



Dane County Youth Assessment 2012

High School Countywide Report

Grades 9th – 12th

The 2012 Dane County Youth Assessment

Table of Contents

DCYA 2012	3
Survey Development and Administration	3
Data Analysis and Reports	3
Conclusion	4
Acknowledgements	4
Using Report Tables	6
Section 1: About Yourself	7
Section 2: Your Living Situation	10
Section 3: Employment, Volunteering and Activities	14
Section 4: Parenting and Family	22
Section 5: Physical Health, Nutrition and Safety	27
Section 6: Emotional Health	33
Section 7: Sexual Behavior and Knowledge	38
Section 8: Using Tobacco, Alcohol & Drugs	47
Section 9: Availability Alcohol, Parent Involvement and Perceived Risks	58
Section 10: School Topics	62
Section 11: Criminal Behavior	70
Section 12: Bullying, Dating Violence and Social Media	71
Section 13: Neighborhood Topics, Adults in Your Life	77
Section 14: Spirituality	78

Dane County Youth Assessment 2012

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 parent representatives participated in development of the survey. The DCYA includes questions about both positive and risk behaviors across contexts of school, peer relations, family and community. The 2012 DCYA includes new questions on emerging youth issues while retaining questions from past surveys to measure trends. The survey includes items from the national Centers for Disease Control Youth Risk Behavior Survey and the Wisconsin Youth Risk Behavior Survey. This allows for comparison of Dane county data to state and national data. Extensive efforts are made to ensure that survey questions are clear and understandable. A Spanish version is available.

In January and February 2012, fifteen of 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. This report presents student responses to survey questions 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 consistency of DCYA results with national trends, and consistency in findings from year to year supports the validity of the DCYA.

This report provides data tables for every survey question and countywide youth responses. The 2012 DCYA Overview Report summarizes and highlights key findings. Both reports are available on the Youth Commission web site at www.co.dane.wi.us/humanservices/youth/youthhome.htm

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 generated using DCYA data will be posted on the Youth Commission website as they become available. All published reports may be printed without permission. Citation for any reporting of this data is “2012 Dane County Youth Assessment, Dane County Youth Commission, Madison, Wisconsin.”

Conclusion

The 2012 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.

Acknowledgements

Project Administration

- Deborah Hobbins, Chair, Dane County Youth Commission
- Connie Bettin, Dane County Human Services, staff to the Dane County Youth Commission
- Brian Koenig, K12 Associates consulting firm

Financial Sponsors

- Dane County Human Services
- United Way of Dane County
- Participating schools and school districts
- Public Health Madison & Dane County
- City of Madison

Dane County Youth Commission

Deborah Hobbins, Chair

- Aaron Backer
- Lucy Brown
- Maurice Cheeks
- Nancy Crassweller
- Mary Kelley
- Nichelle Nichols
- Carol Nickles
- Melissa Sargent
- Matt Veldran
- Connie Bettin, Staff

2012 Dane County Youth Assessment Steering Committee

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. 2012 Youth Assessment Steering Committee members include:

- Deborah Hobbins, Committee Chair, Dane County Youth Commission
- Bonnie Augusta, parent and community member
- Jill Brown, Madison Metropolitan School District
- Lucy Brown, Dane County Youth Commission
- Judy Howard, Public Health of Madison & Dane County
- Kathy Hubbard, United Way of Dane County
- Mary O'Donnell, City of Madison Community Development Division
- Connie Bettin, staff, Dane County Human Services/Youth Commission

Survey Development and other Project Assistance

- Meghan Benson, Planned Parenthood of Wisconsin
- Jeannette Deloya, Madison Metropolitan School District
- Mamadou Ndiaye MD MPH, Epidemiologist, Public Health of Madison & Dane County
- Susan Webb-Lukomski, Public Health Madison & Dane County

Participating Schools and Key Staff

- Belleville School District..... Kim Hegstrom
- Cambridge School District..... Denise Parker
- Deerfield School District..... Jacquie Schuh
- Edgewood High School..... Shannon McDonough
- Madison Metropolitan School District..... Jeannette DeLoya
- Marshall School District..... T.J. Hansen
- McFarland School District:.....Sandra Radney
- Middleton-Cross Plains Area School District..... Scott Brown
- Monona Grove School District.....Colleen Condon
- Mount Horeb Area School District.....Carol Nickles
- Oregon School District.....Amy Miller
- Stoughton Area School District.....Nancy Crassweller, Lisa Koenecke
- Sun Prairie Area School District..... Brian Dean
- Verona Area School District.....Susanne Daering
- Waunakee School District.....Craig Wille
- Wisconsin Heights School District.....Mary Beth Schall

For More Information contact:
Connie Bettin, Dane County Youth Commission
1202 Northport Drive, Rm 426
Madison, WI 53704
bettin@countyofdane.com
Phone: (608) 242-6422

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 summarize countywide survey responses in an easy-to-understand format. Below is a description of each element in the table.

Grade levels covered in this table combined

% of all HS grades

		4a. What is your current grade in school?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	
Dane County Grades 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
1a. Are you male or female?	Male	49%	50%	48%	49%	49%
	Female	51%	50%	52%	51%	51%
All Students		100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

Survey item (as asked on the survey)

% of 9th graders who are female

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

Survey population 9th – 12th graders
Weighted N = 17,096

Section 1: About Yourself

Population size by grade and gender

Dane County 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 gender?	Female	49%	52%	50%	50%	50%
	Male	51%	48%	50%	50%	50%

Population size by gender and grade

Dane County Grades 9-12		What is your gender?		All Students
		Female	Male	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	
What grade are you in?	9th	26%	27%	27%
	10th	26%	25%	26%
	11th	25%	26%	26%
	12th	22%	22%	22%

Race or Ethnic Group

Dane County 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 or ethnic background?	White	72%	73%	72%	71%	72%
	Black	7%	6%	5%	7%	6%
	Hispanic	5%	5%	6%	7%	6%
	Hmong	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%
	Asian, not Hmong	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%
	Native	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%
	Middle Eastern	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	More than one race	7%	7%	7%	7%	7%
	Other	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%

Age of Student

Dane County 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 are you?	14 years old	49%	0%		0%	13%
	15 years old	49%	48%	1%	0%	26%
	16 years old	2%	50%	50%	1%	26%
	17 years old	0%	2%	49%	49%	24%
	18 years old or older	0%	0%	1%	49%	11%

Gay, Lesbian, Bi-sexual or Questioning

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
Which of the following best describes you?	Straight/Heterosexual	<i>94%</i>	<i>93%</i>	<i>93%</i>	<i>91%</i>	<i>93%</i>
	Gay or Lesbian	<i>1%</i>	<i>1%</i>	<i>1%</i>	<i>2%</i>	<i>1%</i>
	Bi-sexual	<i>3%</i>	<i>3%</i>	<i>3%</i>	<i>5%</i>	<i>4%</i>
	Questioning my sexual orientation	<i>2%</i>	<i>2%</i>	<i>2%</i>	<i>2%</i>	<i>2%</i>

Transgender Identification

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
Do you identify yourself as transgender?	Yes	<i>2%</i>	<i>1%</i>	<i>2%</i>	<i>2%</i>	<i>2%</i>
	No	<i>98%</i>	<i>99%</i>	<i>98%</i>	<i>98%</i>	<i>98%</i>

Section 2: Your Living Situation

Who do you live with?

Dane County 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%	68%	63%	66%	66%
	Two parents in separate homes	12%	11%	10%	8%	10%
	One parent only	12%	11%	16%	15%	13%
	One parent & another adult	5%	5%	6%	5%	5%
	Group home or foster home	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	A relative (aunt, uncle, grandparents, older siblings, etc.)	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	I live with friends	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%
	I live alone	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%
	Other	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%

Who is home after school?

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
If I'm home after school, from 3:00-6:00 p.m., there is	Always a parent/guardian at home	<i>24%</i>	<i>23%</i>	<i>22%</i>	<i>22%</i>	<i>23%</i>
	Usually a parent/guardian at home	<i>58%</i>	<i>56%</i>	<i>55%</i>	<i>51%</i>	<i>55%</i>
	Seldom a parent/guardian at home	<i>13%</i>	<i>16%</i>	<i>16%</i>	<i>18%</i>	<i>16%</i>
	Never a parent/guardian at home	<i>4%</i>	<i>6%</i>	<i>6%</i>	<i>9%</i>	<i>6%</i>

Have you ever run away?

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
Run away from home for 1 or more nights?	Never	<i>92%</i>	<i>91%</i>	<i>89%</i>	<i>88%</i>	<i>90%</i>
	Yes, in the last 12 months	<i>5%</i>	<i>5%</i>	<i>6%</i>	<i>6%</i>	<i>5%</i>
	Yes, over 12 months ago	<i>4%</i>	<i>4%</i>	<i>5%</i>	<i>6%</i>	<i>5%</i>

Have you ever been homeless?

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
Been homeless?	Never	98%	97%	96%	96%	97%
	Yes, in the last 12 months	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%
	Yes, over 12 months ago	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%

Have you ever been kicked out?

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
Been kicked out of your house by your parents?	Never	94%	94%	90%	91%	92%
	Yes, in the last 12 months	4%	4%	7%	6%	5%
	Yes, over 12 months ago	2%	2%	3%	4%	2%

Have you lived in foster care?

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
Lived in foster care?	Never	98%	98%	98%	97%	98%
	Yes, in the last 12 months	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Yes, over 12 months ago	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%

Have you lived in a group home?

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
Lived in a group home or residential facility?	Never	<i>98%</i>	<i>98%</i>	<i>97%</i>	<i>97%</i>	<i>97%</i>
	Yes, in the last 12 months	<i>1%</i>	<i>1%</i>	<i>2%</i>	<i>1%</i>	<i>1%</i>
	Yes, over 12 months ago	<i>1%</i>	<i>1%</i>	<i>1%</i>	<i>1%</i>	<i>1%</i>

Have you been in juvenile detention?

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
Been in juvenile corrections/prison for more than 30 days?	Never	<i>98%</i>	<i>98%</i>	<i>97%</i>	<i>97%</i>	<i>98%</i>
	Yes, in the last 12 months	<i>1%</i>	<i>1%</i>	<i>2%</i>	<i>1%</i>	<i>1%</i>
	Yes, over 12 months ago	<i>1%</i>	<i>0%</i>	<i>1%</i>	<i>1%</i>	<i>1%</i>

Section 3: Employment, Volunteering and Activities

Do you have a job?

Dane County 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 currently have a job?	No and I'm not looking for a job	36%	28%	22%	18%	26%
	No, I am looking for a job, but can't find one	20%	25%	24%	16%	21%
	Yes, I do occasional jobs (babysitting, snow shoveling, lawn mowing, etc.)	35%	28%	18%	15%	25%
	Yes, less than 20 hours	7%	14%	25%	34%	20%
	Yes, more than 20 hours	2%	5%	10%	17%	8%

Have you volunteered?

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
Have you done any volunteer work in the last 12 months?	No and I am not interested in volunteering	18%	15%	15%	14%	15%
	No, but I am interested	20%	20%	17%	12%	18%
	Yes, I volunteer on a weekly basis	8%	9%	14%	13%	11%
	Yes, I volunteer on a monthly basis	13%	15%	13%	17%	14%
	Yes, I have volunteered a few times in the last 12 months	42%	42%	41%	43%	42%

Days per week in extracurricular activities

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
How many days per week are you involved in extracurricular activities like dance, drama, music, sports or school organizations?	0 days	19%	19%	23%	25%	21%
	1 day	8%	8%	8%	7%	8%
	2 days	9%	9%	8%	10%	9%
	3 days	11%	11%	11%	10%	11%
	4 days	9%	10%	9%	9%	9%
	5 days	19%	20%	19%	16%	19%
	6 days	13%	14%	12%	12%	13%
	7 days	12%	10%	10%	11%	11%

Days per week at a youth center

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
How many days a week do you spend time at a youth or community center?	0 days	84%	84%	83%	84%	84%
	1 day	7%	7%	8%	7%	8%
	2 days	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%
	3 days	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	4 days	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%
	5 days	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	6 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	7 days	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%

Days per week in team sports

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
How many days a week do you play team sports? (Practice, lessons and games)	0 days	34%	37%	43%	47%	40%
	1 day	5%	4%	5%	4%	4%
	2 days	7%	6%	6%	5%	6%
	3 days	9%	8%	7%	7%	8%
	4 days	6%	6%	6%	4%	6%
	5 days	19%	20%	18%	16%	18%
	6 days	13%	13%	11%	11%	12%
	7 days	7%	7%	5%	5%	6%

Days per week exercising on your own

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
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.)	0 days	<i>11%</i>	<i>12%</i>	<i>15%</i>	<i>15%</i>	<i>13%</i>
	1 day	<i>12%</i>	<i>12%</i>	<i>11%</i>	<i>12%</i>	<i>12%</i>
	2 days	<i>16%</i>	<i>18%</i>	<i>18%</i>	<i>16%</i>	<i>17%</i>
	3 days	<i>17%</i>	<i>18%</i>	<i>17%</i>	<i>16%</i>	<i>17%</i>
	4 days	<i>11%</i>	<i>9%</i>	<i>10%</i>	<i>10%</i>	<i>10%</i>
	5 days	<i>12%</i>	<i>12%</i>	<i>12%</i>	<i>12%</i>	<i>12%</i>
	6 days	<i>5%</i>	<i>6%</i>	<i>5%</i>	<i>6%</i>	<i>6%</i>
	7 days	<i>16%</i>	<i>13%</i>	<i>12%</i>	<i>12%</i>	<i>13%</i>

Things that stop you from exercising

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
What things stop or limit you from exercising, either in sports, organized exercise programs or on your own? (Check all that apply)	I don't have time (because of school work, job, chores, etc.)	46%	47%	50%	52%	49%
	Transportation is a problem	15%	15%	10%	8%	12%
	It costs too much (fees or equipment)	10%	10%	11%	12%	11%
	My skills aren't good enough	12%	10%	9%	8%	10%
	I don't like or don't think it's important	8%	9%	9%	10%	9%
	I have physical or health problems	8%	8%	7%	8%	8%
	There aren't enough programs or places to exercise	5%	4%	5%	5%	5%
	I don't know what is offered or how to sign up	7%	4%	4%	4%	5%
	There are safety concerns in my neighborhood (such as traffic)	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%
	My parents don't want me to	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%
	Other reasons	14%	13%	12%	11%	13%

Eat more junk food in summer

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
I eat and drink more "junk food" in the summer than during the school year.	Strongly Agree	11%	10%	11%	10%	11%
	Agree	44%	41%	36%	37%	39%
	Disagree	38%	40%	44%	42%	41%
	Strongly Disagree	7%	8%	9%	11%	9%

Are you more active in summer?

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
I am more active in the summer than during the school year.	Strongly Agree	36%	36%	34%	33%	35%
	Agree	40%	38%	41%	40%	39%
	Disagree	22%	24%	23%	24%	23%
	Strongly Disagree	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%

There are enough opportunities to be active.

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
There are enough sports/fitness programs or places to be active, if I'm interested.	Strongly Agree	35%	36%	34%	35%	35%
	Agree	52%	50%	52%	53%	52%
	Disagree	11%	11%	11%	9%	10%
	Strongly Disagree	2%	3%	3%	3%	3%

I spend more time on computer/TV in summer

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
I spend more time on the computer or watching TV during the summer.	Strongly Agree	<i>14%</i>	<i>13%</i>	<i>12%</i>	<i>12%</i>	<i>13%</i>
	Agree	<i>35%</i>	<i>33%</i>	<i>32%</i>	<i>31%</i>	<i>33%</i>
	Disagree	<i>35%</i>	<i>38%</i>	<i>39%</i>	<i>39%</i>	<i>38%</i>
	Strongly Disagree	<i>16%</i>	<i>15%</i>	<i>17%</i>	<i>18%</i>	<i>16%</i>

Screen time on school nights

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
On an average school day/night, how many total hours do you sit and watch TV, play video or computer games, use Facebook or the internet, or spend time using hand held computer devices? (Don't count time spent on school work.)	None	<i>2%</i>	<i>2%</i>	<i>2%</i>	<i>2%</i>	<i>2%</i>
	Less than 1 hour	<i>14%</i>	<i>15%</i>	<i>15%</i>	<i>12%</i>	<i>14%</i>
	1 hour per day	<i>22%</i>	<i>21%</i>	<i>20%</i>	<i>20%</i>	<i>21%</i>
	2 hours per day	<i>27%</i>	<i>28%</i>	<i>28%</i>	<i>29%</i>	<i>28%</i>
	3 hours per day	<i>16%</i>	<i>18%</i>	<i>18%</i>	<i>18%</i>	<i>17%</i>
	4 hours per day	<i>8%</i>	<i>7%</i>	<i>8%</i>	<i>10%</i>	<i>8%</i>
	5 or more hours per day	<i>11%</i>	<i>8%</i>	<i>10%</i>	<i>10%</i>	<i>10%</i>

School nights per week up past 11pm

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
On average, how many school nights a week are you awake past 11pm?	0 nights	<i>20%</i>	<i>16%</i>	<i>13%</i>	<i>10%</i>	<i>15%</i>
	1 night	<i>17%</i>	<i>15%</i>	<i>13%</i>	<i>11%</i>	<i>14%</i>
	2 nights	<i>20%</i>	<i>18%</i>	<i>18%</i>	<i>15%</i>	<i>18%</i>
	3 nights	<i>14%</i>	<i>16%</i>	<i>16%</i>	<i>17%</i>	<i>16%</i>
	4 nights	<i>9%</i>	<i>11%</i>	<i>11%</i>	<i>13%</i>	<i>11%</i>
	Every school night	<i>20%</i>	<i>24%</i>	<i>30%</i>	<i>34%</i>	<i>27%</i>

Section 4: Parenting and Family

Evening meals per week with family

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
In an average week, how many days do you eat evening meals with your family?	0 days	9%	11%	12%	13%	11%
	1 day	6%	7%	7%	9%	7%
	2 days	8%	9%	10%	11%	10%
	3 days	10%	10%	13%	13%	11%
	4 days	11%	12%	12%	12%	11%
	5 days	15%	15%	16%	17%	16%
	6 days	13%	13%	12%	9%	12%
	7 days	28%	23%	19%	15%	21%

Parents know where I am when I go out

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
My parents know where I am when I go out.	Always	63%	57%	51%	46%	55%
	Often	28%	32%	33%	37%	32%
	Sometimes	7%	10%	13%	14%	11%
	Never	1%	2%	2%	3%	2%

Parents set clear rules

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
My parents set clear rules about what I can and cannot do.	Always	59%	57%	52%	46%	54%
	Often	27%	27%	28%	29%	28%
	Sometimes	11%	14%	16%	18%	15%
	Never	3%	3%	4%	7%	4%

Parents have talked about my future plans

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
My parents have talked with me about my future plans.	Always	46%	51%	56%	62%	53%
	Often	27%	27%	25%	25%	26%
	Sometimes	22%	18%	16%	11%	17%
	Never	5%	4%	3%	3%	4%

Parents have consequences

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
My parents have consequences if I break rules.	Always	60%	57%	50%	46%	54%
	Often	24%	24%	27%	25%	25%
	Sometimes	13%	15%	18%	21%	16%
	Never	3%	4%	5%	8%	5%

Parents encourage me

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
My parents encourage me to do well.	Always	81%	78%	78%	77%	79%
	Often	12%	15%	14%	15%	14%
	Sometimes	5%	5%	5%	5%	5%
	Never	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%

Parents monitor my school progress

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
My parents monitor my school progress.	Always	60%	54%	50%	44%	52%
	Often	25%	26%	29%	28%	27%
	Sometimes	12%	15%	17%	20%	16%
	Never	3%	4%	5%	7%	5%

Parents talk with me about things that bother me

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
My parents talk with me about things that bother me.	Always	33%	33%	33%	34%	33%
	Often	25%	25%	25%	24%	25%
	Sometimes	28%	28%	28%	28%	28%
	Never	13%	14%	13%	15%	14%

Parents have been in prison or jail

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
My parent has been in prison or jail.	Yes	11%	11%	14%	11%	12%
	No	84%	83%	81%	85%	83%
	Don't know	5%	5%	6%	3%	5%

Parents have hit, injured me

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
My parent has hit me, leaving bruises, marks or any kind of injury.	Yes	8%	9%	8%	8%	8%
	No	89%	89%	90%	91%	90%
	Don't know	3%	2%	2%	1%	2%

Parents get drunk weekly

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
My parent gets drunk at least once a week.	Yes	10%	11%	12%	14%	12%
	No	86%	85%	85%	84%	85%
	Don't know	4%	4%	3%	3%	3%

Parents abuse drugs weekly

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
My parent abuses drugs at least once a week.	Yes	2%	3%	3%	3%	3%
	No	95%	95%	94%	95%	94%
	Don't know	3%	2%	3%	2%	3%

Parents physically fight

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

Family members involved in gangs

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
Is one or more of your family members (not including you) involved in a gang?	Yes	4%	5%	6%	5%	5%
	No	89%	89%	88%	91%	89%
	Don't Know	6%	6%	6%	4%	6%

Section 5: Physical Health, Nutrition and Safety

Body Mass Index

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
Body Mass Index (CDC cutoffs)	Healthy Weight	78%	78%	75%	76%	77%
	Underweight	2%	1%	2%	3%	2%
	Overweight	12%	13%	14%	13%	13%
	Obese	8%	8%	10%	9%	8%

What, if anything, are doing about your weight?

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
Which of the following are you trying to do about your weight?	I am not trying to do anything about my weight	31%	32%	29%	29%	30%
	Lose weight	34%	34%	37%	39%	36%
	Gain weight	15%	15%	16%	14%	15%
	I am trying to stay the same weight	20%	19%	18%	18%	19%

How many days were you active in the last week?

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
During the past 7 days, on how many days were you physically active for a total of at least 60 minutes per day? (Add up all the time you spent in any kind of physical activity that increased your heart rate and made you breathe hard some of the time.	0 days	<i>6%</i>	<i>8%</i>	<i>10%</i>	<i>11%</i>	<i>9%</i>
	1 day	<i>6%</i>	<i>6%</i>	<i>7%</i>	<i>9%</i>	<i>7%</i>
	2 days	<i>9%</i>	<i>11%</i>	<i>13%</i>	<i>14%</i>	<i>12%</i>
	3 days	<i>15%</i>	<i>14%</i>	<i>14%</i>	<i>15%</i>	<i>14%</i>
	4 days	<i>14%</i>	<i>14%</i>	<i>13%</i>	<i>13%</i>	<i>13%</i>
	5 days	<i>17%</i>	<i>18%</i>	<i>17%</i>	<i>16%</i>	<i>17%</i>
	6 days	<i>13%</i>	<i>12%</i>	<i>11%</i>	<i>9%</i>	<i>11%</i>
	7 days	<i>20%</i>	<i>17%</i>	<i>15%</i>	<i>14%</i>	<i>16%</i>

Servings of veggies and fruit each day

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
How many total servings of fruit and/or vegetables do you eat most days? One serving = either 1/2 cup canned or cooked, one cup raw, or one medium sized piece of fresh fruit. Do not include juice, french fries or chips.	0 servings	4%	4%	5%	4%	4%
	1 serving	19%	20%	19%	19%	19%
	2 servings	33%	34%	33%	31%	33%
	3 servings	25%	25%	26%	27%	26%
	4 servings	11%	9%	9%	12%	10%
	5 or more servings	8%	8%	9%	6%	8%

Family having to miss meals

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

Do you have any of the following disabilities?

Dane County 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 do not have a disability	I do not have a disability	72%	73%	74%	73%	73%
	Autism/Asperger's	1%	3%	2%	2%	2%
	Attention deficit or hyperactivity (ADD or ADHD)	10%	11%	9%	9%	10%
	Emotional or mental health problems	5%	7%	5%	7%	6%
	Learning disability	3%	4%	4%	5%	4%
	Hearing problem or deafness	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%
	Vision problem or blindness	4%	4%	3%	3%	3%
	Speech or language problem	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	Physical disability	2%	3%	2%	3%	2%
	Health problems	4%	4%	4%	5%	5%
	Other disability	3%	4%	3%	3%	3%

Have you taken medication for asthma?

Dane County 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%	16%	18%	17%
	No	83%	82%	84%	82%	83%

Number of days eating breakfast

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
During the past 7 days, how many days did you eat breakfast?	0 days	<i>8%</i>	<i>7%</i>	<i>10%</i>	<i>10%</i>	<i>9%</i>
	1 day	<i>5%</i>	<i>6%</i>	<i>6%</i>	<i>7%</i>	<i>6%</i>
	2 days	<i>8%</i>	<i>8%</i>	<i>10%</i>	<i>11%</i>	<i>9%</i>
	3 days	<i>8%</i>	<i>8%</i>	<i>8%</i>	<i>9%</i>	<i>8%</i>
	4 days	<i>8%</i>	<i>8%</i>	<i>8%</i>	<i>8%</i>	<i>8%</i>
	5 days	<i>9%</i>	<i>11%</i>	<i>10%</i>	<i>11%</i>	<i>10%</i>
	6 days	<i>9%</i>	<i>9%</i>	<i>8%</i>	<i>8%</i>	<i>9%</i>
	7 days	<i>44%</i>	<i>42%</i>	<i>40%</i>	<i>36%</i>	<i>41%</i>

Last time seen by a dentist

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
When was the last time you were seen by a dentist?	Less than 1 year	<i>84%</i>	<i>82%</i>	<i>78%</i>	<i>78%</i>	<i>81%</i>
	1 year	<i>9%</i>	<i>10%</i>	<i>12%</i>	<i>11%</i>	<i>10%</i>
	2 years	<i>3%</i>	<i>4%</i>	<i>4%</i>	<i>4%</i>	<i>4%</i>
	3 years or more	<i>4%</i>	<i>5%</i>	<i>6%</i>	<i>6%</i>	<i>5%</i>

Past 12 months missed school with dental pain

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
In the past 12 months, have you ever missed school because of pain in your teeth or gums? (not because of braces)	Yes	4%	4%	7%	7%	5%
	No	96%	96%	93%	93%	95%

How often do you wear a protective helmet

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
How often do you wear a protective helmet when you are biking?	I never ride a bike	12%	17%	22%	26%	19%
	Never	32%	33%	35%	31%	33%
	Rarely	15%	16%	14%	14%	15%
	Sometimes	12%	11%	9%	9%	10%
	Most of the time	15%	12%	10%	9%	12%
	Always	14%	13%	10%	10%	12%

Section 6: Emotional Health

In the past 30 days how often have you . . .

Dane County Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Felt nervous, anxious or on edge?	Always	8%	10%	9%	9%	9%
	Often	22%	25%	25%	27%	25%
	A little	47%	46%	48%	45%	47%
	Not at all	23%	19%	17%	18%	19%
Not been able to stop or control worrying?	Always	7%	8%	8%	8%	8%
	Often	15%	17%	17%	18%	16%
	A little	27%	30%	32%	32%	30%
	Not at all	50%	45%	44%	42%	45%
Felt problems were piling up so high that you could not handle them?	Always	9%	10%	9%	9%	9%
	Often	15%	17%	18%	18%	17%
	A little	27%	30%	33%	32%	31%
	Not at all	49%	43%	40%	41%	43%

Youth look down on professional mental health

Dane County 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 would look down on someone who is getting professional help for a mental health problem.	Strongly agree	11%	9%	9%	8%	9%
	Agree	43%	42%	40%	39%	41%
	Disagree	36%	39%	42%	42%	40%
	Strongly Disagree	11%	9%	10%	11%	10%

When things go wrong I . . .

Dane County Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
Try not to think about the problem.	Always	14%	13%	12%	11%	12%
	Often	34%	34%	34%	33%	34%
	A little	39%	39%	39%	41%	39%
	Not at all	14%	14%	16%	15%	15%
Think it's my fault.	Always	9%	9%	8%	9%	9%
	Often	23%	23%	24%	26%	24%
	A little	45%	47%	49%	46%	47%
	Not at all	23%	21%	18%	19%	20%
Talk about how I am feeling with others..	Always	12%	12%	11%	13%	12%
	Often	25%	27%	30%	32%	28%
	A little	37%	37%	38%	37%	37%
	Not at all	26%	24%	21%	19%	23%
Get aggressive, yell, hit or scream.	Always	6%	5%	5%	4%	5%
	Often	10%	10%	10%	9%	10%
	A little	28%	28%	27%	29%	28%
	Not at all	57%	58%	58%	58%	58%
Am able to calm myself down.	Always	31%	28%	29%	29%	29%
	Often	37%	39%	40%	41%	39%
	A little	25%	26%	26%	25%	26%
	Not at all	6%	7%	6%	5%	6%
Blame others.	Always	3%	3%	2%	3%	3%
	Often	9%	9%	8%	8%	9%
	A little	45%	44%	47%	47%	46%
	Not at all	43%	43%	43%	42%	43%
Keep my thoughts and feelings to myself.	Always	21%	22%	19%	19%	20%
	Often	35%	34%	34%	35%	34%
	A little	34%	34%	35%	36%	35%
	Not at all	10%	10%	11%	11%	11%
Try to see the good that can come of the situation.	Always	20%	20%	21%	22%	21%
	Often	31%	32%	35%	34%	33%
	A little	33%	34%	32%	33%	33%
	Not at all	15%	15%	12%	10%	13%
Think of ways to solve the problem.	Always	34%	35%	36%	39%	36%
	Often	35%	38%	40%	38%	38%
	A little	23%	21%	20%	19%	21%
	Not at all	8%	7%	5%	5%	6%

Long term emotional health

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
Do you have any of the following long-term emotional or mental health problems?(Long-term means 6 months or more)	I don't have any long term emotional or mental health problem	81%	77%	78%	75%	78%
	Depression	9%	10%	11%	10%	10%
	Anxiety	6%	8%	8%	10%	8%
	An eating disorder	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%
	Other emotional or mental health problem (not ADD or ADHD)	2%	3%	2%	3%	2%

Depression: Feeling sad and hopeless

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
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%	20%	20%	22%	20%
	No	81%	80%	80%	78%	80%

Suicidal ideation

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
During the past 30 days, have you thought seriously about killing yourself?	No	88%	87%	90%	88%	88%
	Yes, but rarely	8%	8%	7%	7%	8%
	Yes, some of the time	3%	3%	2%	3%	3%
	Yes, almost all the time	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%

Suicide attempts last 12 months

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
During the past 12 months, have you attempted to kill yourself?	No	95%	95%	97%	96%	96%
	Yes, 1 time	3%	3%	3%	2%	3%
	Yes, more than 1 time	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%

Have you choked yourself?

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
Have you ever choked yourself intentionally to make yourself pass out?	Yes	2%	3%	3%	3%	3%
	No	98%	97%	97%	97%	97%

Have you seen or known someone who choked themselves?

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
Have you seen or known of someone who choked themselves intentionally just to pass out?	Yes	<i>10%</i>	<i>11%</i>	<i>11%</i>	<i>10%</i>	<i>10%</i>
	No	<i>90%</i>	<i>89%</i>	<i>89%</i>	<i>90%</i>	<i>90%</i>

Self harm in the last 12 months

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
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?	0 times	<i>87%</i>	<i>87%</i>	<i>91%</i>	<i>91%</i>	<i>89%</i>
	1 to 2 times	<i>7%</i>	<i>7%</i>	<i>6%</i>	<i>6%</i>	<i>7%</i>
	3 or more times	<i>5%</i>	<i>6%</i>	<i>4%</i>	<i>4%</i>	<i>4%</i>

Section 7: Sexual Behavior and Knowledge

Sexual activity screener

Dane County 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 . . . ? (Check all that apply)	Engaged in vaginal sexual intercourse (penis/vagina)	13%	22%	36%	44%	28%
	Engaged in oral sexual contact (mouth/penis or mouth/vagina)	13%	24%	34%	42%	28%
	Engaged in anal sexual intercourse (penis/anal)	4%	5%	8%	8%	6%
	No, I have never done any of the above	77%	65%	53%	43%	60%

Note: All of the Tables on pages 38 – 43 reflect youth who reported being sexually active in the screener question. The percentages are percentages of the sexually active subgroup, not the entire 9th-12th grade population.

Gender of your sexual partners

Dane County Grades 9-12 who are sexually active		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
During your life, who have you had sexual contact with?	I have never had sexual contact	5%	2%	1%	1%	2%
	Females	53%	49%	50%	47%	49%
	Males	34%	41%	41%	44%	41%
	Females and Males	8%	8%	9%	8%	8%

Age of first sexual activity

Dane County Grades 9-12 who are sexually active		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 had voluntary sexual contact (vaginal, anal, oral)?	I have not had sexual contact with anyone	3%	2%	1%	0%	1%
	11 years old or younger	10%	5%	4%	4%	5%
	12 years old	6%	5%	5%	2%	4%
	13 years old	19%	9%	8%	4%	8%
	14 years old	41%	22%	16%	12%	19%
	15 years old	19%	44%	31%	21%	29%
	16 years old	1%	12%	28%	30%	22%
	17 years old or older			6%	22%	9%
	18 years old or older	1%	0%	0%	4%	2%

Number of sexual partners

Dane County Grades 9-12 who are sexually active		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
How many people have you had voluntary sexual contact with during your life?	I have never had sex contact with anyone	4%	2%	1%	1%	2%
	1 person	40%	38%	35%	32%	35%
	2 people	24%	23%	20%	19%	21%
	3 people	10%	13%	14%	14%	13%
	4 people	5%	6%	9%	10%	8%
	5 people	4%	5%	5%	6%	5%
	6 or more people	13%	13%	15%	17%	15%

Sex with people you just met do not know well

Dane County Grades 9-12 who are sexually active		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
How many people have you had sex with that you just met or didn't know very well?	None ever	67%	71%	68%	68%	68%
	1 person	18%	14%	17%	16%	16%
	2 people	5%	5%	6%	7%	6%
	3 people	2%	4%	3%	3%	3%
	4 people	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	5 people	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	6 or more people	6%	5%	4%	4%	5%

Sex while under the influence

Dane County Grades 9-12 who are sexually active		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 sex with someone while you were under the influence of alcohol, marijuana or other drugs?	No, never	69%	66%	57%	50%	58%
	Yes, a few times	21%	24%	27%	35%	28%
	Yes, many times	4%	5%	10%	10%	8%
	Yes, all the time	5%	4%	6%	5%	5%

How often do you use birth control?

Dane County Grades 9-12 who are sexually active		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
When you have vaginal sexual intercourse, how often do you use a method to prevent pregnancy?	I have never had vaginal sexual intercourse	24%	21%	14%	12%	16%
	Never	13%	6%	5%	6%	7%
	Sometimes	10%	13%	17%	16%	15%
	Always	53%	59%	63%	66%	62%

Forms of birth control used

Dane County Grades 9-12 who are sexually active		What grade are you in?				All Students
		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	13%	23%	37%	47%	29%
	Pills	4%	12%	23%	35%	17%
	Withdrawal (pulling out)	4%	9%	16%	24%	12%
	Depo Provera	1%	3%	5%	7%	4%
	Abstinence, we do not have sex	1%	2%	3%	4%	2%
	Implants (Implanon)	1%	1%	1%	3%	1%
	Patch	1%	1%	2%	3%	1%
	Nuva Ring	0%	1%	2%	3%	1%
	IUD	0%	1%	1%	2%	1%
	Natural Family Planning/Not having sex while ovulating	1%	1%	2%	5%	2%
	Other	1%	1%	2%	3%	2%
	Nothing	2%	2%	4%	5%	3%

Forms of birth control used

Dane County Grades 9-12 who are sexually active		What grade are you in?				All Students
		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	13%	23%	37%	47%	29%
	Pills	4%	12%	23%	35%	17%
	Withdrawal (pulling out)	4%	9%	16%	24%	12%
	Depo Provera	1%	3%	5%	7%	4%
	Abstinence, we do not have sex	1%	2%	3%	4%	2%
	Implants (Implanon)	1%	1%	1%	3%	1%
	Patch	1%	1%	2%	3%	1%
	Nuva Ring	0%	1%	2%	3%	1%
	IUD	0%	1%	1%	2%	1%
	Natural Family Planning/Not having sex while ovulating	1%	1%	2%	5%	2%
	Other	1%	1%	2%	3%	2%
	Nothing	2%	2%	4%	5%	3%

How often do you use barrier method?

Dane County Grades 9-12 who are sexually active		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
When you have sexual contact, how often do you use a barrier method (condom, dental dam) to prevent sexually transmitted infections?	Never	22%	16%	15%	17%	17%
	Sometimes	16%	23%	26%	28%	25%
	Always use one	61%	62%	59%	55%	58%

How many times pregnant or gotten someone pregnant?

Dane County Grades who are sexually active 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 times have you been pregnant or gotten a girl pregnant?	0	91%	92%	90%	92%	91%
	1	3%	5%	7%	4%	5%
	2 or more times	6%	3%	4%	4%	4%

Have you or sexual partner had an abortion?

Dane County Grades 9-12 who are sexually active		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Have you or a sexual partner ever had an abortion?	Yes	6%	5%	6%	6%	6%
	No	94%	95%	94%	94%	94%

How likely is it you will get an STI

Dane County Grades 9-12 who are sexually active		What grade are you in?				All Students
		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 (STI)?	It's not at all likely	79%	83%	81%	82%	81%
	It's somewhat likely	17%	15%	16%	16%	16%
	It's very likely that I will get a sexually transmitted infection.	4%	3%	3%	3%	3%

Have you ever been tested for an STI?

Dane County Grades 9-12 who are sexually active		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Have you ever been tested for a sexually transmitted infection (STI)?	Yes	14%	21%	29%	28%	25%
	No	74%	73%	66%	67%	69%
	Not sure	12%	7%	5%	5%	6%

Reproductive health knowledge

Dane County 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	Yes	86%	89%	91%	91%	89%
	No	7%	7%	5%	5%	6%
	Not Sure	7%	4%	4%	4%	5%
I could tell if my sexual partner had an STI	Yes	29%	30%	33%	32%	31%
	No	42%	45%	44%	45%	44%
	Not Sure	29%	25%	23%	22%	25%
Birth control pills prevent a girl from getting an STI	Yes	6%	5%	4%	5%	5%
	No	80%	86%	89%	90%	86%
	Not Sure	14%	9%	7%	6%	9%
Using condoms often prevents STIs	Yes	64%	68%	70%	72%	68%
	No	21%	22%	22%	21%	22%
	Not Sure	15%	11%	8%	7%	10%
Withdrawal (pulling out) during sex prevents pregnancy	Yes	14%	12%	12%	14%	13%
	No	67%	77%	80%	78%	75%
	Not Sure	19%	12%	8%	8%	12%
I know how to get care for sexual and reproductive health concerns	Yes	61%	69%	74%	76%	70%
	No	16%	15%	12%	11%	14%
	Not Sure	23%	17%	13%	12%	16%

Forced to take part in sexual act

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
Have you ever been forced, either verbally or physically, to take part in a sexual activity?	Yes	5%	8%	7%	9%	7%
	No	95%	92%	93%	91%	93%

How old when parents first talked about sex

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
How old were you when your parent first talked with you about sex?	Age 9 or younger	13%	12%	11%	11%	12%
	Age 10	14%	12%	10%	9%	11%
	Age 11	12%	9%	10%	6%	9%
	Age 12	18%	17%	12%	12%	15%
	Age 13	13%	15%	15%	13%	14%
	Age 14	7%	10%	11%	12%	10%
	Age 15	2%	5%	8%	8%	6%
	Age 16	0%	1%	3%	6%	2%
	Age 17+	0%	0%	1%	2%	1%
	I have not talked with my parents about sex	21%	19%	18%	20%	20%

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

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
Waiting to have sex	Yes	54%	56%	57%	56%	56%
	No	46%	44%	43%	44%	44%
Healthy dating relationships	Yes	68%	69%	72%	70%	70%
	No	32%	31%	28%	30%	30%
Birth control and STIs	Yes	43%	50%	56%	54%	50%
	No	57%	50%	44%	46%	50%

How many people your age have had intercourse?

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
About how many people your age do you think have ever had sexual intercourse?	None	5%	2%	2%	1%	3%
	Less than half	49%	32%	20%	13%	29%
	Half	27%	33%	31%	30%	30%
	More than half	17%	29%	42%	51%	34%
	All	2%	4%	5%	5%	4%

Section 8: Using Tobacco, Alcohol & Drugs

How old were you when you had your first cigarette?

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
How old were you when you smoked a whole cigarette for the first time?	I have never smoked a cigarette	88%	84%	76%	73%	80%
	8 years old or younger	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	9 to 10 years old	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	11 to 12 years old	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%
	13 to 14 years old	5%	5%	6%	4%	5%
	15 to 16 years old	1%	6%	10%	10%	7%
	17 years old or older		0%	1%	7%	2%
	I don't know	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%

On average, how many cigarettes per day?

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
During the past 30 days, on the days you smoked cigarettes, on average how many did you smoke per day?	Never smoked	88%	84%	76%	73%	81%
	I did not smoke cigarettes during the past 30 days	7%	10%	13%	14%	11%
	Less than 1 a day	2%	2%	3%	4%	3%
	1 a day	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%
	2-5 a day	1%	2%	3%	4%	2%
	6-10 a day	0%	1%	2%	2%	1%
	11-20 a day	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	More than 20 per day	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%

Where do you usually get your cigarettes?

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
If you smoked during the past 30 days, how did you usually get your cigarettes? (Check all that apply)	I bought them from a store	1%	1%	3%	7%	3%
	I gave someone else money to buy them for me	2%	3%	5%	4%	3%
	I borrowed (or bummed) them from someone else	2%	4%	6%	6%	4%
	A person 18 years old or older gave them to me	2%	2%	4%	3%	3%
	I took them from a store or family member	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	I got them some other way	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%

On average, how many times using chewing tobacco?

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use chewing tobacco, snuff, SNUS or dip?	0 days	97%	97%	95%	94%	96%
	1 or 2 days	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%
	3 to 5 days	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	6 to 9 days	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%
	10 to 19 days	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	20 to 29 days	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	All 30 days	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%

Were you exposed to smoke in the last 7 days?

Dane County 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, were you exposed to cigarette smoke at home?	Yes	14%	15%	16%	16%	15%
	No	86%	85%	84%	84%	85%

How old for first drink of alcohol?

Dane County 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 had your first drink of alcohol other than a few sips?	8 years old or younger	4%	4%	3%	3%	4%
	9 or 10 years old	3%	2%	3%	2%	3%
	11 or 12 years old	7%	6%	5%	5%	6%
	13 or 14 years old	19%	17%	18%	15%	18%
	15 or 16 years old	3%	19%	30%	32%	21%
	17 years old or older	0%	0%	2%	12%	3%

How old for first drink of alcohol?

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
How old were you the first time you had your first drink of alcohol other than a few sips?	8 years old or younger	4%	4%	3%	3%	4%
	9 or 10 years old	3%	2%	3%	2%	3%
	11 or 12 years old	7%	6%	5%	5%	6%
	13 or 14 years old	19%	17%	18%	15%	18%
	15 or 16 years old	3%	19%	30%	32%	21%
	17 years old or older	0%	0%	2%	12%	3%
	I have never had a drink of alcohol other than a few sips	63%	51%	38%	30%	46%

Where do you usually get alcohol?

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
Where do you most frequently get alcohol? (Check all that apply to you.)	I sneak it from home	7%	9%	10%	11%	9%
	My parents give it to me	7%	8%	9%	11%	9%
	At parties	11%	21%	30%	35%	24%
	From friends	12%	21%	31%	35%	24%
	From older brother or sister	5%	6%	9%	10%	7%
	Someone else buys it for me	5%	12%	22%	26%	16%
	I buy it myself	1%	2%	4%	5%	3%
	I steal it from a store	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	I get it some other way	4%	5%	7%	7%	6%

Past 12 months how many times have you drank alcohol?

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
In the past 12 months how many times have you drank alcohol? (More than a few sips.)	Never, not at all	11%	11%	11%	11%	11%
	Less than 1 time per month	18%	22%	30%	28%	24%
	1 time per month or more	8%	15%	22%	31%	19%
	Never drank	63%	51%	38%	30%	46%

In the past 30 days how many days did you . . . ?

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
Have at least 1 drink of alcohol (more than a few sips)	0 days	<i>14%</i>	<i>19%</i>	<i>23%</i>	<i>20%</i>	<i>19%</i>
	1 to 2 days	<i>12%</i>	<i>16%</i>	<i>23%</i>	<i>26%</i>	<i>19%</i>
	3 to 6 days	<i>2%</i>	<i>4%</i>	<i>7%</i>	<i>11%</i>	<i>6%</i>
	6 or more days	<i>2%</i>	<i>4%</i>	<i>5%</i>	<i>9%</i>	<i>5%</i>
	Never drank	<i>71%</i>	<i>58%</i>	<i>42%</i>	<i>34%</i>	<i>52%</i>
Have 5 or more alcoholic drinks at one time, in a row, that is within a couple of hours	0 days	<i>23%</i>	<i>29%</i>	<i>36%</i>	<i>36%</i>	<i>31%</i>
	1 to 2 days	<i>4%</i>	<i>9%</i>	<i>14%</i>	<i>19%</i>	<i>11%</i>
	3 to 6 days	<i>1%</i>	<i>2%</i>	<i>4%</i>	<i>7%</i>	<i>3%</i>
	6 or more days	<i>1%</i>	<i>2%</i>	<i>3%</i>	<i>5%</i>	<i>3%</i>
	Never drank	<i>71%</i>	<i>58%</i>	<i>42%</i>	<i>34%</i>	<i>52%</i>
Get drunk from drinking	0 days	<i>21%</i>	<i>26%</i>	<i>33%</i>	<i>32%</i>	<i>28%</i>
	1 to 2 days	<i>6%</i>	<i>11%</i>	<i>16%</i>	<i>21%</i>	<i>13%</i>
	3 to 6 days	<i>1%</i>	<i>3%</i>	<i>5%</i>	<i>8%</i>	<i>4%</i>
	6 or more days	<i>2%</i>	<i>2%</i>	<i>4%</i>	<i>6%</i>	<i>3%</i>
	Never drank	<i>70%</i>	<i>58%</i>	<i>42%</i>	<i>34%</i>	<i>52%</i>

How old first time trying marijuana?

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
How old were you the first time you tried marijuana?	8 years old or younger	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%
	9 or 10 years old	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	11 or 12 years old	4%	3%	4%	2%	3%
	13 or 14 years old	10%	12%	13%	11%	12%
	15 or 16 years old	2%	11%	20%	21%	13%
	17 years old or older	0%	0%	2%	10%	3%
	I have never tried marijuana	82%	72%	58%	53%	67%

Past 12 months how many times using marijuana?

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
In the past 12 months, how many times did you use marijuana?	Never, not at all	4%	5%	8%	9%	6%
	Less than 1 time per month	6%	9%	13%	16%	11%
	1 time per month or more	9%	15%	22%	22%	17%
	Never tried marijuana	82%	72%	58%	53%	67%

In the past 30 days how many days using marijuana?

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
In the past 30 days, on how many days did you use marijuana?	0 days	7%	12%	16%	19%	13%
	1 to 2 days	5%	7%	9%	9%	7%
	3 to 6 days	2%	3%	5%	6%	4%
	6 or more days	4%	6%	12%	13%	8%
	Never tried marijuana	82%	72%	58%	53%	67%

Drinking and driving

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
Have you ever ridden in a car driven by someone (including yourself) who had been drinking alcohol?	Yes	29%	33%	37%	41%	35%
	No	71%	67%	63%	59%	65%

If yes to drinking and driving who was driving?

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
If yes, who was drinking and driving? (check all that apply)	I was the driver	<i>1%</i>	<i>2%</i>	<i>6%</i>	<i>12%</i>	<i>5%</i>
	My parent	<i>15%</i>	<i>16%</i>	<i>12%</i>	<i>12%</i>	<i>14%</i>
	Another adult	<i>11%</i>	<i>12%</i>	<i>13%</i>	<i>11%</i>	<i>11%</i>
	Another teen	<i>6%</i>	<i>12%</i>	<i>19%</i>	<i>23%</i>	<i>15%</i>

Drug use in the past 12 months

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
Over-the-counter drugs to get high	Not at all	<i>96%</i>	<i>96%</i>	<i>94%</i>	<i>93%</i>	<i>95%</i>
	Less than 1 time per month	<i>2%</i>	<i>2%</i>	<i>3%</i>	<i>4%</i>	<i>3%</i>
	1 time per month or more	<i>2%</i>	<i>2%</i>	<i>3%</i>	<i>3%</i>	<i>2%</i>
Prescription drugs not prescribed for you	Not at all	<i>95%</i>	<i>94%</i>	<i>92%</i>	<i>91%</i>	<i>93%</i>
	Less than 1 time per month	<i>3%</i>	<i>3%</i>	<i>5%</i>	<i>5%</i>	<i>4%</i>
	1 time per month or more	<i>2%</i>	<i>3%</i>	<i>3%</i>	<i>4%</i>	<i>3%</i>
Cocaine or crack	Not at all	<i>98%</i>	<i>98%</i>	<i>97%</i>	<i>96%</i>	<i>97%</i>
	Less than 1 time per month	<i>1%</i>	<i>1%</i>	<i>1%</i>	<i>2%</i>	<i>1%</i>
	1 time per month or more	<i>1%</i>	<i>1%</i>	<i>2%</i>	<i>2%</i>	<i>2%</i>
Inhalant (like glue, paint, spray cans, markers)	Not at all	<i>97%</i>	<i>97%</i>	<i>98%</i>	<i>97%</i>	<i>97%</i>
	Less than 1 time per month	<i>2%</i>	<i>1%</i>	<i>1%</i>	<i>1%</i>	<i>1%</i>
	1 time per month or more	<i>1%</i>	<i>1%</i>	<i>1%</i>	<i>1%</i>	<i>1%</i>

Speed, crystal meth, crank	Not at all	98%	98%	98%	98%	98%
	Less than 1 time per month	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%
	1 time per month or more	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%
Heroin (smack, junk, china white)	Not at all	98%	98%	98%	98%	98%
	Less than 1 time per month	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%
	1 time per month or more	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Ecstasy	Not at all	98%	98%	96%	96%	97%
	Less than 1 time per month	1%	1%	2%	3%	2%
	1 time per month or more	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
Bath salts (ivory white, Bliss, white lightening)	Not at all	98%	98%	98%	98%	98%
	Less than 1 time per month	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	1 time per month or more	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Synthetic marijuana (K-2, spice, blaze)	Not at all	94%	92%	89%	89%	91%
	Less than 1 time per month	3%	4%	6%	6%	5%
	1 time per month or more	3%	4%	5%	4%	4%
Steroids, HGH	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%	1%	1%	1%	1%

CRAFFT addiction screener

Dane County 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	12%	18%	25%	31%	21%
Have you ever ridden in a car driven by someone (including yourself) who had been using marijuana?	Yes	13%	22%	37%	41%	27%
Have you ever used alcohol or drugs while you are by yourself, alone?	Yes	10%	13%	20%	23%	16%
Have you ever forgotten things you did while using alcohol or drugs?	Yes	10%	17%	26%	32%	21%
Has your family or friends ever told you that you should cut down on your drinking or drug use?	Yes	5%	7%	10%	11%	8%
Have you ever gotten into trouble while you were using alcohol or drugs?	Yes	6%	10%	15%	15%	11%

Section 9: Availability Alcohol, Parent Involvement and Perceived Risks

Parents knowing about or providing alcohol

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
How often have you been at someone's home where teens were drinking alcohol and the parents knew it?	Very often	2%	3%	3%	4%	3%
	Often	3%	4%	6%	8%	5%
	Sometimes	7%	10%	17%	21%	14%
	Rarely	16%	21%	23%	24%	21%
	Never	72%	62%	50%	42%	57%
How often have you been at someone's home when the parents knowingly provided the alcohol?	Very often	1%	2%	3%	3%	2%
	Often	2%	3%	4%	4%	3%
	Sometimes	6%	8%	9%	12%	8%
	Rarely	11%	15%	21%	23%	18%
	Never	80%	73%	63%	58%	69%

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

Dane County 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	8%	6%	7%	7%	7%
	Slight risk	7%	6%	7%	7%	7%
	Moderate risk	22%	22%	22%	22%	22%
	Great risk	63%	65%	64%	64%	64%
Drink alcohol once a month or more	No risk	14%	13%	14%	15%	14%
	Slight risk	38%	38%	40%	41%	39%
	Moderate risk	29%	33%	31%	29%	31%
	Great risk	18%	17%	15%	15%	16%
Have 5 or more drinks of alcohol in a row	No risk	7%	5%	6%	6%	6%
	Slight risk	8%	9%	13%	14%	11%
	Moderate risk	27%	28%	32%	33%	30%
	Great risk	58%	58%	50%	47%	53%
Smoke marijuana regularly	No risk	13%	14%	19%	19%	16%
	Slight risk	13%	19%	22%	24%	19%
	Moderate risk	21%	23%	25%	26%	23%
	Great risk	54%	45%	35%	32%	42%

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

Dane County 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	5%	5%	6%	8%	6%
	A Little Wrong	5%	7%	11%	12%	8%
	Wrong	11%	14%	19%	19%	15%
	Very Wrong	76%	71%	63%	59%	68%
	Not Sure	3%	3%	2%	2%	3%
Smoke cigarettes	Not Wrong	3%	2%	3%	5%	3%
	A Little Wrong	3%	3%	5%	7%	4%
	Wrong	11%	13%	15%	18%	14%
	Very Wrong	81%	79%	75%	68%	76%
	Not Sure	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
Drink alcohol	Not Wrong	5%	6%	7%	12%	7%
	A Little Wrong	13%	16%	20%	27%	19%
	Wrong	21%	26%	27%	26%	25%
	Very Wrong	58%	50%	43%	32%	46%
	Not Sure	3%	3%	2%	3%	3%

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

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
Drink alcohol	0-25%	<i>33%</i>	<i>16%</i>	<i>9%</i>	<i>6%</i>	<i>16%</i>
	26-50%	<i>39%</i>	<i>35%</i>	<i>29%</i>	<i>25%</i>	<i>32%</i>
	51-75%	<i>23%</i>	<i>38%</i>	<i>46%</i>	<i>50%</i>	<i>39%</i>
	76-100%	<i>6%</i>	<i>11%</i>	<i>17%</i>	<i>20%</i>	<i>13%</i>
Get drunk once a month or more	0-25%	<i>49%</i>	<i>30%</i>	<i>20%</i>	<i>15%</i>	<i>29%</i>
	26-50%	<i>33%</i>	<i>36%</i>	<i>37%</i>	<i>35%</i>	<i>35%</i>
	51-75%	<i>14%</i>	<i>26%</i>	<i>32%</i>	<i>36%</i>	<i>27%</i>
	76-100%	<i>4%</i>	<i>8%</i>	<i>12%</i>	<i>13%</i>	<i>9%</i>
Use marijuana	0-25%	<i>34%</i>	<i>23%</i>	<i>17%</i>	<i>16%</i>	<i>23%</i>
	26-50%	<i>32%</i>	<i>31%</i>	<i>30%</i>	<i>33%</i>	<i>31%</i>
	51-75%	<i>23%</i>	<i>32%</i>	<i>34%</i>	<i>33%</i>	<i>31%</i>
	76-100%	<i>11%</i>	<i>14%</i>	<i>19%</i>	<i>18%</i>	<i>15%</i>
Smoke cigarettes	0-25%	<i>51%</i>	<i>45%</i>	<i>43%</i>	<i>43%</i>	<i>45%</i>
	26-50%	<i>31%</i>	<i>32%</i>	<i>33%</i>	<i>32%</i>	<i>32%</i>
	51-75%	<i>13%</i>	<i>18%</i>	<i>18%</i>	<i>17%</i>	<i>17%</i>
	76-100%	<i>5%</i>	<i>5%</i>	<i>7%</i>	<i>7%</i>	<i>6%</i>

Section 10: School Topics

What grades do you usually get in school?

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
What grades do you usually get on your report card?	Most A's	<i>36%</i>	<i>35%</i>	<i>31%</i>	<i>34%</i>	<i>34%</i>
	Half A's & half B's	<i>28%</i>	<i>28%</i>	<i>28%</i>	<i>28%</i>	<i>28%</i>
	Mostly B's	<i>11%</i>	<i>12%</i>	<i>12%</i>	<i>13%</i>	<i>12%</i>
	Half B's & half C's	<i>14%</i>	<i>15%</i>	<i>15%</i>	<i>14%</i>	<i>15%</i>
	Mostly C's	<i>4%</i>	<i>4%</i>	<i>6%</i>	<i>5%</i>	<i>5%</i>
	Half C's & half D's	<i>5%</i>	<i>5%</i>	<i>5%</i>	<i>4%</i>	<i>5%</i>
	Mostly D's	<i>1%</i>	<i>1%</i>	<i>1%</i>	<i>1%</i>	<i>1%</i>
	Mostly below D	<i>1%</i>	<i>1%</i>	<i>1%</i>	<i>1%</i>	<i>1%</i>

What will you do after high school?

Dane County 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 do you think you will do after you finish high school? (Choose only one)	I probably won't finish high school	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%
	Go to vocational/technical school	2%	2%	3%	4%	3%
	Go to a 2-year college (community college)	5%	7%	12%	14%	9%
	Go to a 4-year college	73%	74%	71%	71%	72%
	Get a full-time job	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%
	Join the military (Army, Navy, Air Force, Marines)	5%	4%	3%	2%	4%
	Get married and be financially supported by my wife/husband/	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Don't know yet	9%	8%	7%	4%	7%
	Other	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%

Are you in special education or have an IEP?

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
Do you currently receive special education support or have an IEP?	Yes	8%	9%	8%	9%	9%
	No	85%	85%	87%	86%	86%
	Don't Know	7%	6%	5%	5%	6%

Are you eligible for free or reduced hot lunch?

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
Are you eligible for free or reduced lunch at school?	Yes	22%	21%	23%	22%	22%
	No	66%	70%	69%	72%	69%
	Don't Know	12%	9%	8%	6%	9%

Statements about your school

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
The rules and expectations are clearly explained	Strongly Agree	30%	30%	30%	32%	31%
	Agree	59%	58%	58%	56%	58%
	Disagree	9%	11%	9%	9%	10%
	Strongly Disagree	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%
I usually enjoy going to school	Strongly Agree	18%	14%	14%	16%	16%
	Agree	55%	53%	53%	50%	53%
	Disagree	19%	25%	24%	25%	23%
	Strongly Disagree	7%	8%	9%	9%	8%
It is important to me that I graduate	Strongly Agree	79%	79%	81%	84%	81%
	Agree	19%	18%	17%	14%	17%
	Disagree	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%
	Strongly Disagree	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Teachers and other adults treat me fairly	Strongly Agree	31%	30%	30%	35%	31%
	Agree	55%	56%	56%	53%	55%
	Disagree	11%	12%	11%	9%	11%
	Strongly Disagree	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%
There are adults I can talk to at school if I have a problem	Strongly Agree	30%	30%	31%	35%	31%
	Agree	48%	49%	49%	47%	49%
	Disagree	16%	16%	15%	13%	15%
	Strongly Disagree	6%	5%	5%	4%	5%
I feel like I belong at this school	Strongly Agree	30%	28%	28%	29%	29%
	Agree	53%	54%	54%	52%	53%
	Disagree	11%	13%	12%	12%	12%
	Strongly Disagree	6%	5%	6%	6%	6%

Past 30 days how many days skipping or cutting class?

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
In the past 30 days, how often have you skipped or cut classes (absent without permission)?	Never	86%	84%	75%	70%	79%
	1 or 2 times per month	10%	11%	17%	19%	14%
	More than 1 or 2 times per month	4%	5%	8%	11%	7%

How many times suspended from school?

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
During this school year, how many times have you been suspended from school?	0 times	95%	95%	95%	95%	95%
	1 time	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%
	2 times	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	3 or more times	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%

I do not like going to school where there are gay and lesbian students

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
I don't like going to a school where there are gay and lesbian students.	Strongly Agree	5%	4%	5%	5%	5%
	Agree	10%	9%	7%	7%	8%
	Disagree	34%	33%	31%	28%	31%
	Strongly Disagree	51%	54%	57%	61%	56%

I have at least one good friend I can trust

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
I have at least one good friend I can trust.	Strongly Agree	67%	67%	66%	68%	67%
	Agree	28%	28%	28%	25%	27%
	Disagree	3%	4%	4%	4%	4%
	Strongly Disagree	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%

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

Dane County Grades 9-12		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Students using drugs or alcohol	Never	46%	42%	41%	42%	43%
	1 or 2 times	31%	31%	30%	30%	31%
	3 to 4 times	10%	10%	11%	10%	10%
	5 or more times	13%	16%	18%	17%	16%
Students with weapons	Never	80%	82%	82%	83%	82%
	1 or 2 times	15%	14%	13%	13%	14%
	3 to 4 times	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%
	5 or more times	2%	3%	2%	3%	2%
Gang activity	Never	73%	73%	74%	74%	73%
	1 or 2 times	17%	18%	15%	16%	16%
	3 to 4 times	5%	3%	6%	4%	5%
	5 or more times	5%	6%	5%	6%	6%
Students bullying other students	Never	20%	23%	26%	25%	24%
	1 or 2 times	36%	37%	37%	39%	37%
	3 to 4 times	21%	18%	18%	18%	19%
	5 or more times	23%	21%	19%	17%	20%
Students selling or distributing drugs	Never	68%	64%	61%	62%	64%
	1 or 2 times	20%	22%	22%	23%	22%
	3 to 4 times	6%	6%	7%	6%	6%
	5 or more times	7%	7%	10%	8%	8%

How many days did you bring a weapon to school?

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
During the past 30 days, on how many days did you carry a weapon onto school property?	I did not carry a weapon on school property	<i>97%</i>	<i>97%</i>	<i>96%</i>	<i>95%</i>	<i>96%</i>
	1 day	<i>2%</i>	<i>1%</i>	<i>1%</i>	<i>2%</i>	<i>1%</i>
	2 or 3 days	<i>0%</i>	<i>1%</i>	<i>1%</i>	<i>1%</i>	<i>1%</i>
	4 or 5 days	<i>0%</i>	<i>0%</i>	<i>0%</i>	<i>1%</i>	<i>0%</i>
	6 or more days	<i>1%</i>	<i>1%</i>	<i>2%</i>	<i>2%</i>	<i>1%</i>

Section 11: Criminal Behavior

Are you the member of a gang?

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
Are you a member of an organized gang?	No, and I have never been asked or pressured to join	93%	93%	91%	92%	92%
	No, but I have been asked or pressured to join	4%	3%	4%	3%	4%
	I was in a gang, but am no longer	1%	1%	3%	2%	2%
	Yes, I am currently in a gang	2%	3%	3%	3%	3%

Have you tagged or vandalized public property?

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
Have you tagged or vandalized private or public property in the past 12 months?	No, never	91%	92%	90%	91%	91%
	1-3 times	6%	6%	7%	6%	6%
	4-5 times	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	6+ times	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%

Section 12: Bullying, Relationship Violence and Social Media

In the last 30 days, how many times has this happened to you or have you done this to someone else?

Dane County 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 got hit and pushed by other students.	Never	79%	83%	87%	89%	84%
	1 or 2 times	17%	13%	10%	8%	12%
	3 to 4 times	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%
	5 or more times	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
I upset other students for the fun of it.	Never	81%	84%	84%	85%	83%
	1 or 2 times	15%	13%	12%	12%	13%
	3 to 4 times	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	5 or more times	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
Other students picked on me.	Never	70%	74%	79%	80%	75%
	1 or 2 times	21%	19%	16%	15%	18%
	3 to 4 times	5%	4%	3%	3%	3%
	5 or more times	4%	3%	3%	2%	3%
I helped harass other students.	Never	86%	88%	90%	90%	89%
	1 or 2 times	11%	9%	7%	8%	9%
	3 to 4 times	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	5 or more times	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
I told someone to stop harassing another student.	Never	53%	58%	62%	62%	59%
	1 or 2 times	36%	33%	30%	30%	32%
	3 to 4 times	8%	6%	6%	6%	7%
	5 or more times	3%	2%	2%	2%	2%
I spread rumors about other people.	Never	87%	86%	88%	86%	87%
	1 or 2 times	11%	11%	10%	11%	11%
	3 to 4 times	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	5 or more times	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%

I started arguments or conflicts	Never	78%	80%	80%	81%	80%
	1 or 2 times	18%	16%	16%	15%	16%
	3 to 4 times	3%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	5 or more times	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%
Other students made fun of me	Never	66%	70%	73%	74%	71%
	1 or 2 times	24%	22%	20%	20%	21%
	3 to 4 times	5%	4%	4%	4%	4%
	5 or more times	5%	4%	3%	3%	4%
In a group I made fun of other students	Never	77%	78%	79%	78%	78%
	1 or 2 times	18%	17%	17%	17%	17%
	3 to 4 times	3%	3%	2%	3%	3%
	5 or more times	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%
Other students called me names	Never	72%	77%	79%	80%	77%
	1 or 2 times	19%	15%	15%	14%	16%
	3 to 4 times	4%	3%	3%	3%	3%
	5 or more times	5%	4%	3%	3%	4%
I excluded other students from my group of friends	Never	84%	84%	85%	85%	85%
	1 or 2 times	13%	12%	11%	11%	12%
	3 to 4 times	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	5 or more times	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
I got into a physical fight	Never	91%	92%	91%	91%	91%
	1 or 2 times	7%	6%	6%	6%	6%
	3 to 4 times	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	5 or more times	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%

Has your boyfriend or girlfriend ever done the following?

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
Has a boy/girlfriend ever done any of the following? (Check all that apply)	Hit, slapped or physically hurt you on purpose	5%	6%	7%	9%	7%
	Forced you to have sexual contact	3%	4%	4%	5%	4%
	Called you names or put you down	8%	9%	12%	13%	10%
	Kept you from spending time with friends or family	7%	8%	10%	12%	9%
	Threatened to hurt you	3%	3%	4%	5%	4%

Social media questions

Dane County 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, like Facebook, have you ever . . . (Check all that apply)	Changed your privacy settings to limit what you share with others	55%	61%	63%	64%	60%
	Deleted someone from your friends list because they were harassing or bullying you	21%	21%	20%	21%	21%
	Removed your name from photos tagged to identify you	27%	33%	35%	39%	34%
	Posted updates, comments, photos or videos that you later regret	16%	18%	19%	19%	18%
	Accepted a friend request from someone you didn't know	40%	43%	47%	47%	44%

Past 12 months have you been bullied or harassed by . . . ?

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
Through the internet or text messaging.	Never	80%	82%	82%	82%	81%
	Rarely	13%	11%	11%	11%	11%
	Sometimes	5%	5%	5%	6%	5%
	Often	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
By others thinking you're gay, lesbian or bisexual.	Never	90%	91%	91%	91%	91%
	Rarely	6%	5%	5%	5%	5%
	Sometimes	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%
	Often	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%
About your race or ethnic background.	Never	88%	90%	90%	89%	89%
	Rarely	6%	5%	6%	6%	6%
	Sometimes	4%	3%	3%	3%	3%
	Often	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
About how you look.	Never	70%	74%	76%	78%	74%
	Rarely	18%	16%	16%	14%	16%
	Sometimes	9%	6%	6%	5%	7%
	Often	4%	4%	3%	3%	3%

Have you ever posted naked or explicit photos?

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
Have you ever sent or posted naked or sexually explicit pictures of yourself?	Yes	8%	10%	11%	13%	10%
	No	92%	90%	89%	87%	90%

Ever done the following while driving?

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
Texted on cell phone or other device?	Yes	<i>8%</i>	<i>22%</i>	<i>52%</i>	<i>63%</i>	<i>36%</i>
Accessed the internet on cell phone or other device?	Yes	<i>8%</i>	<i>12%</i>	<i>23%</i>	<i>32%</i>	<i>18%</i>
Called someone on a cell phone?	Yes	<i>14%</i>	<i>34%</i>	<i>67%</i>	<i>78%</i>	<i>48%</i>

Section 13: Neighborhood Topics, Adults in Your Life

What best describes your community?

Dane County 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	29%	27%	27%	28%	28%
	Agree	45%	47%	44%	45%	45%
	Disagree	17%	19%	21%	18%	19%
	Strongly Disagree	9%	7%	8%	9%	8%
If I had to move, I would miss my neighborhood	Strongly Agree	31%	30%	25%	25%	28%
	Agree	37%	38%	37%	35%	37%
	Disagree	22%	23%	27%	29%	25%
	Strongly Disagree	9%	9%	11%	12%	10%
I feel safe in my neighborhood	Strongly Agree	39%	39%	37%	43%	39%
	Agree	51%	52%	53%	49%	51%
	Disagree	7%	6%	7%	6%	6%
	Strongly Disagree	4%	2%	3%	3%	3%
My neighbors are friendly to me	Strongly Agree	39%	36%	34%	37%	37%
	Agree	51%	54%	56%	52%	53%
	Disagree	6%	7%	7%	7%	7%
	Strongly Disagree	4%	3%	3%	4%	3%
I can count on the police if I need them	Strongly Agree	37%	33%	30%	31%	33%
	Agree	47%	51%	50%	51%	50%
	Disagree	10%	9%	12%	11%	10%
	Strongly Disagree	6%	6%	8%	7%	7%

Number of adults you can rely on

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
Not counting your parents, how many adults can you rely on if you have a problem and need help?	No other adults available	8%	8%	7%	5%	7%
	At least one other adult	19%	22%	20%	19%	20%
	At least two	20%	21%	22%	22%	21%
	At least three	14%	14%	14%	14%	14%
	Four or more adults	38%	36%	38%	39%	38%

Section 14: Spirituality

How spiritual would you say you are?

		What grade are you in?				All Students
		9th	10th	11th	12th	% of Group
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	
Dane County Grades 9-12						
How spiritual or religious would you say you are?	Very	17%	16%	14%	15%	15%
	Somewhat	33%	31%	29%	30%	31%
	A little bit	24%	24%	25%	23%	24%
	Not at all	26%	30%	33%	32%	30%