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1 INTRODUCTION

This is a report of key findings from the *Oregon Student Wellness Survey*, a survey of 6th, 8th and 11th grade youth, conducted in the spring of 2012. The *Oregon Student Wellness Survey* is an anonymous and voluntary survey sponsored by the Oregon Health Authority (OHA) in collaboration with the Oregon Department of Education. OHA contracted with International Survey Associates to recruit schools, administer the survey and report survey results. The survey was available free of charge to all Oregon schools that chose to participate including public, charter and private. Schools that agreed to participate in the *Oregon Student Wellness Survey* were given the option of administering the survey either online or by paper and pencil with the schools determining which method would be best for their particular circumstances.

The *Oregon Student Wellness Survey* was designed to assess a wide range of topics that included school climate, positive youth development, mental health, substance use, problem gambling, fighting and other problem behaviors. In addition the survey collected information about risk and protective factors that are influential in healthy youth development and student success.

Oregon Student Wellness Survey results are used by schools, state and local agencies, organizations and communities to assess and monitor the health and well being of Oregon youth and the environments in which they live. *Oregon Student Wellness Survey* data can serve as a valuable tool for program planning, implementation, and evaluation. The data are essential information for communications with legislators and the public, and communities and local agencies will find the data improves their ability to procure funding by providing the baseline data needed for grant writing. In these ways, schools, communities and policy makers will find themselves poised to make effective decisions about behavior and health policies, services, programs and educational activities.

The *Oregon Student Wellness Survey* was designed as a split survey. The 6th and 8th grade version of the survey consisted of a subset of the questions found on the 11th grade versions. In order to provide results that spanned all grade levels in a single report, the data for questions that did not appear on the 6th and 8th grade version appear in this report as missing.

This report is divided into topic specific sections. Each section provides a brief overview of the topic, followed by summary data tables that include results for all three grades and compares local data to that of the state. The state data for this report has been weighted based on enrollment numbers. The county data in this report has also been weighted.

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1.1 Participants by Gender

Table 1: Participants by Gender

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Female	778	9,385	1,107	10,656	852	7,457
Male	781	9,373	1,046	10,577	954	7,823
NA*	11	127	12	135	7	78
TOTAL	1,570	18,885	2,165	21,368	1,813	15,358

* NA - No Answer

1.2 Race and Ethnicity

Schools throughout Oregon vary considerably in the racial and ethnic composition of their students. The *Oregon Student Wellness Survey* asks one question about race and another about Hispanic or Latino ethnicity.

The table below shows the percentage of students that self-identified as...

Table 2: Race and Ethnicity

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
American Indian or Alaska Native	3.8	4.9	2.4	3.2	1.9	2.5
Asian	6.1	6.6	6.6	6.4	3.7	5.1
Black or African American	3.3	3.7	2.3	3.1	2.6	2.8
Native or Other Pacific Islander	2.2	4.0	2.9	3.5	2.3	2.6
White	74.7	69.5	75.0	72.2	82.1	78.2
Multiracial	9.9	11.3	10.8	11.6	7.3	8.7

Percentages exclude missing answers.

The table below shows the student responses to the question "Are you Hispanic or Latino/Latina?"

Table 3: Hispanic or Latino/Latina?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Yes	15.7	22.8	13.8	21.1	13.8	18.6
No	84.3	77.2	86.2	78.9	86.2	81.4

Percentages exclude missing answers.

1.3 Language Used at Home

Students were asked what language they used most often at home.

Table 4: Language Used at Home

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
English	88.4	84.0	89.1	85.9	91.0	87.9
Russian	1.9	1.0	2.4	1.2	1.1	0.9
Spanish	6.2	11.0	4.9	8.3	5.2	7.6
Vietnamese	0.9	1.2	0.7	1.4	0.2	0.5
A tribal language	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.4
Another language	2.4	2.6	2.8	2.8	2.1	2.6

Percentages exclude missing answers.

2 SCHOOL CLIMATE

School climate is an important issue to parents, administrators and the community. The environment within a school directly impacts students' academic, social, emotional and mental states. Respectful, supportive relationships among students, teachers and parents are fundamental. When students have opportunities to collaborate and share a sense of purpose and ideals, students, faculty and staff look forward to school. When students are attached to school and to teachers and prosocial peers, they are more likely to behave in prosocial ways themselves, and to avoid engaging in high-risk behaviors.

There is strong evidence that the learning environment influences student attachment to school. Classroom and school interventions that make the learning environment safer, more caring, better managed and highly participatory and that enhance students' social competence have been shown to increase student attachment to school. A comprehensive assessment of school climate involves input from students, faculty and staff on a wide range of topics. The data collected with the *Oregon Student Wellness Survey* deals exclusively with the student perception aspect of school climate. It provides an assessment of whether students feel they belong, are valued and physically and emotionally safe at school.

2.1 Supportive Atmosphere

In supportive atmospheres students feel more comfortable approaching and interacting with teachers and peers, thereby strengthening their relationships.

The table below reports the percentage of students that agree with the following statements.

Table 5: Supportive Atmosphere

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
My teachers notice when I am doing a good job and let me know about it.	80.5	80.6	66.0	68.1	69.4	67.3
I can talk to my teachers openly and freely about my concerns.	69.6	69.1	54.2	56.3	61.7	60.8
In my school, teachers treat students with respect.	85.8	87.1	76.2	77.0	82.7	79.3
Most students at my school help each other when they are hurt or upset.	74.5	76.5	62.8	65.0	61.1	62.8
In my school, students that work hard to get good grades are picked on by other students.	38.6	34.0	30.2	30.3	18.3	21.3

Percentages exclude missing answers.

Supportive Atmosphere Clackamas County

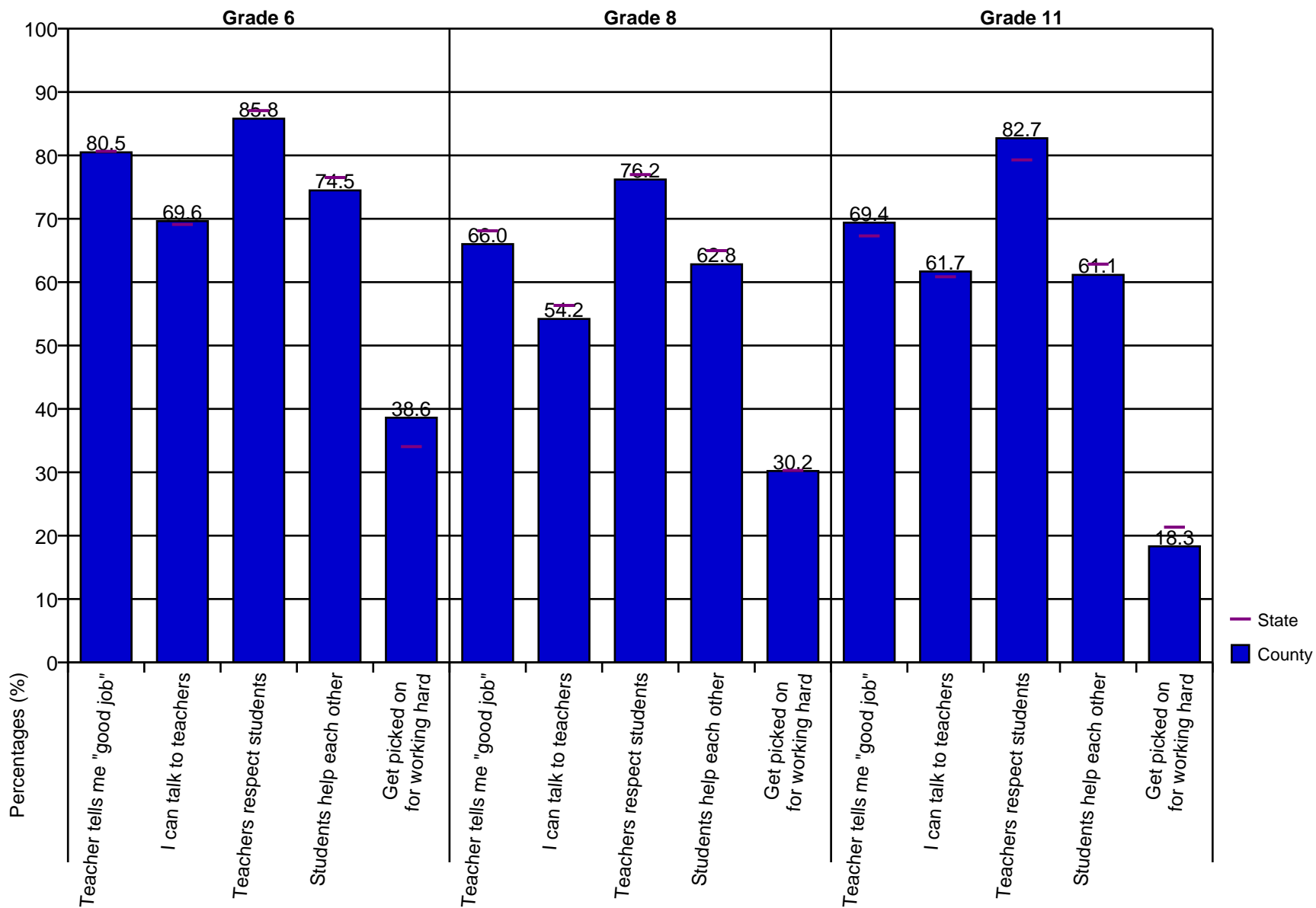


Figure 1: Supportive Atmosphere

2.2 Attachment to School

Students who like school, feel their assignments are important, and that what they are learning in school will be valuable to them later in life, are better prepared to make successful transitions after graduation. Young people who do not feel a part of society, are not bound by rules, don't believe in trying to be successful or responsible are at high risk of academic failure and developing mental, emotional or behavioral disorders.

Table 6: Attachment to School

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
I like school	63.6	62.9	51.7	48.9	45.8	45.7
I did not skip school in the last four weeks	75.6	75.9	74.6	76.7	69.8	69.9
I respect my teachers	93.7	93.6	87.2	86.8	92.4	90.2

Percentages exclude missing answers.

This table show the percentage of students that say...

Table 7: Value School Work

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
I feel that schoolwork is meaningful and important	69.4	66.6	44.1	46.4	26.6	28.5
I tried to do my best work in school over the past year	87.4	87.8	79.3	76.5	67.1	66.0
I think the things I am learning in school are going to be important later in life	82.0	83.1	63.8	66.0	48.2	50.1

Percentages exclude missing answers.

Table 8: Accountability to Parents

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
My parents ask if I've gotten my homework done.	91.0	91.7	84.6	83.6	74.5	73.0
My parents would catch me if I skipped school.	91.1	90.3	84.8	83.7	71.6	69.0
When I am not at home, one of my parents knows where I am and whom I am with.	92.1	91.2	86.9	86.6	80.0	79.6

Percentages exclude missing answers.

Attachment to School

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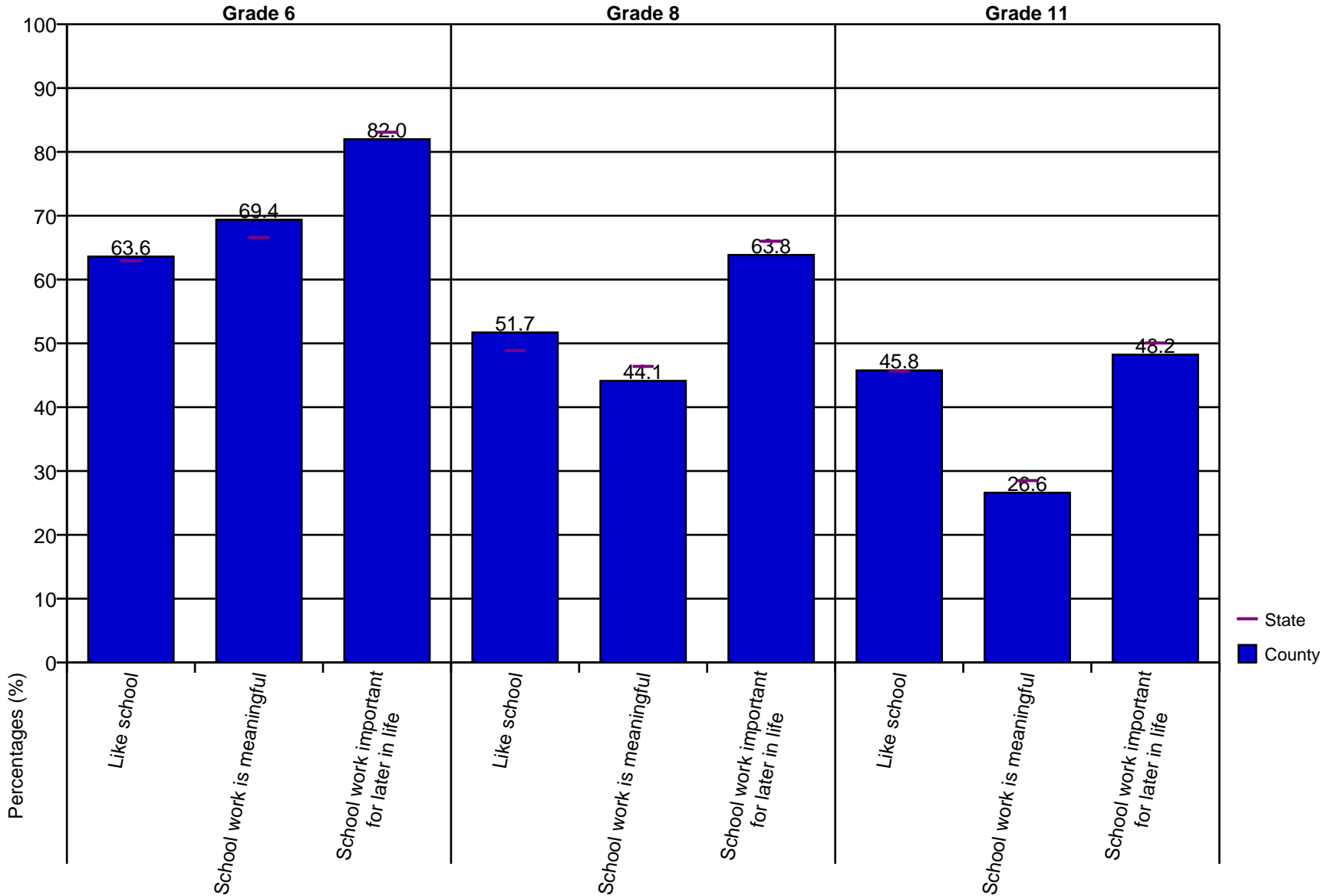


Figure 2: Attachment to School

2.3 Opportunities for Participation

When young people are given many opportunities to participate meaningfully in school activities that are important to them, they are less likely to engage in problem behaviors. When opportunities are available for positive participation outside of class, children are less likely to engage in substance use, and other problem behaviors.

The table below shows the percentage of students that agree with the following statements about their school.

Table 9: Opportunities for Participation

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
I have lots of chances to be part of class discussions or activities.	91.7	90.5	87.8	88.1	90.6	89.3
There are lots of chances for students in my school to get involved in sports, clubs, and other school activities outside of class.	84.9	88.1	80.9	84.5	94.3	90.3

Percentages exclude missing answers.

Opportunities for Participation

Clackamas County

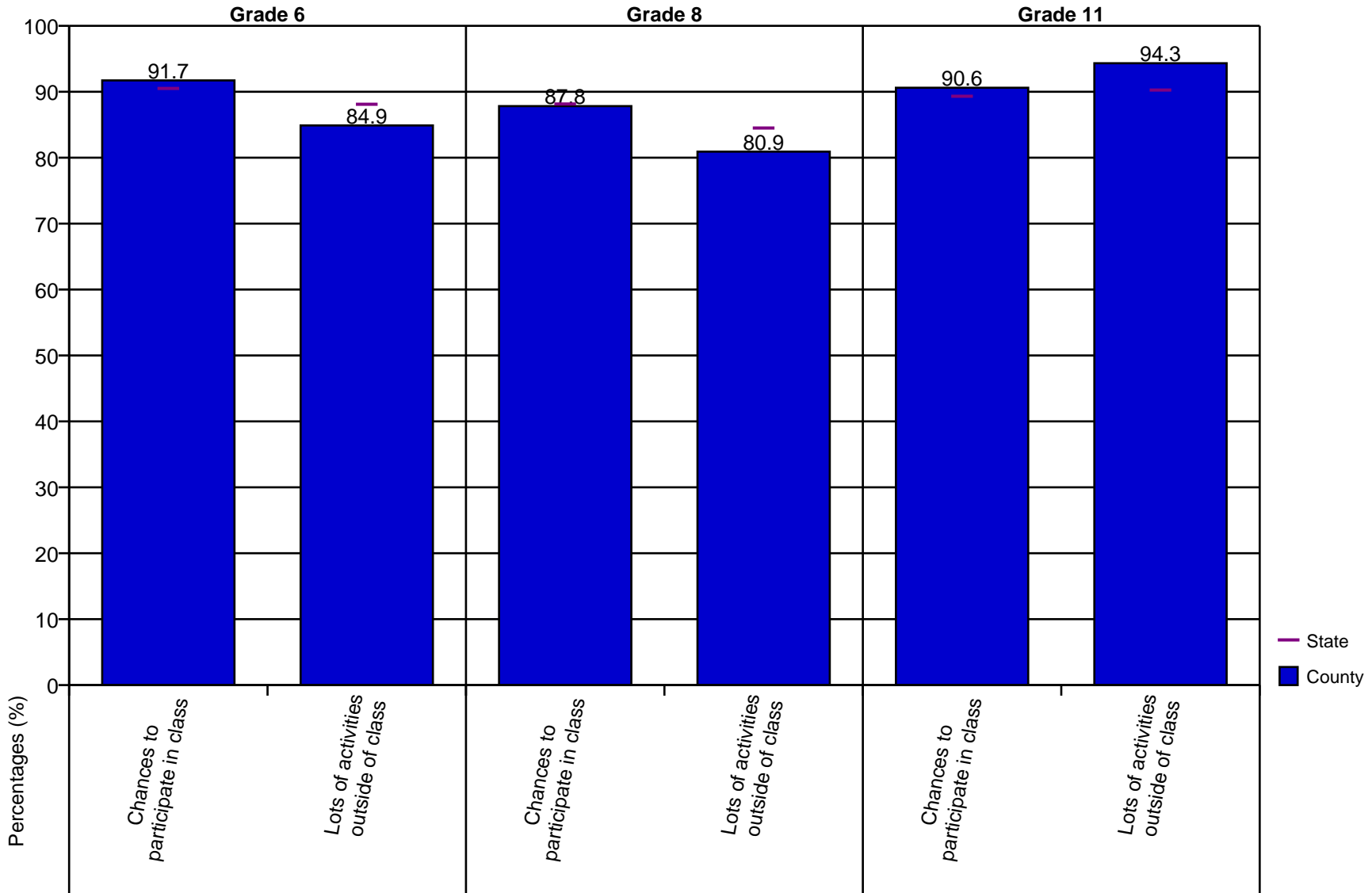


Figure 3: Opportunities for Participation

2.4 Safe Environment

Students who are harassed, feel unsafe or otherwise victimized are more likely to cut classes, skip school, feel depressed or become involved in problem behaviors. Comprehensive discipline, positive behavior support and anti-bullying programs in schools have been shown to reduce the incidence of harassment.

Table 10: Safe Environment

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Did not go to school one or more times in the past 30 days because you felt unsafe at school or on your way to or from school	8.3	8.3	5.6	7.0	3.4	4.1

Percentages exclude missing answers.

The following table shows the percentage of students that witnessed another student being harassed in school or on the school bus in the past year.

Table 11: Bullying

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Heard another student bully others by saying mean things, teasing or calling other students names in your school or on the school bus?	76.8	74.5	84.1	80.7	79.7	77.1
Seen another student bully others by hitting, kicking, punching or otherwise hurting them in school or on the school bus?	60.9	58.5	66.3	65.3	58.1	55.7
Heard another student spread mean rumors or leave other students out of activities to be mean in your school or on the school bus?	71.3	69.7	80.6	76.8	79.2	76.6

Percentages exclude missing answers.

This table shows the percentage of students that have been harassed during the past 30 days. Students were asked to indicate whether they were harassed at school or on the way to or from school for any of the following reasons.

Table 12: Harassment

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Your race or ethnic origin	11.0	11.4	13.8	13.2	10.2	10.8
Someone said your were gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgender	16.6	16.0	13.5	13.7	7.5	8.1
Your group of friends	21.6	21.4	23.5	22.7	16.6	16.1
Your weight, clothes, acne or other physical characteristics	30.2	28.6	29.8	30.2	21.3	21.2
Unwanted sexual comments or attention	8.6	8.2	12.2	12.1	11.8	11.4
E-mail, chat rooms, IM, Web sites, texting or phone	13.6	12.5	14.4	15.4	11.5	11.9
For other reasons.	20.7	23.1	24.7	23.9	15.5	16.2
Any harassment in the past 30 days	49.8	50.6	52.6	51.4	40.4	39.6

Percentages exclude missing answers.

Harassment - Grade 6 Clackamas County

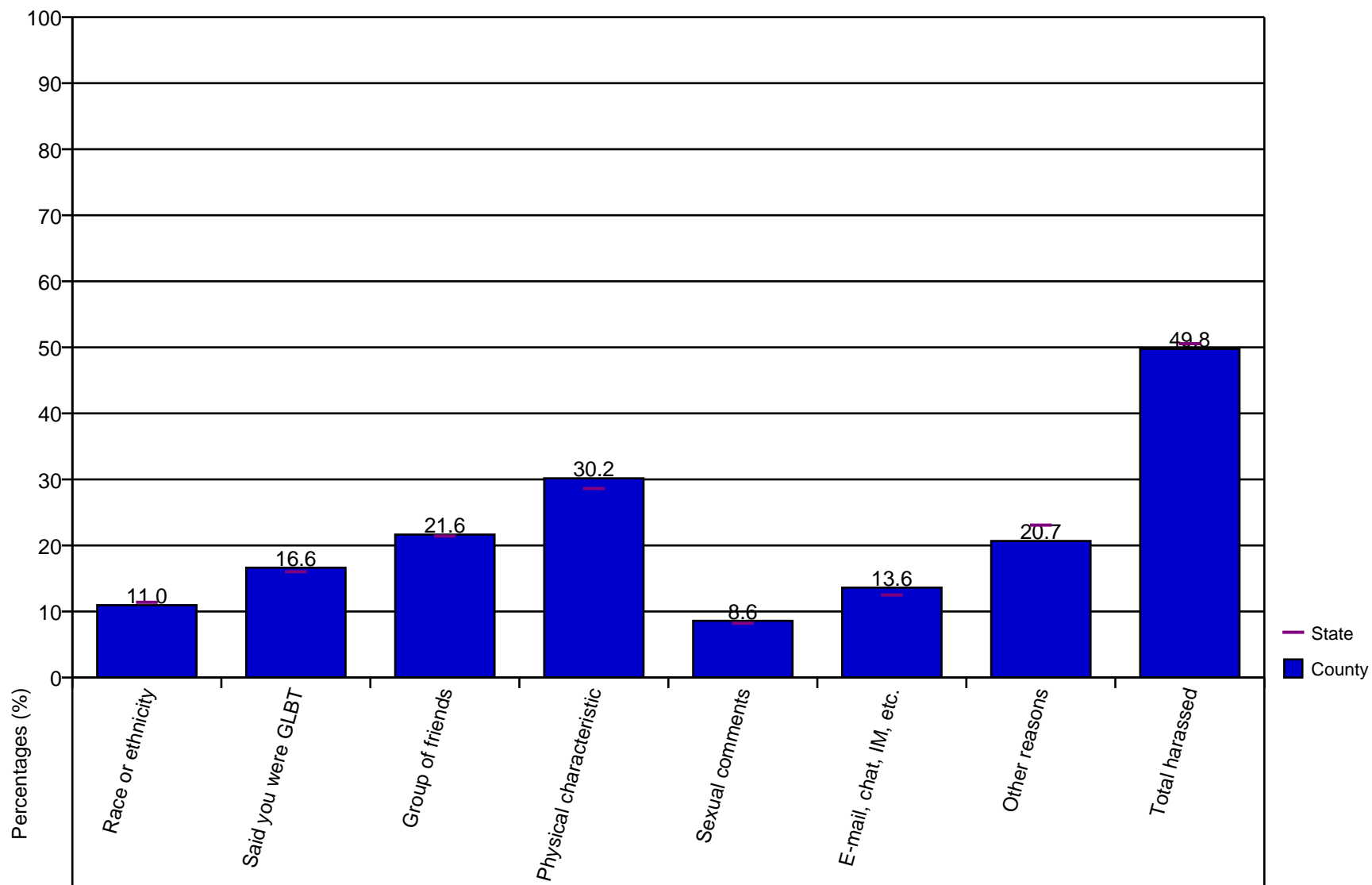


Figure 4: Harassment - Grade 6

Harassment - Grade 8 Clackamas County

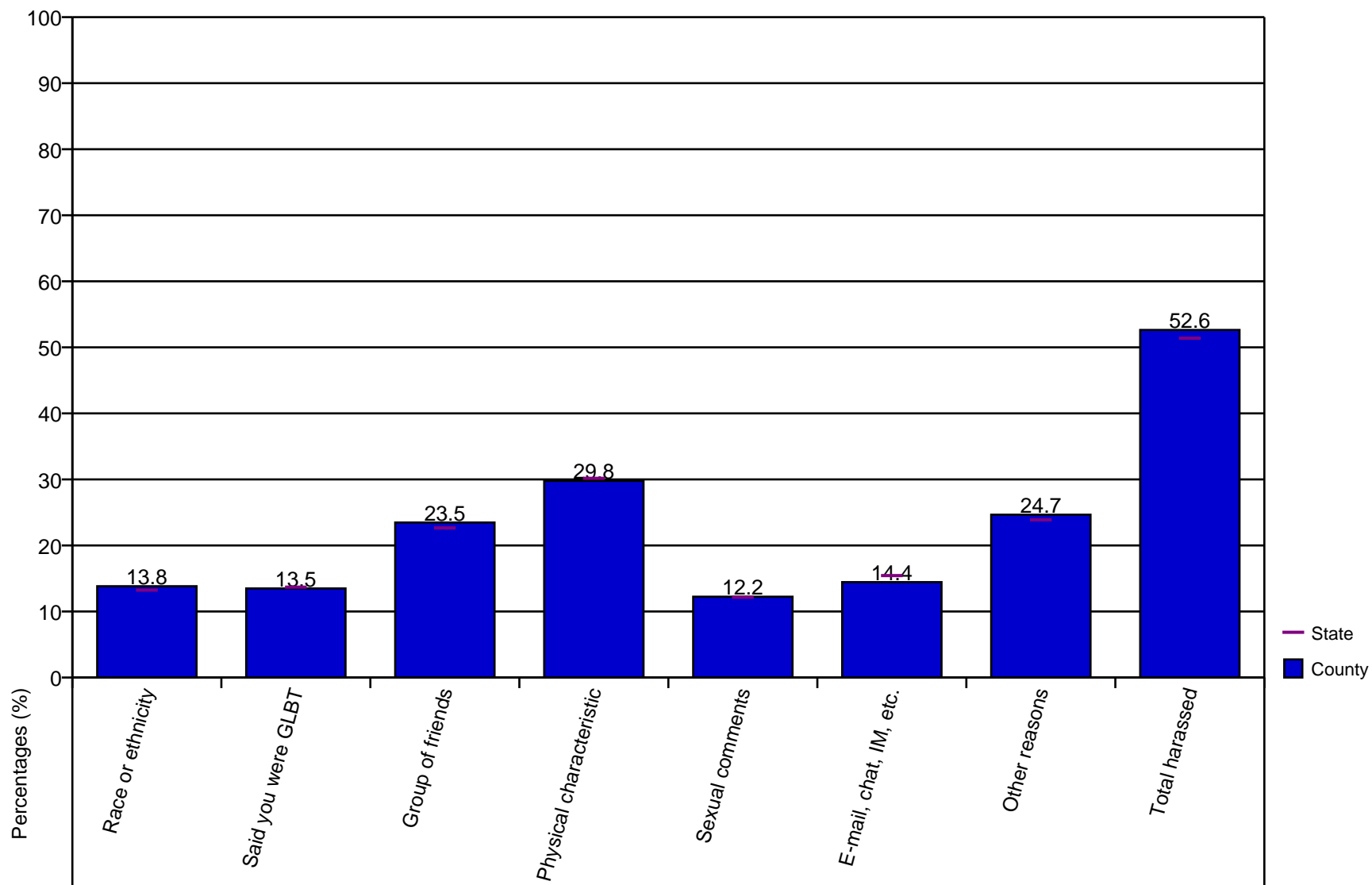


Figure 5: Harassment - Grade 8

Harassment - Grade 11 Clackamas County

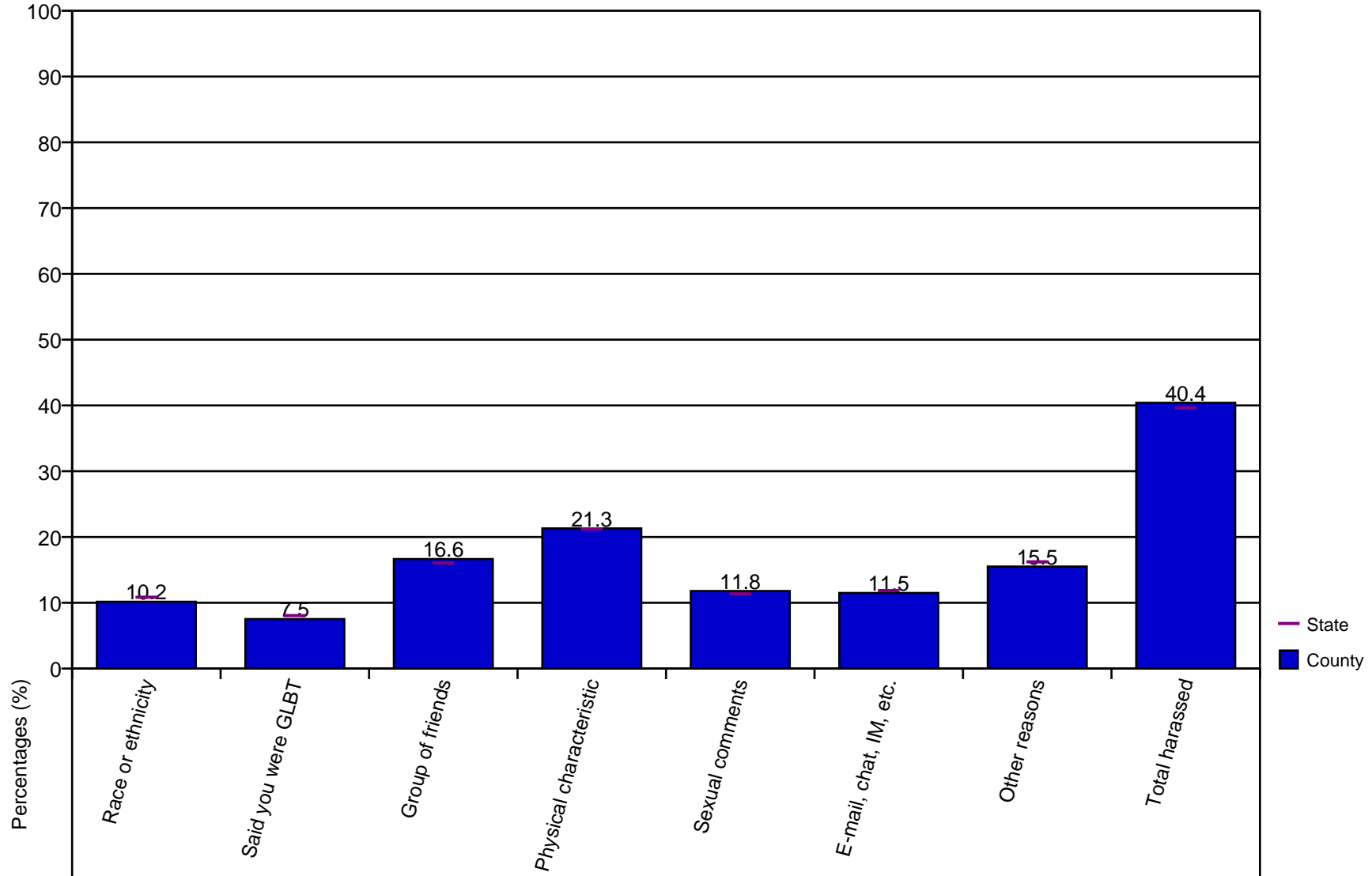


Figure 6: Harassment - Grade 11

2.5 Serious Problem Behaviors

Schools are one of the safest places for our children. This does not mean that they are free of serious problem behaviors.

This table shows the prevalence of other serious problem behaviors reported to have occurred in the past 12 months at school.

Table 13: Serious Problem Behaviors on School Property

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Someone has offered, sold or given you an illegal drug at school	4.1	3.3	11.6	11.9	22.9	22.4
Were in a physical fight on school property	15.0	15.1	12.2	15.1	6.9	6.6
Been threatened with a weapon on school property	10.2	9.6	9.2	10.0	7.3	6.7
Took a weapon other than a gun to school	2.9	3.1	4.5	5.1	7.0	7.3
Took a gun to school	0.7	0.7	1.4	1.4	1.0	1.5
Have a gun/weapon on school property	3.2	3.3	4.7	5.3	7.1	7.5

Percentages exclude missing answers.

This table shows problem behaviors that took place in the past 12 months, but they may take place anywhere, not necessarily on school property.

Table 14: Serious Problem Behaviors

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
In a physical fight	28.2	28.8	25.9	28.7	19.5	18.3
Bullied someone physically or verbally	22.5	22.2	29.4	29.1	20.2	19.9

Percentages exclude missing answers.

Serious Problem Behaviors Clackamas County

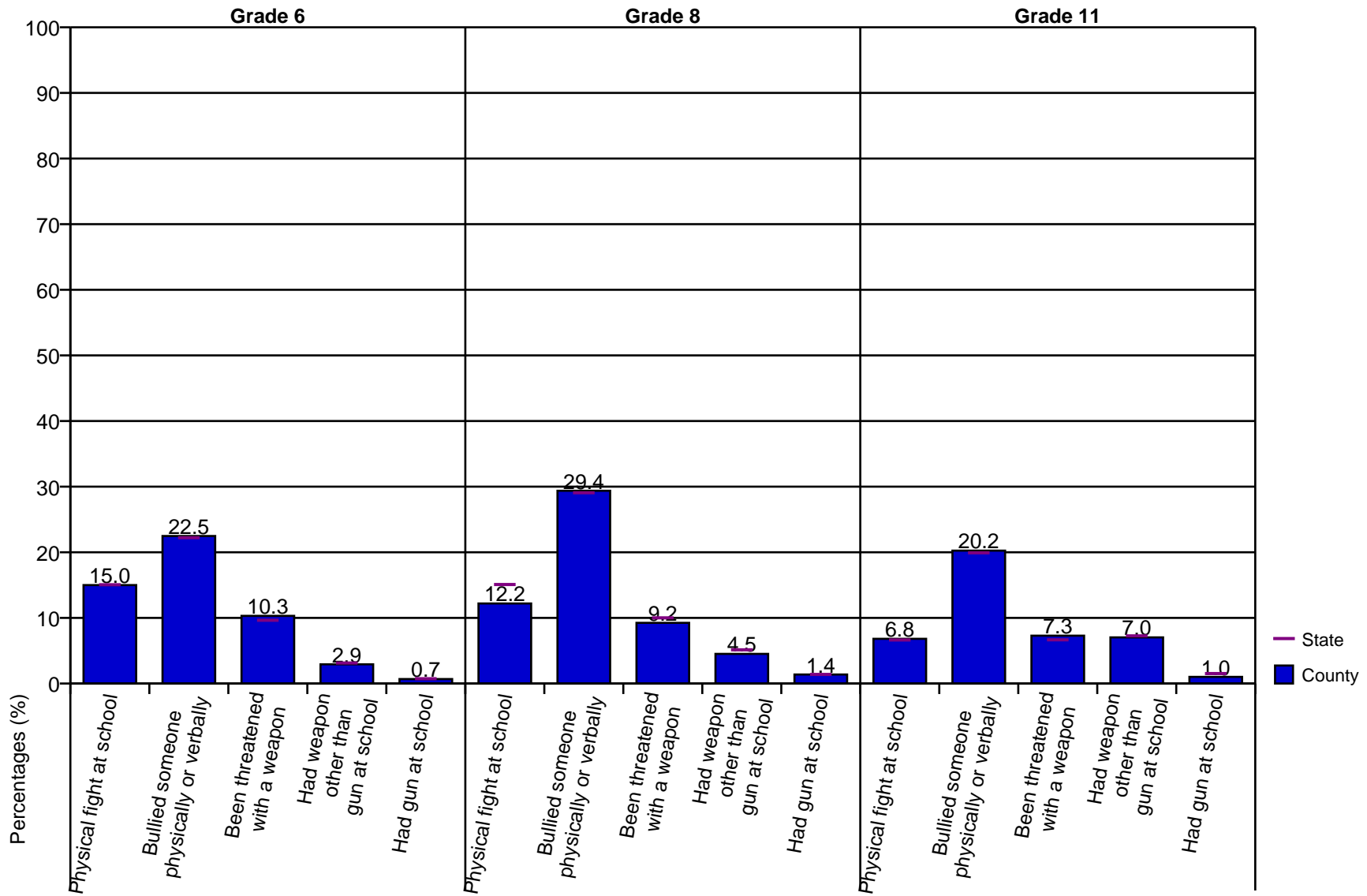


Figure 7: Serious Problem Behaviors

3 POSITIVE YOUTH DEVELOPMENT

In 2006, a statewide benchmark of positive youth development (PYD) was established for 8th and 11th graders. High levels of positive youth development are strongly associated with healthy behaviors and student success. The benchmark looks at six components: emotional and mental health, physical health, feelings of competence, self-confidence, support of a caring adult in school, and service to the community.

3.1 PYD Benchmark

Students that answer at least five of the six PYD questions in a positive manner are considered to have strong positive youth development.

Table 15: PYD Benchmark

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Strong positive youth development	70.3	69.1	60.5	59.9	68.5	65.6
Weak positive youth development	29.7	30.9	39.5	40.1	31.5	34.4

3.2 General Health

Two questions are asked as an assessment of student health.

Table 16: General Health

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Good to excellent physical health	94.4	94.1	92.2	91.6	88.3	88.4
Good to excellent emotional and mental health	92.8	93.1	90.7	87.8	86.7	86.2

3.3 Competence, Confidence, Support and Service

The following table reports the percentage of students that indicated the statement is "pretty much true" or "very much true."

Table 17: Competence, Confidence, Support and Service

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
I can work out my problems.	85.8	84.9	85.4	83.4	89.2	89.1
I can do most things if I try.	77.2	77.1	82.8	82.7	89.3	89.6
There is at least one teacher or other adult in my school that really cares about me.	77.2	75.0	64.5	64.4	73.3	69.4
I volunteer to help others in my community.	63.7	61.9	49.7	50.0	56.1	55.6

Positive Youth Development - Grade 6 Clackamas County

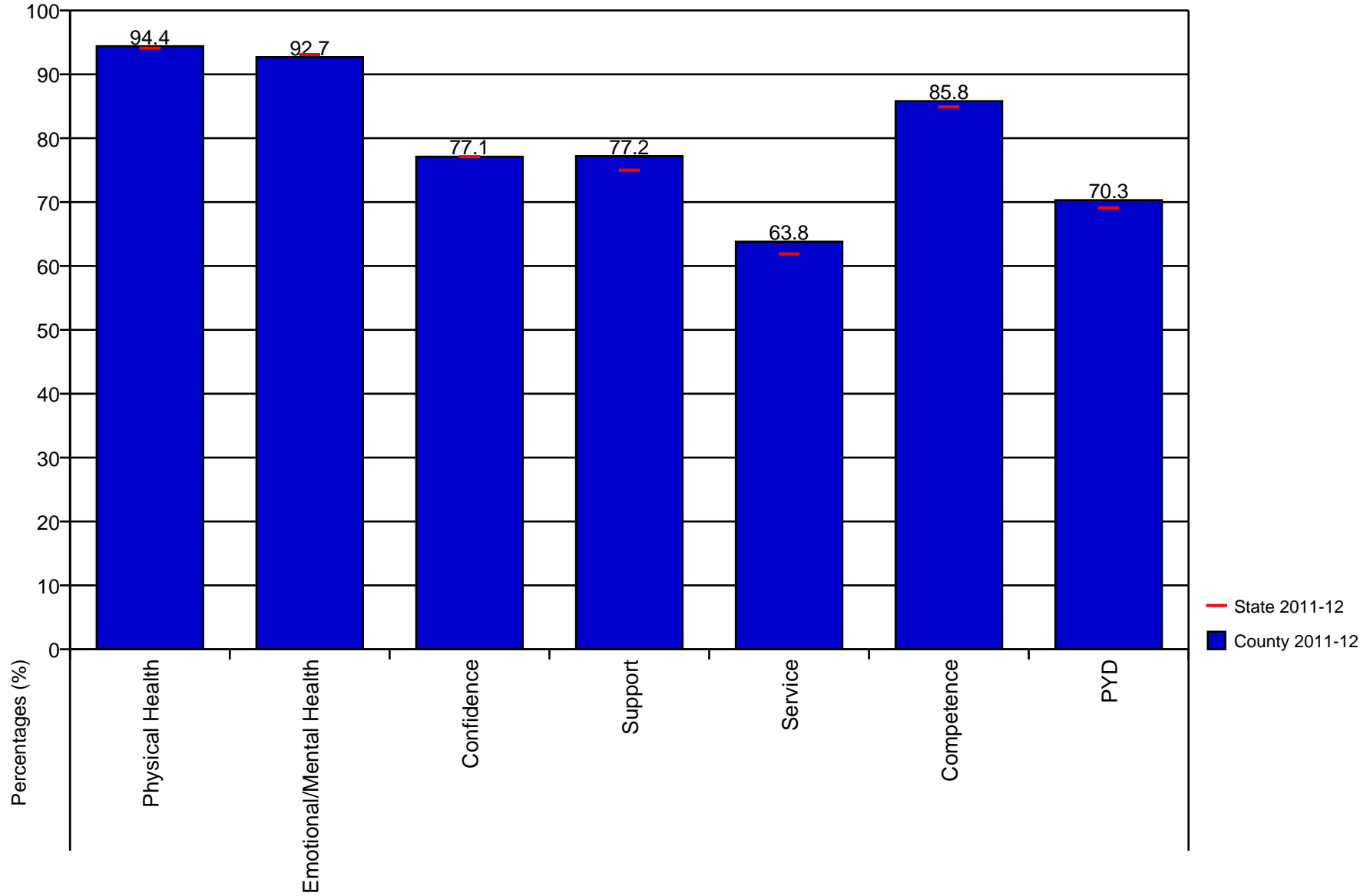


Figure 8: Positive Youth Development - Grade 6

Positive Youth Development - Grade 8 Clackamas County

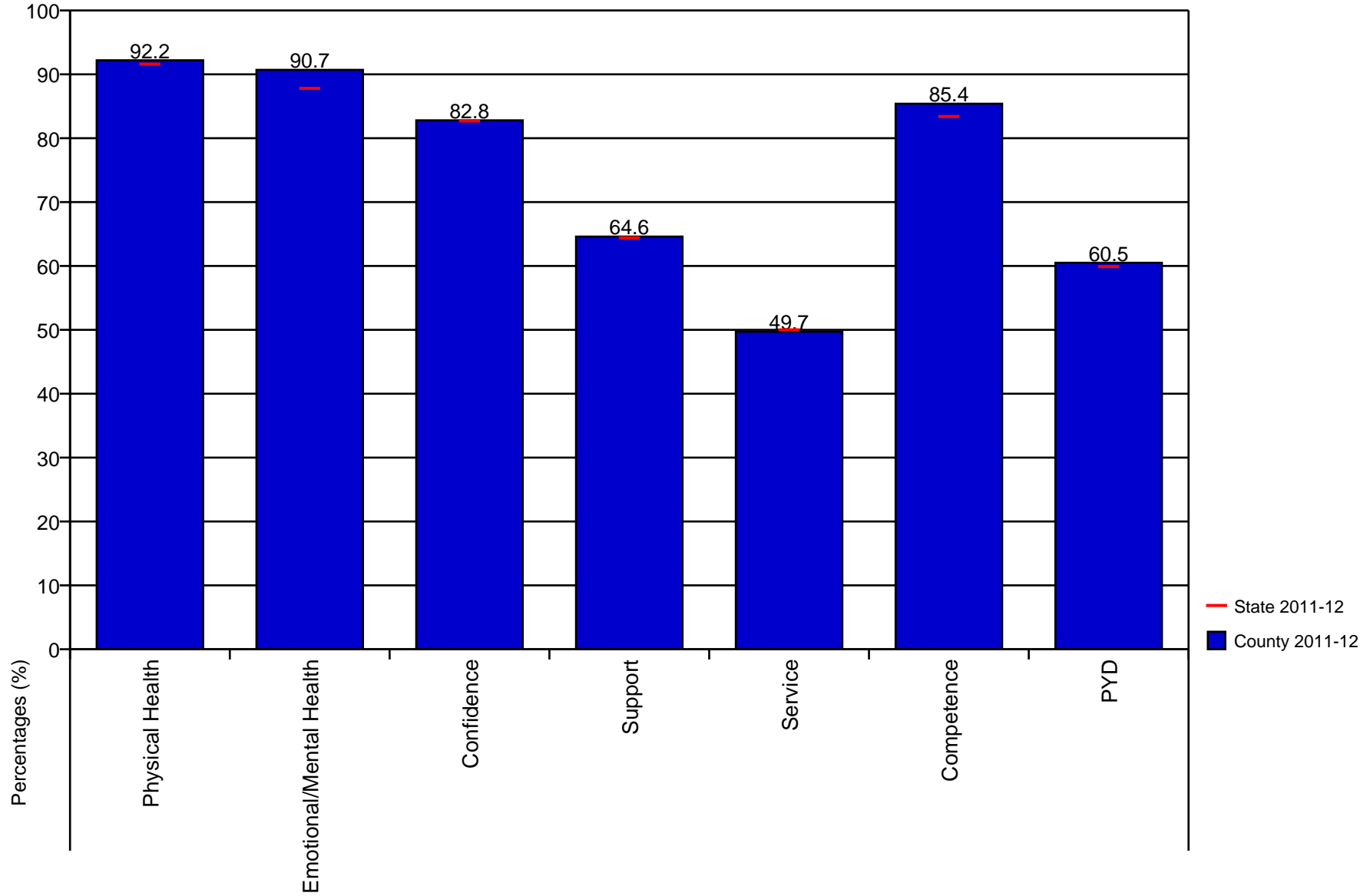


Figure 9: Positive Youth Development - Grade 8

Positive Youth Development - Grade 11
Clackamas County

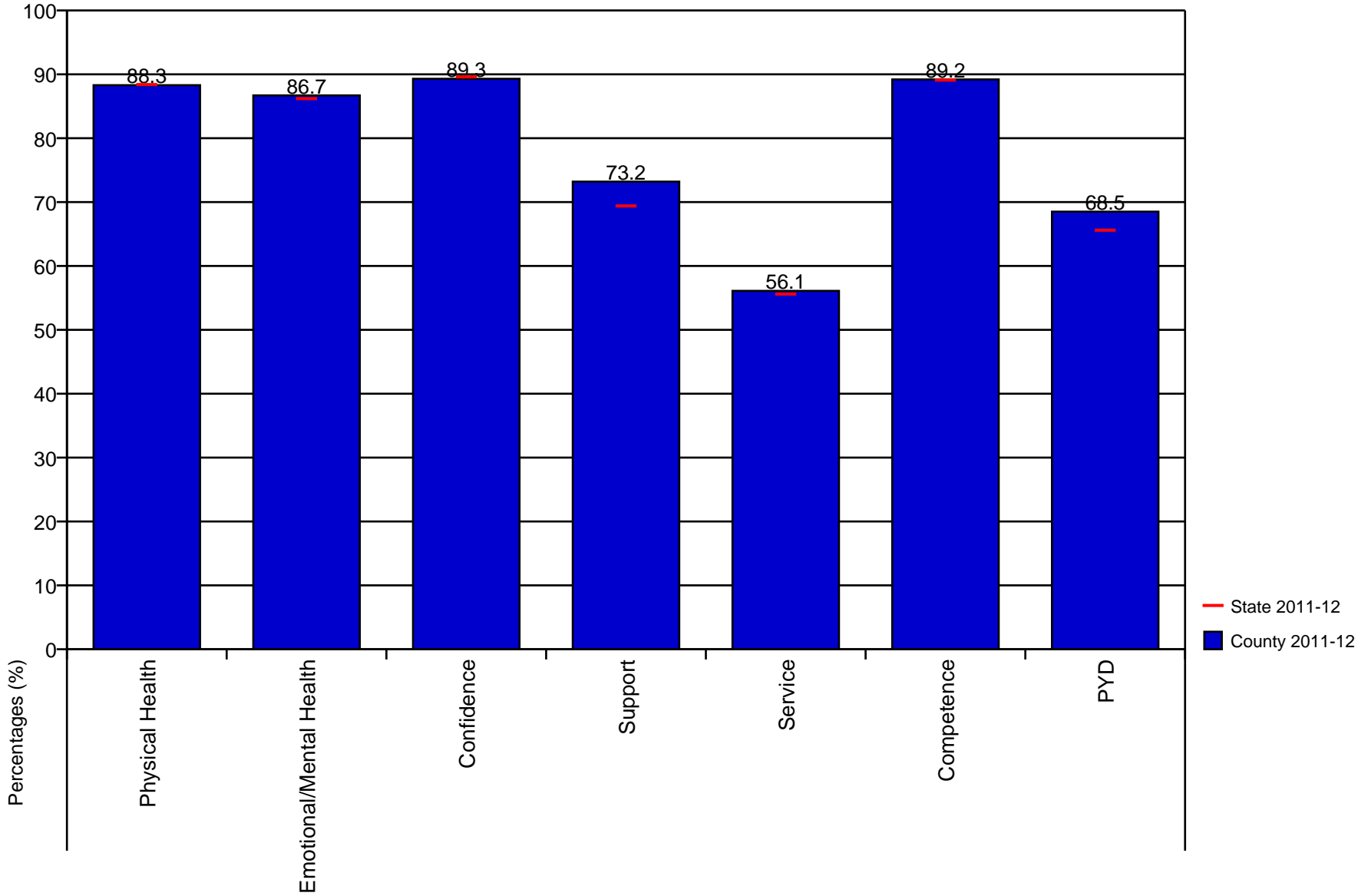


Figure 10: Positive Youth Development - Grade 11

4 MENTAL AND EMOTIONAL HEALTH

Good mental and emotional health makes it easier for youth to establish constructive interpersonal relationships, succeed in school and make a successful transition into the workforce. Depression and psychological distress can interfere with the development of positive teacher and peer relationships. Youth with depression or high levels of psychological distress may find it difficult to focus on academics. They are more likely to smoke, drink alcohol or use other drugs and they are at increased risk of suicide.

The *Oregon Student Wellness Survey* asks questions about emotional and mental health, depression, suicide thoughts and suicide attempts. The survey also asks a series of five questions known as the Mental Health Inventory (MHI-5). When responses for all five are considered together, the result is an estimate of the level of psychological distress that youth are experiencing. MHI-5 scores range from five to 30. Scores of 21 or higher are an indication that youth may be experiencing a mental health concern that requires further assessment.

4.1 Psychological Distress

This table shows the percentage of students with high levels of psychological distress during the past 30 days based on an MHI-5 score of 21 or higher.

Table 18: Psychological Distress

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Below MHI-5 cutoff	94.9	94.1	92.5	91.6	92.0	91.7
At or above MHI-5 cutoff	5.1	5.9	7.5	8.4	8.0	8.3

The following table contains data on each of the five Mental Health Inventory questions. This series of questions asks about how the student was feeling during the past 30 days. The table reports the percentage of students that indicated "a good bit of the time," "most of the time", or "all of the time."

Table 19: MHI-5 Questions

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Been a happy person?	84.1	84.0	81.4	78.3	78.5	77.3
Felt calm and peaceful?	71.9	69.7	64.2	62.4	60.5	60.3
Been a very nervous person?	23.9	24.7	22.9	23.5	25.7	26.5
Felt downhearted and blue?	18.9	18.6	19.1	21.3	20.6	21.8
Felt so down in the dumps that nothing could cheer you up?	13.4	14.0	12.0	14.7	12.5	13.1

4.2 Depression and Suicide Ideation

Suicide is the second leading cause of death among Oregon youth aged 10-24. Depression is the most common underlying cause of suicide. The following table reports the percentage of students that had signs of depression, thoughts about suicide, or actually attempted suicide during the last 12 months.

Table 20: Depression and Suicide Ideation

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Did you ever feel so sad or hopeless almost every day for two weeks or more in a row that you stopped doing some usual activities?	18.8	19.3	20.8	22.7	24.5	27.9
Did you ever seriously consider attempting suicide?	9.7	9.0	14.6	15.8	13.9	15.1
Actually attempted suicide?	5.0	5.2	8.2	8.0	4.5	6.0

Psychological Distress, Depression and Suicide Clackamas County

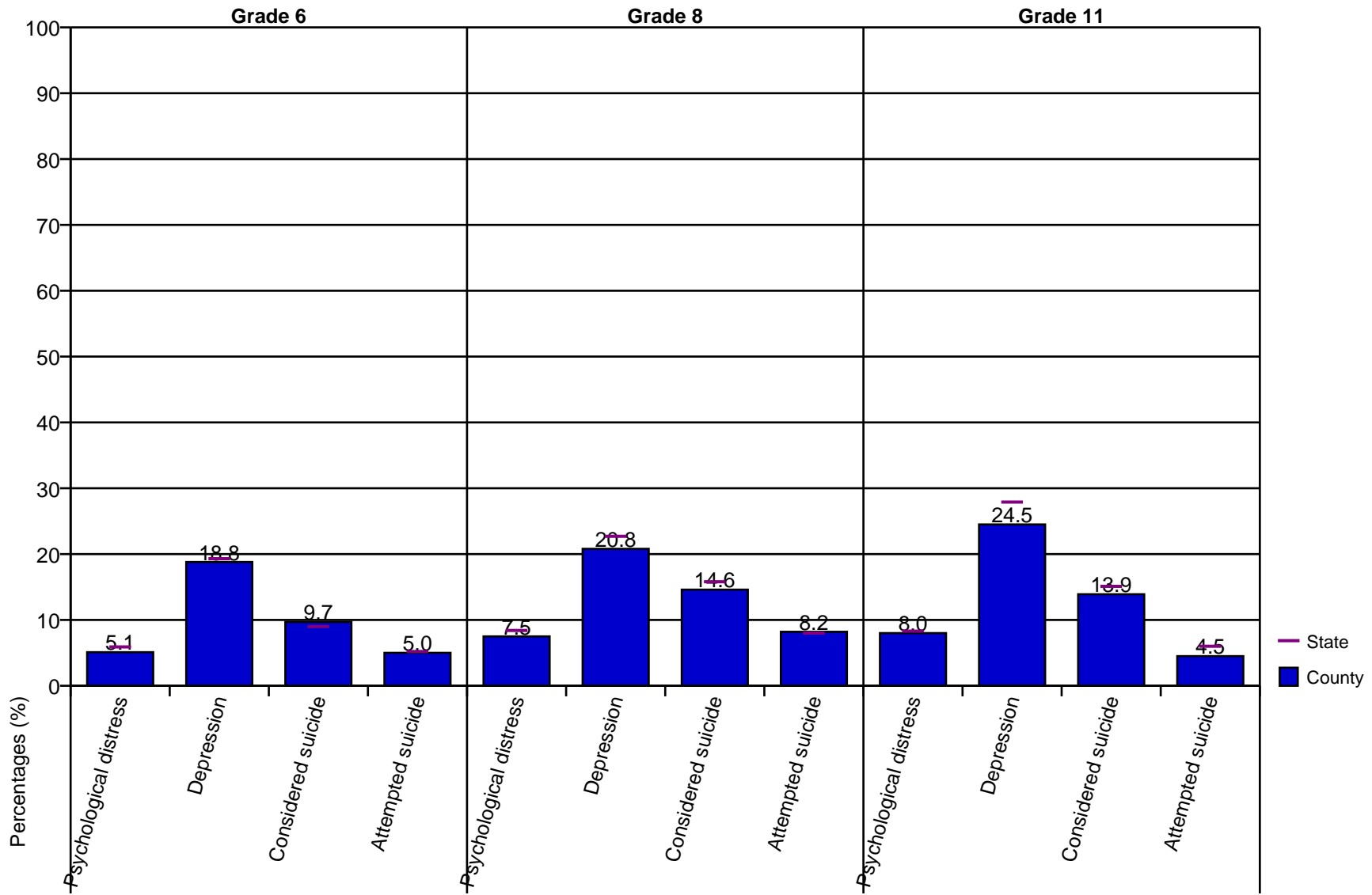


Figure 11: Psychological Distress, Depression and Suicide

5 PROBLEM GAMBLING

Students today are increasingly being exposed to gambling opportunities - on the Internet, in the community, at home and even at church - so it's no surprise that problems associated with gambling are being seen in youth. It's generally not perceived nor treated as risky, yet research shows that youth who gamble are much more likely to engage in other risky behaviors such as drinking, smoking and using drugs and some of them will go on to develop serious gambling problems.

The adolescent brain is developmentally inclined towards risk, minimal consideration of consequences, preference for stimulation and novelty, all of which gambling offers in abundance.

The *Oregon Student Wellness Survey* asks a series of questions that address and measure various gambling activities. Students were asked questions regarding the types of gambling they participated in, their feelings about being involved in gambling and the degree to which parents and teachers have communicated to the students the risks involved in engaging in this particular activity.

Gambling can be addictive, yet most youth and parents treat it as harmless entertainment. The following tables and charts contain data on gambling questions. These percentages are provided by grade level and statewide data are included for comparison purposes. For more information on youth gambling in Oregon, including more data and educational resources, go to www.problemgamblingprevention.org

5.1 Types of Gambling in the Past 30 Days

Gambling involves betting anything of value (money, a watch, soda, etc.) on a game or event. The following table shows the percentage of students that participated in these types of gambling in the last 30 days.

Table 21: Types of Gambling in the Past 30 Days

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
I did not gamble during the last 30 days.	70.4	66.8	64.6	63.1	65.2	65.7
Playing lottery ticket/Powerball/Megabucks	4.6	4.1	5.4	5.9	6.0	5.9
Playing dice or coin flips.	11.1	10.7	10.1	11.0	6.9	6.5
Playing cards (poker, etc.).	7.6	9.1	12.1	12.8	12.1	11.5
Betting on a sports team.	10.7	12.3	16.2	16.6	15.3	14.2
Betting on games of personal skill (bowling, video games, dares, etc.).	12.3	14.1	16.1	18.2	17.5	15.1
Gambling on the Internet for free or with money.	2.1	2.3	3.6	4.0	4.2	3.9
Playing Bingo for money.	3.2	3.9	2.8	3.8	1.3	2.1
Other.	9.9	10.9	12.9	14.0	9.1	10.0

Percentages exclude missing answers.

5.2 Risk of Problem Gambling

Most youth don't have large sums of money to spend on gambling, so this measure must be looked at within that context. The fact that youth are spending any money on a potentially addictive behavior is of concern, and some youth spend significant amounts on it. Even those who spend a small amount of money are still "spending" time and attention on gambling at the expense of other activities and responsibilities. By the time they get into college, where problem gambling rates are among the highest and the average college student gets 25 credit card solicitations a year, some youth have developed seemingly innocent gambling habits that will cost them dearly.

The following table shows the percentage of 11th grade students that reported the following signs of problem gambling in the last 12 months. The last two questions (lied about/bet more) are based on a valid and reliable problem gambling screening instrument which has been used for many years; saying yes to either of these is highly correlated to a potential gambling problem and indicates a need for further assessment by a trained counselor.

Table 22: Signs of Problem Gambling

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Felt bad about the amount you bet, or about what happens when you bet money	2.8	3.4	2.9	2.9	2.5	2.4
Felt that you would like to stop betting money but didn't think you could	2.9	3.1	1.7	2.0	0.7	1.3
Lied to anyone about betting/gambling	4.0	4.5	5.4	5.4	4.0	3.9
Bet/gambling more than you wanted to	3.9	4.1	4.9	5.4	5.3	5.1

5.3 Communication about the Risks of Gambling

Table 23: Communication About the Risks of Gambling

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Parents have talked to you about the risks of betting/gambling	48.7	50.9	44.5	46.3	35.2	35.6
Teachers have talked to you about the risks of betting/gambling	21.2	21.2	22.3	22.3	15.1	18.7

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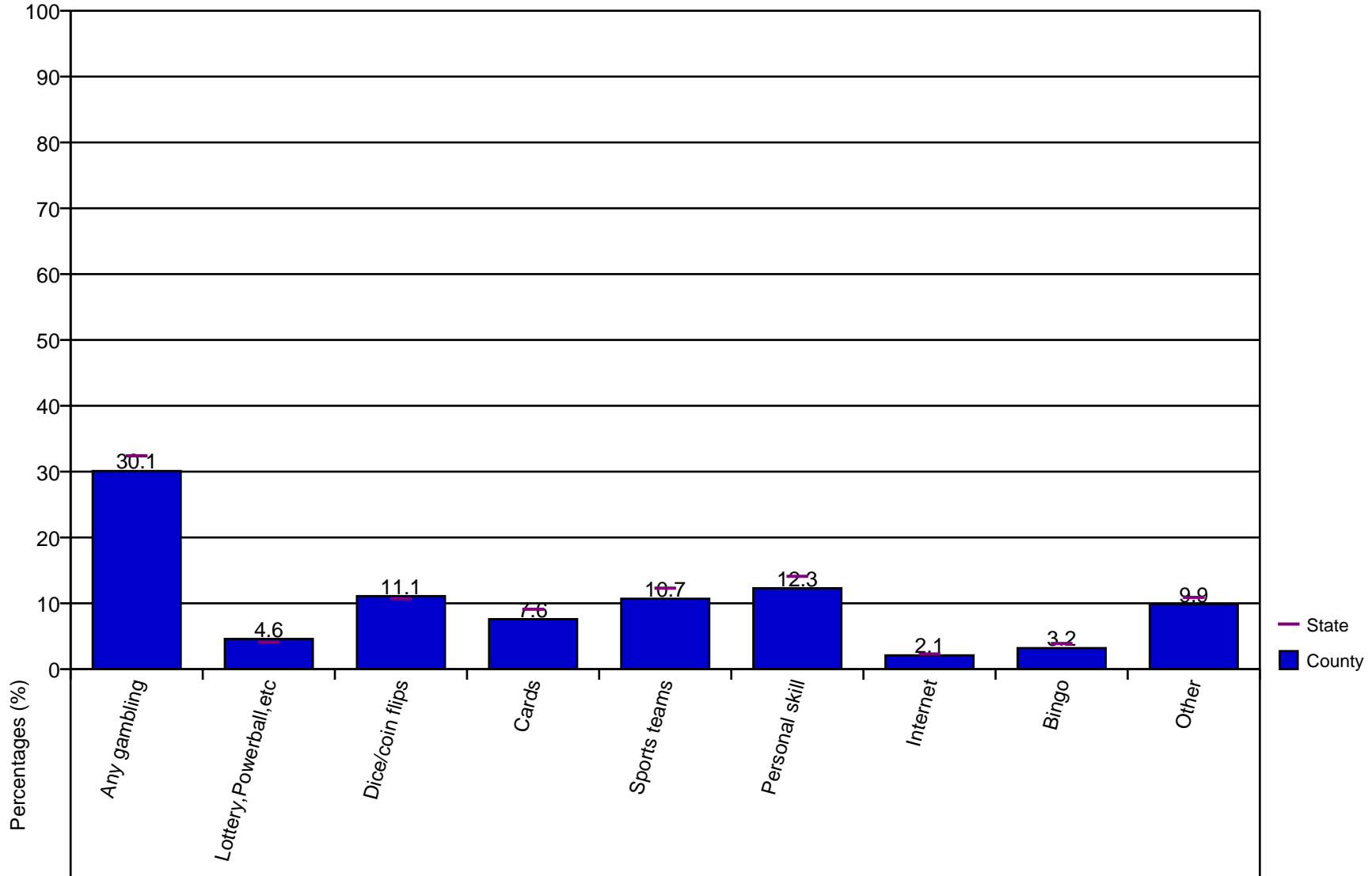


Figure 12: Gambling - Grade 6

Gambling - Grade 8 Clackamas County

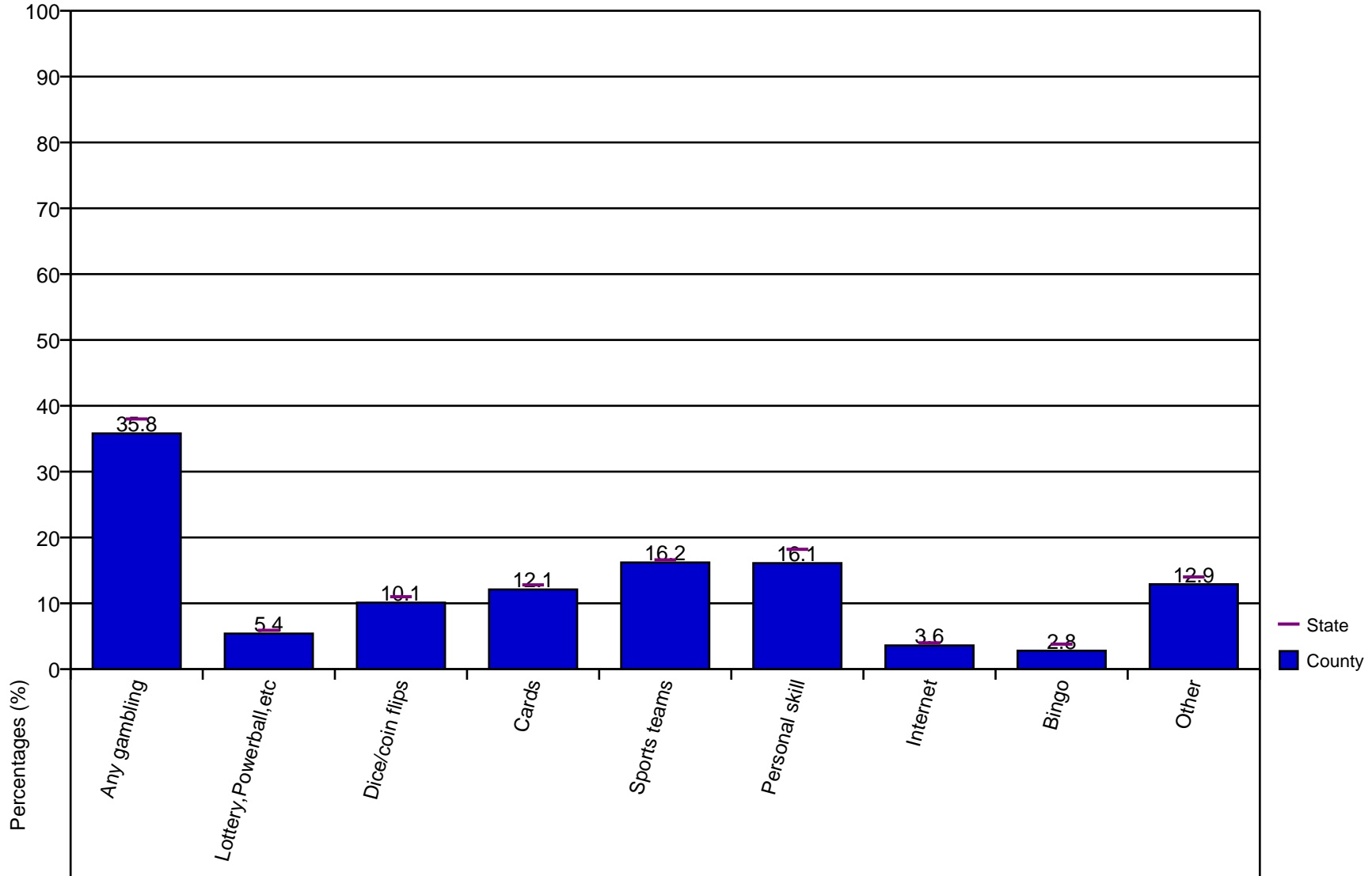


Figure 13: Gambling - Grade 8

Gambling - Grade 11

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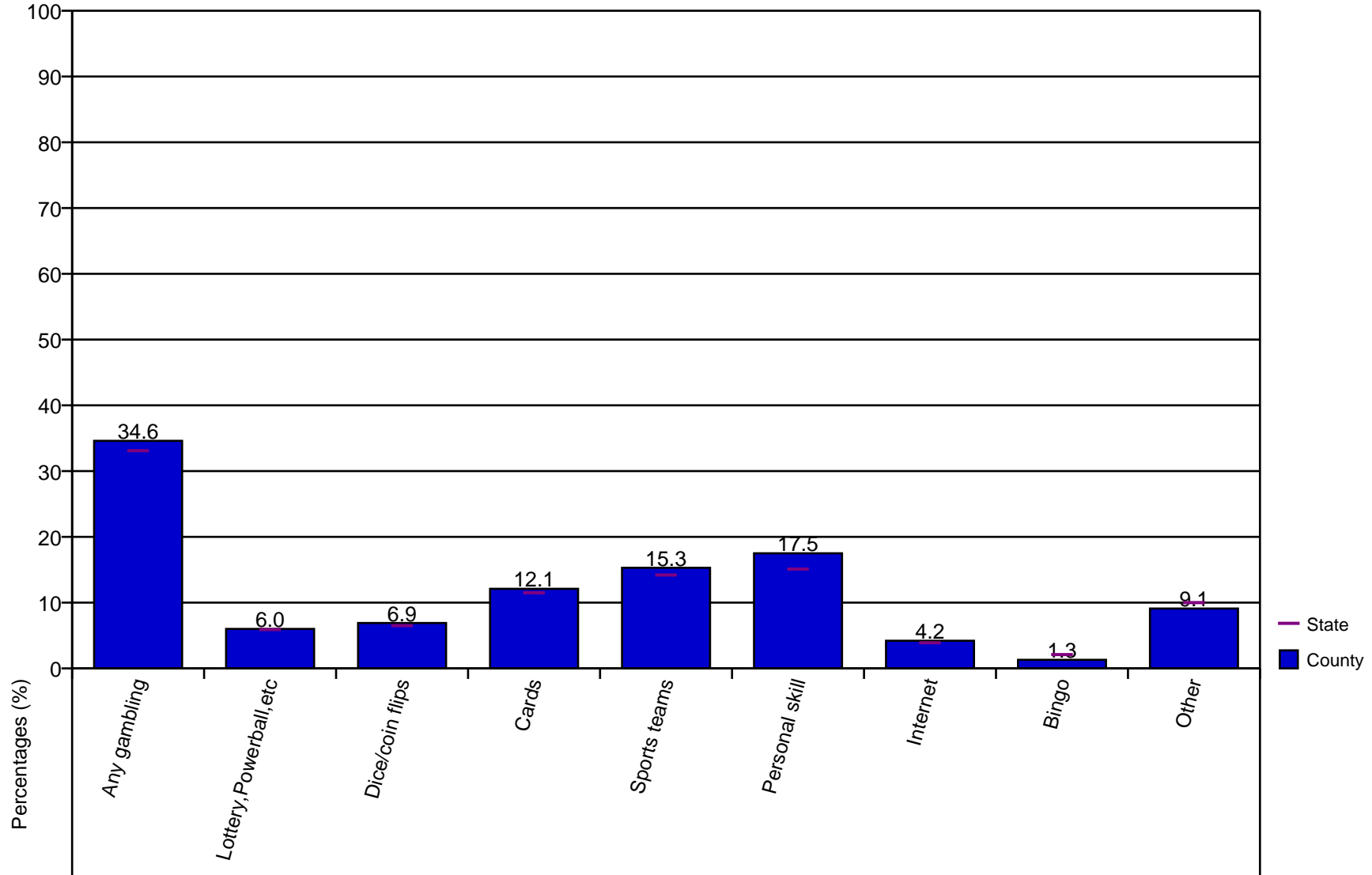


Figure 14: Gambling - Grade 11

Signs of Problem Gambling

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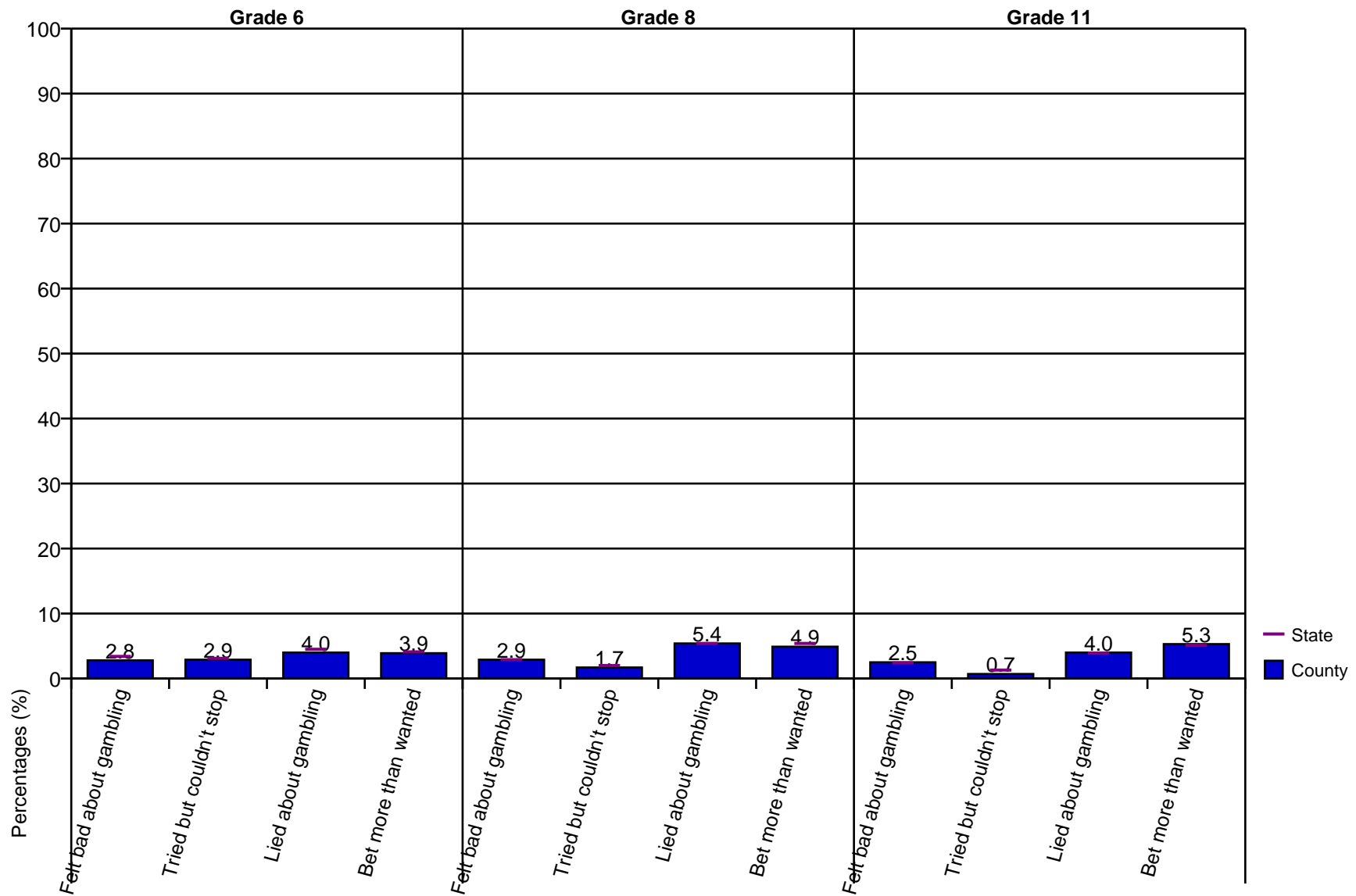


Figure 15: Signs of Problem Gambling

6 SUBSTANCE USE

During the elementary school years, most children express anti-drug, anti-crime and pro-social attitudes and have difficulty imagining why people use drugs. However, in middle school, as more youth are exposed to others who use cigarettes, alcohol or other drugs, their attitudes often shift toward greater acceptance of these behaviors. Typically, by 11th grade, most students have tried alcohol, and many have tried marijuana, cigarettes or other tobacco products.

6.1 Abstinence from Substance Use

The following table shows the percent of students that have never used these substances.

Table 24: Abstinence from Substance Use

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Never smoked a whole cigarette	96.5	96.8	89.2	88.4	76.4	76.2
Never used other tobacco products	97.8	97.7	93.5	91.9	77.3	77.9
Never had more than a sip or two of alcohol	77.6	75.6	60.1	56.0	29.1	29.9
Never tried marijuana	97.3	97.2	86.7	84.2	57.0	58.1

Percentages exclude missing answers.

6.2 Substance Use in the Past 30 Days

The table below provides the percentage of students that used one or more times in the past 30 days.

Table 25: Substance Use in the Past 30 Days

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Smoked cigarettes	1.5	1.5	5.5	5.6	12.0	11.9
Used other tobacco products	1.3	0.9	4.1	3.7	11.1	9.7
Used a hookah for tobacco	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.5	10.4
Had at least one drink of alcohol	5.8	6.7	17.4	19.6	37.1	35.9
Had 5 or more drinks of alcohol in a row, that is, within a couple of hours	1.5	1.7	6.9	8.1	21.9	21.4
Used marijuana	1.5	1.5	7.0	8.7	22.1	21.8
Sniffed glue, breathed the contents of aerosol spray cans, or any paints or sprays to get high	6.3	6.7	5.8	5.6	1.6	1.8
Used prescription drugs (without a doctor's orders)	1.8	1.7	5.2	4.5	7.3	8.4
Any illicit drug use including marijuana, cocaine, ecstasy, heroin, hallucinogens or methamphetamines)	1.7	1.8	7.5	9.0	22.6	22.2
Any illicit drug use including cocaine, ecstasy, heroin, hallucinogens or methamphetamines)	0.7	0.6	1.9	1.8	2.5	3.3

Percentages exclude missing answers.

Alcohol, Tobacco and Other Drug Use - Grade 6

Clackamas County

Past 30 Days

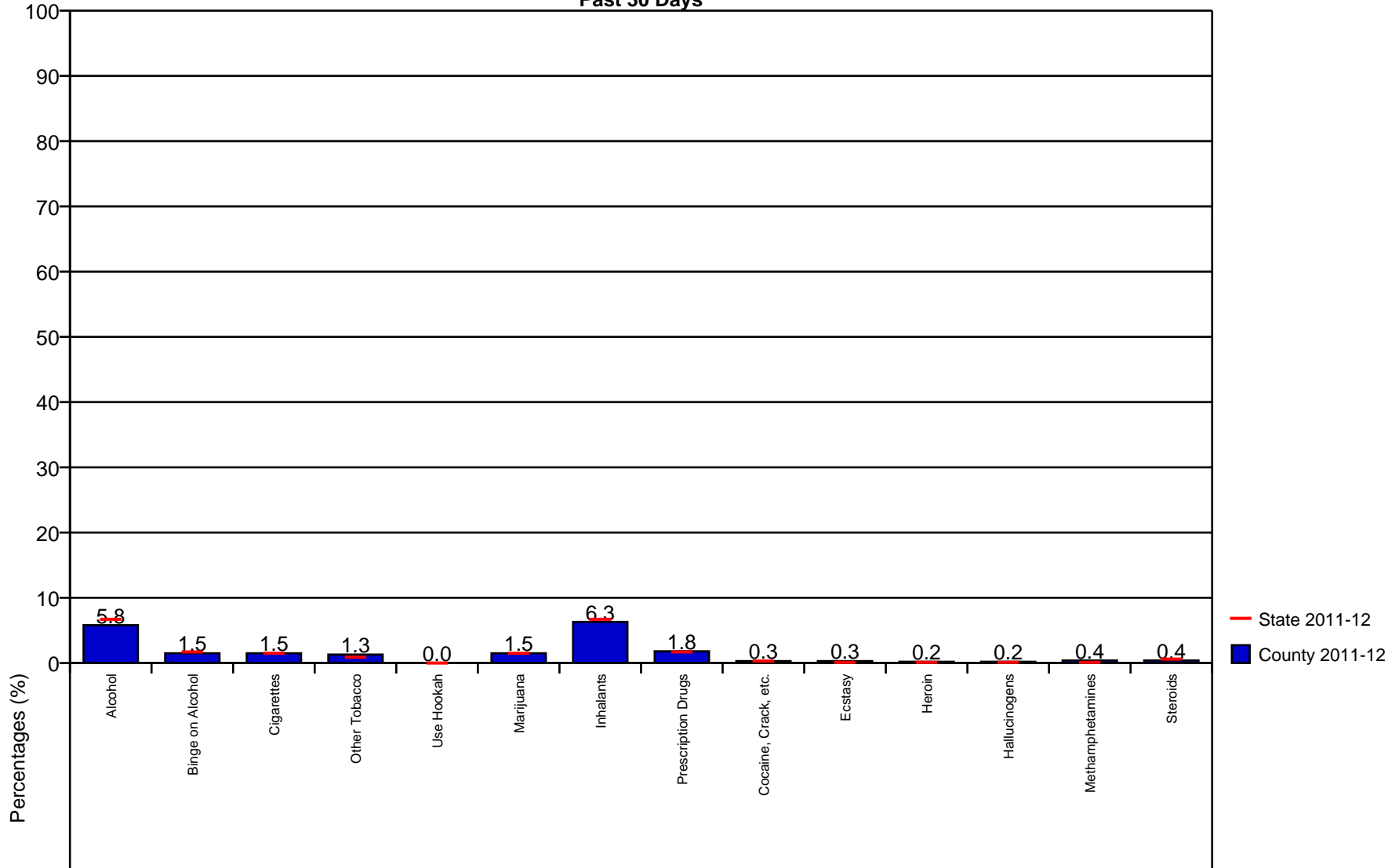


Figure 16: Alcohol, Tobacco and Other Drug Use - Grade 6

Alcohol, Tobacco and Other Drug Use - Grade 8

Clackamas County

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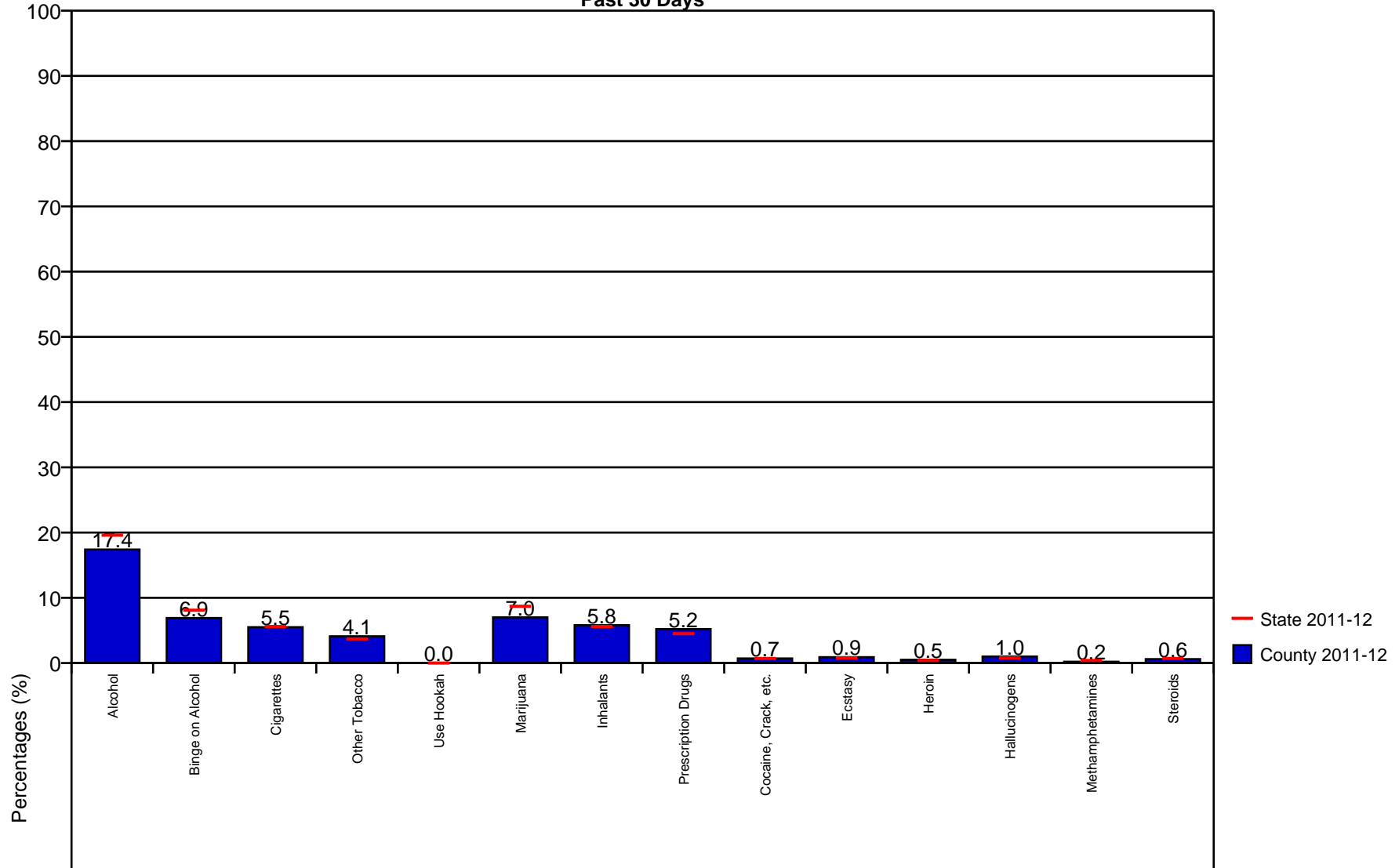


Figure 17: Alcohol, Tobacco and Other Drug Use - Grade 8

Alcohol, Tobacco and Other Drug Use - Grade 11 Clackamas County

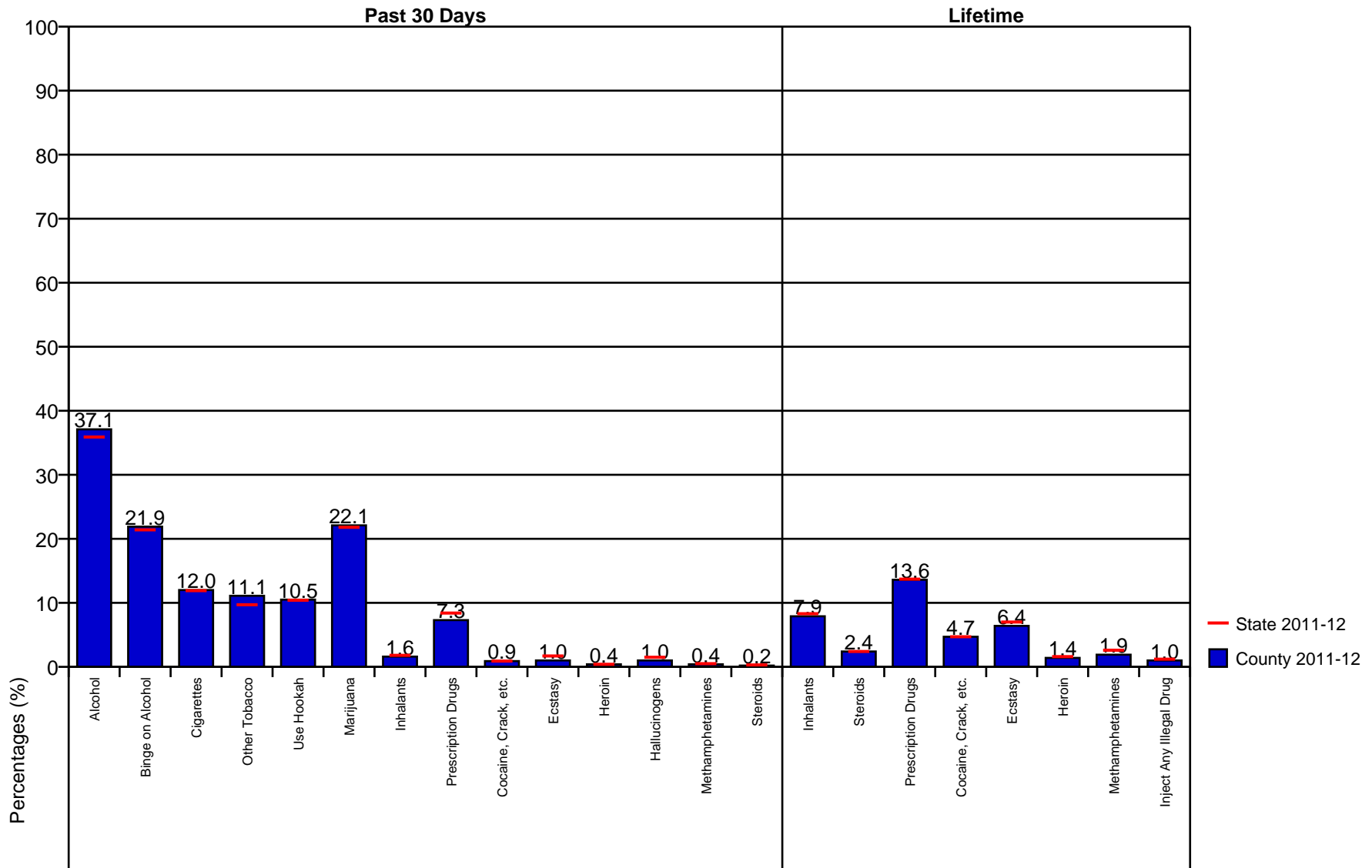


Figure 18: Alcohol, Tobacco and Other Drug Use - Grade 11

6.3 Norms About Alcohol Use

“Everybody’s doing it!” is a refrain commonly heard by parents and believed by far too many youth in Oregon. The Student Wellness Survey provides information about alcohol norms. A series of questions allow the comparison of actual alcohol-related behaviors to what youth think most students are doing.

Correcting misperceptions is essential to establishing new, healthy norms about underage drinking.

The table below provides the percentage of students that responded one or more times in the past 30 days.

Table 26: Alcohol Use in the Past 30 Days

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Had at least one drink of alcohol	5.8	6.7	17.4	19.6	37.1	35.9
Think most students had at least one drink of alcohol	42.8	43.5	67.0	64.5	90.6	87.6
Had 5 or more drinks of alcohol in a row, that is, within a couple of hours	1.5	1.7	6.9	8.1	21.9	21.4
Think most students had 5 or more drinks of alcohol in a row	22.0	21.3	43.8	42.8	79.6	76.4
Rode in a vehicle driven by a parent or other adult who had been drinking	10.9	11.0	16.9	14.5	16.3	15.5
Think most students rode in a vehicle driven by a parent or other adult who had been drinking	27.7	27.5	40.4	36.3	58.2	52.3

Percentages exclude missing answers.

The table below provides the percentage of students that responded “wrong” or “very wrong”

Table 27: Attitudes about Drinking

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to have one or two drinks of an alcohol beverage nearly every day?	94.7	93.4	85.4	83.2	72.4	70.7
How wrong do you believe most students in your school think it is for someone their age to have one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day?	88.1	87.2	72.5	70.7	44.7	47.4

Percentages exclude missing answers.

6.4 Factors Associated with Initiation of Substance Use

This section reports on a variety of factors associated with initiation of substance use. Easy availability, attitudes about use, perceptions about the risk of harm from use and communication about substance use all influence whether young people choose to use tobacco, alcohol or other drugs.

6.5 Availability

Adolescents that report easy availability of cigarettes, alcohol, marijuana, and other illegal drugs are more likely to use these substances. Research has shown that legal restrictions on alcohol and tobacco use, such as raising the legal drinking age, restricting smoking in public, and increased taxation have been followed by decreases in consumption.

The table below shows the percentage of students that said it would be "easy" or "very easy" for the student to...

Table 28: Availability

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Get some cigarettes?	15.7	15.2	32.4	32.4	64.9	63.6
Get some beer, wine, or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin)?	19.8	19.8	45.9	43.6	71.6	71.1
Get some marijuana?	8.8	9.2	31.8	32.8	70.4	69.3
Get a drug like cocaine, lsd, or amphetamines?	3.8	4.5	11.6	10.8	25.9	24.3

Percentages exclude missing answers.

6.6 Parental Attitude toward Substance Use

In families where parents are heavy users of alcohol, use illegal drugs or are tolerant of children's use, adolescents are more likely to engage in substance use. The risk is further increased if parents involve children in their own using behavior such as asking the child to light the parent's cigarette or get the parent a beer from the refrigerator.

The *Oregon Student Wellness Survey* asks students about how their parents would feel if the student used alcohol, cigarettes or marijuana. The table below reports the percentage of students that said their parents feel it would be "wrong" or "very wrong" for youth to...

Table 29: Parental Attitude toward Substance Use

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Wrong to smoke cigarettes	98.0	98.1	96.1	96.7	94.0	93.5
Wrong to drink beer, wine or liquor regularly	95.4	95.1	92.3	91.0	82.2	79.9
Wrong to smoke marijuana	98.0	98.0	94.0	93.7	85.8	85.1

Percentages exclude missing answers.

6.7 Student Attitude toward Substance Use

Youth who disapprove of substance use are less likely to engage in a variety of problem behaviors.

The following table shows the percentage of students that think it is "wrong" or "very wrong" for someone their age to...

Table 30: Student Attitude toward Substance Use

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Wrong to smoke one or more packs of cigarettes a day	98.1	98.1	94.6	94.7	90.9	89.0
Wrong to have one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day	94.7	93.4	85.4	83.2	72.4	70.7
Wrong to try marijuana or hashish once or twice	94.8	93.5	76.8	74.8	41.6	43.6
Wrong to use marijuana or hashish once a month or more	95.7	94.8	82.5	80.5	52.8	52.8

Percentages exclude missing answers.

6.8 Perceived Risk of Harm

Students who perceive cigarette, alcohol or marijuana use are risky are less likely to engage in use.

The following table reports the percentage of students that think there is "moderate risk" or "great risk" of harming themselves (physically or in other ways).

Table 31: Perceived Risk of Harm

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Smoking one or more packs of cigarettes per day is risky	81.8	81.1	87.4	85.5	88.3	87.1
Taking one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day is risky	48.5	47.4	57.3	53.7	58.1	54.6
Having five or more drinks of an alcoholic beverage once or twice a week is risky	64.8	65.6	76.9	72.6	78.9	76.0
Trying marijuana once or twice is risky	56.4	55.5	51.0	46.5	23.7	25.6
Smoking marijuana once or twice a week is risky	76.4	74.7	75.8	70.2	53.3	51.7

Percentages exclude missing answers.

6.9 Communication about Substance Use

The table below shows the percentage of students that recall communication about substance use during the past 12 months.

Table 32: Communication about Substance Use

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Talked with at least one of your parents about the dangers of tobacco, alcohol, or drug use	62.3	62.3	66.5	67.2	73.1	70.0
Had a special class about drugs or alcohol in school	41.2	42.0	53.1	53.5	47.8	47.8
Recall hearing, reading, or watching an advertisement about prevention of substance abuse	44.2	44.4	63.7	60.6	81.0	78.4

Percentages exclude missing answers.

7 DRUG FREE COMMUNITIES CORE MEASURES

The Drug-Free Communities (DFC) Support Program, administered by the Center for Substance Abuse Prevention, requests specific data which are typically referred to as the Core Measures. Beginning in 2013 there will be a new set of Core Measures. The 2014 Student Wellness Survey will meet the new Core Measure requirements. This report reflects the 2012 Core Measure requirements. At this time, grantees are required to report on three drug categories: tobacco, alcohol and marijuana. A number of Oregon DFCs focus on other substances, so this report also includes 30-day use data for binge drinking, prescription drugs, methamphetamines, and any illicit drugs other than marijuana.

Data in the tables that follow are provided by grade level. For each drug, and at each grade level, the percentage of students who responded positively to the question and the number of students who responded to the question are reported. For Average Age of Onset, the average age of first use in years and the number of students using is reported. The possible responses to this question range from 10 or under to 17 or older. The table shows the average age of onset of use by those students who answered the question with a response other than "never used."

7.1 30 Day Use

Table 33: 30 Day Use

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	N	Pct	N	Pct	N	Pct
Had at least one drink of alcohol	1,440	5.8	2,063	17.4	1,789	37.1
Had 5 or more drinks of alcohol in a row, that is, within a couple of hours	1,443	1.5	2,058	6.9	1,773	21.9
Smoked cigarettes	1,425	1.5	2,054	5.5	1,760	12.0
Used marijuana	1,570	1.5	2,165	7.0	1,813	22.1
Used prescription drugs (without a doctor's orders)	1,306	1.8	1,999	5.2	1,756	7.3
Used methamphetamines (also called speed, crystal, crank or ice)	1,570	0.4	2,165	0.2	1,812	0.4

7.2 Perception of Moderate or Great Risk

Table 34: Perception of Moderate or Great Risk

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	N	Pct	N	Pct	N	Pct
If they take one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage (beer, wine, liquor) nearly every day?	1,357	48.5	2,004	57.3	1,762	58.1
If they smoke one or more packs of cigarettes per day?	1,355	81.8	1,981	87.4	1,747	88.3
If they smoke marijuana once or twice a week?	1,347	76.4	1,991	75.8	1,751	53.3

Percentages exclude missing answers.

7.3 Parents Feel It Would Be Wrong or Very Wrong

Table 35: Parents Feel It Would Be Wrong or Very Wrong

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	N	Pct	N	Pct	N	Pct
Drink beer, wine, or liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin) regularly (at least once or twice a month)?	1,338	95.4	2,003	92.3	1,718	82.2
Smoke cigarettes?	1,327	98.0	1,990	96.1	1,724	94.0
Smoke marijuana?	1,326	98.0	1,990	94.0	1,721	85.8

Percentages exclude missing answers.

7.4 Average Age (in years) of Onset

Table 36: Average Age (in years) of Onset

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	N	Age	N	Age	N	Age
Smoked a whole cigarette	1,390	9.7	2,004	11.6	1,755	14.0
Had more than a sip or two of alcohol	1,395	9.3	2,021	10.8	1,776	13.6
Tried marijuana	1,389	10.4	2,022	12.0	1,767	14.4

Percentages exclude missing answers.

8 HEIGHT, WEIGHT & BODY MASS INDEX (BMI)

The 11th grade version of the *Oregon Student Wellness Survey* contains questions about height and weight. Information from these questions are broken down by sex rather than by grade. From these questions it is possible to calculate a Body Mass Index (BMI) and to classify students on a percentile rankings, based on previous CDC analysis, as being either underweight (less than 5th percentile), healthy weight (5th percentile to less than 85th percentile), overweight (85th to less than 95th percentile) or obese (greater than or equal to 95th percentile). This information is detailed in the following tables.

Table 37: Average Weight

	Female		Male	
	N	Pounds	N	Pounds
Average	761	138.1	850	167.1

Percentages exclude missing answers.

Table 38: Average Height

	Female		Male	
	N	Inches	N	Inches
Average	775	64.7	850	70.2

Percentages exclude missing answers.

Table 39: BMI Categories

	Female		Male	
	N	Pct	N	Pct
Underweight	16	2.1	32	3.9
Healthy Weight	550	73.3	545	65.7
Overweight	113	15.1	118	14.2
Obese	71	9.5	134	16.2

Percentages exclude missing answers.

Table 40: How do you describe your weight?

	Female		Male	
	N	Pct	N	Pct
Very underweight	3	0.4	18	2.1
Slightly underweight	67	8.5	147	17.0
About the right weight	417	52.9	510	58.8
Slightly overweight	255	32.4	171	19.7
Very overweight	46	5.8	21	2.4

Percentages exclude missing answers.

Table 41: What Are You Trying To Do About Your Weight?

	Female		Male	
	N	Pct	N	Pct
Lose weight	491	62.5	243	28.1
Gain weight	25	3.2	247	28.6
Stay the same weight	124	15.8	181	20.9
I am not trying to do anything about my weight	146	18.6	194	22.4

Percentages exclude missing answers.

Table 42: During the past 30 days, did you go without eating for 24 hours or more to lose weight or to keep from gaining weight?

	Female		Male	
	N	Pct	N	Pct
Yes	138	17.5	64	7.4
No	652	82.5	800	92.6

Percentages exclude missing answers.

Table 43: During the past 30 days, did you take diet pills, powders, or liquids to lose weight or to keep from gaining weight?

	Female		Male	
	N	Pct	N	Pct
Yes	54	6.9	17	2.0
No	730	93.1	844	98.0

Percentages exclude missing answers.

Table 44: During the past 30 days, did you vomit or take laxatives to lose weight or to keep from gaining weight?

	Female		Male	
	N	Pct	N	Pct
Yes	52	6.6	19	2.2
No	733	93.4	840	97.8

Percentages exclude missing answers.

A FREQUENCY DISTRIBUTION TABLES

This section contains frequency distribution tables for all of the questions found on the 2012 *Oregon Student Wellness Survey*. Two versions of the survey were used, one for 6th and 8th grades and another for the 11th grade. The 6th and 8th grade survey consisted of a subset of the questions found on the 11th grade version. In order to provide results that spanned all grade levels in a single report, the data for questions that did not appear on the 6th and 8th grade version were coded as missing.

A.1 Frequency Distribution Tables

A.1.1 Demographics

Table 45: How old are you?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
10 or younger	0.3	0.3				
11 years old	40.8	42.4	0.2	0.0		
12 years old	57.1	55.2	0.3	0.3		
13 years old	1.7	2.0	44.9	42.5		
14 years old			53.4	55.1		0.0
15 years old			1.3	2.1	0.2	0.3
16 years old					43.1	43.9
17 years old					54.8	53.7
18 years old					1.9	2.1
19 years old or older						
N of Valid	1,565	18,824	2,158	21,331	1,812	15,330
N of Miss	6	61	6	37	0	28

Table 46: What is your sex?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Female	49.9	50.0	51.4	50.2	47.2	48.8
Male	50.1	50.0	48.6	49.8	52.8	51.2
N of Valid	1,559	18,758	2,153	21,233	1,806	15,280
N of Miss	11	127	12	135	7	78

Table 47: Which of the following best describes you?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Heterosexual (straight)					93.0	91.9
Gay or lesbian					1.0	1.3
Bisexual					4.4	4.6
I wonder/think I'm transgendered					0.4	0.6
Not sure					1.3	1.7
N of Valid	0	0	0	0	1,805	15,228
N of Miss	1,570	18,885	2,165	21,368	9	130

**This was not asked in grades 6 and 8.*

Table 48: In what grade are you?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
6th	100.0	100.0				
7th						
8th			100.0	100.0		
9th						
10th						
11th					100.0	100.0
12th						
N of Valid	1,570	18,885	2,165	21,368	1,813	15,358
N of Miss	0	0	0	0	0	0

Table 49: What is your race?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
American Indian or Alaska Native	3.8	4.9	2.4	3.2	1.9	2.5
Asian	6.1	6.6	6.6	6.4	3.7	5.1
Black or African American	3.3	3.7	2.3	3.1	2.6	2.8
Native or Other Pacific Islander	2.2	4.0	2.9	3.5	2.3	2.6
White	74.7	69.5	75.0	72.2	82.1	78.2
Multiracial	9.9	11.3	10.8	11.6	7.3	8.7
N of Valid	1,415	16,365	2,031	18,845	1,717	14,012
N of Miss	157	2,521	134	2,522	95	1,346

Table 50: Are you Hispanic or Latino/Latina?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Yes	15.7	22.8	13.8	21.1	13.8	18.6
No	84.3	77.2	86.2	78.9	86.2	81.4
N of Valid	1,460	17,702	2,105	20,337	1,787	15,091
N of Miss	111	1,184	60	1,032	27	267

Table 51: What is the language you use most often at home?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
English	88.4	84.0	89.1	85.9	91.0	87.9
Russian	1.9	1.0	2.4	1.2	1.1	0.9
Spanish	6.2	11.0	4.9	8.3	5.2	7.6
Vietnamese	0.9	1.2	0.7	1.4	0.2	0.5
A tribal language	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.4
Another language	2.4	2.6	2.8	2.8	2.1	2.6
N of Valid	1,521	18,272	2,097	20,675	1,797	15,161
N of Miss	50	613	68	693	15	196

A.1.2 Transitions and Mobility

Table 52: Have you changed schools (including changing from elementary to middle and middle to high school) in the past year?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Yes	65.7	64.6	25.4	23.2	14.1	17.7
No	34.3	35.4	74.6	76.8	85.9	82.3
N of Valid	1,542	18,446	2,128	21,074	1,803	15,279
N of Miss	28	440	37	294	9	80

Table 53: How many times have you changed homes since kindergarten?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Never	37.2	35.9	28.9	28.9	28.6	25.8
1 or 2 times	33.3	32.4	36.1	33.0	34.6	33.0
3 or 4 times	17.3	19.0	19.7	20.2	18.9	20.4
5 or 6 times	8.0	7.6	7.9	9.7	9.5	10.5
7 or more times	4.1	5.2	7.4	8.2	8.5	10.3
N of Valid	1,539	18,570	2,151	21,181	1,810	15,276
N of Miss	29	316	14	188	4	83

A.2 School Climate

A.2.1 Academic Performance

Table 54: Putting them all together, what were your grades like last year?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Mostly A's	48.2	45.6	51.5	43.0	34.0	34.7
Mostly B's	35.1	38.0	29.6	30.7	37.4	36.3
Mostly C's	12.4	12.5	14.0	18.2	21.3	21.8
Mostly D's	2.6	2.8	3.0	5.3	5.5	5.3
Mostly F's	1.7	1.2	1.9	2.8	1.7	2.0
N of Valid	1,470	17,697	2,102	20,783	1,782	15,115
N of Miss	99	1,189	62	586	30	243

A.2.2 School Commitment

Table 55: During the LAST FOUR WEEKS how many whole days of school have you missed because you skipped or "cut"?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
None	75.6	75.9	74.6	76.7	69.8	69.9
1 day	9.0	9.7	10.7	8.7	11.3	11.0
2 days	6.7	5.6	5.4	5.4	6.9	6.3
3 days	3.5	3.4	3.5	3.5	5.4	4.9
4 to 5 days	3.2	3.2	2.5	3.0	4.0	4.6
6 to 10 days	1.0	1.1	1.7	1.2	1.8	1.9
11 or more days	1.0	1.1	1.6	1.4	0.8	1.5
N of Valid	1,533	18,564	2,137	21,157	1,805	15,292
N of Miss	37	321	28	211	8	66

Table 56: How do you like school?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
I like school very much	23.4	22.6	12.5	11.5	8.4	8.2
I like school	40.2	40.3	39.2	37.4	37.4	37.5
I neither like nor dislike school	25.7	26.5	33.3	34.0	37.1	34.9
I dislike school	6.0	6.0	8.7	9.3	11.7	12.7
I dislike school very much	4.7	4.6	6.2	7.8	5.4	6.7
N of Valid	1,506	18,519	2,141	21,153	1,805	15,281
N of Miss	63	366	24	216	7	77

Table 57: How important do you think the things you are learning in school are going to be for your later life?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Very important	53.4	54.6	29.3	34.2	19.1	19.6
Quite important	28.6	28.5	34.6	31.8	29.1	30.5
Fairly important	14.0	12.4	23.6	22.7	33.9	30.9
Slightly important	3.1	3.4	10.5	9.0	15.3	15.8
Not at all important	0.9	1.1	2.1	2.3	2.6	3.2
N of Valid	1,543	18,646	2,141	21,220	1,813	15,294
N of Miss	28	240	23	148	0	65

Table 58: How often do you feel that the schoolwork you are assigned is meaningful and important?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Almost always	33.5	30.5	11.0	13.5	4.2	5.3
Often	35.9	36.1	33.1	32.9	22.3	23.2
Sometimes	23.9	25.9	39.4	37.5	48.2	44.9
Seldom	4.3	4.9	12.4	12.1	20.3	22.0
Never	2.5	2.6	4.0	4.0	4.8	4.5
N of Valid	1,504	18,299	2,107	20,986	1,799	15,192
N of Miss	65	587	57	382	12	165

Table 59: I have lots of chances to be part of class discussions or activities.

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Strongly agree	47.4	45.0	36.1	37.8	40.7	37.8
Somewhat agree	44.4	45.5	51.8	50.3	49.9	51.5
Somewhat disagree	6.1	7.0	10.2	9.4	8.0	8.7
Strongly disagree	2.1	2.5	2.0	2.4	1.4	2.0
N of Valid	1,521	18,363	2,127	21,095	1,810	15,253
N of Miss	49	522	37	273	3	105

Table 60: Thinking back over the past school year, how often did you try to do your best work in school?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Almost always	59.9	59.0	42.0	40.0	27.5	26.9
Often	27.5	28.9	37.3	36.5	39.6	39.1
Sometimes	10.5	9.8	15.7	17.6	25.0	24.9
Seldom	1.3	1.7	4.0	4.6	6.8	7.5
Never	0.8	0.7	0.9	1.3	1.1	1.5
N of Valid	1,524	18,400	2,115	20,968	1,798	15,201
N of Miss	47	485	50	400	15	158

Table 61: There are lots of chances for students in my school to get involved in sports, clubs, and other school activities outside of class.

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Strongly agree	48.2	56.0	44.2	48.7	68.0	62.1
Somewhat agree	36.7	32.1	36.8	35.8	26.3	28.1
Somewhat disagree	10.9	9.0	14.4	11.5	4.2	7.1
Strongly disagree	4.2	2.9	4.7	4.0	1.5	2.7
N of Valid	1,509	18,223	2,116	20,968	1,798	15,195
N of Miss	61	662	48	400	15	164

Table 62: I respect most of my teachers.

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Strongly agree	69.2	68.5	50.3	49.5	55.0	52.2
Somewhat agree	24.5	25.1	36.8	37.3	37.4	38.0
Somewhat disagree	5.2	4.7	9.4	9.7	6.3	8.0
Strongly disagree	1.2	1.7	3.4	3.5	1.3	1.8
N of Valid	1,456	17,861	2,066	20,547	1,778	14,999
N of Miss	114	1,023	99	821	36	359

Table 63: My teachers notice when I am doing a good job and let me know about it.

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Strongly agree	38.2	37.9	22.2	24.8	19.1	20.5
Somewhat agree	42.3	42.8	43.8	43.3	50.3	46.8
Somewhat disagree	14.2	14.0	24.3	22.4	23.6	25.1
Strongly disagree	5.3	5.4	9.7	9.5	7.0	7.6
N of Valid	1,517	18,314	2,106	20,936	1,800	15,185
N of Miss	53	572	58	433	13	174

Table 64: I can talk to my teachers openly and freely about my concerns.

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Strongly agree	33.7	32.2	18.5	20.7	20.8	20.7
Somewhat agree	36.0	36.9	35.7	35.6	40.9	40.1
Somewhat disagree	19.8	19.4	28.7	26.7	28.1	27.2
Strongly disagree	10.6	11.5	17.0	16.9	10.2	11.9
N of Valid	1,518	18,125	2,108	20,898	1,793	15,168
N of Miss	52	761	57	470	20	190

Table 65: In my school, teachers treat students with respect.

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Strongly agree	50.9	54.3	30.9	33.3	31.4	30.6
Somewhat agree	34.8	32.8	45.3	43.7	51.4	48.7
Somewhat disagree	10.9	9.7	18.4	17.5	13.9	16.7
Strongly disagree	3.3	3.2	5.4	5.6	3.4	4.0
N of Valid	1,465	18,023	2,091	20,805	1,786	15,081
N of Miss	106	863	74	564	27	277

Table 66: Most students at my school help each other when they are hurt or upset.

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Strongly agree	30.5	32.5	18.8	20.7	15.0	16.0
Somewhat agree	43.9	44.1	44.1	44.3	46.1	46.8
Somewhat disagree	18.7	16.9	26.8	24.4	30.3	27.4
Strongly disagree	6.8	6.6	10.4	10.6	8.6	9.7
N of Valid	1,477	18,158	2,111	20,953	1,795	15,119
N of Miss	94	728	54	416	19	239

Table 67: In my school, students that work hard to get good grades are picked on by other students.

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Strongly agree	13.7	11.6	8.4	8.3	3.8	4.5
Somewhat agree	25.0	22.4	21.8	22.0	14.5	16.8
Somewhat disagree	27.6	28.1	35.9	35.6	41.1	38.3
Strongly disagree	33.7	37.9	33.9	34.1	40.6	40.3
N of Valid	1,470	18,172	2,119	21,005	1,796	15,161
N of Miss	99	712	46	364	16	198

A.2.3 Safe School Environment

Table 68: During the past 30 days, on how many days did you not go to school because you felt you would be unsafe at school or on your way to or from school?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 days	91.8	91.7	94.4	93.0	96.7	95.9
1 day	4.5	4.7	3.2	3.5	1.3	1.9
2 or 3 days	2.3	2.2	1.6	1.9	1.2	1.3
4 or 5 days	0.4	0.5	0.1	0.5	0.2	0.2
6 or more days	1.1	0.9	0.8	1.0	0.7	0.7
N of Valid	1,517	18,316	2,117	21,029	1,781	15,110
N of Miss	53	570	47	338	31	248

Table 69: During the past 30 days, on how many days did you carry a gun as a weapon on school property?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 days	99.3	99.3	98.6	98.6	99.0	98.5
1 day	0.1	0.3	0.6	0.4	0.2	0.3
2 or 3 days	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.3	0.2	0.3
4 or 5 days		0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1
6 or more days	0.5	0.2	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.7
N of Valid	1,471	18,153	2,112	20,912	1,777	15,063
N of Miss	99	732	52	458	36	296

Table 70: During the past 30 days, on how many days did you carry a weapon (other than a gun) such as a knife or club on school property?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 days	97.1	96.9	95.5	94.9	93.0	92.7
1 day	2.0	2.1	2.2	2.4	1.9	1.9
2 or 3 days	0.5	0.4	0.8	0.9	1.1	1.2
4 or 5 days		0.2	0.1	0.3	0.5	0.5
6 or more days	0.5	0.5	1.4	1.6	3.5	3.7
N of Valid	1,469	18,151	2,104	20,920	1,778	15,081
N of Miss	101	734	60	447	35	277

Table 71: During the past 12 months, how many times were you in a physical fight?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 times	71.8	71.2	74.1	71.3	80.5	81.7
1 time	14.0	14.2	12.5	14.4	10.2	9.3
2 or 3 times	8.6	8.1	8.3	8.1	5.9	5.6
4 or 5 times	2.1	2.3	2.2	2.6	1.2	1.5
6 or 7 times	0.6	1.0	0.5	1.0	0.8	0.6
8 or 9 times	0.5	0.7	0.5	0.7	0.2	0.2
10 or 11 times	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.2
12 or more times	2.1	2.4	1.5	1.7	0.9	0.9
N of Valid	1,516	18,269	2,111	20,988	1,782	15,131
N of Miss	56	617	54	380	32	227

Table 72: During the past 12 months, how many times were you in a physical fight on school property?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 times	85.0	84.9	87.8	84.9	93.2	93.4
1 time	9.1	9.5	8.0	9.7	5.0	4.5
2 or 3 times	3.5	3.6	2.8	3.8	1.0	1.3
4 or 5 times	1.2	0.9	0.5	0.6	0.3	0.4
6 or 7 times	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.1
8 or 9 times	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1
10 or 11 times	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0
12 or more times	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.1	0.2
N of Valid	1,520	18,256	2,107	20,993	1,776	15,093
N of Miss	51	629	58	376	36	264

Table 73: During the past 12 months, how many times did you bully someone (such as hitting, kicking, pushing, saying mean things, spreading rumors, or making sexual comments that bothered them)?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 times	77.5	77.8	70.6	70.9	79.8	80.1
1 time	12.8	12.9	13.2	12.7	7.1	7.3
2 or 3 times	5.2	5.2	8.3	8.1	7.3	5.7
4 or 5 times	1.6	1.5	2.8	2.8	2.3	2.1
6 or 7 times	0.7	0.6	1.3	1.1	0.5	0.7
8 or 9 times	0.3	0.3	0.6	0.6	0.4	0.4
10 or 11 times	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.2
12 or more times	1.6	1.7	2.9	3.6	2.6	3.4
N of Valid	1,477	18,144	2,104	20,920	1,773	15,108
N of Miss	93	740	60	449	40	252

Table 74: During the past 12 months, how many times have you been suspended from school?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 times	91.5	92.0	88.2	85.9	89.8	88.0
1 time	5.6	5.3	6.8	8.2	6.8	7.2
2 or 3 times	1.9	1.7	2.6	3.7	2.5	2.9
4 or 5 times	0.6	0.5	1.0	1.0	0.5	1.0
6 or 7 times	0.1	0.1	0.7	0.4	0.2	0.3
8 or 9 times		0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2
10 or 11 times	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1		0.1
12 or more times	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.2	0.4
N of Valid	1,471	18,089	2,100	20,885	1,777	15,078
N of Miss	99	796	65	485	37	282

Table 75: During the past 12 months, how many times has someone threatened you with a weapon such as a gun, knife, or club on school property?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 times	89.7	90.4	90.8	90.0	92.7	93.3
1 time	5.7	5.7	5.0	5.5	4.7	3.7
2 or 3 times	2.2	2.2	2.1	2.3	1.3	1.6
4 or 5 times	1.1	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.4	0.5
6 or 7 times	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.4
8 or 9 times	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.1
10 or 11 times	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1
12 or more times	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.3	0.3
N of Valid	1,484	18,157	2,120	20,931	1,783	15,129
N of Miss	88	729	46	437	30	229

Table 76: During the past 12 months, how many times have you been drunk or high at school?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 times					81.1	81.0
1 time					4.4	4.7
2 or 3 times					4.2	4.0
4 or 5 times					1.2	1.7
6 or 7 times					0.9	1.2
8 or 9 times					0.5	0.5
10 or 11 times					0.8	0.5
12 or more times					7.0	6.5
N of Valid	0	0	0	0	1,776	15,116
N of Miss	1,570	18,885	2,165	21,368	36	242

*This was not asked in grades 6 and 8.

Table 77: During the past 12 months, has anyone offered, sold, or given you an illegal drug on school property?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Yes	4.1	3.3	11.6	11.9	22.9	22.4
No	95.9	96.7	88.4	88.1	77.1	77.6
N of Valid	1,477	18,180	2,103	20,884	1,774	15,019
N of Miss	93	706	62	483	38	339

A.2.4 Harassment and Bullying

Table 78: Any harassment in the past 30 days

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
No	50.2	49.4	47.4	48.6	59.6	60.4
Yes	49.8	50.6	52.6	51.4	40.4	39.6
N of Valid	1,481	18,262	2,126	21,055	1,787	15,136
N of Miss	89	623	39	313	26	222

Table 79: In the last 30 days, how many times have you been harassed at school, on a school bus or going to and from school because of your race or ethnic origin?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 times	89.0	88.6	86.2	86.8	89.8	89.2
1 time	5.1	6.0	6.4	5.9	3.9	4.3
2 or 3 times	3.3	3.1	3.9	4.0	3.5	3.4
4 or 5 times	0.7	0.8	1.0	0.9	0.6	0.8
6 or more times	1.8	1.5	2.5	2.5	2.2	2.3
N of Valid	1,469	17,966	2,119	20,688	1,782	15,089
N of Miss	100	919	47	680	31	269

Table 80: In the last 30 days, how many times have you been harassed at school, on a school bus or going to and from school because someone said you were gay, lesbian, bisexual or transgender?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 times	83.4	84.0	86.5	86.3	92.5	91.9
1 time	7.4	7.9	5.3	5.7	2.4	3.0
2 or 3 times	4.2	3.9	3.4	3.7	2.6	2.5
4 or 5 times	0.7	1.1	1.4	1.0	0.6	0.6
6 or more times	4.3	3.2	3.4	3.3	2.0	2.0
N of Valid	1,467	18,054	2,113	20,778	1,781	15,080
N of Miss	103	832	52	590	33	280

Table 81: In the last 30 days, how many times have you been harassed at school, on a school bus or going to and from school because of who your friends are?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 times	78.4	78.6	76.5	77.3	83.4	83.9
1 time	11.7	11.7	11.3	11.8	7.6	7.7
2 or 3 times	5.6	5.5	6.5	6.4	5.9	5.2
4 or 5 times	1.9	1.7	2.5	1.7	1.3	1.4
6 or more times	2.5	2.6	3.2	2.8	1.9	1.8
N of Valid	1,423	17,683	2,066	20,479	1,760	14,888
N of Miss	148	1,201	99	889	52	470

Table 82: In the last 30 days, how many times have you been harassed at school, on a school bus or going to and from school because of how you look (weight, clothes, acne, or other physical characteristics)?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 times	69.8	71.4	70.2	69.8	78.7	78.8
1 time	13.1	12.9	12.5	12.6	8.1	9.0
2 or 3 times	8.1	7.5	7.8	8.4	7.8	7.0
4 or 5 times	2.9	2.6	3.6	2.9	2.3	1.8
6 or more times	6.1	5.7	5.9	6.2	3.1	3.4
N of Valid	1,462	18,035	2,109	20,891	1,783	15,071
N of Miss	107	850	56	478	29	287

Table 83: In the last 30 days, how many times have you been harassed at school, on a school bus or going to and from school because you received unwanted sexual comments or attention?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 times	91.4	91.8	87.8	87.9	88.2	88.6
1 time	3.9	4.2	5.2	4.8	4.0	4.1
2 or 3 times	2.2	1.9	3.6	3.2	4.3	3.7
4 or 5 times	0.6	0.7	1.2	1.4	1.7	1.3
6 or more times	1.9	1.4	2.2	2.8	1.7	2.3
N of Valid	1,456	17,979	2,108	20,895	1,782	15,081
N of Miss	114	906	56	472	31	277

Table 84: In the last 30 days, how many times have you been harassed at school, on a school bus or going to and from school through e-mail, chat rooms, instant messaging, Web sites, texting or phone?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 times	86.4	87.5	85.6	84.6	88.5	88.1
1 time	7.4	6.4	5.9	6.8	4.4	4.5
2 or 3 times	3.2	3.2	4.3	4.2	3.5	3.5
4 or 5 times	1.0	1.1	1.7	1.5	1.2	1.6
6 or more times	2.0	1.7	2.5	2.9	2.3	2.3
N of Valid	1,462	18,047	2,104	20,912	1,784	15,084
N of Miss	109	839	62	457	29	274

Table 85: In the last 30 days, how many times have you been harassed at school, on a school bus or going to and from school for other reasons?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 times	79.3	76.9	75.3	76.1	84.5	83.8
1 time	8.7	9.6	10.1	9.1	6.1	6.3
2 or 3 times	5.6	6.3	7.1	6.4	5.1	4.8
4 or 5 times	1.4	1.9	2.0	2.4	1.3	1.5
6 or more times	5.0	5.3	5.4	6.0	3.0	3.7
N of Valid	1,451	17,973	2,101	20,861	1,780	15,039
N of Miss	119	913	64	508	32	317

Table 86: How often have you seen another student bully others by hitting, kicking, punching or otherwise hurting them in school or on the school bus?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Never	39.1	41.5	33.8	34.7	41.9	44.3
Once or twice per year	28.8	30.8	34.6	33.9	39.0	36.7
Once or twice per month	14.7	12.4	15.6	14.0	11.5	10.3
Once or twice per week	10.3	9.5	9.7	10.6	5.1	5.5
Every day	7.1	5.7	6.4	6.8	2.5	3.2
N of Valid	1,474	18,200	2,121	21,046	1,801	15,192
N of Miss	97	686	43	323	12	166

Table 87: How often have you heard another student bully others by saying mean things, teasing or calling other students names in your school or on the school bus?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Never	23.2	25.5	15.9	19.3	20.3	22.9
Once or twice per year	23.5	25.0	19.6	21.7	26.2	26.1
Once or twice per month	16.8	16.7	21.0	18.9	23.8	21.6
Once or twice per week	17.5	16.4	21.4	19.5	16.8	16.0
Every day	19.0	16.4	22.1	20.6	12.8	13.4
N of Valid	1,472	18,131	2,108	20,983	1,795	15,168
N of Miss	98	754	58	386	19	190

Table 88: How often have you heard another student spread mean rumors or leave other students out of activities to be mean in your school or on the school bus?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Never	28.7	30.3	19.4	23.2	20.8	23.4
Once or twice per year	24.8	25.0	21.9	21.7	22.9	24.2
Once or twice per month	17.4	17.4	22.5	19.9	22.7	21.2
Once or twice per week	16.0	14.7	17.9	17.7	19.4	17.0
Every day	13.0	12.6	18.3	17.6	14.2	14.2
N of Valid	1,479	18,120	2,111	20,945	1,791	15,158
N of Miss	92	766	54	424	21	199

A.3 Social, Emotional and Mental Health

A.3.1 Positive Youth Development

Table 89: Positive Youth Development

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Strong positive youth development	70.3	69.1	60.5	59.9	68.5	65.6
Weak positive youth development	29.7	30.9	39.5	40.1	31.5	34.4
N of Valid	1,097	14,287	1,821	18,580	1,614	13,873
N of Miss	473	4,598	343	2,789	198	1,485

Table 90: Would you say that in general your emotional and mental health is...

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Excellent	39.4	34.6	30.7	28.8	25.7	26.8
Very good	34.0	34.8	36.1	35.0	37.1	34.2
Good	19.5	23.7	23.9	24.0	23.8	25.2
Fair	5.8	5.1	6.9	9.4	9.6	10.4
Poor	1.4	1.8	2.4	2.8	3.8	3.4
N of Valid	1,418	17,485	2,094	20,696	1,784	15,139
N of Miss	151	1,399	71	672	29	219

Table 91: Would you say that in general your physical health is...

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Excellent	41.1	37.4	30.7	30.9	24.9	25.5
Very good	32.6	34.2	34.5	34.3	33.3	33.1
Good	20.8	22.5	27.0	26.5	30.1	29.8
Fair	4.9	4.9	6.7	7.2	10.0	9.6
Poor	0.6	0.9	1.1	1.2	1.6	2.0
N of Valid	1,403	17,423	2,095	20,683	1,785	15,114
N of Miss	168	1,461	70	685	28	244

Table 92: I can do most things if I try.

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Very much true	46.9	45.6	47.5	47.9	52.5	53.7
Pretty much true	30.3	31.5	35.2	34.9	36.8	35.9
A little true	12.8	12.6	12.6	12.1	9.3	8.4
Not at all true	10.0	10.3	4.6	5.1	1.5	2.0
N of Valid	1,278	16,460	1,986	20,086	1,706	14,617
N of Miss	293	2,425	178	1,283	108	740

Table 93: I can work out my problems.

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Very much true	51.9	50.6	46.5	44.6	51.1	50.3
Pretty much true	34.0	34.4	38.9	38.8	38.2	38.7
A little true	10.0	11.2	12.1	13.1	9.7	9.5
Not at all true	4.2	3.9	2.5	3.5	1.1	1.4
N of Valid	1,269	16,409	1,988	20,028	1,698	14,574
N of Miss	301	2,476	177	1,340	114	784

Table 94: I volunteer to help others in my community.

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Very much true	37.1	34.3	25.9	24.9	29.9	31.1
Pretty much true	26.6	27.6	23.8	25.0	26.3	24.5
A little true	24.3	26.0	32.1	31.6	30.5	30.7
Not at all true	11.9	12.1	18.2	18.5	13.3	13.7
N of Valid	1,233	15,916	1,933	19,645	1,667	14,342
N of Miss	337	2,969	233	1,724	146	1,017

Table 95: There is at least one teacher or other adult in my school that really cares about me.

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Very much true	54.4	52.7	40.6	40.6	47.2	44.4
Pretty much true	22.9	22.2	23.9	23.8	26.1	25.0
A little true	14.2	15.4	22.0	21.6	18.3	20.9
Not at all true	8.5	9.6	13.5	14.0	8.5	9.7
N of Valid	1,264	16,337	1,974	19,985	1,702	14,564
N of Miss	306	2,548	191	1,383	110	795

Table 96: On an average school night, how many hours of sleep do you get?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
4 or less					5.1	5.6
5 hours					11.1	10.7
6 hours					24.3	23.3
7 hours					33.7	31.0
8 hours					20.1	22.6
9 hours					5.0	5.6
10 or more hours					0.6	1.1
N of Valid	0	0	0	0	1,783	15,045
N of Miss	1,570	18,885	2,165	21,368	30	313

**This was not asked in grades 6 and 8.*

A.3.2 Mental Health Inventory

Table 97: Mental Health Inventory 5

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Below MHI-5 cutoff	94.9	94.1	92.5	91.6	92.0	91.7
At or above MHI-5 cutoff	5.1	5.9	7.5	8.4	8.0	8.3
N of Valid	1,401	17,058	2,037	20,256	1,765	14,676
N of Miss	169	1,828	128	1,113	48	682

Table 98: During the past 30 days, how many times have you been a happy person?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
All of the time	28.1	26.1	21.3	19.5	14.2	14.6
Most of the time	42.7	44.5	42.9	41.6	41.7	41.6
A good bit of the time	13.3	13.5	17.2	17.2	22.6	21.1
Some of the time	9.4	9.0	10.8	12.1	13.0	14.1
A little of the time	4.9	5.6	6.4	7.7	7.1	7.0
None of the time	1.6	1.4	1.4	1.9	1.4	1.5
N of Valid	1,517	18,359	2,124	21,078	1,797	15,143
N of Miss	54	527	41	291	16	215

Table 99: During the past 30 days, how many times have you been a very nervous person?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
All of the time	4.8	5.5	4.3	4.9	4.5	4.0
Most of the time	8.8	9.5	8.6	8.1	9.4	9.0
A good bit of the time	10.3	9.7	10.1	10.5	11.7	13.6
Some of the time	14.6	15.7	18.4	17.4	20.6	20.2
A little of the time	36.5	35.5	38.6	37.2	38.4	36.3
None of the time	25.0	24.1	20.1	21.9	15.4	17.1
N of Valid	1,500	18,178	2,118	20,966	1,791	15,132
N of Miss	71	708	46	403	21	228

Table 100: During the past 30 days, how many times have you felt calm and peaceful?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
All of the time	22.4	20.7	14.7	15.2	12.2	12.1
Most of the time	30.2	31.7	29.0	28.2	28.3	27.3
A good bit of the time	19.4	17.2	20.5	19.0	20.0	20.9
Some of the time	12.3	13.2	16.1	17.0	20.6	19.3
A little of the time	8.7	10.3	13.6	13.3	13.7	15.0
None of the time	7.1	6.8	6.1	7.4	5.1	5.4
N of Valid	1,485	18,018	2,095	20,824	1,790	15,048
N of Miss	85	867	69	545	22	310

Table 101: During the past 30 days, how many times have you felt downhearted and blue?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
All of the time	4.2	3.8	3.6	3.9	2.7	2.8
Most of the time	6.7	6.9	6.5	7.9	7.0	7.5
A good bit of the time	8.0	7.9	8.9	9.5	10.9	11.5
Some of the time	13.0	12.0	14.4	15.1	18.5	19.6
A little of the time	26.3	28.9	32.5	30.8	35.1	34.5
None of the time	41.8	40.4	34.0	32.8	25.8	24.1
N of Valid	1,464	17,675	2,078	20,651	1,788	14,921
N of Miss	108	1,209	86	717	24	438

Table 102: During the past 30 days, how many times have you felt so down in the dumps that nothing could cheer you up?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
All of the time	3.5	3.7	3.3	3.5	1.3	2.4
Most of the time	4.7	4.7	4.3	5.0	4.9	4.7
A good bit of the time	5.2	5.6	4.5	6.2	6.4	6.1
Some of the time	7.1	7.3	7.7	8.6	9.0	8.9
A little of the time	17.1	17.9	20.9	19.6	22.4	22.8
None of the time	62.5	60.9	59.4	57.1	56.1	55.2
N of Valid	1,513	18,220	2,123	21,029	1,803	15,082
N of Miss	59	665	42	338	11	276

A.3.3 Depression and Suicidality

Table 103: During the past 12 months, did you ever feel so sad or hopeless almost every day for two weeks or more in a row that you stopped doing some usual activities?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Yes	18.8	19.3	20.8	22.7	24.5	27.9
No	81.2	80.7	79.2	77.3	75.5	72.1
N of Valid	1,516	18,235	2,123	21,073	1,794	14,553
N of Miss	55	651	41	295	18	806

Table 104: During the past 12 months, did you ever seriously consider attempting suicide?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Yes	9.7	9.0	14.6	15.8	13.9	15.1
No	90.3	91.0	85.4	84.2	86.1	84.9
N of Valid	1,468	17,833	2,119	20,943	1,796	14,864
N of Miss	102	1,052	46	426	17	494

Table 105: During the past 12 months, how many times did you actually attempt suicide?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 times	95.0	94.8	91.8	92.0	95.5	94.0
1 time	2.9	3.2	4.3	4.1	2.5	3.4
2 or 3 times	1.2	1.4	2.4	2.5	1.4	1.8
4 or 5 times	0.3	0.2	0.6	0.6	0.4	0.4
6 or more times	0.6	0.4	0.9	0.8	0.1	0.5
N of Valid	1,472	18,116	2,124	21,012	1,801	15,214
N of Miss	98	770	40	355	12	144

A.3.4 Problem Gambling

Table 106: Gambling involves betting anything of value (money, a watch, soda, etc.) on a game or event with an uncertain outcome. Please mark ALL the different types of betting that you have done, if any, during the last 30 days:

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
I did not gamble during the last 30 days.	70.4	66.8	64.6	63.1	65.2	65.7
Playing lottery ticket/Powerball/Megabucks	4.6	4.1	5.4	5.9	6.0	5.9
Playing dice or coin flips.	11.1	10.7	10.1	11.0	6.9	6.5
Playing cards (poker, etc.).	7.6	9.1	12.1	12.8	12.1	11.5
Betting on a sports team.	10.7	12.3	16.2	16.6	15.3	14.2
Betting on games of personal skill (bowling, video games, dares, etc.).	12.3	14.1	16.1	18.2	17.5	15.1
Gambling on the Internet for free or with money.	2.1	2.3	3.6	4.0	4.2	3.9
Playing Bingo for money.	3.2	3.9	2.8	3.8	1.3	2.1
Other.	9.9	10.9	12.9	14.0	9.1	10.0
N of Valid	1,570	18,886	2,165	21,368	1,813	15,358
N of Miss	0	0	0	0	0	0

Table 107: During the last 12 months, have you ever felt bad about the amount you bet, or about what happens when you bet money?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Yes	2.8	3.4	2.9	2.9	2.5	2.4
No	18.2	20.9	27.6	28.6	33.8	30.9
I don't bet for money.	79.1	75.8	69.5	68.6	63.7	66.7
N of Valid	1,452	17,659	2,075	20,612	1,765	14,865
N of Miss	118	1,227	90	757	48	492

Table 108: During the last 12 months, have you ever felt that you would like to stop betting money but didn't think you could?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Yes	2.9	3.1	1.7	2.0	0.7	1.3
No	17.1	19.6	27.3	28.1	33.1	30.5
I don't bet for money.	80.0	77.3	70.9	69.9	66.2	68.2
N of Valid	1,448	17,636	2,067	20,571	1,762	14,830
N of Miss	121	1,250	98	797	51	529

Table 109: Have you ever lied to anyone about betting/gambling?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Yes	4.0	4.5	5.4	5.4	4.0	3.9
No	96.0	95.5	94.6	94.6	96.0	96.1
N of Valid	1,475	17,811	2,071	20,775	1,787	15,018
N of Miss	95	1,075	95	593	25	341

Table 110: Have you ever bet/gambled more than you wanted to?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Yes	3.9	4.1	4.9	5.4	5.3	5.1
No	96.1	95.9	95.1	94.6	94.7	94.9
N of Valid	1,465	17,589	2,056	20,605	1,784	14,943
N of Miss	105	1,297	110	764	30	416

Table 111: Have your parents ever talked to you about the risks of betting/gambling?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Yes	48.7	50.9	44.5	46.3	35.2	35.6
No	51.3	49.1	55.5	53.7	64.8	64.4
N of Valid	1,477	17,724	2,067	20,685	1,776	14,952
N of Miss	93	1,161	97	684	36	406

Table 112: Have your teachers ever talked to you about the risks of betting/gambling?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Yes	21.2	21.2	22.3	22.3	15.1	18.7
No	78.8	78.8	77.7	77.7	84.9	81.3
N of Valid	1,473	17,721	2,066	20,712	1,780	14,987
N of Miss	97	1,164	100	657	32	370

A.4 Substance Use

A.4.1 Tobacco Use

Table 113: During the past 30 days, on how many days did you smoke cigarettes?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 days	98.6	98.5	94.5	94.4	88.0	88.1
1 or 2 days	1.0	0.8	1.9	2.3	3.8	3.7
3 to 5 days	0.1	0.3	0.9	0.9	1.4	1.6
6 to 9 days		0.2	0.7	0.6	1.3	1.0
10 to 19 days		0.1	0.6	0.6	1.2	1.3
20 to 29 days		0.1	0.3	0.3	1.4	1.1
All 30 days	0.3	0.1	1.2	0.9	3.0	3.3
N of Valid	1,424	17,474	2,054	20,513	1,760	14,830
N of Miss	145	1,411	112	857	53	528

Table 114: During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use other tobacco products?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 days	98.7	99.0	95.9	96.3	88.9	90.3
1 or 2 days	0.9	0.5	1.8	1.5	4.2	3.7
3 to 5 days	0.1	0.2	0.6	0.7	1.7	1.5
6 to 9 days		0.1	0.5	0.4	1.5	0.8
10 to 19 days	0.1	0.0	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.9
20 to 29 days		0.0	0.2	0.2	1.1	0.7
All 30 days	0.2	0.1	0.8	0.5	2.0	2.1
N of Valid	1,431	17,450	2,047	20,460	1,757	14,824
N of Miss	140	1,437	118	909	56	534

Table 115: During the past 30 days, on how many days did you smoke tobacco in a "Hookah," also known as a water pipe?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 days					89.6	89.6
1 or 2 days					5.7	5.2
3 to 5 days					2.1	2.3
6 to 9 days					1.3	1.3
10 to 19 days					0.9	0.8
20 to 29 days					0.1	0.2
All 30 days					0.3	0.6
N of Valid	0	0	0	0	1,756	14,836
N of Miss	1,570	18,885	2,165	21,368	55	522

*This was not asked in grades 6 and 8.

Table 116: During the past 30 days, from which of the following sources did you get tobacco (cigarettes, chew, cigars)? Please mark all that apply.

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
I did not get tobacco during the past 30 days					78.8	79.6
A store or gas station					4.7	4.1
Friends 18 or older					11.7	11.3
Friends under 18					6.1	5.7
Took from home without permission					1.3	1.3
A family member					2.7	2.9
The Internet					0.1	0.3
Some other source					2.6	3.1
N of Valid	1,570	18,885	2,165	21,368	1,813	15,358
N of Miss	0	0	0	0	0	0

*This was not asked in grades 6 and 8.

Table 117: Used any tobacco product during the past 30 days

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
No Use	98.0	98.2	93.4	93.1	78.8	79.9
Use	2.0	1.8	6.6	6.9	21.2	20.1
N of Valid	1,437	17,562	2,063	20,609	1,772	14,944
N of Miss	134	1,323	103	760	41	414

Table 118: How old were you when you smoked a whole cigarette for the first time?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Never have	96.5	96.8	89.2	88.4	76.4	76.2
8 or younger	0.9	0.7	0.8	1.1	0.6	1.0
9	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.8	0.4	0.7
10	0.9	0.6	1.1	1.3	0.6	0.9
11	0.7	0.9	1.9	1.5	1.3	1.3
12	0.1	0.3	2.1	2.4	2.0	2.0
13	0.1	0.0	2.9	3.5	3.5	2.9
14		0.1	1.2	0.9	3.9	4.4
15		0.0	0.1	0.1	5.2	5.2
16					4.6	4.4
17 or older					1.6	1.1
N of Valid	1,390	17,044	2,004	20,074	1,755	14,810
N of Miss	181	1,843	162	1,295	59	548

Table 119: How old were you when you smoked a whole cigarette for the first time?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Avg Age in Years	9.7	10.0	11.6	11.5	14.0	13.7

Table 120: How old were you the first time you used tobacco products other than cigarettes such as snuff, chewing tobacco, and smoking tobacco from a pipe?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Never have	97.8	97.7	93.5	91.9	77.3	77.9
8 or younger	0.5	0.6	0.4	1.0	0.5	0.7
9	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.4	0.4	0.4
10	0.6	0.4	0.6	0.8	0.3	0.4
11	0.4	0.7	0.7	1.0	0.6	0.7
12	0.4	0.3	1.5	1.6	1.0	1.3
13		0.0	2.1	2.4	1.6	2.0
14		0.0	0.8	0.9	3.4	3.4
15		0.0	0.1	0.1	6.0	5.7
16					7.3	6.1
17 or older					1.6	1.5
N of Valid	1,392	17,097	2,020	20,138	1,769	14,920
N of Miss	176	1,789	145	1,228	46	438

Table 121: How old were you the first time you used tobacco products other than cigarettes such as snuff, chewing tobacco, and smoking tobacco from a pipe?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Avg Age in Years	9.9	10.1	12.0	11.6	14.6	14.4

A.4.2 Alcohol Use

Table 122: During your life, on how many days have you had at least one drink of alcohol?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 days					29.9	30.6
1 or 2 days					15.9	15.5
3 to 9 days					19.1	17.8
10 to 19 days					11.3	11.1
20 to 39 days					10.3	10.0
40 to 99 days					7.2	7.6
100 or more days					6.3	7.3
N of Valid	0	0	0	0	1,784	15,117
N of Miss	1,570	18,885	2,165	21,368	27	242

**This was not asked in grades 6 and 8.*

Table 123: During the past 30 days, on how many days did you have at least one drink of alcohol?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 days	94.2	93.3	82.6	80.4	62.9	64.1
1 or 2 days	4.6	5.3	11.6	13.0	21.9	21.5
3 to 5 days	0.7	0.7	2.2	3.1	8.5	8.0
6 to 9 days	0.3	0.3	1.9	1.6	4.2	3.6
10 to 19 days		0.2	0.9	1.0	2.0	1.9
20 to 29 days	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.4
All 30 days	0.1	0.2	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.5
N of Valid	1,440	17,670	2,062	20,596	1,789	15,118
N of Miss	130	1,215	102	773	24	241

Table 124: During the past 30 days, on how many days did you have 5 or more drinks of alcohol in a row, that is, within a couple of hours?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 days	98.5	98.3	93.1	91.9	78.1	78.6
1 or 2 days	0.9	1.2	4.1	4.9	13.9	12.8
3 to 5 days	0.2	0.2	0.8	1.4	3.9	4.7
6 to 9 days	0.1	0.1	1.0	0.8	2.7	2.3
10 to 19 days		0.1	0.4	0.5	0.9	1.0
20 to 29 days	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3
All 30 days	0.2	0.1	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.4
N of Valid	1,443	17,632	2,058	20,516	1,774	15,048
N of Miss	128	1,253	107	853	40	311

Table 125: During the past 30 days, on how many days do you think most students in your school had at least one drink of alcohol? (your best estimate)

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 days	57.1	56.5	33.0	35.5	9.4	12.4
1 or 2 days	26.2	28.0	31.7	29.4	17.9	18.9
3 to 5 days	8.4	8.2	14.7	15.2	25.2	24.3
6 to 9 days	4.2	3.4	9.2	9.2	22.6	20.4
10 to 19 days	2.1	2.0	6.7	6.1	16.3	14.4
20 to 29 days	0.5	0.6	1.7	1.8	4.2	4.4
All 30 days	1.4	1.3	3.0	2.9	4.4	5.3
N of Valid	1,390	17,326	2,042	20,399	1,779	15,023
N of Miss	182	1,559	122	969	33	336

Table 126: During the past 30 days, on how many days do you think most students in your school had 5 or more drinks of alcohol in a row, that is, within a couple of hours? (your best estimate)

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 days	78.0	78.7	56.2	57.2	20.4	23.6
1 or 2 days	13.9	13.4	24.6	22.8	28.4	26.8
3 to 5 days	3.8	4.2	8.6	9.1	22.4	20.4
6 to 9 days	2.1	1.8	4.4	5.1	15.0	15.1
10 to 19 days	0.7	0.9	3.3	3.0	8.6	8.4
20 to 29 days	0.6	0.4	1.2	1.3	2.9	2.9
All 30 days	0.9	0.6	1.8	1.5	2.3	3.0
N of Valid	1,382	17,265	2,039	20,359	1,774	14,956
N of Miss	188	1,621	128	1,010	38	402

Table 127: Think of your four best friends (the friends you feel closest to). In the past 12 months, how many of your best friends have tried beer, wine, or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey or gin)?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
None of my friends					26.5	30.7
1 of my friends					16.3	16.3
2 of my friends					19.2	17.3
3 of my friends					11.6	10.1
4 of my friends					26.5	25.6
N of Valid	0	0	0	0	1,783	15,079
N of Miss	1,570	18,885	2,165	21,368	30	280

*This was not asked in grades 6 and 8.

Table 128: During the past 30 days, what type of alcohol did you usually drink? (Select only one response)

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
I did not drink alcohol during the past 30 days.					63.9	64.0
I do not have a usual type.					3.7	4.3
Beer.					6.5	7.3
Flavored beverages (such as Smirnoff, Bacardi Silver, and Hard Lemonade).					5.9	5.0
Wine coolers (such as Bartles and Jaymes or Seagrams Wine).					0.3	0.3
Wine.					1.9	1.8
Liquor (such as vodka, rum, scotch, bourbon, or whiskey).					17.2	16.4
Some other type.					0.5	0.8
N of Valid	0	0	0	0	1,683	14,318
N of Miss	1,570	18,885	2,165	21,368	132	1,041

*This was not asked in grades 6 and 8.

Table 129: During the past 30 days, from which of the following sources did you get the alcohol you drank? Please mark all that apply.

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
I did not drink alcohol during the past 30 days.					59.7	60.2
At a party					17.9	17.3
Friends under 21					12.9	12.5
Friends 21 or older					14.3	13.1
A brother or sister					3.9	3.7
A parent					8.4	8.4
A store or gas station					2.3	2.3
Liquor store					2.5	3.0
Bar night club or restaurant					1.3	1.0
Took it from home without permission					5.6	5.5
By asking a stranger to buy it for me					2.8	3.3
I got it some other way					6.5	7.3
N of Valid	1,570	18,885	2,165	21,368	1,813	15,358
N of Miss	0	0	0	0	0	0

*This was not asked in grades 6 and 8.

Table 130: In the last 12 months, which of the following have you experienced? (Mark all that apply)

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
I did not drink alcohol in the last 12 months.					51.0	52.9
Missed school or class because of drinking alcohol.					2.2	2.4
Gotten sick to my stomach because of drinking alcohol.					16.7	15.7
Not been able to remember what happened while I was drinking alcohol.					16.4	14.2
Later regretted something I did while drinking alcohol.					11.0	10.5
Worried that I drank alcohol too much or too often.					5.4	5.2
N of Valid	1,570	18,885	2,165	21,368	1,813	15,358
N of Miss	0	0	0	0	0	0

*This was not asked in grades 6 and 8.

Table 131: During the past 30 days, how many times did you ride in a vehicle driven by a parent or other adult who had been drinking alcohol?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 times	89.1	89.0	83.0	85.5	83.7	84.5
1 time	6.9	6.4	9.4	7.9	8.7	7.9
2 or 3 times	2.2	2.6	4.7	3.9	5.1	4.9
4 or 5 times	0.7	0.6	1.0	0.9	1.2	1.1
6 or more times	1.1	1.4	1.9	1.8	1.4	1.5
N of Valid	1,400	17,288	2,019	20,253	1,780	14,340
N of Miss	170	1,598	146	1,116	34	1,018

Table 132: During the past 30 days, how many times did you ride in a vehicle driven by a teenager who had been drinking alcohol?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 times					91.6	90.6
1 time					4.9	5.5
2 or 3 times					2.1	2.6
4 or 5 times					0.6	0.6
6 or more times					0.7	0.7
N of Valid	0	0	0	0	1,779	14,275
N of Miss	1,570	18,885	2,165	21,368	35	1,082

**This was not asked in grades 6 and 8.*

Table 133: During the past 30 days, how many times did you drive a car or other vehicle when you had been drinking alcohol?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 times					94.6	94.6
1 time					2.8	3.1
2 or 3 times					1.7	1.4
4 or 5 times					0.2	0.4
6 or more times					0.6	0.4
N of Valid	0	0	0	0	1,757	14,041
N of Miss	1,570	18,885	2,165	21,368	55	1,316

**This was not asked in grades 6 and 8.*

Table 134: During the past 30 days, how many times did most students in your school ride in a vehicle driven by a parent or other adult who had been drinking alcohol?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 times	72.2	72.5	59.6	63.7	41.7	47.7
1 time	13.3	14.4	18.1	16.7	28.4	24.6
2 or 3 times	9.9	8.9	14.6	13.1	23.0	20.2
4 or 5 times	1.6	1.9	3.7	3.2	4.1	4.3
6 or more times	3.0	2.3	4.0	3.3	2.7	3.3
N of Valid	1,349	16,727	1,991	19,981	1,720	13,467
N of Miss	222	2,159	174	1,388	95	1,892

Table 135: During the past 30 days, how many times did most students in your school ride in a vehicle driven by a teenager who had been drinking alcohol?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 times					35.9	41.4
1 time					27.2	23.4
2 or 3 times					26.3	23.4
4 or 5 times					6.9	7.4
6 or more times					3.7	4.4
N of Valid	0	0	0	0	1,711	13,348
N of Miss	1,570	18,885	2,165	21,368	102	2,010

**This was not asked in grades 6 and 8.*

Table 136: During the past 30 days, how many times did most students in your school drive a car or other vehicle when they had been drinking alcohol?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 times					40.0	45.1
1 time					29.7	25.7
2 or 3 times					20.7	19.5
4 or 5 times					6.1	5.7
6 or more times					3.6	4.1
N of Valid	0	0	0	0	1,702	13,466
N of Miss	1,570	18,885	2,165	21,368	111	1,892

**This was not asked in grades 6 and 8.*

Table 137: How old were you when you had more than a sip or two of beer, wine, or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin) for the first time?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Never have	77.6	75.6	60.1	56.0	29.1	29.9
8 or younger	9.0	9.8	10.4	10.6	5.8	6.6
9	3.6	3.9	3.1	3.8	1.8	2.5
10	4.8	4.7	4.0	5.0	2.8	3.5
11	3.7	4.2	4.0	4.6	2.1	2.9
12	1.4	1.6	7.4	8.0	6.2	5.9
13	0.1	0.1	8.4	9.1	8.2	8.5
14		0.1	2.4	2.7	12.2	11.3
15		0.0	0.2	0.1	13.8	14.3
16					14.4	12.2
17 or older					3.7	2.4
N of Valid	1,395	17,116	2,021	20,214	1,776	14,969
N of Miss	176	1,771	144	1,155	39	387

Table 138: How old were you when you had more than a sip or two of beer, wine, or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin) for the first time?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Avg Age in Years	9.3	9.4	10.8	10.8	13.6	13.3

Table 139: How old were you when you first began drinking alcoholic beverages regularly, that is at least once or twice a month?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Never have	97.1	96.7	91.2	88.2	65.9	66.3
8 or younger	0.5	0.8	0.5	1.0	0.2	0.4
9	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.2
10	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.8	0.3	0.4
11	0.8	1.0	1.2	1.1	0.2	0.6
12	0.6	0.5	2.0	2.7	0.7	1.2
13		0.0	2.9	4.0	2.4	2.4
14			1.1	1.7	4.5	5.0
15		0.0	0.1	0.2	7.4	9.1
16					14.0	11.3
17 or older					4.1	3.1
N of Valid	1,397	17,100	2,018	20,130	1,750	14,868
N of Miss	174	1,785	145	1,239	62	491

Table 140: How old were you when you first began drinking alcoholic beverages regularly, that is at least once or twice a month?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Avg Age in Years	10.2	10.1	12.0	12.0	15.2	14.9

A.4.3 Marijuana Use

Table 141: During the past 30 days, how many times did you use marijuana?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 times	98.3	98.3	91.6	90.5	75.7	76.4
1 or 2 times	1.0	0.9	2.7	3.5	8.5	8.3
3 to 9 times	0.3	0.4	1.9	2.2	6.1	5.5
10 to 19 times	0.2	0.1	1.3	1.3	4.1	2.9
20 to 39 times		0.1	0.7	0.9	2.0	1.9
40 or more times	0.1	0.2	1.8	1.7	3.7	4.9
N of Valid	1,430	17,504	2,043	20,493	1,783	15,034
N of Miss	142	1,382	122	876	29	324

Table 142: During the past 30 days, from which of the following sources did you get marijuana? Please mark all that apply.

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
I did not use marijuana during the past 30 days					73.7	74.1
A public event such as a concert or sporting event					1.8	1.9
A party					9.5	8.4
Friends 18 or older					9.9	9.5
Friends under 18					15.2	13.4
A family member					3.0	3.7
A medical marijuana cardholder or grower					3.0	3.5
I gave someone money to buy it for me					5.7	4.5
I grew it					1.3	1.6
I got it some other way					5.9	6.1
N of Valid	1,570	18,885	2,165	21,368	1,813	15,358
N of Miss	0	0	0	0	0	0

*This was not asked in grades 6 and 8.

Table 143: How old were you when you tried marijuana for the first time?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Never have	97.3	97.2	86.7	84.2	57.0	58.1
8 or younger	0.3	0.4	0.8	1.0	0.5	0.7
9	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.8	0.3	0.6
10	0.6	0.5	0.7	1.1	0.7	1.0
11	0.8	1.0	2.0	1.8	0.8	1.2
12	0.6	0.5	2.8	4.1	2.3	3.0
13		0.1	5.3	5.7	6.5	5.7
14		0.1	1.1	1.3	8.0	8.7
15		0.0	0.2	0.1	10.9	10.9
16					10.7	8.3
17 or older					2.3	1.6
N of Valid	1,389	17,077	2,022	20,175	1,767	14,937
N of Miss	182	1,809	143	1,195	46	420

Table 144: How old were you when you tried marijuana for the first time?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Avg Age in Years	10.4	10.5	12.0	11.9	14.4	14.1

A.4.4 Other Drug Use

Table 145: During the past 30 days, on how many days did you sniff glue, breathe the contents of aerosol spray cans, or inhale any paints or sprays to get high?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 days	93.7	93.3	94.2	94.4	98.5	98.2
1 or 2 days	4.4	4.6	3.3	3.3	0.9	1.1
3 to 5 days	0.9	1.1	0.8	1.1	0.2	0.2
6 to 9 days	0.5	0.4	0.7	0.5	0.2	0.1
10 to 19 days	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1
20 to 29 days		0.1	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.1
All 30 days	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.2
N of Valid	1,351	16,814	2,000	20,062	1,757	14,871
N of Miss	219	2,072	164	1,307	56	487

Table 146: During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use a prescription drug (such as OxyContin, Percocet, Vicodin, codeine, Adderall, Ritalin, or Xanax) without a doctor's orders?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 days	98.1	98.3	94.8	95.5	92.7	91.6
1 or 2 days	1.2	0.9	2.8	2.3	3.6	4.3
3 to 5 days	0.1	0.3	1.1	0.9	2.1	1.7
6 to 9 days	0.3	0.1	0.6	0.5	0.9	1.2
10 to 19 days		0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.6
20 to 29 days	0.1	0.0	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.3
All 30 days	0.2	0.1	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.4
N of Valid	1,307	16,609	1,999	20,039	1,755	14,843
N of Miss	265	2,277	165	1,328	58	516

Table 147: Which of the following illicit drugs did you use during the past 30 days? (Please mark all that apply)

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
I did not use illicit drugs during the past 30 days	79.3	82.6	83.2	82.2	73.9	73.9
Marijuana	1.5	1.5	7.0	8.7	22.1	21.8
Any form of cocaine including powder, crack or freebase	0.3	0.3	0.7	0.7	0.9	0.9
Ecstasy (also called MDMA)	0.3	0.1	0.9	0.8	1.0	1.7
Heroin or other opiates or narcotics	0.2	0.1	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4
LSD or other hallucinogens or psychedelics	0.2	0.1	1.0	0.8	1.0	1.5
Methamphetamines (also called speed, crystal, crank or ice)	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.5
Steroid pills or shots without a doctor's prescription	0.4	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.2	0.3
N of Valid	1,570	18,885	2,165	21,369	1,813	15,359
N of Miss	0	0	0	0	0	0

Table 148: Any illicit drug use including marijuana, cocaine, ecstasy, herion, halluciongens or methamphetamines)

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
No Use	98.3	98.2	92.5	91.0	77.4	77.8
Use	1.7	1.8	7.5	9.0	22.6	22.2
N of Valid	1,570	18,885	2,165	21,369	1,813	15,358
N of Miss	0	0	0	0	0	0

Table 149: Any illicit drug use including cocaine, ecstasy, herion, halluciongens or methamphetamines)

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
No Use	99.3	99.4	98.1	98.2	97.5	96.7
Use	0.7	0.6	1.9	1.8	2.5	3.3
N of Valid	1,571	18,885	2,165	21,368	1,813	15,358
N of Miss	0	0	0	0	0	0

A.4.5 Lifetime Drug Use

Table 150: During your life, how many times have you used marijuana?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 times					56.8	57.7
1 or 2 times					8.2	7.8
3 to 9 times					8.7	8.3
10 to 19 times					5.4	5.2
20 to 39 times					4.7	4.6
40 or more times					16.0	16.3
N of Valid	0	0	0	0	1,752	14,874
N of Miss	1,570	18,885	2,165	21,368	60	485

**This was not asked in grades 6 and 8.*

Table 151: During your life, how many times have you sniffed glue, breathed the contents of aerosol spray cans, or inhaled any paints or sprays to get high?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 times					92.1	91.7
1 or 2 times					4.5	4.7
3 to 9 times					1.4	1.5
10 to 19 times					0.9	0.9
20 to 39 times					0.2	0.4
40 or more times					1.0	0.8
N of Valid	0	0	0	0	1,762	14,899
N of Miss	1,570	18,885	2,165	21,368	50	460

**This was not asked in grades 6 and 8.*

Table 152: During your life, how many times have you taken steroid pills or shots without a doctor's prescription?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 times					97.6	97.6
1 or 2 times					1.1	0.9
3 to 9 times					0.4	0.6
10 to 19 times					0.5	0.3
20 to 39 times					0.1	0.2
40 or more times					0.2	0.4
N of Valid	0	0	0	0	1,757	14,888
N of Miss	1,570	18,885	2,165	21,368	56	470

**This was not asked in grades 6 and 8.*

Table 153: During your life, how many times have you taken a prescription drug without a doctor's prescription?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 times					86.4	86.3
1 or 2 times					5.0	4.8
3 to 9 times					3.8	3.7
10 to 19 times					2.8	2.2
20 to 39 times					1.0	1.3
40 or more times					1.0	1.8
N of Valid	0	0	0	0	1,757	14,882
N of Miss	1,570	18,885	2,165	21,368	56	477

**This was not asked in grades 6 and 8.*

Table 154: During your life, how many times have you used any form of cocaine, including powder, crack or freebase?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 times					95.4	95.3
1 or 2 times					2.4	2.3
3 to 9 times					0.9	1.0
10 to 19 times					0.5	0.5
20 to 39 times					0.3	0.3
40 or more times					0.5	0.6
N of Valid	0	0	0	0	1,760	14,886
N of Miss	1,570	18,885	2,165	21,368	53	472

**This was not asked in grades 6 and 8.*

Table 155: During your life, how many times have you used ecstasy (also called MDMA)?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 times					93.6	93.0
1 or 2 times					3.4	3.3
3 to 9 times					1.8	1.8
10 to 19 times					0.3	0.8
20 to 39 times					0.5	0.4
40 or more times					0.3	0.7
N of Valid	0	0	0	0	1,738	14,788
N of Miss	1,570	18,885	2,165	21,368	75	572

**This was not asked in grades 6 and 8.*

Table 156: During your life, how many times have you used heroin (also called smack, junk, or China White)?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 times					98.6	98.4
1 or 2 times					0.7	0.8
3 to 9 times					0.2	0.2
10 to 19 times					0.2	0.2
20 to 39 times					0.1	0.1
40 or more times					0.2	0.4
N of Valid	0	0	0	0	1,762	14,886
N of Miss	1,570	18,885	2,165	21,368	52	472

**This was not asked in grades 6 and 8.*

Table 157: During your life, how many times have you used methamphetamines (also called speed, crystal, crank or ice)?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 times					98.1	97.4
1 or 2 times					0.7	1.2
3 to 9 times					0.5	0.4
10 to 19 times					0.1	0.3
20 to 39 times					0.3	0.2
40 or more times					0.3	0.5
N of Valid	0	0	0	0	1,757	14,873
N of Miss	1,570	18,885	2,165	21,368	56	485

**This was not asked in grades 6 and 8.*

Table 158: During your life, how many times have you used a needle to inject any illegal drug into your body?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
0 times					99.0	98.8
1 time					0.6	0.6
2 or more times					0.3	0.6
N of Valid	0	0	0	0	1,755	14,777
N of Miss	1,570	18,885	2,165	21,368	58	580

**This was not asked in grades 6 and 8.*

Table 159: Lifetime drug use (includes marijuana, inhalants, steroids, prescription drugs, cocaine, ecstasy, heroin, methamphetamines)

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
No Use					54.3	55.2
Use					45.7	44.8
N of Valid	0	0	0	0	1,769	14,968
N of Miss	1,570	18,885	2,165	21,368	44	391

**This was not asked in grades 6 and 8.*

Table 160: Lifetime drug use other than marijuana (includes inhalants, steroids, prescription drugs, cocaine, ecstasy, heroin, methamphetamines)

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
No Use					80.6	80.2
Use					19.4	19.8
N of Valid	0	0	0	0	1,765	14,955
N of Miss	1,570	18,885	2,165	21,368	47	403

**This was not asked in grades 6 and 8.*

A.4.6 Availability of Alcohol, Tobacco and Drugs

Table 161: If you wanted to get some, how easy would it be for you to get some beer, wine, or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin)?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Very hard	62.8	64.5	33.2	35.5	11.9	12.0
Somewhat hard	17.4	15.7	20.9	20.9	16.5	16.9
Sort of easy	12.1	11.6	24.7	24.0	32.9	33.2
Very easy	7.7	8.2	21.2	19.6	38.7	37.9
N of Valid	1,301	15,754	1,976	19,439	1,759	14,817
N of Miss	269	3,132	189	1,929	54	541

Table 162: If you wanted to get some, how easy would it be for you to get some cigarettes?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Very hard	70.1	72.9	45.6	48.4	18.9	18.4
Somewhat hard	14.2	11.9	22.0	19.2	16.2	18.0
Sort of easy	8.9	7.6	15.9	15.4	23.0	23.3
Very easy	6.9	7.6	16.4	16.9	41.9	40.3
N of Valid	1,284	15,526	1,964	19,375	1,749	14,756
N of Miss	287	3,360	199	1,993	63	603

Table 163: If you wanted to get some, how easy would it be for you to get some marijuana?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Very hard	84.4	83.7	54.4	53.7	17.9	18.5
Somewhat hard	6.8	7.1	13.8	13.5	11.7	12.2
Sort of easy	4.7	4.6	14.0	13.1	20.0	21.0
Very easy	4.1	4.6	17.8	19.8	50.4	48.2
N of Valid	1,279	15,539	1,965	19,319	1,751	14,767
N of Miss	291	3,347	201	2,049	63	591

Table 164: If you wanted to get some, how easy would it be for you to get a drug like cocaine, LSD, or amphetamines?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Very hard	90.8	90.6	76.2	77.8	50.2	51.6
Somewhat hard	5.4	4.9	12.2	11.4	23.9	24.2
Sort of easy	1.4	2.2	5.9	5.4	13.1	12.6
Very easy	2.4	2.3	5.7	5.4	12.8	11.7
N of Valid	1,290	15,479	1,959	19,357	1,741	14,731
N of Miss	280	3,406	206	2,012	72	627

A.4.7 Perceived Risk of Harm from Substance Use

Table 165: How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they take one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage (beer, wine, liquor) nearly every day?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
No risk	18.2	18.2	11.5	13.9	11.5	14.1
Slight risk	33.3	34.4	31.2	32.4	30.4	31.3
Moderate risk	26.8	25.9	33.5	31.4	32.7	31.0
Great risk	21.7	21.5	23.8	22.3	25.4	23.6
N of Valid	1,357	16,654	2,003	19,890	1,762	14,884
N of Miss	214	2,232	161	1,479	50	476

Table 166: How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) when they have five or more drinks of an alcoholic beverage once or twice a week?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
No risk	13.4	13.5	6.7	8.5	4.9	6.0
Slight risk	21.8	20.8	16.5	18.9	16.2	18.0
Moderate risk	34.6	35.6	37.7	38.6	40.1	37.6
Great risk	30.2	30.0	39.2	34.0	38.7	38.4
N of Valid	1,352	16,527	1,996	19,791	1,761	14,850
N of Miss	218	2,359	169	1,576	52	508

Table 167: How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they smoke one or more packs of cigarettes per day?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
No risk	11.6	11.8	5.9	7.3	4.5	5.8
Slight risk	6.6	7.1	6.8	7.2	7.3	7.1
Moderate risk	18.3	17.0	17.1	18.5	16.0	17.1
Great risk	63.5	64.1	70.3	67.0	72.3	70.0
N of Valid	1,355	16,421	1,980	19,588	1,747	14,744
N of Miss	214	2,465	184	1,780	66	614

Table 168: How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they try marijuana once or twice?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
No risk	14.9	16.5	18.4	22.1	41.4	41.3
Slight risk	28.7	28.1	30.6	31.4	34.9	33.1
Moderate risk	27.1	28.1	26.5	24.8	14.2	14.5
Great risk	29.3	27.3	24.5	21.8	9.5	11.0
N of Valid	1,338	16,289	1,986	19,669	1,755	14,788
N of Miss	232	2,597	178	1,701	59	569

Table 169: How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they smoke marijuana once or twice a week?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
No risk	12.6	13.3	11.1	13.9	21.6	23.1
Slight risk	11.0	12.0	13.1	15.9	25.1	25.2
Moderate risk	25.5	26.5	28.8	27.6	29.4	27.1
Great risk	50.9	48.2	47.0	42.5	23.9	24.6
N of Valid	1,347	16,276	1,992	19,697	1,751	14,836
N of Miss	224	2,610	174	1,671	61	523

Table 170: How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to have one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Very wrong	76.9	75.2	58.5	55.2	38.1	37.3
Wrong	17.9	18.2	26.9	28.1	34.3	33.5
A little bit wrong	3.9	5.1	11.2	12.7	20.6	21.5
Not wrong at all	1.4	1.5	3.4	4.1	7.0	7.7
N of Valid	1,350	16,993	2,009	20,223	1,726	14,641
N of Miss	220	1,891	157	1,146	87	718

Table 171: How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to smoke one or more packs of cigarettes a day?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Very wrong	92.2	91.9	80.7	80.4	69.4	67.6
Wrong	6.0	6.2	13.9	14.3	21.5	21.4
A little bit wrong	1.0	1.2	2.9	3.2	5.9	7.6
Not wrong at all	0.9	0.7	2.5	2.1	3.1	3.4
N of Valid	1,343	16,890	1,998	20,123	1,715	14,589
N of Miss	227	1,995	166	1,246	98	770

Table 172: How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to try marijuana or hashish once or twice?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Very wrong	81.8	79.4	54.4	53.9	23.9	25.7
Wrong	13.0	14.2	22.4	20.9	17.7	17.9
A little bit wrong	3.6	4.6	13.7	14.9	27.9	25.3
Not wrong at all	1.6	1.9	9.4	10.3	30.5	31.0
N of Valid	1,338	16,767	1,991	20,040	1,706	14,433
N of Miss	234	2,118	175	1,329	107	926

Table 173: How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to use marijuana or hashish once a month or more?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Very wrong	85.1	83.0	64.4	62.5	30.3	31.7
Wrong	10.6	11.8	18.1	18.0	22.5	21.1
A little bit wrong	2.7	3.3	9.9	11.3	23.9	23.0
Not wrong at all	1.6	1.9	7.7	8.2	23.4	24.2
N of Valid	1,308	16,227	1,907	19,275	1,700	14,391
N of Miss	263	2,658	257	2,093	114	968

Table 174: How wrong do you believe most students in your school think it is for someone their age to have one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Very wrong	67.2	63.0	39.6	40.0	18.6	20.3
Wrong	20.8	24.2	33.0	30.7	26.1	27.1
A little bit wrong	9.2	10.0	19.2	21.3	34.5	34.0
Not wrong at all	2.7	2.8	8.2	8.0	20.8	18.6
N of Valid	1,291	16,557	1,992	19,967	1,708	14,504
N of Miss	279	2,328	174	1,401	105	853

A.4.8 Communication about Substance Use

Table 175: During the past 12 months, do you recall hearing, reading, or watching an advertisement about prevention of substance abuse?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Yes	44.2	44.4	63.7	60.6	81.0	78.4
No	28.8	29.1	17.8	19.6	10.4	12.2
Don't know or can't say	27.0	26.5	18.5	19.8	8.6	9.5
N of Valid	1,342	16,744	2,015	20,200	1,745	14,753
N of Miss	229	2,142	150	1,168	68	605

Table 176: During the past 12 months, have you had a special class about drugs or alcohol in school?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Yes	41.2	42.0	53.1	53.5	47.8	47.8
No	48.4	49.0	37.2	36.7	45.1	44.2
Don't know or can't say	10.4	9.0	9.7	9.8	7.1	8.0
N of Valid	1,338	16,761	2,007	20,093	1,735	14,690
N of Miss	233	2,125	158	1,275	77	669

Table 177: During the past 12 months, have you talked with at least one of your parents about the dangers of tobacco, alcohol, or drug use?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Yes	62.3	62.3	66.5	67.2	73.1	70.0
No	28.8	28.7	24.5	24.5	21.8	23.9
Don't know or can't say	8.9	9.0	9.0	8.3	5.1	6.1
N of Valid	1,338	16,738	2,012	20,099	1,735	14,701
N of Miss	232	2,148	154	1,270	78	658

Table 178: Would you be more or less likely to want to work for an employer that tests its employees for drug or alcohol use on a random basis?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
More likely					31.2	31.3
Less likely					18.4	17.3
Would make no difference					45.3	45.1
Don't know or can't say					5.1	6.3
N of Valid	0	0	0	0	1,721	14,600
N of Miss	1,570	18,885	2,165	21,368	93	759

**This was not asked in grades 6 and 8.*

A.5 Parenting and Parental Attitudes

A.5.1 Family Management

Table 179: My parents ask if I've gotten my homework done.

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Very much true	78.4	80.0	67.4	65.6	51.6	50.7
Pretty much true	12.6	11.7	17.2	18.0	22.9	22.4
A little true	4.8	5.0	10.2	9.5	16.2	16.0
Not at all true	4.1	3.3	5.2	6.9	9.3	11.0
N of Valid	1,261	16,368	1,970	19,968	1,690	14,516
N of Miss	310	2,518	195	1,401	122	842

Table 180: My parents would catch me if I skipped school.

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Very much true	81.1	81.1	69.8	68.2	50.4	48.1
Pretty much true	10.0	9.1	15.0	15.5	21.3	20.9
A little true	4.2	4.6	8.5	9.1	18.0	18.5
Not at all true	4.8	5.1	6.8	7.2	10.4	12.6
N of Valid	1,242	16,155	1,955	19,731	1,660	14,343
N of Miss	328	2,731	209	1,637	153	1,014

Table 181: When I am not at home, one of my parents knows where I am and whom I am with.

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Very much true	78.9	77.8	67.9	66.7	49.5	51.1
Pretty much true	13.1	13.3	19.0	19.9	30.5	28.5
A little true	4.7	4.9	9.3	9.2	14.6	15.1
Not at all true	3.2	3.9	3.8	4.3	5.4	5.3
N of Valid	1,270	16,477	1,987	20,047	1,692	14,539
N of Miss	301	2,409	179	1,321	121	818

Table 182: My family has clear rules about alcohol and drug use.

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Very much true	82.1	83.5	73.1	71.8	58.4	58.1
Pretty much true	10.6	9.2	14.4	14.8	21.5	21.3
A little true	4.2	3.9	8.4	8.6	13.9	14.1
Not at all true	3.2	3.4	4.1	4.8	6.2	6.5
N of Valid	1,268	16,408	1,978	19,992	1,687	14,500
N of Miss	302	2,479	186	1,377	126	858

Table 183: How would most students in your school respond to this statement: "My family has clear rules about alcohol and drug use."

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Very much true					16.3	17.3
Pretty much true					37.3	38.5
A little true					37.7	35.7
Not at all true					8.8	8.5
N of Valid	0	0	0	0	1,679	14,420
N of Miss	1,570	18,885	2,165	21,368	133	937

**This was not asked in grades 6 and 8.*

A.5.2 Parental Attitudes towards Substance Use

Table 184: How wrong do you think your parents feel it would be for you to drink beer, wine, or liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin) regularly (at least once or twice a month)?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Very wrong	87.4	87.2	80.4	77.8	58.6	57.8
Wrong	8.0	7.9	11.9	13.2	23.6	22.0
A little bit wrong	3.0	3.3	5.0	6.6	13.2	14.5
Not wrong at all	1.6	1.6	2.7	2.4	4.5	5.6
N of Valid	1,338	16,782	2,003	20,111	1,718	14,547
N of Miss	232	2,103	162	1,257	95	812

Table 185: How wrong do you think your parents feel it would be for you to smoke cigarettes?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Very wrong	93.5	93.8	89.1	89.3	82.5	81.4
Wrong	4.5	4.3	7.0	7.3	11.4	12.0
A little bit wrong	0.9	1.1	2.2	2.0	3.7	4.1
Not wrong at all	1.1	0.7	1.8	1.3	2.3	2.5
N of Valid	1,328	16,730	1,991	20,110	1,724	14,563
N of Miss	243	2,156	174	1,259	90	795

Table 186: How wrong do you think your parents feel it would be for you to smoke marijuana?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Very wrong	95.2	95.4	88.0	86.1	72.1	70.7
Wrong	2.7	2.6	6.0	7.6	13.7	14.4
A little bit wrong	1.1	1.1	3.8	3.9	9.7	9.4
Not wrong at all	0.9	0.9	2.2	2.4	4.5	5.5
N of Valid	1,326	16,695	1,990	20,051	1,721	14,561
N of Miss	244	2,190	176	1,317	92	797

A.6 Height and Weight

A.6.1 BMI and Weight

Table 187: BMI Percentile Ranking

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Underweight					3.0	3.1
Healthy Weight					69.3	71.7
Overweight					14.6	13.5
Obese					13.0	11.6
N of Valid	0	0	0	0	1,579	13,385
N of Miss	1,570	18,885	2,165	21,368	233	1,973

**This was not asked in grades 6 and 8.*

Table 188: How do you describe your weight?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Very underweight					1.3	1.7
Slightly underweight					12.9	12.3
About the right weight					56.1	57.1
Slightly overweight					25.7	24.8
Very overweight					4.0	4.1
N of Valid	0	0	0	0	1,662	14,436
N of Miss	1,570	18,885	2,165	21,368	151	920

**This was not asked in grades 6 and 8.*

Table 189: Which of the following are you trying to do about your weight?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Lose weight					44.5	43.7
Gain weight					16.4	15.8
Stay the same weight					18.5	18.4
I am not trying to do anything about my weight					20.6	22.1
N of Valid	0	0	0	0	1,658	14,425
N of Miss	1,570	18,885	2,165	21,368	154	934

**This was not asked in grades 6 and 8.*

Table 190: During the past 30 days, did you go without eating for 24 hours or more (also called fasting) to lose weight or to keep from gaining weight?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Yes					12.2	11.0
No					87.8	89.0
N of Valid	0	0	0	0	1,661	14,418
N of Miss	1,570	18,885	2,165	21,368	152	940

**This was not asked in grades 6 and 8.*

Table 191: During the past 30 days, did you take any diet pills, powders, or liquids without a doctor's advice to lose weight or to keep from gaining weight? (Do not include meal replacement products such as Slim Fast.)

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Yes					4.4	5.0
No					95.6	95.0
N of Valid	0	0	0	0	1,652	14,398
N of Miss	1,570	18,885	2,165	21,368	161	959

**This was not asked in grades 6 and 8.*

Table 192: During the past 30 days, did you vomit or take laxatives to lose weight or to keep from gaining weight?

	Grade 6		Grade 8		Grade 11	
	County	State	County	State	County	State
Yes					4.3	4.2
No					95.7	95.8
N of Valid	0	0	0	0	1,651	14,391
N of Miss	1,570	18,885	2,165	21,368	161	968

**This was not asked in grades 6 and 8.*

B SWS QUESTIONNAIRES



Oregon Student Wellness Survey for Grades 6 & 8

1. The survey is completely voluntary and anonymous. DO NOT put your name on the questionnaire.

2. This is not a test, so there are no right or wrong answers. We would like you to work quickly so you can finish.

3. All of the questions should be answered by completely filling in one of the answer spaces. If you do not find an answer that fits exactly, use the one that comes closest. If any question does not apply to you, or you are not sure what it means, just leave it blank. You can skip any question that you do not wish to answer.

4. Please mark only ONE oval unless the question specifically asks you to "Please mark all that apply." Completely fill in the oval using a #2 pencil.

1. How old are you?

- 10 years old
- 11 years old
- 12 years old
- 13 years old
- 14 years old
- 15 years old

2. What is your sex?

- Female
- Male

3. In what grade are you?

- 6th
- 7th
- 8th
- 9th

4. What is your race? (Please mark all that apply.)

- American Indian or Alaska Native
- Asian
- Black or African American
- Native or Other Pacific Islander
- White

5. Are you Hispanic or Latino/Latina?

- Yes
- No

6. What is the language you use most often at home?

- English
- Russian
- Spanish
- Vietnamese
- A tribal language
- Another language

Would you say that in general your...



7. emotional and mental health is...

- Excellent
- Very Good
- Good
- Fair
- Poor

8. physical health is...

- Excellent
- Very Good
- Good
- Fair
- Poor

9. Have you changed schools (including changing from elementary to middle and middle to high school) in the past year?

- Yes
- No

10. How many times have you changed homes since kindergarten?

- Never
- 1 or 2 times
- 3 or 4 times
- 5 or 6 times
- 7 or more times

11. Putting them all together, what were your grades like last year?

- Mostly A's
- Mostly B's
- Mostly C's
- Mostly D's
- Mostly F's

12. During the LAST FOUR WEEKS how many whole days of school have you missed because you skipped or "cut"?

- None
- 1 day
- 2 days
- 3 days
- 4 to 5 days
- 6 to 10 days
- 11 days or more

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13. How do you like school?

- I like school very much
- I like school
- I neither like nor dislike school
- I dislike school
- I dislike school very much

14. How important do you think the things you are learning in school are going to be for your later life?

- Very important
- Quite important
- Fairly important
- Slightly important
- Not at all important

	Almost always	Sometimes	Often	Seldom	Never
15. How often do you feel that the schoolwork you are assigned is meaningful and important?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
16. Thinking back over the past school year, how often did you try to do your best work in school?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

How much do you agree with the following statements about school?

	Strongly disagree	Somewhat disagree	Somewhat agree	Strongly agree
17. I have lots of chances to be part of class discussions or activities.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
18. There are lots of chances for students in my school to get involved in sports, clubs, and other school activities outside of class.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
19. I respect most of my teachers.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
20. My teachers notice when I am doing a good job and let me know about it.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
21. I can talk to my teachers openly and freely about my concerns.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
22. In my school, teachers treat students with respect.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
23. Most students at my school help each other when they are hurt or upset.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
24. In my school, students that work hard to get good grades are picked on by other students.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

	0 days	1 day	2 or 3 days	4 or 5 days	6 or more days
During the past 30 days, on how many days did you...					
25. not go to school because you felt you would be unsafe at school or on your way to or from school?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
26. carry a gun as a weapon on school property?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
27. carry a weapon (other than a gun) such as a knife or club on school property?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

	0 times	1 time	2 or 3 times	4 or 5 times	6 or 7 times	8 or 9 times	10 or 11 times	12 or more times
During the past 12 months, how many times...								
28. were you in a physical fight?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
29. were you in a physical fight on school property?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
30. did you bully someone (such as hitting, kicking, pushing, saying mean things, spreading rumors, or making sexual comments that bothered them)?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
31. have you been suspended from school?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
32. has someone threatened you with a weapon such as a gun, knife, or club on school property?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

33. During the past 12 months, has anyone offered, sold, or given you an illegal drug on school property?

- Yes
- No

	0 times	1 time	2 or 3 times	4 or 5 times	6 or more times
Harassment can include threatening, bullying, name-calling or obscenities, offensive notes or graffiti, unwanted touching, and being pushed around or hit. In the last 30 days, how many times have you been harassed at school, on a school bus or going to and from school...					
34. because of your race or ethnic origin.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
35. because someone said you were gay, lesbian, bisexual or transgender.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
36. because of who your friends are.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
37. because of how you look (weight, clothes, acne, or other physical characteristics).	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
38. because you received unwanted sexual comments or attention.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
39. through e-mail, chat rooms, instant messaging, Web sites, texting or phone.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
40. for other reasons.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

How often have you...	Never	Once or twice per year	Once or twice per month	Once or twice per week	Every day
41. seen another student bully others by hitting, kicking, punching or otherwise hurting them in school or on the school bus?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
42. heard another student bully others by saying mean things, teasing or calling other students names in your school or on the school bus?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
43. heard another student spread mean rumors or leave other students out of activities to be mean in your school or on the school bus?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

During the past 30 days, how much of the time have you...	None of the time	A little of the time	Some of the time	A good bit of the time	Most of the time	All of the time
44. been a happy person?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
45. been a very nervous person?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
46. felt calm and peaceful?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
47. felt downhearted and blue?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
48. felt so down in the dumps that nothing could cheer you up?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

49. During the past 12 months, did you ever feel so sad or hopeless almost every day for two weeks or more in a row that you stopped doing some usual activities?

- Yes
- No

50. During the past 12 months, did you ever seriously consider attempting suicide?

- Yes
- No

51. During the past 12 months, how many times did you actually attempt suicide?

- 0 times
- 1 time
- 2 or 3 times
- 4 or 5 times
- 6 or more times

52. Gambling involves betting anything of value (money, a watch, soda, etc.) on a game or event with an uncertain outcome. Please check ALL the different types of betting that you have done, if any, during the last 30 days:

- I did not gamble during the last 30 days
- Playing lottery tickets/Powerball/Megabucks
- Playing dice or coin flips
- Playing cards (poker, etc.)
- Betting on a sports team
- Betting on games of personal skill (bowling, video games, dares, etc.)
- Gambling on the Internet for free or with money
- Playing Bingo for money
- Other

53. During the last 12 months, have you ever felt bad about the amount you bet, or about what happens when you bet money?

- Yes
- No
- I don't bet for money

54. During the last 12 months, have you ever felt that you would like to stop betting money but didn't think you could?

- Yes
- No
- I don't bet for money

	Yes	No
55. Have you ever lied to anyone about betting/gambling?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
56. Have you ever bet/gambled more than you wanted to?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
57. Have your parents ever talked to you about the risks of betting/gambling?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
58. Have your teachers ever talked to you about the risks of betting/gambling?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

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The next questions ask about drinking alcohol. This includes drinking beer, wine/wine coolers, flavored beverages such as Mike's Hard Lemonade and liquor ("shots") such as rum, gin, vodka, or whiskey. For these questions, drinking alcohol does not include drinking a few sips of wine for religious purposes.

During the past 30 days, on how many days did you...

	20	All 30 days
	10 to 19 days	
	6 to 9 days	
	3 to 5 days	
	1 or 2 days	
	0 days	

59. have at least one drink of alcohol?
60. have 5 or more drinks of alcohol in a row, that is, within a couple of hours?

During the past 30 days, on how many days do you think most students in your school...

61. had at least one drink of alcohol? (your best estimate)
62. had 5 or more drinks of alcohol in a row, that is, within a couple of hours? (your best estimate)

63. During the past 30 days, how many times did you ride in a vehicle driven by a parent or other adult who had been drinking alcohol?
64. During the past 30 days, how many times did most students in your school ride in a vehicle driven by a parent or other adult who had been drinking alcohol?

	6 or more times
	4 or 5 times
	2 or 3 times
	1 time
	0 times

During the past 30 days, on how many days did you...

	All 30 days
	20 to 19 days
	10 to 9 days
	6 to 5 days
	3 to 2 days
	1 or 0 days

65. smoke cigarettes?
66. use other tobacco products?

67. During the past 30 days, how many times did you use marijuana?

- 0 times
- 1 or 2 times
- 3 to 9 times
- 10 to 19 times
- 20 to 39 times
- 40 or more times

How old were you...

	8 years old or younger
	9 years old
	10 years old
	11 years old
	12 years old
	13 years old
	14 years old
	15 years old

68. when you had more than a sip or two of beer, wine, or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin) for the first time?
69. when you first began drinking alcoholic beverages regularly, that is at least once or twice a month?
70. when you smoked a whole cigarette for the first time?
71. the first time you used tobacco products other than cigarettes such as snuff, chewing tobacco, and smoking tobacco from a pipe?
72. when you tried marijuana for the first time?

How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways)...

	Great risk
	Moderate risk
	Slight risk
	No risk

73. if they take one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage (beer, wine, liquor) nearly every day?
74. when they have five or more drinks of an alcoholic beverage once or twice a week?
75. if they smoke one or more packs of cigarettes per day?
76. if they try marijuana once or twice?
77. if they smoke marijuana once or twice a week?

If you wanted to get some, how easy would it be for you to...

	Very easy
	Sort of easy
	Somewhat hard
	Very hard

78. get some beer, wine, or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin)?
79. get some cigarettes?
80. get some marijuana?
81. get a drug like cocaine, LSD, or amphetamines?

During the past 30 days, on how many days did you...

	All 30 days
	20 to 19 days
	10 to 9 days
	6 to 5 days
	3 to 2 days
	1 or 0 days

82. sniff glue, breathe the contents of aerosol spray cans, or inhale any paints or sprays to get high?
83. use a prescription drug (such as OxyContin, Percocet, Vicodin, codeine, Adderall, Ritalin, or Xanax) without a doctor's orders?

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1. The survey is completely voluntary and anonymous. DO NOT put your name on the questionnaire.

2. This is not a test, so there are no right or wrong answers. We would like you to work quickly so you can finish.

3. All of the questions should be answered by completely filling in one of the answer spaces. If you do not find an answer that fits exactly, use the one that comes closest. If any question does not apply to you, or you are not sure what it means, just leave it blank. You can skip any question that you do not wish to answer.

4. Please mark only ONE oval unless the question specifically asks you to "Please mark all that apply." Completely fill in the oval using a #2 pencil.

1. How old are you?

- 14 years old
- 15 years old
- 16 years old
- 17 years old
- 18 years old
- 19 years old or older

2. What is your sex?

- Female
- Male

3. Which of the following best describes you?

- Heterosexual (straight)
- Gay or lesbian
- Bisexual
- I wonder/think I'm transgendered
- Not sure

4. In what grade are you?

- 9th
- 10th
- 11th
- 12th
- Ungraded or other grade

5. What is your race? (Please mark all that apply.)

- American Indian or Alaska Native
- Asian
- Black or African American
- Native or Other Pacific Islander
- White

6. Are you Hispanic or Latino/Latina?

- Yes
- No

7. What is the language you use most often at home?

- English
- Russian
- Spanish
- Vietnamese
- A tribal language
- Another language

Would you say that in general your ...

8. emotional and mental health is...

9. physical health is...

Very Good Excellent	Good	Fair	Poor
<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

10. Have you changed schools (including changing from elementary to middle and middle to high school) in the past year?

- Yes
- No

11. How many times have you changed homes since kindergarten?

- Never
- 1 or 2 times
- 3 or 4 times
- 5 or 6 times
- 7 or more times

12. Putting them all together, what were your grades like last year?

- Mostly A's
- Mostly B's
- Mostly C's
- Mostly D's
- Mostly F's

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13. During the LAST FOUR WEEKS how many whole days of school have you missed because you skipped or "cut"?

- None
- 1 day
- 2 days
- 3 days
- 4 to 5 days
- 6 to 10 days
- 11 days or more

14. How do you like school?

- I like school very much
- I like school
- I neither like nor dislike school
- I dislike school
- I dislike school very much

15. How important do you think the things you are learning in school are going to be for your later life?

- Very important
- Quite important
- Fairly important
- Slightly important
- Not at all important

	Almost always	Often	Sometimes	Seldom	Never
16. How often do you feel that the schoolwork you are assigned is meaningful and important?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
17. Thinking back over the past school year, how often did you try to do your best work in school?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

How much do you agree with the following statements about school?

	Strongly agree	Somewhat agree	Strongly disagree	Somewhat disagree
18. I have lots of chances to be part of class discussions or activities.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
19. There are lots of chances for students in my school to get involved in sports, clubs, and other school activities outside of class.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
20. I respect most of my teachers.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
21. My teachers notice when I am doing a good job and let me know about it.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
22. I can talk to my teachers openly and freely about my concerns.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
23. In my school, teachers treat students with respect.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
24. Most students at my school help each other when they are hurt or upset.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
25. In my school, students that work hard to get good grades are picked on by other students.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

During the past 30 days, on how many days did you...

	0 days	1 day	2 or 3 days	4 or 5 days	6 or more days
26. not go to school because you felt you would be unsafe at school or on your way to or from school?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
27. carry a gun as a weapon on school property?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
28. carry a weapon (other than a gun) such as a knife or club on school property?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

During the past 12 months, how many times...

	0 times	1 time	2 or 3 times	4 or 5 times	6 or 7 times	8 or 9 times	10 or 11 times	12 or more times
29. were you in a physical fight?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
30. were you in a physical fight on school property?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
31. did you bully someone (such as hitting, kicking, pushing, saying mean things, spreading rumors, or making sexual comments that bothered them)?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
32. have you been suspended from school?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
33. has someone threatened you with a weapon such as a gun, knife, or club on school property?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
34. have you been drunk or high at school?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

35. During the past 12 months, has anyone offered, sold, or given you an illegal drug on school property?

- Yes
- No

Harassment can include threatening, bullying, name-calling or obscenities, offensive notes or graffiti, unwanted touching, and being pushed around or hit. In the last 30 days, how many times have you been harassed at school, on a school bus or going to and from school...

	0 times	1 time	2 or 3 times	4 or 5 times	6 or more times
36. because of your race or ethnic origin.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
37. because someone said you were gay, lesbian, bisexual or transgender.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
38. because of who your friends are.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
39. because of how you look (weight, clothes, acne, or other physical characteristics).	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
40. because you received unwanted sexual comments or attention.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
41. through e-mail, chat rooms, instant messaging, Web sites, texting or phone.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
42. for other reasons.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

How often have you...	Never	Once or twice per year	Once or twice per month	Once or twice per week	Every day
43. seen another student bully others by hitting, kicking, punching or otherwise hurting them in school or on the school bus?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
44. heard another student bully others by saying mean things, teasing or calling other students names in your school or on the school bus?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
45. heard another student spread mean rumors or leave other students out of activities to be mean in your school or on the school bus?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

46. On an average school night, how many hours of sleep do you get?

- 4 or less
- 5 hours
- 6 hours
- 7 hours
- 8 hours
- 9 hours
- 10 or more hours

During the past 30 days, how much of the time have you...	None of the time	A little of the time	Some of the time	A good bit of the time	Most of the time	All of the time
47. been a happy person?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
48. been a very nervous person?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
49. felt calm and peaceful?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
50. felt downhearted and blue?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
51. felt so down in the dumps that nothing could cheer you up?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

52. During the past 12 months, did you ever feel so sad or hopeless almost every day for two weeks or more in a row that you stopped doing some usual activities?

- Yes
- No

53. During the past 12 months, did you ever seriously consider attempting suicide?

- Yes
- No

54. During the past 12 months, how many times did you actually attempt suicide?

- 0 times
- 1 time
- 2 or 3 times
- 4 or 5 times
- 6 or more times

55. Gambling involves betting anything of value (money, a watch, soda, etc.) on a game or event with an uncertain outcome. Please mark ALL the different types of betting that you have done, if any, during the last 30 days:

- I did not gamble during the last 30 days
- Playing lottery tickets/Powerball/Megabucks
- Playing dice or coin flips
- Playing cards (poker, etc.)
- Betting on a sports team
- Betting on games of personal skill (bowling, video games, dares, etc.)
- Gambling on the Internet for free or with money
- Playing Bingo for money
- Other

56. During the last 12 months, have you ever felt bad about the amount you bet, or about what happens when you bet money?

- Yes
- No
- I don't bet for money

57. During the last 12 months, have you ever felt that you would like to stop betting money but didn't think you could?

- Yes
- No
- I don't bet for money

	Yes	No
58. Have you ever lied to anyone about betting/gambling?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
59. Have you ever bet/gambled more than you wanted to?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
60. Have your parents ever talked to you about the risks of betting/gambling?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
61. Have your teachers ever talked to you about the risks of betting/gambling?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

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	40 or more times	20 to 39 times	10 to 19 times	3 to 9 times	1 or 2 times	0 times
During your life, how many times have you...						
97. Used marijuana?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
98. Sniffed glue, breathed the contents of aerosol spray cans, or inhaled any paints or sprays to get high?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
99. Taken steroid pills or shots without a doctor's prescription?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
100. Taken a prescription drug without a doctor's prescription, to get high?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
101. Used any form of cocaine, including powder, crack or freebase?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
102. Used ecstasy (also called MDMA)?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
103. Used heroin (also called smack, junk, or China White)?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
104. Used methamphetamines (also called speed, crystal, crank or ice)?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

105. During your life, how many times have you used a needle to inject any illegal drug into your body?

- 0 times
- 1 time
- 2 or more times

	All 30 days	20 to 29 days	10 to 19 days	6 to 9 days	3 to 5 days	1 or 2 days	0 days
During the past 30 days, on how many days did you...							
106. sniff glue, breathe the contents of aerosol spray cans, or inhale any paints or sprays to get high?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
107. use a prescription drug (such as OxyContin, Percocet, Vicodin, codeine, Adderall, Ritalin, or Xanax) without a doctor's orders?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

108. Which of the following illicit drugs did you use during the past 30 days? Please mark all that apply.

- I did not use illicit drugs during the past 30 days
- Marijuana
- Any form of cocaine including powder, crack or freebase
- Ecstasy (also called MDMA)
- Heroin or other opiates or narcotics
- LSD or other hallucinogens or psychedelics
- Methamphetamines (also called speed, crystal, crank or ice)
- Steroid pills or shots without a doctor's prescription

	Don't know or can't say	No	Yes
During the past 12 months...			
109. do you recall hearing, reading, or watching an advertisement about prevention of substance abuse?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
110. have you had a special class about drugs or alcohol in school?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
111. have you talked with at least one of your parents about the dangers of tobacco, alcohol, or drug use? By parents we mean your biological parents, adoptive parents, stepparents, or adult guardians, whether or not they live with you.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

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

- More likely
- Less likely
- Would make no difference
- Don't know or can't say

	Not wrong at all	A little bit wrong	Wrong	Very wrong
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to...				
113. have one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
114. smoke one or more packs of cigarettes a day?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
115. try marijuana or hashish once or twice?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
116. use marijuana or hashish once a month or more?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
117. How wrong do you believe most students in your school think it is for someone their age to have one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

	Not wrong at all	A little bit wrong	Wrong	Very wrong
How wrong do you think your parents feel it would be for you to...				
118. drink beer, wine, or liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin) regularly (at least once or twice a month)?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
119. smoke cigarettes?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
120. smoke marijuana?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

How true are the following statements?

	Very much true	A little true	Not at all true
121. I can do most things if I try.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
122. I can work out my problems.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
123. I volunteer to help others in my community.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
124. There is at least one teacher or other adult in my school that really cares about me.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
125. My parents ask if I've gotten my homework done.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
126. My parents would catch me if I skipped school.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
127. When I am not at home, one of my parents knows where I am and whom I am with.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
128. My family has clear rules about alcohol and drug use.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
129. How would most students in your school respond to this statement: "My family has clear rules about alcohol and drug use."	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

130. How tall are you without your shoes on?

Directions: Write your height in the shaded blank boxes. Fill in the matching circle below each number.

Height	
Feet	Inches
4	10
(3)	(0)
(4)	(1)
(5)	(2)
(6)	(3)
(7)	(4)
(8)	(5)
(9)	(6)
(10)	(7)
(11)	(8)
(12)	(9)
(13)	(10)
(14)	(11)

Height	
Feet	Inches
(3)	(0)
(4)	(1)
(5)	(2)
(6)	(3)
(7)	(4)
(8)	(5)
(9)	(6)
(10)	(7)
(11)	(8)
(12)	(9)
(13)	(10)
(14)	(11)

131. How much do you weigh without your shoes on?

Directions: Write your weight in the shaded blank boxes. Fill in the matching circle below each number.

Weight	
Pounds	
0	5
(0)	(0)
(1)	(1)
(2)	(2)
(3)	(3)
(4)	(4)
(5)	(5)
(6)	(6)
(7)	(7)
(8)	(8)
(9)	(9)

Weight	
Pounds	
(0)	(0)
(1)	(1)
(2)	(2)
(3)	(3)
(4)	(4)
(5)	(5)
(6)	(6)
(7)	(7)
(8)	(8)
(9)	(9)

132. How do you describe your weight?

- Very underweight
- Slightly underweight
- About the right weight
- Slightly overweight
- Very overweight

133. Which of the following are you trying to do about your weight?

- Lose weight
- Gain weight
- Stay the same weight
- I am not trying to do anything about my weight

During the past 30 days, did you...

	Yes	No
134. Go without eating for 24 hours or more (also called fasting) to lose weight or to keep from gaining weight?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
135. Take any diet pills, powders, or liquids without a doctor's advice to lose weight or to keep from gaining weight? (Do not include meal replacement products such as Slim Fast.)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
136. Vomit or take laxatives to lose weight or to keep from gaining weight?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

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