



2018 Dane County Youth Assessment  
Dane County High Schools Combined Report  
All Items by Grade Level

September 2018

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# Dane County Youth Assessment (DCYA) 2018

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 behaviors across contexts of school, peers, family and community. The 2018 DCYA includes new items on emerging issues while retaining questions from past surveys to measure trends. The 2018 DCYA has many questions from the national Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Youth Risk Behavior Survey to allow for comparisons with state and national trends. The survey development group made extensive efforts to ensure that questions are clear and understandable.

From January 15 through March 15, 2018, seventeen 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 the size of their student populations and administration complexities, the Madison Metropolitan School District (MMSD) and the Sun Prairie Area School District (SPASD) used sampling methods to survey approximately 50% of their 7th-12th graders. The data for the sample of MMSD and SPASD students that participated in the survey are weighted to ensure representation of the entire MMSD and SPASD student bodies 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 by student grade level. The 2018 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. Reports will also be posted on the Youth Commission web page 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 "2018 Dane County Youth Assessment, Dane County Youth Commission, Madison, Wisconsin."

## Conclusion

The 2018 Youth Assessment marks the seventh 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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The Steering Committee is a subcommittee of the Dane County Youth Commission charged with providing the oversight and leadership necessary to complete a project of this scope. 2018 Youth Assessment Steering Committee members include:

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- Edgewood High School
- Madison Metropolitan School District
- Marshall School District
- McFarland School District
- Middleton-Cross Plains Area School District
- Monona Grove School District
- Mount Horeb Area School District
- Oregon School District
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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). The data 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 covered in this table* →

*% of all HS grades combined* →

		2. What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	
Dane County Grades 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
5. What sex were you assigned at birth?	Female	49%	49%	51%	50%	50%
	Male	51%	51%	49%	50%	50%

*Grade level* →

**Gender Assigned at Birth**

*Survey item (as asked on the survey)* →

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

*Note: Some column percentages may not add to 100% due to software rounding.*

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

N= 20,489

# Demographics

## Gender assigned at birth and grade level

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?								All Students	
		9th		10th		11th		12th		% of Group	# of Students
		% of Group	# of Students	% of Group	# of Students	% of Group	# of Students	% of Group	# of Students		
5. What sex were you assigned at birth?	Female	49%	2956	49%	2742	51%	2565	50%	1954	50%	10218
	Male	51%	3056	51%	2801	49%	2425	50%	1989	50%	10271

## Race

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
3. What is your race?	American Indian or Alaskan Native	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%
	Asian (not Hmong)	4%	4%	4%	5%	4%
	Black or African American (not Hispanic)	9%	10%	9%	9%	9%
	Hispanic or Latino	12%	12%	11%	9%	11%
	Asian (Hmong)	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	Middle Eastern or North African	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%
	Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	White (not Hispanic)	64%	64%	65%	69%	65%
	Multi-racial (more than one race)	8%	8%	7%	5%	7%

## Gender identity

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
6. How do you describe your gender identity?	Male	50%	50%	48%	50%	50%
	Female	47%	48%	50%	48%	48%
	Non-binary	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Gender fluid	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Other	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%

## Transgender identification

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
7. Do you identify as transgender?	Yes	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	No	96%	97%	97%	96%	97%
	Not Sure	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%

## Sexual orientation

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
8. Which of the following best describes your sexual orientation?	Straight/Heterosexual	86%	86%	85%	86%	86%
	Gay or Lesbian	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%
	Bi-sexual	6%	7%	7%	7%	6%
	Pansexual	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Asexual	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
	Questioning my sexual orientation	3%	3%	3%	2%	3%
	Other	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%

# Living Situation

## Primary living situation

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	% of Group
10. Which option best describes your living situation most of the time?	I live with my parent(s)	97%	97%	95%	96%	97%
	I live with relatives (not my parents)	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	I live with friends	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	I live in a group home or foster home	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	I live alone	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	Other	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%

## Runaway/Homelessness/Foster Care

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	% of Group
11(a). Have you ever run away from home for 1 or more nights?	Never	94%	93%	92%	93%	93%
	Yes, in the last 12 months	3%	3%	4%	3%	3%
	Yes, but not in the last 12 months	3%	4%	4%	4%	4%
11(b). Have you ever been homeless with your family?	Never	97%	97%	96%	96%	97%
	Yes, in the last 12 months	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Yes, but not in the last 12 months	2%	3%	3%	3%	2%
11(c). Have you ever been homeless on your own?	Never	99%	99%	98%	98%	99%
	Yes, in the last 12 months	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Yes, but not in the last 12 months	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
11(d). Have you ever been in foster care?	Never	98%	98%	97%	99%	98%
	Yes, in the last 12 months	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Yes, but not in the last 12 months	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%
11(e). Have you ever been kicked out of your house by your parents?	Never	95%	95%	94%	94%	95%
	Yes, in the last 12 months	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%
	Yes, but not in the last 12 months	2%	2%	3%	3%	2%

# Family Financial

## School changes

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	% of Group
12. In the past 12 months, how many times have you changed schools because of moving?	0 times	91%	92%	92%	94%	92%
	1 time	6%	5%	6%	4%	5%
	2 times	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	3 or more times	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%

## Free or Reduced Lunch

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	% of Group
94. Do you get free or reduced fees lunch at school?	Yes	17%	19%	19%	16%	18%
	No	74%	75%	76%	81%	76%
	Don't know	9%	6%	5%	3%	6%

### Rely on school meals

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
95. How strongly do agree or disagree with the following statement: If the school didn't provide lunch or breakfast, most days, I wouldn't have any food at all.	Strongly Agree	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%
	Agree	10%	10%	10%	9%	10%
	Disagree	29%	28%	29%	25%	28%
	Strongly Disagree	57%	58%	57%	62%	58%

### Family financial situation

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
13. How would you describe your family's current financial situation?	Money is not a problem for my family right now	63%	60%	57%	56%	59%
	Things are tight but we're doing fine	34%	37%	39%	39%	37%
	We're struggling with not having enough money	3%	3%	5%	5%	4%

### Employment

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
14. Do you currently have a job?	No, looking for a job, but can't find one	23%	22%	15%	11%	18%
	No and not looking	36%	26%	20%	16%	26%
	Yes, occasional jobs (babysitting, snow shoveling, lawn work, etc.)	28%	24%	16%	14%	21%
	Yes, 20 hours or less per week	12%	25%	40%	45%	29%
	Yes, more than 20 hours per week	1%	4%	9%	14%	6%

### Student income supporting family

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
15. Does money from your job help support your family?	No	88%	85%	80%	79%	83%
	Yes, sometimes the money from my job helps support my family	10%	14%	18%	19%	15%
	Yes, almost all the time money from my job helps support my family	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%

### Missed meals due to income

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
30. 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	88%	89%	87%	89%	88%
	Once	7%	6%	6%	5%	6%
	More than once	5%	5%	7%	6%	6%



**Dental care—last visit**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	% of Group
35. 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	84%	84%	84%	84%	84%
	Between 12 and 24 months ago (1-2 years ago)	6%	7%	7%	8%	7%
	More than 24 months ago (more than 2 years ago)	2%	3%	3%	3%	3%
	Never	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	No Sure	8%	5%	5%	4%	6%

**Dental care—missed school with dental pain**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	% of Group
36. In the past 12 months, have you ever missed school because of pain in your teeth or gums?	Yes	4%	4%	4%	5%	4%
	No	96%	96%	96%	95%	96%

**Extracurricular Activities**

**Volunteering**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	% of Group
16. Have you done any volunteer work or community service in the last 12 months?	No, but interested in volunteering or community service	21%	21%	18%	13%	19%
	No and not interested	19%	15%	15%	14%	16%
	Yes, on a weekly basis	7%	8%	11%	13%	10%
	Yes, on a monthly basis	14%	14%	16%	18%	15%
	Yes, a few times in the past 12 months	39%	41%	40%	42%	40%

**Days a week participating in sports**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	% of Group
17(a). Sports (school or club) and group exercise, including practice, competition or private lessons	Never involved in this activity	30%	31%	33%	34%	32%
	Less than 1 day per week	6%	6%	7%	6%	6%
	1-2 days	14%	14%	13%	13%	14%
	3-4 days	17%	17%	18%	15%	17%
	5 or more days	33%	33%	29%	32%	32%

**Days a week participating in homework club**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	% of Group
17(b). Tutoring, homework club or other academic support	Never involved in this activity	74%	73%	68%	71%	72%
	Less than 1 day per week	11%	12%	13%	12%	12%
	1-2 days	11%	10%	14%	11%	11%
	3-4 days	2%	4%	3%	3%	3%
	5 or more days	2%	2%	3%	3%	2%

**Days a week participating in drama, music or art**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	% of Group
17(c). Music, art, dance or drama	Never involved in this activity	62%	63%	63%	64%	63%
	Less than 1 day per week	6%	6%	6%	6%	6%
	1-2 days	11%	11%	10%	9%	10%
	3-4 days	9%	8%	8%	8%	8%
	5 or more days	12%	12%	12%	14%	13%

**Days a week participating in student leadership**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
17(d). Leadership and/or support group	Never involved in this activity	83%	80%	74%	69%	77%
	Less than 1 day per week	8%	10%	10%	11%	9%
	1-2 days	6%	7%	11%	13%	9%
	3-4 days	1%	2%	3%	4%	2%
	5 or more days	1%	2%	2%	3%	2%

**Days a week participating in religious activities**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
17(e). Religious or spiritual activities	Never involved in this activity	62%	65%	67%	67%	65%
	Less than 1 day per week	13%	14%	13%	14%	13%
	1-2 days	22%	18%	16%	16%	18%
	3-4 days	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	5 or more days	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%

**Days a week participating in after school clubs**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
17(f). Other afterschool programs, clubs or activities at a school, neighborhood center or organization	Never involved in this activity	60%	61%	59%	57%	60%
	Less than 1 day per week	14%	13%	13%	13%	14%
	1-2 days	15%	16%	18%	18%	17%
	3-4 days	6%	6%	6%	7%	6%
	5 or more days	4%	4%	4%	5%	4%

**Exercise, Weight and Nutrition**

**Days per week physically active**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
18. During the past 7 days, on how many days were you physically active for a total of at least 60 minutes per day? The physical activity could have happened a few times throughout the day at smaller amounts, adding up to 60 minutes as a total for the day.	0 days active for 60 minutes	7%	9%	10%	10%	9%
	1 day active for 60 minutes	7%	8%	8%	9%	8%
	2 days active for 60 minutes	8%	10%	10%	10%	10%
	3 days active for 60 minutes	13%	13%	13%	13%	13%
	4 days active for 60 minutes	12%	12%	13%	11%	12%
	5 days active for 60 minutes	19%	18%	18%	18%	18%
	6 days active for 60 minutes	12%	11%	10%	10%	11%
	7 days active for 60 minutes	22%	18%	17%	18%	19%

**Days per week exercising on your own**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
19. During the past 7 days, on how many days did 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.)	0 days exercising on my own	23%	24%	27%	26%	25%
	1 day exercising on my own	16%	16%	15%	15%	16%
	2 days exercising on my own	16%	16%	16%	15%	16%
	3 days exercising on my own	13%	13%	13%	13%	13%
	4 days exercising on my own	8%	8%	8%	9%	8%
	5 days exercising on my own	9%	9%	8%	9%	9%
	6 days exercising on my own	4%	5%	4%	4%	4%
	7 days exercising on my own	11%	9%	8%	10%	10%

**Things that stop or limit exercising**

Dane County Grades 9-12	2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
	9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
20(a). Nothing stops or limits me from exercising	37%	36%	33%	33%	35%
20(b). Don't have time (because of school work, job, chores, etc.)	49%	51%	58%	60%	54%
20(c). Don't like it or don't think it's important	13%	13%	13%	11%	13%
20(d). Physical or other health problems	12%	10%	12%	12%	11%
20(e). Skills aren't good enough	14%	13%	13%	10%	12%
20(f). Not enough programs or places to exercise	7%	6%	7%	6%	7%
20(g). Don't know what is offered or how to sign up	7%	6%	6%	4%	6%
20(h). It costs too much (fees or equipment)	9%	10%	11%	12%	10%
20(i). Transportation is a problem	14%	14%	10%	8%	12%
20(j). Other reasons stop or limits me from exercising	13%	13%	12%	10%	12%

**Weight**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
26. Which of the following are you trying to do about your weight?	I am not trying to do anything about my weight.	33%	30%	29%	29%	30%
	Lose weight	34%	36%	39%	39%	37%
	Gain weight	16%	18%	17%	16%	17%
	Stay the same weight	16%	16%	15%	16%	16%

**Servings of vegetables and fruit**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
27. 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	3%	2%	3%	3%	3%
	1 to 3 times the past 7 days	17%	17%	18%	18%	17%
	4 to 6 times the past 7 days	19%	20%	20%	20%	20%
	1 time per day	11%	12%	12%	13%	12%
	2 times per day	24%	24%	24%	25%	24%
	3 times per day	15%	13%	12%	13%	13%
	4 times per day	12%	11%	10%	9%	10%

**Eating breakfast**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
29. During the past 7 days, how many days did you eat breakfast?	0 days	14%	14%	16%	15%	15%
	1 day	6%	8%	8%	7%	7%
	2 days	9%	10%	9%	11%	10%
	3 days	7%	8%	8%	9%	8%
	4 days	6%	6%	7%	7%	7%
	5 days	7%	9%	9%	10%	9%
	6 days	8%	8%	7%	7%	8%
	7 days	42%	38%	35%	34%	37%

### Sugary and caffeinated drink consumption

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
31. During the past 7 days, how many times did you drink a can, bottle, cup or glass of a "sugary" drink, like Gatorade, soda or pop, lemonade, a latte, a Frappuccino, Snapple or any other drink with sugar added?	0 times the past 7 days	13%	15%	15%	16%	15%
	1 to 3 times the past 7 days	52%	50%	47%	47%	49%
	4 to 6 times the past 7 days	17%	17%	18%	17%	17%
	1 time per day	9%	8%	10%	10%	9%
	2 times per day	5%	6%	5%	6%	5%
	3 times per day	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
4 or more times per day	3%	2%	2%	2%	3%	
32. 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	37%	37%	32%	30%	34%
	1 to 3 times the past 7 days	41%	40%	39%	36%	39%
	4 to 6 times the past 7 days	10%	11%	12%	12%	11%
	1 time per day	6%	7%	10%	12%	8%
	2 times per day	3%	3%	5%	6%	4%
	3 times per day	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%
4 or more times per day	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	

### Sleep and Phones

#### School nights up past 11pm

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
21. On average, how many school nights (Sunday-Thurs) a week are you awake past 11pm?	0 nights	18%	14%	10%	8%	13%
	1 night	16%	12%	9%	8%	12%
	2 nights	18%	17%	14%	13%	16%
	3 nights	16%	18%	18%	16%	17%
	4 nights	8%	11%	13%	14%	11%
	Every school night	23%	29%	35%	42%	31%

#### Cell phone at night

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
22. If you have a phone, tablet or computer on at night in your bedroom, how often does it interrupt your sleep?	I don't have a phone, tablet or computer on at night	11%	10%	7%	5%	9%
	Every night	9%	9%	9%	11%	9%
	Not every night but most nights	9%	10%	10%	10%	10%
	Some nights	26%	25%	26%	26%	26%
	Rarely or never	44%	46%	49%	48%	47%

### Car Safety

#### Car seatbelt use

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
37. How often do you wear a seat belt when driving or riding in a car?	Never	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Rarely	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%
	Sometimes	5%	4%	4%	3%	4%
	Most of the time	22%	19%	14%	13%	18%
	Always	70%	74%	79%	81%	75%

#### Texting and driving

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
23. During the past 30 days, how often have you been driving and using your cell phone for things like texting or accessing the internet?	I haven't driven in the past 30 days	88%	54%	28%	20%	51%
	Very seldom, almost never	5%	36%	46%	47%	32%
	A few times	3%	4%	15%	18%	9%
	Fairly often	1%	2%	6%	8%	4%
	Very often	3%	3%	6%	8%	4%

# Parent Monitoring and Interest

## Evening meals per week with family

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
28. In an average week, how many days do you eat evening meals with your family?	0 days	9%	10%	12%	13%	11%
	1 day	6%	6%	8%	9%	7%
	2 days	9%	10%	11%	14%	11%
	3 days	10%	11%	14%	15%	13%
	4 days	11%	11%	13%	13%	12%
	5 days	15%	15%	16%	16%	15%
	6 days	12%	10%	9%	8%	10%
	7 days	28%	25%	16%	13%	22%

## Parents monitor school progress

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
40(f). My parents monitor my school progress.	Always	56%	54%	49%	44%	51%
	Often	26%	26%	29%	27%	27%
	Sometimes	15%	16%	17%	22%	17%
	Never	3%	4%	5%	6%	4%

## Parent guidance and structure

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
40(a). My parents know where I am when I go out.	Always	61%	57%	50%	44%	54%
	Often	30%	34%	37%	40%	35%
	Sometimes	8%	8%	12%	13%	10%
	Never	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%
40(b). My parents set clear rules about what I can and cannot do.	Always	59%	57%	52%	47%	55%
	Often	28%	29%	31%	31%	30%
	Sometimes	11%	11%	14%	19%	13%
	Never	2%	2%	3%	4%	3%
40(d). My parents have consequences if I break rules.	Always	58%	56%	51%	46%	53%
	Often	25%	27%	28%	29%	27%
	Sometimes	15%	14%	18%	20%	16%
	Never	3%	3%	3%	5%	3%

## Parents provide structure (SCALE)

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
Scale—parents provide structure (Items 40a, 40b, 40d)	Strongly Agree	72%	70%	62%	56%	66%
	Agree	19%	22%	26%	27%	23%
	Disagree	7%	7%	10%	13%	9%
	Strongly Disagree	1%	2%	2%	4%	2%

**Parent interest/support**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	% of Group
40(c). My parents have talked with me about my future plans.	Always	46%	50%	52%	62%	52%
	Often	26%	27%	28%	24%	27%
	Sometimes	23%	20%	16%	12%	18%
	Never	5%	3%	3%	2%	3%
40(e). My parents encourage me to do well.	Always	80%	79%	76%	76%	78%
	Often	13%	15%	16%	15%	15%
	Sometimes	5%	5%	7%	7%	6%
	Never	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%
40(g). My parents talk with me about things that bother me.	Always	35%	33%	30%	31%	33%
	Often	21%	26%	24%	24%	24%
	Sometimes	31%	29%	32%	32%	31%
	Never	13%	12%	14%	14%	13%

**Parents show interest (SCALE)**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	% of Group
Scale—parents show interest (Items 40c, 40e, 40g)	Strongly Agree	57%	60%	58%	63%	59%
	Agree	28%	26%	27%	23%	26%
	Disagree	11%	11%	11%	10%	11%
	Strongly Disagree	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%

**Talks with parents**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	% of Group
70(a). Have you had a good talk with your parents about waiting to have sex?	Yes	45%	49%	50%	49%	48%
	No	55%	51%	50%	51%	52%
70(b). Have you had a good talk with your parents about healthy dating relationships?	Yes	66%	69%	70%	68%	68%
	No	34%	31%	30%	32%	32%
70(d). Have you had a good talk with your parents about sexually transmitted infections?	Yes	37%	42%	43%	44%	41%
	No	63%	58%	57%	56%	59%

**Access to a Gun**

**Access to a gun**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	% of Group
38. Do you have access to a gun?	Yes	18%	21%	23%	23%	21%
	No	74%	73%	72%	73%	73%
	No Sure	7%	6%	6%	4%	6%

# Parents and Adverse Childhood Experiences

## Parent issues

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	% of Group
39(a). My parent has a mental health problem that worries me.	Yes	6%	7%	10%	9%	8%
	No	87%	87%	85%	86%	86%
	No Sure	7%	6%	6%	5%	6%
39(b). My parent has been in prison or jail.	Yes	9%	10%	9%	8%	9%
	No	87%	87%	87%	90%	88%
	No Sure	4%	3%	4%	2%	3%
39(c). My parent has hit me, leaving bruises, marks or any kind of injury.	Yes	6%	5%	6%	5%	5%
	No	91%	93%	93%	93%	92%
	No Sure	3%	2%	2%	2%	2%
39(d). My parent gets drunk at least once a week.	Yes	9%	10%	12%	11%	10%
	No	86%	86%	84%	85%	85%
	No Sure	5%	4%	4%	4%	4%
39(e). My parent abuses prescription or nonprescription drugs.	Yes	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	No	95%	96%	95%	96%	96%
	No Sure	3%	2%	3%	2%	2%
39(f). My parents physically fight with each other or their partner.	Yes	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	No	95%	96%	96%	97%	96%
	No Sure	3%	2%	2%	2%	2%

## DCYA Adverse Childhood Experiences (Scale)

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	% of Group
Adverse Childhood Experience (Items 39a – f)	No ACEs	79%	77%	75%	77%	77%
	One ACEs	14%	16%	16%	15%	15%
	Two ACEs	4%	4%	5%	4%	5%
	Three ACEs	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%
	Four ACEs	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Five ACEs	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Six ACEs	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%

# Disabilities

## Disability limitations

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	% of Group
33. Do you have a learning, emotional or physical disability that limits you from doing certain educational activities?	Yes	10%	11%	13%	11%	11%
	No	74%	72%	72%	77%	73%
	No Sure	16%	17%	15%	12%	15%
34. Do you have a learning, emotional or physical disability that limits you from doing certain physical activities?	Yes	9%	9%	9%	8%	9%
	No	81%	82%	83%	85%	83%
	No Sure	10%	10%	8%	6%	9%

# Emotional and Mental Health: Anxiety

## Anxiety symptoms experienced past 30 days

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
41(a). Felt nervous, anxious or on edge.	Always	15%	16%	17%	16%	16%
	Often	25%	29%	32%	32%	29%
	Sometimes	40%	38%	37%	38%	38%
	Not at all	20%	17%	14%	14%	16%
41(b). Not been able to stop or control worrying.	Always	12%	13%	14%	13%	13%
	Often	18%	19%	22%	22%	20%
	Sometimes	27%	28%	29%	30%	28%
	Not at all	44%	40%	36%	35%	39%
41(c). Felt problems were piling up so high that you could not handle them.	Always	12%	15%	15%	14%	14%
	Often	16%	19%	22%	21%	19%
	Sometimes	27%	28%	29%	31%	29%
	Not at all	45%	38%	33%	35%	38%
41(d). Worried too much about different things.	Always	15%	17%	17%	16%	16%
	Often	21%	24%	26%	27%	24%
	Sometimes	31%	31%	32%	32%	31%
	Not at all	34%	28%	25%	25%	28%
41(e). Had trouble relaxing.	Always	12%	14%	15%	14%	14%
	Often	16%	19%	21%	21%	19%
	Sometimes	31%	32%	30%	34%	31%
	Not at all	41%	35%	33%	31%	36%
41(f). Been so restless that it is hard to sit still.	Always	11%	11%	12%	11%	11%
	Often	12%	15%	16%	16%	15%
	Sometimes	23%	27%	27%	27%	26%
	Not at all	53%	47%	46%	46%	48%
41(g). Become easily annoyed or irritable.	Always	18%	19%	18%	16%	18%
	Often	24%	24%	27%	27%	25%
	Sometimes	34%	35%	35%	37%	35%
	Not at all	24%	22%	20%	19%	21%
41(h). Felt afraid as if something awful might happen.	Always	11%	12%	11%	10%	11%
	Often	11%	13%	14%	14%	13%
	Sometimes	25%	26%	27%	27%	26%
	Not at all	52%	49%	48%	49%	50%

## DCYA Anxiety Measure (SCALE)

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
DCYA Anxiety Scale (3 items 41a, 41b, 41c)	Always	15%	16%	18%	17%	17%
	Often	16%	19%	21%	21%	19%
	Sometimes	21%	22%	23%	24%	22%
	Not at all	48%	42%	38%	37%	42%



**Reasons for stress and anxiety**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
42(a). I really don't experience much stress or anxiety.		28%	23%	18%	20%	23%
42(b). Pressure to have money, have things (phone, clothes, car).	No	88%	86%	81%	76%	83%
	Yes	12%	14%	19%	24%	17%
42(c). Too much homework.	No	41%	36%	37%	48%	40%
	Yes	59%	64%	63%	52%	60%
42(d). Social pressure to be popular, look good.	No	76%	79%	82%	82%	79%
	Yes	24%	21%	18%	18%	21%
42(e). Pressure to perform in school (hard classes, getting good grades).	No	40%	36%	32%	40%	37%
	Yes	60%	64%	68%	60%	63%
42(f). Feeling like I don't fit in at school.	No	80%	83%	85%	85%	83%
	Yes	20%	17%	15%	15%	17%
42(g). Pressure to get into a good college.	No	71%	60%	51%	58%	60%
	Yes	29%	40%	49%	42%	40%
42(h). Problems at home.	No	85%	86%	83%	83%	84%
	Yes	15%	14%	17%	17%	16%
42(i) Problems in the U.S., the world.	No	84%	83%	84%	80%	83%
	Yes	16%	17%	16%	20%	17%
42(j). Fear of deportation for me or family members.	No	97%	96%	96%	98%	97%
	Yes	3%	4%	4%	2%	3%

**Emotional and Mental Health: Depression and Self-Harm**

**Depression: Feeling sad and hopeless**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
51. 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	24%	27%	29%	27%	27%
	No	76%	73%	71%	73%	73%

**Suicide ideation**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
54. During the past 12 months, have you thought seriously about killing yourself?	No	81%	79%	76%	79%	79%
	Yes but rarely	12%	14%	15%	13%	13%
	Yes, some of the time	5%	6%	6%	6%	6%
	Yes, almost all the time	3%	2%	2%	2%	2%

**Suicide attempts**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
55. During the past 12 months, have you attempted to kill yourself?	No	94%	96%	94%	96%	95%
	Yes, one time	4%	3%	4%	3%	3%
	Yes, more than one time	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%

**Self-harm**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
53. 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	84%	85%	83%	85%	84%
	Rarely (once or twice)	10%	9%	10%	9%	10%
	Occasionally	4%	4%	5%	4%	4%
	Frequently	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%

# Emotional and Mental Health: Perception and Services

## Youth perception of professional mental health care

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
43. Most youth think it is OK to get professional help for a mental health issue	Strongly Agree	25%	23%	24%	25%	24%
	Agree	54%	54%	53%	52%	53%
	Disagree	18%	19%	20%	21%	19%
	Strongly Disagree	4%	3%	3%	3%	3%

## Do you have any of these long-term emotional health problems?

Dane County, Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
50(a). No long term emotional or mental health issue		79%	75%	72%	72%	75%
50(c). Anxiety		27%	30%	31%	32%	30%
50(b). Depression		22%	25%	29%	29%	26%
50(e). Attention Deficit Disorder (ADD or ADHD)		13%	13%	14%	13%	13%
50(f). Other emotional or mental health problem		6%	6%	6%	6%	6%
50(d). An eating disorder		4%	5%	5%	4%	5%

## Receiving professional mental health services

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
52. Are you currently receiving professional mental health services?	No, I'm not receiving mental health services	85%	84%	81%	82%	83%
	Yes, I'm receiving mental health services outside of school	11%	13%	14%	15%	13%
	Yes, I'm receiving mental health services at school	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	Yes, I'm receiving mental health services both at school and outside of school	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%

## Sexual Behavior

In this section, the first question is used as a screening item. Students who answer “yes” are asked additional questions about their sexual contact and activities. Students who answer “no” are asked the reasons they are not sexually active then skip to the sexually transmitted infection section.

## Voluntarily engaged in sexual contact

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
56. Have you ever voluntarily had sexual contact with another person?	Yes	18%	32%	45%	56%	36%
	No	82%	68%	55%	44%	64%

**Main reason you have NOT had sexual contact?**

		2. What grade are you in?					
		9th	10th	11th	12th		
*Dane County Grades 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
57. What is the main reason you have not had sexual contact?	I have never been in an intimate relationship	42%	48%	52%	59%	48%	
	I don't feel it's morally right	8%	5%	5%	3%	6%	
	I don't feel mature enough or ready for that type of relationship	21%	17%	13%	12%	17%	
	My parents would disapprove.	7%	5%	5%	3%	5%	
	I'm worried about health issue like pregnancy and sexually transmitted diseases	8%	7%	6%	5%	7%	
	I'm worried what my friends would think of me	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	
	Because of my religious beliefs	7%	7%	8%	7%	7%	
	Other	8%	10%	11%	10%	9%	

**\*Youth who have not had sexual contact**

**Voluntary sexual intercourse**

		2. What grade are you in?					
		9th	10th	11th	12th	Other	
*Dane County Grades 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
58. Have you ever voluntarily had sexual intercourse with another person?	Yes	14%	29%	45%	54%	50%	35%
	No	86%	71%	55%	46%	50%	65%

**\*Youth who are sexually active**

**Age of first sexual intercourse**

		2. What grade are you in?					
		9th	10th	11th	12th		
*Dane County Grades 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
59. How old were you the first time you had voluntary sexual intercourse?	I have never had sexual intercourse with anyone.	9%	2%	1%	1%	2%	
	11 years old or younger	11%	5%	2%	2%	4%	
	12 years old	4%	3%	2%	0%	2%	
	13 years old	17%	8%	2%	3%	5%	
	14 years old	36%	19%	11%	8%	15%	
	15 years old	22%	49%	28%	18%	28%	
	16 years old	0%	13%	44%	32%	29%	
	17 years old			8%	30%	13%	
18 years old or older	0%	0%	0%	5%	2%		

**\*Youth who have had sexual intercourse**

**Gender of your sexual partners**

		2. What grade are you in?					
		9th	10th	11th	12th		
Dane County Grades 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
62. Who have you had voluntary sexual intercourse with?	Males	35%	39%	47%	47%	44%	
	Females	53%	52%	47%	47%	49%	
	Both	12%	9%	5%	5%	7%	

**\*Youth who have had sexual intercourse**

**Number of sexual partners**

		2. What grade are you in?					
		9th	10th	11th	12th		
Dane County Grades 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
60. How many people have you had voluntary sexual intercourse with?	1 person	48%	54%	51%	48%	50%	
	2 people	20%	19%	20%	18%	19%	
	3 people	11%	10%	10%	12%	11%	
	4 people	3%	3%	4%	8%	5%	
	5 people	3%	5%	3%	4%	4%	
	6 or more people	14%	9%	11%	10%	11%	

**\*Youth who have had sexual intercourse**

**Sex while under the influence**

		2. What grade are you in?				
		9th	10th	11th	12th	
Dane County Grades 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
61. Have you ever had voluntary sexual intercourse with someone while you were under the influence of alcohol, marijuana or other drugs?	No, never	74%	72%	68%	60%	67%
	Yes, a few times	16%	20%	25%	29%	25%
	Yes, many times	10%	7%	7%	10%	9%

\*Youth who have had sexual intercourse

**Birth Control and Sexually Transmitted Infections (STIs)**

**Birth control**

		2. What grade are you in?				
		9th	10th	11th	12th	
Dane County Grades 9-12*		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
63. 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	8%	6%	5%	3%	5%
	Never	15%	7%	7%	7%	8%
	Sometimes	16%	18%	16%	17%	17%
	Always	61%	68%	72%	74%	71%

\*Youth who have had sexual intercourse

**Forms of birth control**

		2. What grade are you in?				
		9th	10th	11th	12th	
Dane County Grades 9-12*		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
64(b). Abstinence		1%	1%	2%	2%	1%
64(c). Pills		4%	13%	25%	36%	18%
64(d). Implants (Nexplanon)		1%	3%	7%	9%	4%
64(e). Patch		1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
64(f). Nuva Ring		0%	1%	1%	2%	1%
64(g). Condom		10%	24%	37%	47%	28%
64(h). Shots (Depo Provera)		1%	3%	4%	4%	3%
64(i). IUD		1%	2%	6%	8%	3%
64(j). Withdrawal (Pulling out)		5%	10%	19%	26%	13%
64(k). Other		1%	1%	1%	3%	1%
64(l). Nothing nor birth control		1%	2%	4%	4%	2%

\*Youth who have had sexual intercourse

**Use of a condom for STI prevention**

		2. What grade are you in?				
		9th	10th	11th	12th	
Dane County Grades 9-12*		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
65. When you have sexual intercourse, how often do you and your partner use a condom to prevent sexually transmitted infections?	Never	15%	14%	17%	14%	15%
	Sometimes	28%	26%	28%	33%	29%
	Always use one	56%	60%	55%	53%	55%

\*Youth who have had sexual intercourse

**Tested for an STI**

		2. What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	
Dane County Grades 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
67. Have you ever been tested for a sexually transmitted infection (STI)?	Yes	5%	8%	13%	14%	9%
	No	95%	92%	87%	86%	91%

**Reason for no STI test**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
68. What is the main reason you have never been tested for an STI?	I've never had symptoms of an STI	57%	57%	59%	59%	58%
	I don't think I'm at risk of getting an STI	31%	30%	29%	28%	30%
	I don't think getting an STI is that serious	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	I don't want to ask my regular doctor to test me for STIs	0%	1%	1%	0%	0%
	I don't want my parents to know I got tested for STIs	1%	2%	3%	3%	2%
	I don't know where to go to get tested for STIs	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%
	I don't have transportation to a clinic that tests for STIs	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	I can't afford to get tested for STIs	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Other	8%	8%	7%	7%	7%	

**Reproductive health knowledge**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
66(a). I know where to get birth control, if I need it	Yes	61%	74%	79%	82%	73%
	No	39%	26%	21%	18%	27%
66(b). I know where to get tested for a sexually transmitted infection (STI)	Yes	54%	66%	71%	73%	65%
	No	46%	34%	29%	27%	35%

**Perception of peer sexual activity**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
69. About how many people your age do you think have ever had sexual intercourse?	None	9%	4%	3%	2%	5%
	Less than half	56%	35%	20%	13%	34%
	Half	22%	33%	35%	30%	30%
	More than half	9%	21%	30%	37%	23%
	Most	4%	7%	12%	17%	9%

**Tobacco and Nicotine**

**Electronic vapor cigarettes past 30 days**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
71. 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	89%	82%	77%	73%	81%
	1 or 2 days	5%	8%	9%	10%	8%
	3 to 5 days	2%	3%	4%	4%	3%
	6 to 9 days	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%
	10 days or more	3%	5%	8%	10%	6%

**Tobacco use past 30 days**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	% of Group
72(a). Regular cigarettes	0 days	98%	98%	96%	96%	97%
	1 or 2 days	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%
	3 to 5 days	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%
	6 to 9 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 days or more	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%
72(b). Roll-your-own cigarettes	0 days	99%	99%	98%	98%	99%
	1 or 2 days	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%
	3 to 5 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	6 to 9 days	0%	0%	0%		0%
	10 days or more	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
72(c). Flavored cigarettes (like Camel Crush)	0 days	99%	99%	98%	98%	98%
	1 or 2 days	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	3 to 5 days	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
	6 to 9 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 days or more	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
72(d). Bidis Kreteks (clove cigarettes)	0 days	99%	99%	99%	99%	99%
	1 or 2 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	3 to 5 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	6 to 9 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 days or more	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%
72(e). Little cigars, cigarillos or flavored cigars (like Milds)	0 days	98%	98%	96%	95%	97%
	1 or 2 days	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%
	3 to 5 days	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%
	6 to 9 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 days or more	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%
72(f). Chewing tobacco, dip, Snus, or snuff (like Skoal)	0 days	99%	98%	98%	98%	98%
	1 or 2 days	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	3 to 5 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	6 to 9 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 days or more	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
72(g). Smoking tobacco from a hookah or water pipe	0 days	99%	98%	97%	96%	98%
	1 or 2 days	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	3 to 5 days	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	6 to 9 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 days or more	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%

**Source of tobacco products**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	% of Group
73. During the past 30 days, how did you usually get your tobacco products?	Did not use any tobacco products during the past 30 days	95%	93%	89%	85%	91%
	From a store - convenience store, supermarket, discount store or gas station	0%	1%	2%	8%	2%
	On the Internet	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Gave someone else money to buy them for me	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	Borrowed (or bummed) them from someone else	1%	2%	2%	3%	2%
	A person 18 years old or older gave them to me	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%
	Took them from a store or family member	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Got them some other way	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%

# Alcohol Use

## Alcohol use past 12 months

		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
74. In the past 12 months how many times did you drink alcohol?	Never, not at all	81%	74%	63%	51%	69%
	Less than 1 time per month	13%	17%	21%	26%	19%
	1 time per month or more	6%	9%	15%	23%	12%

## Reasons for NOT using alcohol

		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12 *						
75. What is the main reason you haven't had a drink of alcohol?	I could get a citation	4%	4%	5%	8%	5%
	My parents would be disappointed in me	15%	15%	14%	11%	14%
	I'm worried about the impact it would have on my future	21%	18%	17%	16%	19%
	I could get kicked out of an extracurricular activity	6%	8%	8%	8%	7%
	It's bad for a teenager's health	20%	17%	14%	12%	16%
	I don't hang around with people who drink	9%	9%	9%	11%	9%
	I had a taste once and didn't like it	10%	11%	10%	10%	10%
	Because of my religious beliefs	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%
	Other reasons	13%	15%	20%	22%	17%

\*Youth who never drank

## Drinking and driving

		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
77. Have you ever driven a car after you've been drinking alcohol?	I don't drive	83%	46%	21%	14%	44%
	Yes	1%	1%	4%	7%	3%
	No	16%	53%	75%	79%	53%

## Sources of alcohol

		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
78. In the past 12 months, where did you usually get the alcohol you drank?	I didn't drink in the last 12 months.	81%	71%	61%	48%	67%
	Buy it myself	0%	1%	1%	3%	1%
	My parents	7%	8%	8%	11%	8%
	My brother/sister	1%	1%	1%	3%	2%
	Other adults	1%	2%	3%	3%	2%
	Sneak it from home	3%	3%	3%	2%	3%
	Get it at parties with my friends	3%	7%	12%	14%	8%
	Someone else buys it for me	1%	3%	7%	11%	5%
	Steal it from a store	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
	Get it some other way	3%	4%	3%	4%	4%

### Alcohol consumption in the past 30 days

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
76(a) Have at least 1 drink of alcohol (more than a few sips).	0 days	87%	82%	74%	63%	78%
	1 to 2 days	10%	13%	19%	23%	16%
	3 to 6 days	2%	3%	4%	8%	4%
	7 or more days	1%	2%	3%	5%	2%
76(b) Have 5 or more alcoholic drinks at one time, in a row, within in a couple of hours.	0 days	95%	92%	88%	80%	90%
	1 to 2 days	3%	5%	9%	13%	7%
	3 to 6 days	1%	1%	2%	4%	2%
	7 or more days	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%

### Parents knowing about or providing alcohol

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
79(a) How often have you been at someone's home where teens were drinking alcohol and the parents knew it?	Very often	2%	2%	3%	4%	3%
	Often	2%	3%	5%	7%	4%
	Sometimes	4%	8%	11%	16%	9%
	Rarely	11%	15%	19%	21%	16%
	Never	80%	72%	62%	52%	68%
79(b) How often have you been drinking with friends when the parents knowingly provided the alcohol?	Very often	1%	2%	3%	3%	2%
	Often	1%	1%	2%	3%	2%
	Sometimes	2%	4%	6%	9%	5%
	Rarely	4%	8%	11%	15%	9%
	Never	91%	86%	79%	70%	83%

## Marijuana Use

### Marijuana use past 12 months

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
80. In the past 12 months, how many times did you use marijuana?	Never, not at all	89%	82%	72%	68%	79%
	Less than 1 time per month	5%	9%	12%	14%	9%
	1 time per month or more	6%	9%	16%	19%	12%

### Marijuana use past 30 days

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
81. In the past 30 days, on how many days did you use marijuana?	0 days	92%	87%	80%	77%	85%
	1 to 2 days	4%	7%	9%	9%	7%
	3 to 6 days	2%	3%	4%	4%	3%
	7 or more days	2%	4%	7%	10%	5%

### Marijuana use and driving

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
82. Have you ever driven a car after you've used marijuana?	I don't drive	86%	48%	21%	16%	46%
	Yes	1%	3%	12%	18%	8%
	No	13%	49%	67%	67%	46%



# Drug Use

## Drug use past 30 days

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
83(a). A prescription drug without a doctor's prescription	0 days	96%	96%	95%	95%	96%
	1 to 2 days	2%	2%	3%	2%	3%
	3 to 6 days	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%
	7 or more days	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
83(b). Over the counter medication (such as cough syrup) in a way other than it was intended	0 days	93%	94%	93%	95%	94%
	1 to 2 days	4%	4%	4%	3%	4%
	3 to 6 days	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	7 or more days	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
83(c). Cocaine or crack	0 days	99%	99%	98%	98%	98%
	1 to 2 days	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%
	3 to 6 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	7 or more days	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
83(d). Inhalant (like glue, paint, spray cans, markers)	0 days	97%	99%	98%	98%	98%
	1 to 2 days	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	3 to 6 days	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	7 or more days	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
83(e). Speed, crystal meth, crank	0 days	99%	99%	98%	99%	99%
	1 to 2 days	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
	3 to 6 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	7 or more days	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
83(f). Heroin	0 days	99%	99%	99%	99%	99%
	1 to 2 days	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
	3 to 6 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	7 or more days	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
83(g). Ecstasy (Molly)	0 days	99%	99%	98%	98%	99%
	1 to 2 days	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%
	3 to 6 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	7 or more days	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%
83(h). Bath salts	0 days	98%	99%	99%	99%	99%
	1 to 2 days	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%
	3 to 6 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	7 or more days	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
83(i). Synthetic marijuana (K-2, spice, blaze)	0 days	98%	98%	97%	98%	98%
	1 to 2 days	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	3 to 6 days	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
	7 or more days	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
83(j). Steroids, HGH	0 days	99%	99%	99%	99%	99%
	1 to 2 days	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
	3 to 6 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	7 or more days	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%

## Prescription medications in the home

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
84. Access to prescription drugs in your home.	There are no prescription drugs in my home	21%	22%	22%	21%	21%
	Prescription drugs in my home are locked up in a secure place	21%	18%	17%	14%	18%
	Prescription drugs are kept in a place I can access, like the bathroom cabinet or kitchen counter	58%	60%	62%	65%	61%

### Sources of prescription medications

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
85. In the past 30 days where did you usually get prescription drugs not prescribed for you?	I didn't use prescription drugs not prescribed for me	94%	95%	94%	94%	94%
	I bought them	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%
	My friend gave them to me.	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	A family member gave them to me	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	I took them from a family member without them knowing	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%
	I took them from a friend without them knowing	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	I got them some other way	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%

### CRAFFT Addiction Screener

The CRAFFT Screener is a set of questions designed to assess adolescent substance addiction and is embedded in the DCYA survey. The more affirmative responses suggest a higher risk for alcohol or other drug addiction.

#### CRAFFT Addiction Screener

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
86(a). Have you ever used alcohol or drugs to relax, feel better about yourself or fit in?	Yes	12%	18%	26%	29%	21%
86(b). Have you ever driven a car under the influence of alcohol or drugs?	Yes	3%	4%	13%	17%	8%
86(c). Have you ever used alcohol or drugs while you are by yourself, alone?	Yes	10%	14%	20%	23%	16%
86(d). Have you ever forgotten things you did while using alcohol or drugs?	Yes	7%	13%	19%	23%	15%
86(e). Has your family or friends ever told you that you should cut down on your drinking or drug use?	Yes	4%	7%	9%	8%	7%
86(f). Have you ever gotten into trouble while you were using alcohol or drugs?	Yes	5%	8%	10%	12%	8%

#### CRAFFT addiction (SCALE)

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
CRAFFT addiction scale	Addiction issues - all positives	2%	2%	4%	4%	3%
	Addiction issues - 5 positives	1%	1%	3%	4%	2%
	Addiction issues - 4 positives	2%	3%	5%	5%	3%
	Addiction issues - 3 positives	2%	4%	7%	8%	5%
	No addictions issues - 2 positives	4%	7%	8%	9%	7%
	No addiction issues - 1 positive	5%	7%	9%	10%	7%
	No addiction issues - 0 positives	84%	77%	66%	61%	73%

# Alcohol, Tobacco and Drug Perceptions

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

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
87(a). Smoke 1 or more packs of cigarettes per day	No risk	13%	11%	12%	10%	12%
	Slight risk	8%	7%	6%	5%	7%
	Moderate risk	20%	18%	17%	14%	17%
	Great risk	60%	64%	66%	71%	64%
87(b). Have 5 or more drinks of an alcoholic beverage once or twice a week	No risk	12%	11%	11%	10%	11%
	Slight risk	13%	11%	11%	14%	12%
	Moderate risk	35%	32%	34%	34%	34%
	Great risk	40%	45%	44%	42%	43%
87(c). Smoke marijuana once or twice a week	No risk	24%	25%	31%	33%	28%
	Slight risk	25%	31%	32%	35%	30%
	Moderate risk	27%	22%	20%	17%	22%
	Great risk	24%	22%	17%	15%	20%
87(d). Take prescription drugs without a doctor's prescription	No risk	12%	11%	11%	9%	11%
	Slight risk	9%	8%	7%	7%	8%
	Moderate risk	26%	27%	28%	28%	27%
	Great risk	53%	54%	54%	55%	54%
87(e). Use e-cigarettes or other vaping products daily	No risk	20%	19%	22%	19%	20%
	Slight risk	32%	35%	37%	40%	36%
	Moderate risk	26%	25%	23%	25%	25%
	Great risk	22%	21%	18%	17%	20%

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

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
88(a). Use marijuana	Not wrong	5%	5%	8%	8%	6%
	A little wrong	9%	13%	15%	19%	13%
	Wrong	19%	23%	24%	25%	22%
	Very wrong	68%	59%	53%	48%	58%
88(b). Use tobacco	Not wrong	2%	2%	3%	4%	3%
	A little wrong	3%	4%	6%	8%	5%
	Wrong	16%	20%	20%	25%	20%
	Very wrong	79%	74%	71%	64%	73%
88(c). Drink alcohol	Not wrong	6%	7%	9%	14%	8%
	A little wrong	15%	18%	23%	32%	21%
	Wrong	27%	29%	30%	26%	28%
	Very wrong	53%	45%	39%	28%	42%
88(d). Take prescription drugs without a doctor's prescription	Not wrong	3%	3%	3%	2%	3%
	A little wrong	3%	3%	4%	3%	3%
	Wrong	13%	14%	15%	15%	14%
	Very wrong	81%	80%	79%	80%	80%
88(e). Drink alcohol regularly (1 or 2 drinks nearly every day)	Not wrong	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%
	A little wrong	3%	3%	3%	5%	3%
	Wrong	12%	14%	15%	19%	14%
	Very wrong	83%	81%	79%	74%	80%

**How wrong do your friends think these behaviors are. . . ?**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
90(a). Drink alcohol	Not wrong	15%	24%	35%	50%	29%
	A little wrong	24%	28%	30%	26%	27%
	Wrong	28%	25%	19%	15%	22%
	Very wrong	33%	23%	16%	9%	21%
90(b). Use tobacco	Not wrong	6%	8%	10%	14%	9%
	A little wrong	11%	15%	18%	21%	16%
	Wrong	31%	30%	33%	32%	31%
	Very wrong	51%	47%	39%	32%	43%
90(c). Use marijuana	Not wrong	18%	27%	38%	47%	31%
	A little wrong	18%	22%	24%	23%	21%
	Wrong	22%	22%	18%	15%	20%
	Very wrong	42%	29%	20%	15%	28%
90(d). Take prescription drugs without a doctor's prescription.	Not wrong	6%	6%	7%	8%	7%
	A little wrong	10%	12%	13%	13%	12%
	Wrong	26%	27%	29%	32%	28%
	Very wrong	58%	54%	51%	47%	53%
90(e). Drink alcohol regularly (1 or 2 drinks nearly every day)	Not wrong	6%	7%	9%	11%	8%
	A little wrong	10%	13%	14%	16%	13%
	Wrong	25%	26%	30%	31%	28%
	Very wrong	59%	53%	48%	42%	51%

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

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
89(a). Drink alcohol	0-25%	42%	22%	13%	9%	23%
	26-50%	37%	39%	37%	29%	36%
	51-75%	18%	31%	39%	46%	32%
	76-100%	4%	7%	11%	16%	9%
89(b). Use marijuana	0-25%	38%	21%	15%	12%	23%
	26-50%	34%	35%	33%	33%	34%
	51-75%	20%	31%	37%	39%	31%
	76-100%	8%	13%	14%	16%	12%
89(c). Use tobacco	0-25%	62%	53%	51%	47%	54%
	26-50%	27%	31%	31%	34%	31%
	51-75%	9%	13%	14%	14%	12%
	76-100%	2%	3%	4%	4%	3%
89(d). Take prescription drugs without a doctor's prescription	0-25%	67%	63%	63%	64%	64%
	26-50%	23%	26%	27%	25%	25%
	51-75%	8%	9%	8%	8%	8%
	76-100%	2%	2%	3%	3%	2%

**School and Education**

**Grades in school**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
91. What are the average grades you usually get in school?	Mostly A's	44%	41%	38%	43%	42%
	Half A's & half B's	29%	27%	29%	30%	29%
	Mostly B's	9%	10%	12%	13%	11%
	Half B's & half C's	11%	14%	12%	8%	12%
	Mostly C's	3%	4%	3%	3%	3%
	Half C's & half D's	3%	4%	3%	2%	3%
	Mostly D's or below	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%

**Special education**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
93. Do you currently receive special education support or have an IEP?	Yes	8%	8%	9%	8%	8%
	No	82%	83%	84%	88%	84%
	Don't know	10%	9%	7%	4%	8%

**Future after high school—what are the chances you will . . .**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
92(a). Finish high school	Very high	85%	86%	88%	94%	88%
	High	11%	10%	8%	4%	9%
	About 50/50	4%	3%	2%	1%	3%
	Low	0%	1%	1%	0%	0%
	Very low	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%
92(b). Go to a vocational/technical school	Very high	13%	15%	15%	20%	15%
	High	17%	15%	13%	9%	14%
	About 50/50	28%	26%	21%	11%	22%
	Low	27%	26%	27%	18%	25%
	Very low	15%	17%	24%	42%	23%
92(c). Go to a college or university	Very high	59%	58%	60%	70%	61%
	High	24%	21%	20%	12%	20%
	About 50/50	12%	14%	13%	10%	12%
	Low	2%	5%	4%	4%	4%
	Very low	2%	3%	2%	3%	2%
92(d). Not attend college or tech school and look for a job	Very high	5%	5%	4%	4%	5%
	High	4%	4%	4%	2%	3%
	About 50/50	11%	12%	10%	5%	10%
	Low	27%	26%	24%	16%	24%
	Very low	53%	53%	59%	73%	58%
92(e). Join the military	Very high	5%	4%	4%	3%	4%
	High	4%	4%	4%	1%	3%
	About 50/50	12%	12%	11%	7%	11%
	Low	25%	25%	22%	18%	23%
	Very low	54%	55%	59%	71%	59%
92(f). Have a career that you like	Very high	36%	33%	34%	39%	35%
	High	40%	41%	39%	39%	40%
	About 50/50	19%	21%	21%	19%	20%
	Low	2%	3%	3%	2%	3%
	Very low	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%

**Connection to school**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	% of Group
96(a). The rules and expectations are clearly explained.	Strongly Agree	32%	26%	28%	27%	28%
	Agree	56%	58%	59%	58%	58%
	Disagree	10%	13%	11%	12%	12%
	Strongly Disagree	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%
96(b). I feel close to people in my school.	Strongly Agree	25%	22%	22%	22%	23%
	Agree	50%	51%	49%	49%	50%
	Disagree	20%	20%	22%	21%	20%
	Strongly Disagree	5%	7%	8%	8%	7%
96(c). I feel safe at my school.	Strongly Agree	21%	18%	20%	22%	20%
	Agree	58%	56%	58%	58%	57%
	Disagree	17%	20%	16%	16%	17%
	Strongly Disagree	5%	5%	6%	5%	5%
96(d). Teachers and other adults treat students fairly.	Strongly Agree	20%	16%	17%	17%	18%
	Agree	53%	52%	52%	52%	52%
	Disagree	21%	23%	23%	23%	23%
	Strongly Disagree	6%	9%	7%	7%	7%
96(e). There are adults I can talk to at school if I have a problem	Strongly Agree	26%	24%	28%	27%	26%
	Agree	51%	52%	52%	55%	52%
	Disagree	17%	18%	15%	13%	16%
	Strongly Disagree	6%	6%	5%	5%	6%
96(f). I feel like I belong at this school.	Strongly Agree	25%	21%	21%	21%	22%
	Agree	54%	57%	54%	56%	55%
	Disagree	14%	15%	16%	16%	15%
	Strongly Disagree	7%	7%	8%	7%	8%

**Feeling connected to school (SCALE)**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	% of Group
Connected to school scale (Items 96a – f)	Strongly Agree	27%	23%	25%	25%	25%
	Agree	52%	52%	52%	53%	52%
	Disagree	19%	22%	20%	18%	20%
	Strongly Disagree	2%	3%	3%	3%	3%

**Skipping or cutting class**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	% of Group
100. In the past 30 days, how often have you skipped or cut class? (absent without permission)	Never	87%	81%	76%	69%	79%
	1-2 times	9%	13%	15%	18%	13%
	3-4 times	2%	3%	4%	6%	3%
	5 or more times	2%	3%	5%	7%	4%

**Suspensions during past school year**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	% of Group
101(a). In-school suspension	0 times	96%	96%	95%	97%	96%
	1 time	2%	3%	3%	2%	3%
	2 times	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	3 or more times	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
101(b). Out-of-school suspension	0 times	98%	97%	97%	98%	97%
	1 time	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%
	2 times	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%
	3 or more times	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%

**This school year, how many times have you seen this happen at school?**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
102(a). Using drugs or alcohol	Never	53%	49%	49%	48%	50%
	1 or 2 times	27%	27%	27%	25%	27%
	3 to 4 times	8%	10%	10%	11%	10%
	5 or more times	12%	14%	13%	15%	13%
102(b). Selling or distributing drugs	Never	74%	69%	72%	70%	71%
	1 or 2 times	16%	20%	18%	18%	18%
	3 to 4 times	5%	5%	5%	5%	5%
	5 or more times	5%	7%	6%	6%	6%
102(c). Carrying weapons	Never	87%	86%	88%	88%	87%
	1 or 2 times	10%	11%	9%	9%	10%
	3 to 4 times	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%
	5 or more times	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%
102(d). Gang activity	Never	65%	70%	76%	78%	72%
	1 or 2 times	17%	16%	12%	12%	14%
	3 to 4 times	6%	6%	5%	4%	5%
	5 or more times	11%	9%	7%	6%	8%
102(e). Bullying other students	Never	43%	43%	43%	45%	43%
	1 or 2 times	31%	32%	33%	32%	32%
	3 to 4 times	14%	14%	12%	13%	13%
	5 or more times	13%	12%	11%	10%	12%
102(f). Name calling based on a person's race, sexual orientation or	Never	41%	42%	46%	49%	44%
	1 or 2 times	27%	28%	28%	26%	27%
	3 to 4 times	13%	13%	12%	12%	12%
	5 or more times	19%	16%	15%	13%	16%
102(g). School staff using "put downs" to students	Never	69%	66%	67%	66%	67%
	1 or 2 times	21%	23%	23%	22%	22%
	3 to 4 times	6%	6%	6%	7%	6%
	5 or more times	4%	5%	5%	5%	5%

**Number of AP classes**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
99. How many advanced placement (AP) classes are you taking this school year?	0 AP classes	87%	71%	38%	30%	60%
	1-2 AP classes	10%	26%	49%	44%	31%
	3-4 AP classes	1%	2%	10%	22%	8%
	5 or more AP classes	1%	1%	2%	3%	2%

**Homework**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
97. I struggle getting my homework done.	Strongly Agree	10%	12%	14%	11%	12%
	Agree	29%	34%	35%	34%	33%
	Disagree	45%	42%	39%	42%	42%
	Strongly Disagree	17%	12%	12%	12%	13%

**Reasons for struggling with homework**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
98(a). There's too much homework	Strongly Agree	31%	35%	39%	30%	34%
	Agree	42%	43%	43%	45%	43%
	Disagree	23%	19%	16%	21%	20%
	Strongly Disagree	4%	3%	3%	4%	3%
98(b). The homework is too hard, can't figure it out	Strongly Agree	12%	13%	13%	10%	12%
	Agree	34%	37%	38%	36%	36%
	Disagree	44%	42%	42%	46%	44%
	Strongly Disagree	9%	8%	7%	8%	8%

98(c). Too many other responsibilities (job, sports, friends, etc.)	Strongly Agree	25%	30%	36%	35%	31%
	Agree	41%	43%	43%	44%	43%
	Disagree	27%	21%	17%	17%	21%
	Strongly Disagree	7%	5%	4%	4%	5%
98(d). Difficult to get help when I need it	Strongly Agree	12%	13%	13%	10%	12%
	Agree	27%	30%	29%	27%	28%
	Disagree	46%	47%	47%	51%	48%
	Strongly Disagree	15%	11%	11%	12%	12%
98(e). Too tired	Strongly Agree	31%	38%	43%	43%	38%
	Agree	39%	41%	39%	41%	40%
	Disagree	23%	17%	14%	13%	17%
	Strongly Disagree	8%	5%	4%	3%	5%

## Gang membership

### Gang involvement

		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
103. Are you a member of a gang?	No, and I have never been asked or pressured to join	94%	95%	94%	95%	95%
	No, but I have been asked or pressured to join	3%	2%	3%	2%	3%
	I was in a gang, but am no longer	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%
	Yes, I am currently in a gang	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%
	Yes, I am currently in a gang and want to get out	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

### Friends in a gang

		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
104. Are any of your close friends members of a gang?	Yes	7%	5%	6%	6%	6%
	No	76%	81%	84%	86%	81%
	Not sure	17%	14%	10%	8%	13%



# Bullying and Victimization

## Victim of bullying past 30 days

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
105(a). Someone made unwanted sexual comments to me.	Never	82%	79%	78%	78%	80%
	1 or 2 times	13%	14%	16%	15%	15%
	3 to 4 times	2%	3%	4%	3%	3%
	5 or more times	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%
105(b). I got hit and pushed by other students.	Never	81%	86%	88%	91%	86%
	1 or 2 times	14%	11%	10%	7%	11%
	3 to 4 times	3%	1%	2%	1%	2%
	5 or more times	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%
105(d). Other students picked on me.	Never	72%	75%	78%	81%	76%
	1 or 2 times	19%	18%	16%	14%	17%
	3 to 4 times	5%	4%	4%	3%	4%
	5 or more times	4%	3%	3%	2%	3%
105(i). Other students made fun of me.	Never	71%	74%	76%	78%	74%
	1 or 2 times	19%	19%	17%	16%	18%
	3 to 4 times	6%	4%	4%	3%	4%
	5 or more times	4%	3%	3%	3%	3%
105(k). Other students called me names.	Never	75%	78%	80%	85%	79%
	1 or 2 times	17%	15%	13%	10%	14%
	3 to 4 times	4%	4%	3%	3%	4%
	5 or more times	4%	4%	3%	3%	3%
105(h). I told someone to stop harassing another student.	Never	67%	67%	70%	72%	68%
	1 or 2 times	25%	26%	24%	22%	25%
	3 to 4 times	6%	5%	5%	5%	5%
	5 or more times	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%

## Victim of bullying Scale

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
Espelage Victim of Bully Scale (Items 105a – h)	Never	77%	81%	83%	87%	81%
	1 or 2 times	15%	14%	12%	9%	13%
	3 to 4 times	4%	3%	3%	2%	3%
	5 or more times	3%	3%	2%	2%	3%

**Bullying behavior past 30 days**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
105(c). In a group I made fun of other students.	Never	78%	78%	77%	80%	78%
	1 or 2 times	17%	17%	18%	15%	17%
	3 to 4 times	3%	3%	3%	2%	3%
	5 or more times	2%	3%	2%	3%	3%
105(e). I upset other students for the fun of it.	Never	90%	90%	90%	92%	91%
	1 or 2 times	8%	7%	7%	5%	7%
	3 to 4 times	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	5 or more times	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
105(f). I started arguments or conflicts.	Never	80%	78%	79%	81%	80%
	1 or 2 times	16%	17%	16%	14%	16%
	3 to 4 times	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%
	5 or more times	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
105(g). I spread rumors about other people.	Never	91%	91%	91%	91%	91%
	1 or 2 times	7%	7%	8%	7%	7%
	3 to 4 times	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	5 or more times	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
105(j). I excluded other students from my group of friends.	Never	85%	87%	86%	89%	87%
	1 or 2 times	12%	10%	11%	9%	11%
	3 to 4 times	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%
	5 or more times	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
105(l). I helped harass other students.	Never	95%	94%	94%	96%	95%
	1 or 2 times	4%	4%	4%	3%	4%
	3 to 4 times	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%
	5 or more times	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%

**In the past 12 months, have you been bullied, threaten or harassed...?**

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
106(a). Through the internet or text messaging.	Never	79%	81%	79%	82%	80%
	Rarely	14%	12%	14%	11%	13%
	Sometimes	5%	5%	5%	5%	5%
	Often	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
106(b). By others thinking you're gay, lesbian, bisexual or transgender.	Never	87%	90%	89%	93%	90%
	Rarely	7%	5%	6%	4%	6%
	Sometimes	3%	3%	3%	2%	3%
	Often	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%
106(c). About your race or ethnic background.	Never	87%	89%	89%	91%	89%
	Rarely	7%	6%	7%	5%	6%
	Sometimes	4%	3%	3%	3%	3%
	Often	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%
106(d). About your immigration status.	Never	96%	96%	95%	97%	96%
	Rarely	2%	3%	3%	2%	3%
	Sometimes	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Often	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
106(e). About your political views.	Never	87%	84%	83%	82%	84%
	Rarely	7%	9%	9%	9%	9%
	Sometimes	3%	5%	5%	5%	5%
	Often	2%	2%	3%	3%	2%
106(f). About how you look.	Never	69%	72%	72%	76%	72%
	Rarely	18%	17%	16%	14%	16%
	Sometimes	9%	7%	8%	7%	8%
	Often	5%	4%	3%	3%	4%

# Dating and Sexual Violence

## Dating violence--Victim

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
107. 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	56%	49%	41%	38%	47%
	0 times	40%	46%	53%	56%	48%
	2 or 3 times	3%	2%	3%	3%	3%
	4 or more times	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%

## Dating Intimidation

In the past 12 months has someone you are dating ever done the following to you?

*Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
108(a) Called you names or put you down	Yes, someone called me names, put me down	8%	8%	12%	13%	10%
108(b) Kept you from spending time with your friends or family	Yes, someone kept me from friends, family	7%	8%	10%	10%	9%
108(b) Kept you from spending time with your friends or family	Yes, someone hurt or threatened	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%
108(b) Kept you from spending time with your friends or family	Yes, someone forced sex	4%	5%	7%	5%	5%
108(e) No, none of the above	None of the above happened	87%	86%	81%	82%	84%

\*Youth who have ever been dating

## Dating violence--Aggressor

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
109. During the past 12 months, how many times did YOU physically hurt someone you were dating or going out with on purpose? (Such as hitting or slamming them into something, or injuring with an object or weapon.)	I did not date or go out with anyone during the past 12 months.	24%	17%	15%	12%	17%
	0 times	74%	79%	81%	84%	79%
	2 or 3 times	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	4 or more times	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%

## Sexual assault

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
110. Have you ever been forced, either verbally or physically, to take part in a sexual activity?	Yes	5%	7%	10%	10%	8%
	No	95%	93%	90%	90%	92%

## Sex trafficking

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
111. 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	2%	2%	3%	3%	2%
	No	98%	98%	97%	97%	98%

# Adult Connections and Community

## Community experience

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
112(a). I can ask my neighbors for help.	Strongly Agree	33%	29%	27%	27%	29%
	Agree	43%	46%	46%	46%	45%
	Disagree	17%	18%	18%	18%	18%
	Strongly Disagree	8%	8%	9%	9%	8%
112(b). If I had to move, I would miss my neighborhood.	Strongly Agree	32%	28%	24%	23%	27%
	Agree	36%	37%	36%	36%	36%
	Disagree	21%	25%	29%	28%	25%
	Strongly Disagree	11%	10%	12%	13%	11%
112(c). I feel safe in my neighborhood.	Strongly Agree	40%	37%	36%	37%	38%
	Agree	49%	52%	55%	54%	52%
	Disagree	8%	8%	7%	6%	7%
	Strongly Disagree	3%	2%	3%	3%	3%
112(d). My neighbors are friendly to me.	Strongly Agree	40%	37%	34%	34%	37%
	Agree	51%	53%	55%	56%	54%
	Disagree	6%	6%	8%	8%	7%
	Strongly Disagree	3%	3%	3%	2%	3%
112(e). I can count on the police if I need them.	Strongly Agree	38%	33%	30%	30%	33%
	Agree	48%	50%	52%	52%	50%
	Disagree	9%	11%	12%	12%	11%
	Strongly Disagree	5%	5%	6%	6%	5%
112(f). I help my neighbors.	Strongly Agree	29%	26%	23%	25%	26%
	Agree	48%	50%	50%	49%	49%
	Disagree	18%	19%	22%	21%	20%
	Strongly Disagree	5%	5%	5%	5%	5%

## Adult support

Dane County Grades 9-12		2. What grade are you in?				All Students % of Group
		9th % of Group	10th % of Group	11th % of Group	12th % of Group	
113. Not counting your parents, how many adults can you rely on if you have a problem and need help?	No other adults available	7%	5%	6%	5%	6%
	At least one other adult	15%	16%	16%	15%	15%
	At least two	18%	22%	20%	21%	20%
	At least three	15%	14%	16%	15%	15%
	Four or more adults	45%	43%	41%	44%	43%