1-2 packs of cigarette a day				
Great	50	58	68	59
Moderate	10	12	11	10
Slight	6	7	5	8
None	35	24	16	23

Question HS A.78-79/MS A.64-65: How much do people risk harming themselves physically and in other ways when they do the following... smoke cigarettes occasionally...smoke 1-2 packs of cigarettes a day?

Table A5.8***Perceived Difficulty of Obtaining Cigarettes***

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Very difficult	14	8	6	9
Fairly difficult	9	8	7	8
Fairly easy	15	21	23	15
Very easy	16	33	43	48
Don't know	46	30	21	20

Question HS A.84/MS A.70: How difficult is it for students in your grade to get any of the following substances if they really want them? Cigarettes.

Table A5.9***Estimated Prevalence of Peer Cigarette Smoking at Least Once a Month***

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
	%	%	%	%
None of them	51	21	10	16
10 percent	21	18	19	11
20 percent	8	11	13	5
30 percent	6	10	11	7
40 percent	3	6	9	5
50 percent	8	17	18	18
60 percent	1	3	4	2
70 percent	1	4	5	7
80 percent	1	4	5	7
90 percent	0	2	3	11
All of them	1	2	3	10

Question HS A.87/MS A.73: Think about a group of 100 students in your grade. About how many students have done the following... Smoke cigarettes at least once a month?

6. Violence and Safety

Table A6.1

Verbal Harassment on School Property, Past 12 Months

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
	%	%	%	%
Had mean rumors/lies spread about you				
0 times	52	60	65	64
1 time	21	18	17	15
2 to 3 times	13	11	11	15
4 or more times	14	10	7	6
Had sexual jokes/comments/gestures made to you				
0 times	57	52	57	59
1 time	12	13	10	14
2 to 3 times	10	13	11	12
4 or more times	20	22	22	15
Been made fun of because of your looks/way talk				
0 times	56	61	67	71
1 time	16	14	12	11
2 to 3 times	12	10	8	9
4 or more times	16	15	13	8

Question HS A.103-105/MS A.85-87: During the past 12 months, how many times on school property have you...?

Table A6.2
Physical Violence on School Property, Past 12 Months

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Been pushed, shoved, hit, etc.				
0 times	55	64	78	73
1 time	17	15	10	12
2 to 3 times	13	11	7	7
4 or more times	15	9	5	8
Been afraid of being beaten up				
0 times	72	78	85	85
1 time	16	13	10	8
2 to 3 times	6	5	3	4
4 or more times	6	4	2	3
Been in physical fight				
0 times	71	73	83	67
1 time	13	13	8	13
2 to 3 times	9	9	6	10
4 or more times	7	6	3	11

Question HS A.100-102/MS A.82-84: During the past 12 months, how many times on school property have you...

Table A6.3***Property Damage on School Property, Past 12 Months***

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Had property stolen/damaged				
0 times	70	73	76	77
1 time	16	15	14	14
2 to 3 times	7	7	7	5
4 or more times	7	5	4	3
Damaged school property on purpose				
0 times	82	83	85	75
1 time	10	9	6	8
2 to 3 times	4	4	1	6
4 or more times	4	5	4	11

Question HS A.106,108/MS A.88,90: During the past 12 months, how many times on school property have you...?

Table A6.4***Weapons Possession on School Property, Past 12 Months***

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Carried a gun				
0 times	93	94	96	86
1 time	3	2	1	6
2 or more times	4	4	2	8
Carried any other weapon				
0 times	89	88	91	73
1 time	6	6	4	8
2 or more times	6	7	6	20

Question HS A.109-110/MS A.91-92: During the past 12 months, how many times on school property have you...?

Table A6.5***Awareness and Use of Weapons on School Property, Past 12 Months***

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Seen someone with a weapon				
0 times	67	62	68	58
1 time	17	16	13	17
2 or more times	15	22	19	25
Been threatened/injured with a weapon				
0 times	91	90	93	77
1 time	5	5	4	8
2 or more times	4	5	4	14

Question HS A.112,111/MS A.94,93: During the past 12 months, how many times on school property have you...

Table A6.6***Personal Disapproval of Weapon Possession***

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Neither approve or disapprove	28	25	17	33
Somewhat disapprove	11	12	11	19
Strongly disapprove	61	63	72	48

Question HS A.95/MS A.79: How do you feel about someone your age doing the following...carry a weapon to school?

Table A6.7***Reason for Harassment on School Property, Past 12 Months***

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Race, Ethnicity, or National Origin				
0 times	85	88	88	84
1 time	7	6	5	8
2 or more times	8	7	7	8
Religion				
0 times	91	91	93	85
1 time	5	4	4	7
2 or more times	4	5	4	8
Gender				
0 times	89	92	94	90
1 time	5	4	3	5
2 or more times	6	4	3	6
Sexual Orientation *				
0 times	89	90	93	86
1 time	5	4	3	4
2 or more times	7	5	4	10
Physical/Mental Disability				
0 times	92	94	96	88
1 time	4	2	2	6
2 or more times	4	4	2	6
<i>Any of the Above Five Hate-Crime Reasons</i>				
	28	24	21	30
Any Other Reason				
0 times	76	79	84	80
1 time	9	8	6	7
2 or more times	14	13	10	13
<i>Any Harassment</i>				
	37	34	28	35

Question HS A.113-118/MS A.95-100 During the past 12 months, how many times on school property were you harassed or bullied for any of the following reasons?

** "Because you are gay or lesbian or someone thought you were."*

Table A6.8***Gang Involvement, Current***

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
	%	%	%	%
No	92	91	92	83
Yes	8	9	8	17

Question HS A.121 /MS A.103: Do you consider yourself a member of a gang?

Table A6.9***Physical Violence by Boy/Girlfriend, Past 12 Months***

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
	%	%	%	%
Does not apply, didn't have a boy/girlfriend	51	39	34	29
No	45	54	58	56
Yes	4	6	8	15

Question HS A.122/MS A.104: During the past 12 months, did your boyfriend or girlfriend ever hit, slap, or physically hurt you on purpose?

Table A6.10***Perceived Safety of School***

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
	%	%	%	%
Very safe	23	16	16	26
Safe	36	37	43	32
Neither safe nor unsafe	32	39	35	36
Unsafe	5	5	4	3
Very unsafe	4	2	2	4

Question HS A.120/MS A.101: How safe do you feel when you are at school?

Table A6.11***Harassment for Hate-Crime Reasons*****Cells are empty if there are less than 25 respondents**

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
American Indian or Alaska Native	47	44		
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	57			
Asian	52	48	30	
Black or African American (non-Hispanic)	34	34	20	
Hispanic or Latino/Latina	25	23	20	28
White or Caucasian (non-Hispanic)	48	32	22	
Other	38	28	24	
Multi-Racial (selected more than one)	44	30	30	

Question HS A.113-117/MS A.95-99 During the past 12 months, how many times on school property were you harassed or bullied for any of the following reasons? ... race, ethnicity or national origin; religion; gender; sexual orientation; physical or mental disability.

Table A6.12***Harassment for Race, Ethnicity or National Origin*****Cells are empty if there are less than 25 respondents**

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
American Indian or Alaska Native	25	4		
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	28			
Asian	37	41	28	
Black or African American (non-Hispanic)	19	26	15	
Hispanic or Latino/Latina	12	12	11	15
White or Caucasian (non-Hispanic)	33	23	10	
Other	25	15	12	
Multi-Racial (selected more than one)	25	16	18	

Question HS A.113/MS A.95 During the past 12 months, how many times on school property were you harassed or bullied for any of the following reason(s)? ... race, ethnicity or national origin

7. Physical and Mental Health

Table A7.1

Eating of Breakfast

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
No	40	49	46	57
Yes	60	51	54	43

Question HS A.34/MS A.33: Did you eat breakfast today?

Table A7.2

Frequency of Sad and Hopeless Feelings, Past 12 Months

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
No	71	61	67	62
Yes	29	39	33	38

Question HS A.123/MS A.105: During the past 12 months, did you ever feel so sad and hopeless almost every day for two weeks or more that you stopped doing some usual activities?

8. Results by Gender

Table A8.1

Selected Alcohol and Drug Use Measures, by Gender and Grade

	7th Grade		9th Grade		11th Grade		NT	
	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %
Lifetime and Current ATOD Use								
<i>During your life did you ever...</i>								
drink alcohol (one full drink)?	28	26	58	51	64	67	84	77
use inhalants?	19	15	29	22	17	23	46	48
smoke marijuana?	11	15	33	38	35	44	76	75
<i>During the past 30 days, did you...</i>								
drink alcohol (one full drink)?	18	14	37	26	35	37	57	58
use inhalants?	10	7	12	11	5	9	15	22
smoke marijuana?	6	8	20	20	17	23	51	50
Level of Involvement (High Risk Patterns)								
<i>During your life have you ever...</i>								
been very drunk or sick after drinking alcohol?	12	11	37	29	40	41	71	57
been high from using drugs?	10	12	31	35	31	41	69	64
During the past 30 days, did you drink 5 or more drinks of alcohol in a couple of hours?	8	7	20	17	19	23	40	51
ATOD Use at School								
During your life, have you ever been drunk/high on school property?	8	7	23	22	19	27	47	53
During the past 30 days, did you use marijuana on school property?	3	6	11	12	6	10	17	21
Perceived Harm								
<i>Frequent use of... is harmful.*</i>								
alcohol (five or more drinks once or twice a week)	68	65	77	81	87	85	82	81
marijuana (once or twice a week)	66	64	73	77	84	78	71	72

*combines "Great," "Moderate," and "Slight"

Table A8.2***Selected Tobacco Use Measures, by Gender and Grade***

	7th Grade		9th Grade		11th Grade		NT	
	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %
During your life, did you ever smoke a cigarette?	5	8	22	24	23	33	57	63
During the past 30 days, did you smoke a cigarette?	5	7	10	12	9	15	22	45
During the past 30 days, did you smoke cigarettes daily?	0	0	1	1	2	3	4	12
During the past 30 days, did you smoke cigarettes on school property?	3	4	4	4	3	5	9	17
Frequent use of cigarettes is harmful. (1-2 packs a day)*	67	63	74	78	85	84	82	76

*combines "Great," "Moderate," and "Slight"

Table A8.3***Violence-Related Behavior and Experiences, by Gender and Grade***

	7th Grade		9th Grade		11th Grade		NT	
	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %
<i>During the past 12 months at school, have you been harassed or bullied for any of the following reasons?</i>								
Race, ethnicity, or national origin	12	18	9	15	10	14	15	17
Religion	8	10	9	10	7	8	9	17
Gender	10	12	8	7	8	5	8	11
Gay/lesbian, or someone thought you were	9	15	10	10	5	9	10	16
Physical/mental disability	6	9	5	7	3	5	3	16
Any other reason	25	22	21	21	15	16	14	22
During the past 12 months at school have you been in a physical fight?	23	37	23	31	12	22	28	36
During the past 12 months, did your boyfriend or girlfriend ever hit, slap, or physically hurt you on purpose?	3	5	7	6	8	7	18	14
Feels safe at school	56	62	52	56	56	62	58	58
Currently belong to a gang?	6	10	8	10	6	10	8	21

Table A8.4***Physical and Mental Health Measures, by Gender and Grade***

	7th Grade		9th Grade		11th Grade		NT	
	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %
Did you eat breakfast today?	55	65	44	58	53	55	42	43
During the past 12 months, did you ever feel so sad and hopeless almost every day for two weeks or more that you stopped doing some usual activities?	32	26	45	32	38	28	45	34

9. Comparisons

Table A9.1

Selected Alcohol, Tobacco and Drug Use, with Comparisons to 2007 State CSS and National YRBS*

	7th Grade %		9th Grade %			11th Grade %		
	District	CSS	District	CSS	YRBS	District	CSS	YRBS
Lifetime and Current ATOD Use								
<i>During your life did you ever...</i>								
smoke a cigarette? (PI)	7	7	23	20	45 ^a	28	34	55 ^a
chew tobacco or snuff?	5	4	7	6	~	6	10	~
drink alcohol (glass)?	27	24	55	47	67	65	66	79
use inhalants?	17	11	26	14	15	19	15	12
smoke marijuana? (PI)	13	9	35	25	29	39	42	50
<i>During the past 30 days, did you...</i>								
smoke a cigarette? (PI)	6	6	11	11	15	12	17	24
chew tobacco or snuff?	4	3	3	5	6	3	6	6
drink alcohol (glass)? (PI)	16	15	32	24	37	36	42	53
use inhalants?	9	5	12	7	~	7	7	~
smoke marijuana? (PI)	7	7	21	15	16	20	24	21
Level of Involvement (High Risk Patterns)								
<i>During your life have you ever...</i>								
been very drunk or sick after drinking?	12	11	33	28	~	40	45	~
been high from using drugs?	11	8	33	22	~	35	37	~
<i>During the past 30 days, did you...</i>								
drink 5 drinks in a couple of hours?	7	6	18	16	18	21	29	28

(PI) = SDFSCA/TUPE performance indicator required by CDE for Local Education Agency Plans.

^aYRBS asks about smoking even a puff or two.

*The California Student Survey includes 9th and 11th graders in Continuation/Alternative schools with the data from Comprehensive/Traditional high school students.

Table A9.1 - Continued

Selected Alcohol, Tobacco and Drug Use, with Comparisons to 2007 State CSS* and National YRBS

	7th Grade %		9th Grade %			11th Grade %		
	District	CSS	District	CSS	YRBS	District	CSS	YRBS
ATOD Use on School Property								
During your life, have you ever been drunk/high?	8	6	23	13	~	23	25	~
During the past 30 days, did you smoke cigarettes?	3	3	4	7	4	4	7	5
Perceived Harm^b								
<i>People risk harming themselves using...^c</i>								
cigarettes (1-2 packs a day)	65	83	76	90	~	84	93	~
alcohol (five or more drinks once or twice a week)	66	83	79	89	~	86	92	~
marijuana (once or twice a week)	65	82	75	85	~	81	87	~

(PI) = SDFSCA/TUPE performance indicator recommended by CDE.

^bnot comparable with previous CHKS results

^ccombines "Great," "Moderate," and "Slight"

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Table A9.2

Selected Violence-Related Behavior and Experiences, and Protective Factors with Comparisons to 2007 State CSS* and National YRBS

	7th Grade %		9th Grade %			11th Grade %		
	District	CSS	District	CSS	YRBS	District	CSS	YRBS
Violence-Related Behaviors and Experiences								
<i>During the past 12 months at school, have you....</i>								
been harassed because of race, ethnicity, gender, sexual orientation, or disability?	28	31	24	27	~	21	22	~
been in a physical fight?	29	32	27	25	18	17	23	11
been afraid of being beaten up? (PI)	28	29	22	22	~	15	15	~
During the past 12 months on school property, did you carry any weapon (gun, knife, or club)?	14	10	14	13	~	10	13	~
How safe do you feel when you are at school? Very safe. (PI)	23	18	16	16	~	16	20	~
Do you consider yourself a member of a gang?	8	9	9	8	~	8	8	~
Protective Factors - High Level of External Assets at School								
Caring relationships with teacher or other adult (PI)	32	31	30	28	~	37	29	~
High expectations from teacher or other adult (PI)	52	45	44	39	~	48	38	~
Opportunities for meaningful participation at their school (PI)	12	16	10	13	~	14	15	~
Total School Assets	29	31	24	27	~	32	28	~
School Connectedness (Add Health) (PI)	45	39	43	34	~	42	31	~

(PI) = SDFS/CA/TUPE performance indicator required by CDE for Local Education Agency Plans.

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

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
	%	%	%	%
0 days	88	83	90	84
1 day	6	9	6	3
2 or 3 days	3	4	3	6
4 or more days	3	3	2	6