



# Dane County Youth Assessment 2015

Summary Report

Grades 9<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup>

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# The 2015 Dane County Youth Assessment

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## **DCYA 2015**

Since 1980, Dane County youth in grades 7-12 have been surveyed regarding their opinions, concerns, attitudes, behaviors and experiences. Survey results provide essential data to educators, service providers, parents, policy-makers and funding bodies to inform grant writing, program development and public policy.

The Youth Assessment is a collaborative effort led by the Dane County Youth Commission in partnership with the United Way of Dane County, Public Health Madison & Dane County, the City of Madison, fifteen public school districts and one private school in Dane County.

### **Survey Development and Administration**

Project vendor K12 Associates and a committee of educators, public health professionals, project funders, and citizen and parent representatives led the survey development. The survey includes questions about positive and risk behaviors across contexts of school, peers, family and community. The 2015 DCYA includes new questions on emerging youth issues while retaining questions from past surveys to measure trends. The 2015 DCYA includes items from the national Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Youth Risk Behavior Survey to allow for comparisons of DCYA data to state and national trends. The survey development group made extensive efforts to ensure that questions are clear and understandable. A Spanish version is available.

From January 15 through March 15, 2015, sixteen public school districts and one private high school participated in the Dane County Youth Assessment. The survey was administered electronically at middle and high schools to students in regular and alternative school programs. Students with special needs or reading challenges were offered assistance in reading the survey. Student participation in the DCYA was voluntary and anonymous. Parents were notified four weeks in advance of survey administration, invited to review the survey at their school district office, and given the option to select their child out of the process. While the survey is available at school district offices for public review prior to its administration, distribution is restricted until after it is administered in order to preserve the integrity of student responses.

### **Data Analysis and Reports**

School districts attempt to survey all 7th-12th graders, with most districts capturing over 90%. Due to its size, the Madison Metropolitan School District (MMSD) uses sampling methods to survey approximately 50% of its 7th-12th graders. The data for the sample of MMSD students that participated in the survey is weighted to ensure representation of the entire MMSD student body of 7th-12th graders. Results of student responses to survey questions are presented as percentages of the weighted number for each item. Behavioral risk surveys using self-report methodology are widely used and have been proven to be valid and reliable. The large number of participants in the DCYA, the fact that results are in line with national trends, and consistency in findings from year to year supports the validity of the DCYA.

This report provides a complete set of data tables with all survey questions and countywide responses. The 2015 Overview Report summarizing key findings is available on the Youth Commission web site. Subsequent analysis will be conducted by funding partners and researchers yielding additional information about Dane County youth including comparisons, trends and factors influencing youth behavior. These reports will also be posted on the Youth Commission website at [www.co.dane.wi.us/humanservices/youth/youthhome.htm](http://www.co.dane.wi.us/humanservices/youth/youthhome.htm) as they become available. All published reports may be printed without permission. Citation for any reporting of this data is “2015 Dane County Youth Assessment, Dane County Youth Commission, Madison, Wisconsin.”

## **Conclusion**

The 2015 Youth Assessment marks the sixth time the Youth Commission has coordinated an opportunity for 7th-12th grade youth in Dane County to voice their opinions, needs, concerns and interests. This effort provides the community with information and insight on youth trends. Although not the only source of information on what is impacting youth in our community, the Youth Assessment provides one very valuable resource to inform program and policy decisions. The data reflected in this report is encouraging in some areas and concerning in others. The Youth Commission and its partners hope that youth-serving agencies, community stakeholders, parents, policy makers, school districts and youth will use this and subsequent reports to appreciate where we have been, to recognize the successes and challenges of today and to create an even brighter future for Dane County.

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## Using Report Tables

All tables in the following report are constructed in the same manner. Each table summarizes the responses for **one particular survey item** for either all high school students (grades 9-12) or all middle school students surveyed (Grades 7-8).

These tables are intended to provide as much information as possible in an easy-to-understand format. Below is a description of each element in the table.

*Grade levels cover in this table* *% of all HS grades combined*

Dane County Grades 9-12		Grade level				All Students
4a. What is your current grade in school?		9 <sup>th</sup>	10 <sup>th</sup>	11 <sup>th</sup>	12 <sup>th</sup>	
Gender		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
If you are male	Male	49%	50%	48%	49%	49%
If you are female	Female	51%	50%	52%	51%	51%
All Students		100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

*Survey item (as asked on the survey)*

*The % of 9<sup>th</sup> graders who are female*

(Note: Some column percentages may not add to 100% due to rounding)

## Survey Population 9<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> Graders

**N= 18,494**



# Section 1: About Yourself

Population size by gender and grade

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What is your biological sex?				All Students	
		Female		Male		% of Group	# of Students
		% of Group	# of Students	% of Group	# of Students		
What grade are you in?	9th	29%	2734	31%	2842	30%	5576
	10th	29%	2676	27%	2471	28%	5148
	11th	23%	2119	24%	2155	23%	4274
	12th	19%	1747	18%	1676	19%	3422

Race or ethnic group

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
What is your race?	Asian (not Hmong)	5%	3%	4%	3%	4%
	Black or African American (not Hispanic)	8%	11%	10%	8%	9%
	Hispanic or Latino	9%	10%	7%	9%	9%
	Hmong	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%
	Middle Eastern/Arab American	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%
	Native American	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%
	White (not Hispanic)	66%	65%	69%	73%	68%
	Multi-racial (more than one race)	8%	7%	6%	4%	6%
	Other	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%

### GLBQ items

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Which of the following best describes you?	Straight/Heterosexual	90%	88%	89%	90%	89%
	Gay or Lesbian	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	Bi-sexual	5%	5%	4%	5%	5%
	Questioning my sexual orientation	3%	3%	2%	2%	2%
	Other	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%

### Transgender identification

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Do you identify yourself as transgender?	Yes	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%
	No	92%	95%	95%	95%	94%
	I don't know what transgender means.	7%	4%	4%	3%	4%

### How others might describe you: feminine to masculine?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
A person's appearance, style, dress, or the way they walk or talk may affect how people describe them. How do you think other people at school would describe you?	Very feminine	15%	16%	14%	14%	15%
	Mostly feminine	22%	22%	22%	23%	22%
	Somewhat feminine	9%	11%	11%	10%	10%
	Equally feminine and masculine	9%	9%	10%	10%	10%
	Somewhat masculine	8%	9%	9%	10%	9%
	Mostly masculine	22%	22%	20%	22%	22%
	Very masculine	15%	12%	13%	11%	13%

## Section 2: Your Living Situation

Who do you live with?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Who do you live with most of the time? (Choose only one.)	Two parents in one home	68%	66%	64%	68%	67%
	Two parents in separate homes	12%	11%	11%	8%	11%
	One parent only	11%	13%	14%	13%	13%
	One parent & another adult	5%	6%	6%	4%	5%
	Group home or foster home	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	A relative (aunt, uncle, grandparents, older siblings, etc.)	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%
	With friends	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	Alone	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Other	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%

Who is home after school?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
If I'm home after school, from 3:00-6:00 p.m., there is . . .	Always a parent/guardian at home	28%	25%	25%	20%	25%
	Usually a parent/guardian at home	56%	55%	55%	53%	55%
	Seldom a parent/guardian at home	12%	15%	15%	18%	15%
	Never a parent/guardian at home	4%	5%	6%	8%	5%

Have you ever run away?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Run away from home for 1 or more nights.	Never	95%	92%	92%	91%	92%
	Yes, in the last 12 months	3%	4%	5%	4%	4%
	Yes, over 12 months ago	2%	4%	3%	5%	3%

Have you ever been homeless?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Been homeless.	Never	97%	96%	96%	97%	97%
	Yes, in the last 12 months	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	Yes, over 12 months ago	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%

Have you ever been kicked out?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Been kicked out of your house by your parents.	Never	96%	93%	93%	92%	94%
	Yes, in the last 12 months	3%	5%	5%	5%	4%
	Yes, over 12 months ago	1%	2%	2%	3%	2%

Have you ever been in juvenile detention?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Been in juvenile corrections/prison for more than 30 days.	Never	99%	98%	98%	99%	98%
	Yes, in the last 12 months	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Yes, over 12 months ago	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%

Have you ever lived in a car?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Lived in a car.	Never	98%	98%	98%	97%	98%
	Yes, in the last 12 months	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Yes, over 12 months ago	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%

How many times did you change schools?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
In the past 12 months, how many times have you changed schools because of moving?	0 times	90%	91%	93%	92%	91%
	1 time	7%	6%	5%	5%	6%
	2 times	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	3 or more times	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%

# Section 3: After School, Employment & Volunteering

Days a week participating in after school/weekend activities

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Sports (school or club) and group exercise, including practice, competition or private lessons	Never involved in this activity	28%	31%	33%	36%	31%
	Less than 1 day per week	6%	5%	7%	6%	6%
	1-2 days	14%	12%	12%	11%	12%
	3-4 days	17%	16%	16%	14%	16%
	5 or more days	35%	37%	32%	31%	34%
Tutoring, homework club or other academic support	Never involved in this activity	73%	66%	69%	72%	70%
	Less than 1 day per week	11%	14%	13%	14%	13%
	1-2 days	12%	13%	12%	9%	12%
	3-4 days	2%	5%	3%	3%	3%
	5 or more days	2%	3%	3%	3%	3%
Music, art, dance or drama	Never involved in this activity	61%	65%	65%	61%	63%
	Less than 1 day per week	7%	6%	6%	6%	6%
	1-2 days	11%	10%	9%	9%	10%
	3-4 days	7%	7%	8%	9%	8%
	5 or more days	13%	13%	13%	15%	13%
Leadership and/or support group	Never involved in this activity	85%	81%	75%	70%	79%
	Less than 1 day per week	7%	9%	11%	12%	9%
	1-2 days	6%	7%	10%	11%	8%
	3-4 days	1%	1%	3%	3%	2%
	5 or more days	1%	2%	2%	4%	2%

<b>Religious or spiritual activities</b>	<b>Never involved in this activity</b>	60%	63%	66%	67%	64%
	<b>Less than 1 day per week</b>	16%	15%	14%	14%	15%
	<b>1-2 days</b>	21%	19%	17%	15%	18%
	<b>3-4 days</b>	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%
	<b>5 or more days</b>	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%
<b>Other afterschool programs, clubs or activities at a school, neighborhood center or organization</b>	<b>Never involved in this activity</b>	61%	60%	59%	59%	60%
	<b>Less than 1 day per week</b>	16%	14%	15%	15%	15%
	<b>1-2 days</b>	16%	15%	16%	17%	16%
	<b>3-4 days</b>	5%	6%	6%	5%	5%
	<b>5 or more days</b>	3%	5%	4%	4%	4%

### Do you have a job?

<b>Dane Co Grades 9-12</b>		<b>What grade are you in?</b>				<b>All Students</b>
		<b>9th</b>	<b>10th</b>	<b>11th</b>	<b>12th</b>	<b>% of Group</b>
		<b>% of Group</b>	<b>% of Group</b>	<b>% of Group</b>	<b>% of Group</b>	
<b>Do you currently have a job? (Choose only one.)</b>	<b>No, looking for a job, but can't find one</b>	22%	25%	15%	12%	19%
	<b>No and not looking</b>	39%	27%	20%	15%	27%
	<b>Yes, occasional jobs (babysitting, snow shoveling, lawn work)</b>	30%	25%	16%	13%	22%
	<b>Yes, 20 hours or less per week</b>	8%	19%	39%	43%	25%
	<b>Yes, more than 20 hours per week</b>	1%	4%	10%	17%	7%



### Have you volunteered?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Have you done any volunteer work or community service in the last 12 months? (Choose only one.)	No, but interested in volunteering or community service	22%	20%	17%	13%	19%
	No and not interested	17%	13%	14%	15%	15%
	Yes, on a weekly basis	8%	11%	13%	13%	11%
	Yes, on a monthly basis	12%	14%	15%	18%	15%
	Yes, a few times in the past 12 months	41%	41%	42%	42%	41%

## Section 4: Socio-economic

How many computers, laptops do you have?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
How many computers, laptops or tablets, not issued from school, do you have in your home? (Don't include smart phones.)	None	4%	4%	5%	4%	4%
	1	9%	11%	10%	12%	10%
	2	19%	21%	20%	20%	20%
	3	21%	20%	22%	22%	21%
	4 or more	47%	44%	44%	42%	45%

How many vehicles do you have?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
How many working cars, including trucks or vans, does your family own?	None	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%
	1	12%	13%	10%	8%	11%
	2	43%	35%	28%	26%	34%
	3	28%	31%	36%	38%	33%
	4 or more	15%	19%	25%	25%	21%

Are you eligible for free or reduced hot lunch?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Do you get free or reduced lunch at school?	No	73%	72%	75%	77%	74%
	Yes	20%	23%	21%	20%	21%
	Don't Know	6%	4%	4%	3%	5%

Family having to miss meals because of \$\$

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th	10th	11th	12th	
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
In the past 30 days, how often did you skip meals or eat less because your family didn't have enough money for food?	Never	89%	87%	88%	88%	88%
	Once	6%	8%	6%	6%	6%
	More than once	5%	6%	6%	6%	6%

## Section 5: Technology Use and Sleep

### Screen time on school nights

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
On an average school day/night, how many total hours do you sit and watch TV, play video games or use a computer, phone or tablet for something that is not homework? (Do not count time on your phone if you are active.)	0 hours	2%	3%	3%	3%	2%
	Less than 1 hour	11%	13%	12%	12%	12%
	1 hour	18%	17%	17%	15%	17%
	2 hours	28%	25%	26%	27%	27%
	3 hours	19%	19%	20%	21%	20%
	4 hours	10%	11%	9%	9%	10%
	5 or more hours	13%	13%	13%	12%	13%

### School nights per week up past 11pm

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
On average, how many school nights (Sunday-Thurs) a week are you awake past 11pm?	0 nights	22%	16%	11%	9%	16%
	1 night	17%	15%	12%	11%	14%
	2 nights	18%	18%	15%	15%	16%
	3 nights	15%	15%	18%	17%	16%
	4 nights	10%	11%	12%	13%	11%
	Every school night	19%	25%	32%	34%	27%

### Cell phone on at night?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Do you keep a cell phone or tablet turned on in your bedroom at night?	I don't have a phone or tablet	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%
	Yes	72%	77%	81%	83%	78%
	No	25%	19%	16%	14%	19%

## Section 6: Parenting and Family

### Evening meals per week with family

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
In an average week, how many days do you eat evening meals with your family?	0 days	8%	9%	12%	14%	10%
	1 day	5%	7%	9%	8%	7%
	2 days	7%	10%	9%	13%	9%
	3 days	10%	11%	13%	13%	11%
	4 days	10%	10%	12%	12%	11%
	5 days	14%	16%	15%	17%	15%
	6 days	13%	12%	12%	9%	12%
	7 days	32%	25%	19%	15%	24%

### Parents know where I am when I go out

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Know where I am when I go out.	Always	69%	62%	55%	47%	60%
	Often	24%	28%	33%	36%	30%
	Sometimes	6%	8%	10%	14%	9%
	Never	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%

Parents set clear rules

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Set clear rules about what I can and cannot do.	Always	62%	59%	55%	47%	57%
	Often	26%	27%	27%	29%	27%
	Sometimes	11%	12%	15%	19%	14%
	Never	2%	3%	3%	4%	3%

Parents have talked about my future plans

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Have talked with me about my future plans.	Always	48%	50%	57%	63%	53%
	Often	26%	27%	25%	23%	25%
	Sometimes	22%	20%	16%	12%	18%
	Never	4%	3%	2%	2%	3%

Parents have consequences

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Have consequences if I break rules.	Always	61%	57%	54%	48%	56%
	Often	24%	24%	24%	25%	24%
	Sometimes	13%	14%	17%	21%	16%
	Never	2%	4%	5%	6%	4%

Parents encourage me

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Encourage me to do well.	Always	82%	80%	77%	76%	79%
	Often	12%	13%	15%	15%	14%
	Sometimes	5%	5%	7%	7%	6%
	Never	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%

Parents monitor my school progress

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Monitor my school progress.	Always	60%	51%	51%	43%	52%
	Often	25%	28%	27%	26%	26%
	Sometimes	13%	17%	18%	23%	17%
	Never	3%	4%	4%	7%	4%

Parents talk with me about things that bother me

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Talk with me about things that bother me.	Always	35%	33%	35%	35%	35%
	Often	24%	24%	23%	22%	23%
	Sometimes	27%	30%	28%	30%	29%
	Never	13%	13%	15%	13%	14%



How wrong do your parents feel it is for you to . . .?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Smoke marijuana	Not Wrong	3%	5%	7%	8%	5%
	A Little Wrong	6%	11%	12%	15%	11%
	Wrong	13%	17%	18%	20%	17%
	Very Wrong	74%	63%	60%	54%	64%
	Not Sure	3%	4%	4%	2%	3%
Smoke cigarettes	Not Wrong	2%	2%	3%	4%	3%
	A Little Wrong	3%	3%	4%	5%	3%
	Wrong	12%	13%	14%	17%	14%
	Very Wrong	82%	78%	75%	71%	77%
	Not Sure	2%	4%	4%	2%	3%
Drink alcohol	Not Wrong	5%	7%	9%	13%	8%
	A Little Wrong	12%	18%	22%	30%	19%
	Wrong	22%	26%	25%	26%	25%
	Very Wrong	56%	46%	40%	28%	44%
	Not Sure	4%	4%	4%	3%	4%

## Section 7: Health

Do you have learning, physical or emotional disabilities?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Do you have a learning, emotional or physical disability that limits you from doing certain educational or physical activities?	Yes	11%	13%	12%	14%	13%
	No	76%	75%	78%	77%	76%
	Not Sure	13%	12%	9%	9%	11%

Have you taken medication for asthma?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
In the past 12 months, have you taken medication for asthma, seen a doctor for asthma, or had asthma symptoms?	Yes	17%	18%	15%	16%	17%
	No	83%	82%	85%	84%	83%

Last time seen by a dentist

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
When was the last time you saw a dentist for a check-up, exam, teeth cleaning or other dental work?	Within the past 12 months	82%	80%	81%	80%	81%
	Between 12 and 24 months ago (1-2 years ago)	8%	9%	8%	9%	8%
	More than 24 months ago (more than 2 years ago)	3%	3%	5%	6%	4%
	Never	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%
	Not sure	6%	6%	4%	4%	5%

Past 12 months missed school with dental pain

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
In the past 12 months, have you ever missed school because of pain in your teeth or gums? (not because of braces)	Yes	4%	5%	5%	5%	5%
	No	96%	95%	95%	95%	95%

## Section 8: Exercise and Nutrition

Number of days physically active

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
<b>During the past 7 days, on how many days were you physically active for a total of at least 60 minutes per day?</b>  (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.)	0 days	5%	8%	9%	10%	8%
	1 day	5%	7%	6%	8%	6%
	2 days	8%	8%	9%	10%	9%
	3 days	13%	12%	15%	14%	13%
	4 days	11%	11%	12%	12%	11%
	5 days	21%	21%	19%	17%	20%
	6 days	13%	13%	11%	12%	12%
	7 days	23%	21%	18%	17%	20%

Days per week exercising on your own

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
<b>How many days a week do you exercise on your own, not in an organized program? (for example: biking, skating, running, playground basketball, dancing, tennis with a friend, snowboarding, skateboarding, etc.)</b>	0 days	15%	18%	21%	20%	18%
	1 day	14%	14%	13%	13%	14%
	2 days	19%	17%	18%	15%	17%
	3 days	17%	15%	14%	15%	15%
	4 days	10%	10%	8%	11%	10%
	5 days	11%	11%	11%	12%	11%
	6 days	4%	5%	5%	5%	5%
	7 days	10%	10%	10%	10%	10%

Things that stop you from exercising

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	Group
What things stop or limit you from exercising, either in sports, organized exercise programs or on your own? (Choose all that apply.)	Nothing stops or limits me	38%	39%	36%	34%	37%
	Don't have time (because of school work, job, chores, etc.)	49%	51%	56%	59%	53%
	Don't like it or don't think it's important	13%	12%	13%	11%	12%
	Physical or other health problems	11%	11%	10%	11%	11%
	Skills aren't good enough	14%	12%	13%	11%	12%
	Not enough programs or places to exercise	7%	7%	7%	6%	7%
	Don't know what is offered or how to sign up	7%	6%	6%	4%	6%
	It costs too much (fees or equipment)	9%	9%	12%	14%	11%
	Transportation is a problem	15%	13%	9%	9%	12%
	Safety concerns in my neighborhood (such as traffic or crime)	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%
	Parents don't want me to	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	Uncomfortable in the locker room	5%	4%	4%	4%	4%
	Other reasons	12%	9%	9%	8%	10%

Eat more junk food in summer

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
I eat and drink more "junk food" in the summer than during the school year.	Yes	48%	45%	43%	39%	44%
	No	52%	55%	57%	61%	56%

Are you more active in summer?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
I am more active in the summer than during the school year.	Yes	75%	76%	77%	77%	76%
	No	25%	24%	23%	23%	24%

In summer there are enough opportunities to be active.

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
There are enough sports/fitness programs or places to be active during the summer.	Yes	84%	84%	84%	84%	84%
	No	16%	16%	16%	16%	16%

What, if anything, are doing about your weight?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Which of the following are you trying to do about your weight?	I am not trying to do anything about my weight.	31%	28%	27%	27%	29%
	Lose weight	36%	38%	37%	40%	38%
	Gain weight	14%	16%	19%	16%	16%
	Stay the same weight	19%	19%	17%	16%	18%

### Servings of veggies and fruit each day

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
During the past 7 days, how many times did you eat fruits or vegetables? (Do not count fruit juice, French Fries, fried potatoes or potato chips.)	0 times the past 7 days	2%	3%	3%	3%	3%
	1 to 3 times the past 7 days	15%	18%	19%	19%	17%
	4 to 6 times the past 7 days	21%	21%	22%	22%	22%
	1 time per day	13%	12%	14%	13%	13%
	2 times per day	26%	23%	22%	23%	24%
	3 times per day	13%	12%	12%	12%	12%
	4 or more times per day	10%	10%	8%	8%	9%

### Number of days eating breakfast

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
During the past 7 days, how many days did you eat breakfast?	0 days	8%	8%	10%	10%	9%
	1 day	5%	8%	7%	7%	7%
	2 days	8%	9%	10%	10%	9%
	3 days	8%	9%	8%	10%	9%
	4 days	7%	8%	9%	8%	8%
	5 days	10%	11%	10%	10%	10%
	6 days	10%	8%	9%	9%	9%
	7 days	44%	39%	36%	37%	39%

Frequency of certain drinks

		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
During the past 7 days, how many times did you drink a can, bottle or glass of a sports drink such as Gatorade or PowerAde? ( Do not count low calorie sports drinks such as Propel or G2.)	0 times the past 7 days.	54%	54%	57%	58%	55%
	1 to 3 times the past 7 days	31%	30%	28%	28%	29%
	4 to 6 times the past 7 days	8%	7%	7%	7%	7%
	1 time per day	4%	4%	4%	3%	4%
	2 times per day	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	3 times per day	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%
	4 or more times per day	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%
During the past 7 days, how many times did you drink a can, bottle or glass of soda or pop such as Coke, Pepsi, Dr. Pepper or Mountain Dew? ( Do not count diet soda or diet pop.)	0 times the past 7 days.	35%	36%	35%	33%	35%
	1 to 3 times the past 7 days	45%	43%	39%	41%	42%
	4 to 6 times the past 7 days	11%	10%	14%	12%	12%
	1 time per day	4%	4%	6%	6%	5%
	2 times per day	3%	3%	3%	4%	3%
	3 times per day	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	4 or more times per day	1%	2%	2%	3%	2%



During the past 7 days, how many times did you drink OTHER sweet drinks such as lemonade, Snapple, Sunny D, Kool-Aid, sweetened coffee drinks (like lattes) or milk shakes?	0 times the past 7 days.	30%	30%	29%	29%	30%
	1 to 3 times the past 7 days	48%	46%	45%	46%	46%
	4 to 6 times the past 7 days	11%	12%	14%	14%	13%
	1 time per day	5%	5%	6%	5%	5%
	2 times per day	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%
	3 times per day	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%
	4 or more times per day	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%
During the past 7 days, how many times did you drink something with caffeine such as coffee, coffee drinks, energy drinks or soda with caffeine?	0 times the past 7 days.	41%	40%	37%	32%	38%
	1 to 3 times the past 7 days	39%	37%	34%	36%	37%
	4 to 6 times the past 7 days	9%	11%	13%	12%	11%
	1 time per day	6%	6%	8%	11%	7%
	2 times per day	3%	3%	4%	5%	4%
	3 times per day	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%
	4 or more times per day	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%

## Section 9: Emotional Health

### Feeling anxious and worrying

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?					All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	Other	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Felt nervous, anxious or on edge.	Always	10%	12%	12%	13%	38%	12%
	Often	24%	28%	25%	27%	8%	26%
	Sometimes	45%	41%	42%	44%	30%	43%
	Not at all	21%	19%	21%	17%	24%	20%
Not been able to stop or control worrying.	Always	10%	11%	12%	12%	36%	11%
	Often	16%	21%	17%	18%	6%	18%
	Sometimes	29%	29%	32%	31%	30%	30%
	Not at all	46%	39%	39%	39%	28%	41%
Felt problems were piling up so high that you could not handle them.	Always	10%	14%	13%	13%	38%	13%
	Often	16%	20%	19%	20%	8%	18%
	Sometimes	30%	28%	32%	30%	26%	30%
	Not at all	44%	37%	35%	37%	28%	39%

### Are you receiving professional mental health services?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Are you currently receiving professional mental health services outside of school?	Yes	10%	12%	14%	13%	12%
	No	90%	88%	86%	87%	88%

Do you have any these long-term mental health problems?

Dane Co. Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				
		9th	10th	11th	12th	All Students
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
Do you have any of the following long-term (more than 6 months) emotional or mental health issues? (Choose all that apply.)	No long term emotional or mental health issue	64%	62%	61%	60%	62%
	Depression	13%	17%	18%	20%	17%
	Anxiety	18%	20%	21%	24%	20%
	An eating disorder	4%	5%	4%	5%	4%
	Other emotional or mental health problem (not ADD or ADHD)	5%	6%	7%	6%	6%

Depression: Feeling sad and hopeless

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
During the past 12 months, did you ever feel so sad or hopeless almost every day for at least two weeks in a row that you stopped doing some usual activities?	Yes	19%	23%	24%	25%	22%
	No	81%	77%	76%	75%	78%

### Perceptions of professional mental health

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Most youth think it is OK to get professional help for a mental health issue.	Strongly agree	21%	20%	21%	18%	20%
	Agree	52%	52%	50%	49%	51%
	Disagree	23%	23%	25%	28%	24%
	Strongly Disagree	4%	4%	5%	5%	5%

### Suicide ideation

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
During the past 12 months, have you thought seriously about killing yourself?	No	83%	80%	81%	81%	81%
	Yes, but rarely	11%	11%	12%	13%	12%
	Yes, some of the time	5%	6%	5%	5%	5%
	Yes, almost all the time	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%

### Suicide attempts last 12 months

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
During the past 12 months, have you attempted to kill yourself?	No	95%	93%	95%	95%	94%
	Yes, 1 time	4%	4%	4%	3%	4%
	Yes, more than 1 time	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%

Self harm in the last 12 months

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	Group
During the past 12 months, how many times did you do something to hurt yourself on purpose, without wanting to die, such as cutting or burning yourself?	Never	85%	84%	85%	86%	85%
	Rarely (once or twice)	9%	9%	8%	9%	9%
	Occasionally	4%	4%	5%	4%	4%
	Frequently	2%	3%	2%	1%	2%

My parent is depressed, has a mental health issue

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
My parent is depressed or has a mental health issue that worries me.	Yes	9%	11%	12%	12%	11%
	No	81%	78%	79%	80%	79%
	Not Sure	10%	11%	10%	9%	10%

# Section 10: Safety

How often do you wear a seatbelt?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
How often do you wear a seat belt when driving or riding in a car?	Never	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%
	Rarely	3%	2%	3%	2%	3%
	Sometimes	5%	6%	6%	5%	5%
	Most of the time	24%	22%	17%	18%	21%
	Always	67%	69%	73%	73%	70%

How often do you wear a protective helmet?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
When you rode a bicycle during the past 12 months, how often did you wear a helmet?	Didn't ride a bicycle in the past 12 months	16%	21%	28%	32%	23%
	Never	29%	34%	33%	31%	32%
	Rarely	11%	10%	10%	9%	10%
	Sometimes	9%	9%	8%	7%	8%
	Most of the time	15%	11%	9%	9%	11%
	Always	20%	14%	13%	12%	15%

# Section 11: Sexual Behavior and Knowledge

Ever voluntarily engaged in sexual contact?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Have you ever voluntarily engaged in any sexual contact with another person?	Yes	18%	33%	48%	61%	37%
	No	82%	67%	52%	39%	63%

Main reason you haven't had sexual contact  
(% of not sexually active)

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				% youth, no sexual contact
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
What is the main reason or reasons you haven't had sexual contact? (Choose only one.)	I have never been in an intimate relationship.	36%	47%	50%	54%	44%
	I don't feel mature enough or ready for that type of relationship	22%	13%	12%	10%	16%
	I'm worried about health issue like pregnancy and STDs	8%	10%	7%	5%	8%
	Because of my religious beliefs.	7%	7%	8%	10%	8%
	I don't feel it's morally right.	8%	7%	6%	6%	7%
	My parents would disapprove.	7%	6%	4%	3%	6%
	I'm worried what my friends would think of me.	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Other	10%	10%	12%	13%	11%

Age of first sexual activity  
(% of sexually active)

Dane Co Grades 9-12*		What grade are you in?				% of sexually active
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group*
		% of Group*	% of Group*	% of Group*	% of Group*	
How old were you the first time you had voluntary sexual intercourse or oral sex?	I have never had sexual intercourse or oral sex with anyone.	34%	23%	13%	7%	17%
	11 years old or younger	7%	6%	4%	2%	4%
	12 years old	4%	2%	2%	1%	2%
	13 years old	11%	8%	4%	5%	6%
	14 years old	27%	15%	11%	12%	15%
	15 years old	16%	32%	24%	19%	23%
	16 years old	0%	12%	34%	27%	21%
	17 years old	0%	1%	7%	21%	8%
	18 years old or older	0%	0%	0%	5%	2%

Gender of your sexual partners  
(% of sexually active)

Dane Co Grades 9-12*		What grade are you in?				% of sexually active
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group*
		% of Group*	% of Group*	% of Group*	% of Group*	
Who have you had voluntary sexual intercourse or oral sex with?	Females	57%	49%	49%	47%	49%
	Males	30%	43%	45%	48%	44%
	Females and Males	12%	8%	5%	5%	7%



Number of sexual partners  
(% of sexually active youth)

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				% of sexually active
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group*	% of Group*	% of Group*	% of Group*	
How many people have you had voluntary sexual intercourse or oral sex with?	1 person	50%	50%	47%	39%	45%
	2 people	19%	21%	20%	21%	21%
	3 people	8%	10%	12%	13%	11%
	4 people	7%	4%	6%	10%	7%
	5 people	3%	4%	4%	4%	4%
	6 or more people	12%	11%	11%	12%	12%

Sex with people you just met do not know well  
(% of sexually active)

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				% of sexually active
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
How many people have you had voluntary sexual intercourse or oral sex with that you just met or didn't know very well?	None ever	67%	70%	69%	67%	68%
	1 person	15%	17%	16%	17%	16%
	2 people	5%	5%	4%	8%	6%
	3 people	2%	1%	3%	3%	2%
	4 people	1%	1%	1%	3%	2%
	5 people	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	6 or more people	8%	5%	6%	4%	5%

Sex while under the influence  
(% of sexually active)

Dane Co Grades 9-12*		What grade are you in?				% of sexually active
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Have you ever had voluntary sexual intercourse or oral sex with someone while you were under the influence of alcohol, marijuana or other drugs?	No, never	71%	70%	67%	58%	65%
	Yes, a few times	20%	23%	24%	30%	25%
	Yes, many times	9%	7%	8%	13%	10%

How often do you use birth control?  
(% of sexually active)

Dane Co Grades 9-12*		What grade are you in?				% of sexually active
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
When you have vaginal sexual intercourse, how often do you and your partner use a method to prevent pregnancy?	I have never had vaginal sexual intercourse	30%	24%	17%	13%	19%
	Never	14%	9%	7%	7%	8%
	Sometimes	13%	15%	16%	16%	15%
	Always	43%	52%	60%	64%	58%

Forms of birth control used  
(% of sexually active)

Dane Co Grades 9-12*		What grade are you in?				% of sexually active
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
What do you use or do to prevent pregnancy? (Check all that apply.)	Condom	34%	48%	57%	65%	54%
	Pills	10%	19%	30%	41%	28%
	Withdrawal (pulling out)	13%	15%	18%	24%	18%
	Depo Provera (shots)	3%	3%	6%	6%	5%
	Implants (Implanon)	2%	3%	6%	6%	4%
	Nuva Ring	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%
	Patch	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%
	IUD	1%	1%	2%	4%	2%
	Abstinence, we do not have sex	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%
Other	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	

How often do you use a barrier method?  
(% of sexually active)

Dane Co Grades 9-12*		What grade are you in?				% of sexually active
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
When you have sexual intercourse or oral sex, how often do you and your partner use a barrier method (condom, dental dam) to prevent sexually transmitted infections?	Never	36%	30%	26%	26%	28%
	Sometimes	17%	24%	25%	25%	24%
	Always use one	47%	46%	49%	49%	48%

### How likely is it you will get an STI?

(% of sexually active)

Dane Co Grades 9-12*		What grade are you in?				% of sexually active
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
How likely is it that you will get a sexually transmitted infection?	Not at all likely	85%	85%	87%	86%	85%
	Somewhat likely	12%	12%	10%	12%	12%
	Very likely	3%	3%	3%	2%	3%

### Have you ever been tested for an STI?

(% of sexually active)

Dane Co Grades 9-12*		What grade are you in?				% of sexually active
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Have you ever been tested for a sexually transmitted infection?	Yes	5%	7%	12%	19%	10%
	No	83%	83%	79%	76%	80%
	Not sure	13%	10%	9%	6%	10%

### Reproductive health knowledge

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Untreated STIs can cause serious health problems.	True	90%	92%	94%	94%	92%
	False	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%
	Not Sure	8%	5%	5%	4%	5%
I could tell if my sexual partner had an STI.	True	26%	29%	30%	33%	29%
	False	44%	47%	47%	47%	46%
	Not Sure	31%	24%	23%	20%	25%
Using condoms prevents many STIs.	True	69%	75%	75%	78%	74%
	False	16%	16%	16%	15%	16%
	Not Sure	15%	9%	9%	7%	10%
Withdrawal (pulling out) during sex prevents pregnancy.	True	21%	20%	20%	17%	20%
	False	58%	68%	70%	75%	67%
	Not Sure	20%	12%	11%	8%	14%

I know how to get care for sexual and reproductive health concerns.	True	61%	70%	73%	77%	70%
	False	14%	13%	12%	10%	13%
	Not Sure	24%	17%	15%	13%	18%

How many people you have had intercourse with?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
About how many people your age do you think have ever had sexual intercourse?	None	7%	3%	3%	2%	4%
	Less than half	56%	33%	20%	11%	33%
	Half	21%	35%	31%	30%	29%
	More than half	14%	27%	42%	51%	31%
	All	2%	3%	4%	6%	3%

Have you ever had a good talk with your parents about . . . ?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Waiting to have sex.	Yes	48%	49%	51%	52%	50%
	No	52%	51%	49%	48%	50%
Healthy dating relationships.	Yes	64%	63%	66%	67%	65%
	No	36%	37%	34%	33%	35%
Birth control and STIs.	Yes	40%	45%	51%	57%	47%
	No	60%	55%	49%	43%	53%

## Section 12: Tobacco Use

How old were you when you had your first cigarette?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
How old were you when you smoked a whole cigarette for the first time?	Never smoked a whole cigarette	93%	88%	85%	80%	88%
	8 years old or younger	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	9 or 10 years old	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	11 or 12 years old	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	13 or 14 years old	3%	3%	4%	4%	3%
	15 or 16 years old	1%	4%	6%	7%	4%
	17 years old or older		0%	1%	5%	1%

On average, how many cigarettes per day?  
(% of youth who smoked)

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				% of smokers
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
During the past 30 days, on how many days did you smoke cigarettes?	0 days	57%	56%	60%	50%	56%
	1 or 2 days	13%	14%	12%	14%	13%
	3 to 5 days	7%	8%	6%	6%	7%
	6 to 9 days	2%	3%	4%	6%	4%
	10 to 19 days	7%	5%	5%	8%	6%
	20 to 29 days	2%	3%	3%	5%	3%
	All 30 days	11%	12%	11%	10%	11%

Where do you usually get your cigarettes?  
(% of youth who have smoked)

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				% of smokers
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
During the past 30 days, how did you usually get your cigarettes? (Choose only one response.)	Did not smoke cigarettes during the past 30 days	53%	53%	57%	47%	52%
	From a store - convenience store, supermarket, discount store	6%	8%	5%	22%	11%
	On the Internet	2%	1%	1%	3%	2%
	Gave someone else money to buy them for me	11%	7%	9%	6%	8%
	Borrowed (or bummed) them from someone else	13%	16%	12%	10%	13%
	A person 18 years old or older gave them to me	4%	5%	6%	6%	6%
	Took them from a store or family member	4%	5%	4%	2%	3%
	Got them some other way	7%	6%	6%	4%	6%

Electronic vapor product used

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use an electronic vapor product? (Electronic vapor products include e-cigarettes, e-cigars, e-pipes, vape pipes, vaping pens, e-hookahs and hookah pens.)	0 days	90%	83%	83%	77%	84%
	1 or 2 days	5%	8%	8%	11%	8%
	3 to 5 days	2%	3%	3%	4%	3%
	6 to 9 days	1%	2%	2%	3%	2%
	10 to 19 days	1%	2%	2%	3%	2%
	20 to 29 days	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%
	All 30 days	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%

Tobacco products used

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
During the past 30 days which of the following products have you used on at least one day? (Choose the last answer if you haven't used any of these, otherwise choose all that apply.)	Roll-your-own cigarettes	3%	4%	4%	4%	4%
	Flavored cigarettes (like Camel Crush)	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%
	Bidis or Kreteks (clove cigarettes)	3%	2%	1%	2%	2%
	Little cigars, cigarillos or flavored cigars	6%	7%	7%	10%	8%
	Chewing tobacco, dip, Snus or snuff (like Skoal, Grizzly, Co	4%	4%	6%	6%	5%
	Smoking tobacco from a hookah or water pipe.	7%	7%	7%	10%	8%
	I have not used any of these or any other tobacco product	73%	78%	77%	72%	75%



## Section 13: Alcohol Use

How old for first drink of alcohol?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
How old were you when you had your first drink of alcohol other than a few sips?	Never had a drink of alcohol	68%	51%	42%	30%	50%
	8 years old or younger	4%	4%	3%	3%	4%
	9 or 10 years old	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	11 or 12 years old	6%	6%	6%	3%	5%
	13 or 14 years old	16%	16%	14%	14%	15%
	15 or 16 years old	5%	20%	29%	30%	19%
	17 years old or older	0%	0%	4%	17%	4%

Main reason you don't drink  
(% of youth never drinking)

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				% of youth who never drink
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
What is the main reason you haven't had a drink of alcohol? (Choose only one response.)	I'm worried about the impact it would have on my future	28%	21%	22%	20%	24%
	It's bad for a teenager's health	18%	15%	13%	11%	15%
	My parents would be disappointed in me	11%	15%	12%	8%	12%
	I had a taste once and didn't like it.	11%	11%	9%	13%	11%
	I don't hang around with people who drink	7%	11%	12%	11%	10%
	I could get kicked out of an extracurricular activity	7%	9%	6%	8%	8%
	Because of my religious beliefs.	2%	4%	4%	5%	3%
	I could get a citation	2%	2%	3%	3%	2%
	Other reasons	12%	14%	18%	23%	15%

### Do you drink and drive?

(% of youth who ever drank)

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?					% of drinkers
		9th	10th	11th	12th	Other	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Have you ever driven a car after you've been drinking alcohol?	Yes	4%	8%	15%	20%	75%	12%
	No	96%	92%	85%	80%	25%	88%

### Past 12 months how many times have you used alcohol?

(% of youth who ever drank)

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				% of drinkers
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
In the past 12 months how many times did you drink alcohol? (more than a few sips)	Never, not at all	40%	32%	23%	18%	28%
	Less than 1 time per month	44%	43%	49%	45%	45%
	1 time per month or more	16%	25%	28%	37%	27%

Where do most frequently get alcohol?  
(% of youth who ever drank)

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				% of drinkers
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
In the past 12 months where did you usually get the alcohol you drank? (Choose only one)	I didn't drink in the last 12 months.	7%	6%	3%	2%	4%
	Buy it myself	2%	2%	3%	3%	3%
	My parents	29%	19%	21%	17%	21%
	My brother/sister	3%	4%	3%	5%	4%
	Other adults	5%	6%	6%	6%	6%
	Sneak it from home	12%	11%	6%	4%	8%
	Get it at parties with my friends	21%	28%	28%	30%	27%
	Someone else buys it for me	7%	12%	17%	23%	16%
	Steal it from a store	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%
	Get it some other way	12%	11%	11%	8%	10%

In the past 30 days how many days did you . . .?  
 (% of youth drinking last 12 months)

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				% of drinkers last 12 months
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Have at least 1 drink of alcohol (more than a few sips).	0 days	50%	47%	47%	37%	45%
	1 to 2 days	37%	37%	36%	39%	37%
	3 to 6 days	8%	9%	11%	15%	11%
	6 or more days	5%	7%	6%	9%	7%
Have 5 or more alcoholic drinks at one time, in a row, within a couple of hours.	0 days	80%	69%	69%	61%	69%
	1 to 2 days	15%	22%	20%	26%	21%
	3 to 6 days	2%	5%	6%	8%	6%
	6 or more days	3%	5%	4%	6%	4%
Get drunk from drinking.	0 days	75%	68%	66%	56%	65%
	1 to 2 days	18%	21%	23%	28%	23%
	3 to 6 days	4%	6%	6%	10%	7%
	6 or more days	3%	5%	5%	6%	5%

# Section 14: Marijuana Use

How old first time trying marijuana?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
How old were you the first time you tried marijuana?	I have never tried marijuana	86%	72%	65%	56%	72%
	8 years old or younger	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%
	9 or 10 years old	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	11 or 12 years old	3%	2%	3%	2%	3%
	13 or 14 years old	7%	12%	11%	11%	10%
	15 or 16 years old	2%	12%	17%	19%	11%
	17 years old or older	0%	0%	1%	9%	2%

Ever driving after using marijuana?  
(% of youth ever using marijuana)

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				% of youth ever using marijuana
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Have you ever driven a car after you've used marijuana?	Yes	15%	23%	47%	54%	38%
	No	85%	77%	53%	46%	62%

Past 12 months how many times using marijuana?  
 (% of youth ever using marijuana)

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				% of youth ever using marijuana
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
In the past 12 months, how many times did you use marijuana?	Never, not at all	21%	21%	17%	16%	18%
	Less than 1 time per month	35%	37%	34%	31%	34%
	1 time per month or more	45%	42%	49%	53%	48%

In the past 30 days how many days using marijuana?  
 (% of youth using marijuana last 12 months)

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				% of youth using marijuana last 12 months
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
In the past 30 days, on how many days did you use marijuana?	0 days	33%	33%	29%	30%	31%
	1 to 2 days	24%	28%	29%	21%	26%
	3 to 6 days	16%	17%	11%	13%	14%
	6 or more days	26%	23%	31%	37%	30%

# Section 15: Drug Use and Addiction

CRAFFT addiction screener

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Have you ever used alcohol or drugs to relax, feel better about yourself or fit in?	Yes	10%	19%	25%	31%	20%
	No	90%	81%	75%	69%	80%
Have you ever driven a car under the influence of alcohol or drugs?	Yes	3%	7%	17%	24%	11%
	No	97%	93%	83%	76%	89%
Have you ever used alcohol or drugs while you are by yourself, alone?	Yes	9%	16%	21%	28%	18%
	No	91%	84%	79%	72%	82%
Have you ever forgotten things you did while using alcohol or drugs?	Yes	7%	14%	20%	28%	16%
	No	93%	86%	80%	72%	84%
Have your family or friends ever told you that you should cut down on your drinking or drug use?	Yes	4%	7%	9%	11%	7%
	No	96%	93%	91%	89%	93%
Have you ever gotten into trouble while you were using alcohol or drugs?	Yes	5%	9%	12%	14%	9%
	No	95%	91%	88%	86%	91%



Drug use in the past 12 months

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Non-prescription medication used to get high (like cough syrup)	Not at all	96%	95%	94%	94%	95%
	Less than 1 time per month	2%	4%	4%	3%	3%
	1 time per month or more	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%
Prescription drugs used to get high	Not at all	97%	95%	95%	93%	95%
	Less than 1 time per month	1%	3%	2%	3%	2%
	1 time per month or more	1%	2%	3%	3%	2%
Cocaine or crack	Not at all	98%	98%	97%	97%	98%
	Less than 1 time per month	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%
	1 time per month or more	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%
Inhalant (like glue, paint, spray cans, markers)	Not at all	98%	97%	97%	98%	98%
	Less than 1 time per month	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	1 time per month or more	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%
Speed, crystal meth, crank	Not at all	98%	98%	98%	98%	98%
	Less than 1 time per month	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%
	1 time per month or more	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%
Heroin	Not at all	98%	98%	98%	98%	98%
	Less than 1 time per month	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%
	1 time per month or more	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%
Ecstasy (Molly)	Not at all	98%	97%	96%	95%	97%
	Less than 1 time per month	1%	1%	1%	3%	2%
	1 time per month or more	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%

<b>Bath salts</b>	<b>Not at all</b>	98%	98%	98%	98%	98%
	<b>Less than 1 time per month</b>	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%
	<b>1 time per month or more</b>	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%
<b>Synthetic marijuana (K-2, spice, blaze)</b>	<b>Not at all</b>	96%	94%	95%	96%	95%
	<b>Less than 1 time per month</b>	2%	3%	2%	2%	3%
	<b>1 time per month or more</b>	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%
<b>Steroids, HGH</b>	<b>Not at all</b>	98%	98%	98%	98%	98%
	<b>Less than 1 time per month</b>	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%
	<b>1 time per month or more</b>	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%

## Section 16: Parents and AOD

Parents knowing about or providing alcohol and  
Parents drinking and driving

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
<b>How often have you been at someone's home where teens were drinking alcohol and the parents knew it?</b>	Very often	2%	2%	4%	5%	3%
	Often	2%	4%	5%	7%	4%
	Sometimes	6%	11%	15%	18%	12%
	Rarely	13%	19%	20%	23%	18%
	Never	77%	64%	56%	46%	63%
<b>How often have you been drinking with friends when the parents knowingly provided the alcohol?</b>	Very often	1%	2%	3%	3%	2%
	Often	1%	2%	3%	4%	2%
	Sometimes	3%	6%	9%	10%	7%
	Rarely	5%	9%	12%	17%	10%
	Never	90%	81%	73%	65%	79%
<b>How often have you ridden in a vehicle with one of your parents when you thought their driving was impaired due to alcohol or drugs?</b>	Very often	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%
	Often	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	Sometimes	4%	5%	7%	5%	5%
	Rarely	11%	14%	13%	13%	13%
	Never	82%	77%	76%	77%	78%

How wrong do your parents feel it is for you to . . .?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Smoke marijuana	Not Wrong	3%	5%	7%	8%	5%
	A Little Wrong	6%	11%	12%	15%	11%
	Wrong	13%	17%	18%	20%	17%
	Very Wrong	74%	63%	60%	54%	64%
	Not Sure	3%	4%	4%	2%	3%
Smoke cigarettes	Not Wrong	2%	2%	3%	4%	3%
	A Little Wrong	3%	3%	4%	5%	3%
	Wrong	12%	13%	14%	17%	14%
	Very Wrong	82%	78%	75%	71%	77%
	Not Sure	2%	4%	4%	2%	3%
Drink alcohol	Not Wrong	5%	7%	9%	13%	8%
	A Little Wrong	12%	18%	22%	30%	19%
	Wrong	22%	26%	25%	26%	25%
	Very Wrong	56%	46%	40%	28%	44%
	Not Sure	4%	4%	4%	3%	4%

## Section 17: Perceived Risks

How much do people risk harming themselves when they . . . ?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Smoke cigarettes regularly.	No risk	6%	7%	8%	7%	7%
	Slight risk	6%	6%	7%	5%	6%
	Moderate risk	24%	20%	20%	18%	21%
	Great risk	63%	68%	66%	70%	66%
Drink alcohol once a month or more.	No risk	16%	16%	18%	20%	17%
	Slight risk	40%	40%	42%	47%	42%
	Moderate risk	29%	28%	26%	22%	27%
	Great risk	16%	16%	14%	11%	15%
Have 5 or more drinks of alcohol in a row.	No risk	5%	5%	7%	6%	6%
	Slight risk	9%	10%	12%	17%	12%
	Moderate risk	30%	31%	32%	34%	31%
	Great risk	56%	54%	49%	42%	51%
Smoke marijuana regularly.	No risk	12%	18%	21%	23%	18%
	Slight risk	16%	25%	26%	32%	24%
	Moderate risk	25%	24%	25%	22%	24%
	Great risk	47%	34%	28%	22%	34%

How many people your age do you think . . . ?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Drink alcohol	0-25%	41%	20%	13%	9%	23%
	26-50%	38%	38%	34%	28%	35%
	51-75%	18%	34%	39%	46%	32%
	76-100%	4%	8%	13%	16%	10%
Get drunk once a month or more	0-25%	56%	36%	28%	22%	38%
	26-50%	30%	35%	36%	37%	34%
	51-75%	11%	23%	27%	31%	22%
	76-100%	3%	6%	9%	10%	7%
Use marijuana	0-25%	36%	21%	18%	14%	23%
	26-50%	32%	31%	32%	35%	32%
	51-75%	23%	31%	33%	35%	30%
	76-100%	8%	17%	18%	16%	14%
Smoke cigarettes	0-25%	57%	52%	56%	57%	55%
	26-50%	29%	29%	27%	26%	28%
	51-75%	11%	13%	12%	12%	12%
	76-100%	4%	5%	5%	5%	5%

## Section 18: Risky Behaviors

Ever gambling?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
In the past 12 months, how many times have you gambled for money (bought a lottery ticket, online gambling, card games, bet on sports)?	0 times	83%	82%	84%	73%	81%
	1 time	8%	6%	6%	11%	8%
	2-3 times	6%	7%	6%	9%	7%
	4-6 times	1%	2%	2%	3%	2%
	7 or more times	2%	3%	3%	4%	3%

Ever a victim of sex trafficking?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Have you ever had sexual contact in order to stay safe or to get something like a place to stay, money, gifts, alcohol or drugs?	Yes	1%	3%	3%	4%	3%
	No	99%	97%	97%	96%	97%

How often viewing pornography on the internet?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
In the past 30 days, how often have you viewed pornographic content, on purpose, on the internet?	I never have on purpose	70%	66%	62%	55%	64%
	Once or twice in the past 30 days	13%	13%	13%	17%	14%
	A few times each week	9%	9%	13%	14%	11%
	Many times each week	5%	6%	6%	9%	6%
	Many times each day	3%	5%	5%	6%	5%



## Section 19: School Topics

What grades do you usually get in school?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
What grades do you usually get on your report card?	Mostly A's	42%	37%	34%	35%	37%
	Half A's & half B's	27%	29%	29%	29%	28%
	Mostly B's	10%	10%	13%	13%	11%
	Half B's & half C's	13%	15%	16%	13%	14%
	Mostly C's	4%	4%	3%	5%	4%
	Half C's & half D's	3%	5%	3%	4%	4%
	Mostly D's or below	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%

What do you think about your future after high school?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Finish high school.	Very high	87%	88%	93%	93%	90%
	High	9%	9%	5%	4%	7%
	About 50/50	3%	2%	1%	2%	2%
	Low	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
	Very Low	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%
Go to a vocational/technical school.	Very high	15%	17%	18%	22%	18%
	High	17%	15%	15%	10%	15%
	About 50/50	25%	23%	16%	12%	20%
	Low	27%	25%	23%	15%	23%
	Very Low	15%	20%	28%	42%	25%
Go to a college or university.	Very high	63%	64%	64%	69%	65%
	High	22%	19%	16%	10%	18%
	About 50/50	10%	12%	13%	12%	12%
	Low	3%	3%	4%	5%	4%
	Very Low	2%	2%	3%	4%	2%

<b>Not attend college or tech school and look for a job.</b>	<b>Very high</b>	5%	5%	4%	5%	5%
	<b>High</b>	3%	4%	4%	3%	3%
	<b>About 50/50</b>	9%	9%	9%	8%	9%
	<b>Low</b>	25%	23%	19%	14%	21%
	<b>Very Low</b>	58%	60%	64%	70%	62%
<b>Join the military.</b>	<b>Very high</b>	5%	5%	5%	5%	5%
	<b>High</b>	5%	4%	5%	2%	4%
	<b>About 50/50</b>	13%	13%	11%	8%	12%
	<b>Low</b>	26%	23%	20%	15%	22%
	<b>Very Low</b>	52%	55%	60%	69%	58%
<b>Have a career that you like.</b>	<b>Very high</b>	42%	39%	42%	45%	41%
	<b>High</b>	39%	38%	36%	38%	38%
	<b>About 50/50</b>	16%	19%	18%	15%	17%
	<b>Low</b>	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	<b>Very Low</b>	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%

Are you in special education or have an IEP?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
<b>Do you currently receive special education support or have an IEP?</b>	<b>Yes</b>	7%	8%	10%	10%	9%
	<b>No</b>	84%	85%	85%	86%	85%
	<b>Don't Know</b>	8%	7%	5%	4%	6%

Statements about your school

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
The rules and expectations are clearly explained.	Strongly Agree	33%	33%	34%	34%	34%
	Agree	57%	54%	54%	54%	55%
	Disagree	8%	10%	9%	9%	9%
	Strongly Disagree	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%
I feel close to people in my school.	Strongly Agree	28%	27%	27%	27%	27%
	Agree	51%	48%	46%	47%	48%
	Disagree	16%	20%	20%	19%	19%
	Strongly Disagree	5%	5%	7%	7%	6%
I feel safe at my school.	Strongly Agree	27%	28%	30%	33%	29%
	Agree	59%	56%	56%	54%	56%
	Disagree	11%	13%	10%	9%	11%
	Strongly Disagree	3%	3%	4%	4%	3%
Teachers and other adults treat students fairly.	Strongly Agree	22%	20%	21%	23%	21%
	Agree	53%	48%	49%	51%	50%
	Disagree	20%	25%	23%	19%	22%
	Strongly Disagree	6%	8%	7%	7%	7%
There are adults I can talk to at school if I have a problem.	Strongly Agree	28%	28%	31%	33%	30%
	Agree	53%	52%	50%	51%	51%
	Disagree	14%	15%	14%	11%	14%
	Strongly Disagree	5%	5%	5%	5%	5%
I feel like I belong at this school.	Strongly Agree	29%	27%	27%	28%	28%
	Agree	52%	51%	53%	50%	52%
	Disagree	13%	16%	13%	15%	14%
	Strongly Disagree	6%	6%	7%	7%	6%

## Reading and academics topics

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
I would say I'm a good reader.	Strongly Agree	48%	50%	48%	48%	49%
	Agree	42%	39%	41%	41%	41%
	Disagree	8%	8%	9%	9%	9%
	Strongly Disagree	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
Most of my classes are interesting to me.	Strongly Agree	21%	22%	24%	25%	23%
	Agree	52%	48%	52%	54%	51%
	Disagree	24%	26%	20%	18%	22%
	Strongly Disagree	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%
I like to read for fun.	Strongly Agree	26%	27%	28%	28%	27%
	Agree	29%	28%	32%	32%	30%
	Disagree	30%	30%	26%	26%	28%
	Strongly Disagree	15%	15%	14%	13%	15%
Doing well in school is important to me.	Strongly Agree	65%	60%	57%	49%	59%
	Agree	32%	35%	37%	45%	36%
	Disagree	2%	4%	4%	5%	4%
	Strongly Disagree	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
I struggle getting my homework done.	Strongly Agree	13%	17%	18%	16%	16%
	Agree	29%	33%	35%	35%	33%
	Disagree	44%	38%	37%	39%	40%
	Strongly Disagree	14%	12%	10%	11%	12%
Reading tends to go slowly for me.	Strongly Agree	9%	11%	12%	11%	10%
	Agree	23%	25%	26%	26%	24%
	Disagree	42%	40%	39%	38%	40%
	Strongly Disagree	26%	25%	24%	25%	25%

Past 30 days how many days skipping or cutting class?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
In the past 30 days, how often have you skipped or cut classes (absent without permission)?	Never	86%	79%	76%	70%	78%
	1-2 times	10%	14%	14%	16%	13%
	3-4 times	2%	4%	5%	7%	4%
	5 times or more	2%	4%	5%	7%	4%

How many times have you been suspended from school?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
During this school year, how many times have you received either an in-school or out-of-school suspension?	0 times	96%	94%	94%	95%	95%
	1 time	2%	3%	3%	3%	3%
	2 times	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%
	3 or more times	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%

This school year how many times have you seen the following happen at school?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Using drugs or alcohol	Never	58%	53%	56%	55%	55%
	1 or 2 times	25%	27%	24%	24%	25%
	3 to 4 times	7%	9%	8%	9%	8%
	5 or more times	10%	11%	12%	12%	11%
Selling or distributing drugs	Never	73%	66%	71%	69%	70%
	1 or 2 times	17%	22%	17%	18%	18%
	3 to 4 times	5%	7%	5%	5%	6%
	5 or more times	5%	6%	7%	8%	6%
Carrying weapons	Never	87%	84%	85%	84%	85%
	1 or 2 times	10%	12%	10%	12%	11%
	3 to 4 times	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%
	5 or more times	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%
Gang activity (students flashing gang signs, gang signs written)	Never	74%	72%	80%	83%	76%
	1 or 2 times	14%	14%	10%	8%	12%
	3 to 4 times	6%	6%	4%	3%	5%
	5 or more times	6%	9%	6%	5%	7%
Bullying other students	Never	36%	39%	39%	39%	38%
	1 or 2 times	36%	32%	33%	32%	33%
	3 to 4 times	16%	15%	16%	16%	16%
	5 or more times	13%	13%	13%	13%	13%
Name calling based on a person's race or sexual orientation	Never	42%	44%	46%	48%	45%
	1 or 2 times	30%	28%	27%	27%	28%
	3 to 4 times	13%	12%	12%	13%	13%
	5 or more times	15%	16%	14%	12%	14%
School staff using "put downs" to students	Never	65%	62%	64%	64%	64%
	1 or 2 times	24%	25%	23%	24%	24%
	3 to 4 times	6%	7%	7%	7%	7%
	5 or more times	6%	6%	6%	5%	6%

## Section 20: Gang Membership and Property Damage

How many days did you bring a weapon to school?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
During the past 30 days, on how many days did you carry a weapon (such as a knife or gun) onto school property?	I did not carry a weapon on school property.	97%	96%	94%	94%	95%
	1 day	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%
	2 or more days	1%	2%	3%	4%	3%

Have you tagged or vandalized public property?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Have you tagged or vandalized property in the past 12 months?	No, never	96%	93%	94%	94%	94%
	1-3 times	3%	5%	4%	4%	4%
	4 or more	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%

Are you the member of an organized gang?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Are you a member of a gang?	No, and I have never been asked or pressured to join.	95%	93%	92%	93%	93%
	No, but I have been asked or pressured to join.	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%
	I was in a gang, but am no longer.	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	Yes, I am currently in a gang.	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%
	Yes, I am currently in a gang and want to get out.	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%

Are any of your friends members of a gang?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Are any of your close friends members of a gang?	Yes	7%	8%	8%	7%	7%
	No	79%	81%	85%	85%	82%
	Not Sure	14%	11%	8%	8%	11%



Are any family members involved in gangs?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Is one or more of your family members (not including you) involved in a gang?	Yes	3%	4%	4%	3%	4%
	No	93%	92%	92%	94%	93%
	Don't Know	4%	4%	4%	3%	4%

# Section 21: Bullying

## Bullying and victim items

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Someone made unwanted sexual comments to me.	Never	79%	76%	78%	76%	77%
	1 or 2 times	16%	18%	16%	16%	17%
	3 to 4 times	2%	3%	3%	4%	3%
	5 or more times	2%	3%	3%	4%	3%
I got hit and pushed by other students.	Never	81%	84%	86%	88%	84%
	1 or 2 times	15%	12%	11%	9%	12%
	3 to 4 times	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%
	5 or more times	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%
In a group I made fun of other students.	Never	77%	75%	74%	75%	75%
	1 or 2 times	18%	19%	19%	18%	19%
	3 to 4 times	3%	3%	4%	4%	3%
	5 or more times	2%	3%	3%	3%	3%
Other students picked on me.	Never	74%	74%	77%	77%	75%
	1 or 2 times	19%	19%	17%	17%	18%
	3 to 4 times	4%	4%	4%	3%	4%
	5 or more times	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%
I upset other students for the fun of it.	Never	91%	90%	90%	89%	90%
	1 or 2 times	7%	8%	7%	7%	7%
	3 to 4 times	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	5 or more times	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%
I started arguments or conflicts.	Never	78%	78%	77%	77%	78%
	1 or 2 times	17%	17%	17%	17%	17%
	3 to 4 times	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%
	5 or more times	1%	2%	2%	3%	2%
I spread rumors about other people.	Never	91%	90%	90%	90%	90%
	1 or 2 times	8%	8%	8%	7%	8%
	3 to 4 times	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	5 or more times	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%
I told someone to stop harassing another student.	Never	62%	63%	65%	65%	64%
	1 or 2 times	29%	30%	27%	26%	28%
	3 to 4 times	7%	6%	5%	5%	6%
	5 or more times	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%

<b>Other students made fun of me.</b>	<b>Never</b>	72%	73%	75%	74%	73%
	<b>1 or 2 times</b>	20%	19%	18%	18%	19%
	<b>3 to 4 times</b>	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%
	<b>5 or more times</b>	3%	4%	3%	3%	4%
<b>I excluded other students from my group of friends.</b>	<b>Never</b>	87%	84%	85%	85%	85%
	<b>1 or 2 times</b>	11%	13%	12%	11%	12%
	<b>3 to 4 times</b>	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%
	<b>5 or more times</b>	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%
<b>Other students called me names.</b>	<b>Never</b>	77%	77%	80%	80%	78%
	<b>1 or 2 times</b>	16%	15%	14%	13%	15%
	<b>3 to 4 times</b>	4%	4%	3%	3%	3%
	<b>5 or more times</b>	3%	4%	3%	4%	4%
<b>I helped harass other students.</b>	<b>Never</b>	94%	93%	92%	91%	93%
	<b>1 or 2 times</b>	4%	5%	6%	6%	5%
	<b>3 to 4 times</b>	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	<b>5 or more times</b>	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%

Have you been bullied, threaten or harassed by . . . ?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Through the internet or text messaging.	Never	79%	80%	83%	81%	81%
	Rarely	13%	12%	11%	13%	12%
	Sometimes	6%	6%	4%	4%	5%
	Often	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%
By others thinking you're gay, lesbian, bisexual or transgender.	Never	89%	91%	91%	93%	91%
	Rarely	6%	6%	5%	4%	6%
	Sometimes	3%	3%	2%	2%	2%
	Often	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%
About your race or ethnic background.	Never	89%	90%	90%	91%	90%
	Rarely	7%	6%	6%	5%	6%
	Sometimes	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%
	Often	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%
About how you look.	Never	71%	74%	76%	77%	74%
	Rarely	18%	15%	15%	14%	16%
	Sometimes	8%	7%	6%	6%	7%
	Often	3%	3%	2%	3%	3%

## Section 22: Relationship Violence

How many times has someone you were dating physically hurt you?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
During the past 12 months, how many times did someone you were dating or going out with physically hurt you on purpose? (Count such things as being hit, slammed into something, or injured with an object or weapon.)	I did not date or go out with anyone during the past 12 months	55%	50%	43%	36%	47%
	0 times	41%	44%	50%	55%	47%
	1 time	2%	2%	3%	4%	3%
	2 or 3 times	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	4 or 5 times	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	6 or more times	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%

Has someone you are dating ever done the following?  
(% of students who have been dating)

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				% of students dating
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
During the past 12 months, did someone you were dating or going out with do any of the following? (Choose all that apply.)	Called you names or put you down	10%	12%	13%	16%	13%
	Kept you from spending time with your friends or family	8%	9%	11%	14%	10%
	Threatened to hurt you	3%	4%	5%	6%	4%
	Forced you to have sexual contact	4%	5%	6%	6%	5%
	No, none of the above	85%	81%	79%	77%	81%

## Section 23: Social Media, Texting

How many times has someone you were dating physically hurt you?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
During the past 12 months, how many times did someone you were dating or going out with physically hurt you on purpose? (Count such things as being hit, slammed into something, or injured with an object or weapon.)	I did not date or go out with anyone during the past 12 months	55%	50%	43%	36%	47%
	0 times	41%	44%	50%	55%	47%
	1 time	2%	2%	3%	4%	3%
	2 or 3 times	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	4 or 5 times	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	6 or more times	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%

Using social networking, have you ever ...?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Thinking about the way you use social networking sites, have you ever ... (Check all that apply)	Limited who can see your profile and postings	62%	63%	66%	70%	65%
	Deleted or blocked someone from your friends list because they bullied or harassed you	39%	39%	36%	38%	38%
	Removed your name from photos tagged to identify you	24%	30%	34%	40%	32%

	<b>Posted updates, comments, photos or videos that you later regret</b>	20%	21%	24%	22%	22%
	<b>Accepted a friend request from someone you didn't know</b>	51%	46%	49%	49%	49%
	<b>None of the above</b>	20%	19%	19%	15%	18%

## Section 24: Community Topics

What best describes your community?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
I can ask my neighbors for help.	Strongly Agree	34%	32%	32%	31%	32%
	Agree	44%	44%	44%	45%	44%
	Disagree	15%	17%	17%	15%	16%
	Strongly Disagree	7%	7%	8%	9%	7%
If I had to move, I would miss my neighborhood.	Strongly Agree	34%	30%	28%	26%	30%
	Agree	36%	36%	37%	36%	36%
	Disagree	21%	24%	26%	27%	24%
	Strongly Disagree	9%	10%	10%	10%	10%
I feel safe in my neighborhood.	Strongly Agree	44%	42%	42%	43%	43%
	Agree	47%	48%	49%	47%	48%
	Disagree	6%	8%	6%	6%	7%
	Strongly Disagree	2%	3%	3%	4%	3%
My neighbors are friendly to me.	Strongly Agree	44%	39%	39%	38%	40%
	Agree	48%	51%	51%	52%	50%
	Disagree	6%	7%	6%	6%	6%
	Strongly Disagree	2%	4%	4%	4%	3%
I can count on the police if I need them.	Strongly Agree	39%	34%	34%	33%	35%
	Agree	46%	45%	46%	47%	46%
	Disagree	9%	13%	12%	13%	12%
	Strongly Disagree	6%	7%	8%	8%	7%
I help my neighbors.	Strongly Agree	33%	29%	29%	28%	30%
	Agree	48%	49%	48%	48%	48%
	Disagree	15%	16%	18%	18%	17%
	Strongly Disagree	4%	5%	5%	6%	5%



Number of adults you can rely on

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Not counting your parents, how many adults can you rely on if you have a problem and need help?	No other adults available	5%	6%	7%	7%	6%
	At least one other adult	14%	15%	16%	15%	15%
	At least two	20%	21%	21%	19%	20%
	At least three	14%	16%	15%	15%	15%
	Four or more adults	47%	43%	42%	45%	44%

How spiritual would you say you are?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
How spiritual or religious would you say you are?	Very	15%	13%	13%	14%	14%
	Somewhat	28%	32%	29%	29%	29%
	A little bit	26%	25%	26%	25%	25%
	Not at all	31%	30%	32%	33%	32%

## Section 25: Parental Risk Factors

Parents have been in prison or jail

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
My parent has been in prison or jail.	Yes	10%	13%	12%	9%	11%
	No	84%	82%	83%	87%	84%
	Don't know	6%	5%	5%	3%	5%

Parents have hit, injured me

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
My parent has hit me, leaving bruises, marks or any kind of injury.	Yes	7%	8%	8%	7%	8%
	No	91%	90%	90%	91%	91%
	Don't know	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%

Parents get drunk weekly

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
My parent gets drunk at least once a week.	Yes	8%	11%	12%	11%	11%
	No	87%	85%	85%	86%	86%
	Don't know	4%	4%	3%	2%	4%

Parents abuse drugs weekly

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
My parent uses marijuana at least once a week.	Yes	4%	5%	5%	5%	5%
	No	93%	92%	91%	92%	92%
	Don't know	3%	3%	3%	2%	3%

Parents physically fight

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
My parents physically fight with each other.	Yes	2%	3%	3%	3%	3%
	No	96%	96%	95%	96%	96%
	Don't know	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%

How many times did you change schools?

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
In the past 12 months, how many times have you changed schools because of moving?	0 times	90%	91%	93%	92%	91%
	1 time	7%	6%	5%	5%	6%
	2 times	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	3 or more times	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%

# Section 26: Self-Determination

## Self-determination

Dane Co Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
I generally accomplish what I set out to do.	Strongly Agree	45%	45%	47%	46%	46%
	Agree	50%	49%	47%	48%	49%
	Disagree	4%	5%	5%	5%	5%
	Strongly Disagree	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
I have a positive attitude about myself.	Strongly Agree	39%	37%	38%	37%	38%
	Agree	44%	43%	43%	44%	44%
	Disagree	13%	16%	15%	15%	15%
	Strongly Disagree	5%	4%	4%	4%	4%
When I make plans, I am almost certain to make them work.	Strongly Agree	37%	37%	40%	38%	38%
	Agree	53%	52%	49%	51%	52%
	Disagree	9%	9%	9%	9%	9%
	Strongly Disagree	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
I am usually confident about the decisions I make.	Strongly Agree	37%	36%	38%	35%	37%
	Agree	49%	50%	48%	49%	49%
	Disagree	12%	12%	12%	14%	12%
	Strongly Disagree	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%
I am often able to overcome challenges.	Strongly Agree	41%	40%	42%	41%	41%
	Agree	51%	52%	50%	52%	51%
	Disagree	7%	7%	6%	6%	7%
	Strongly Disagree	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%