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### **PREFACE**

### HYPERLINK FEATURE

The digital version of this report has been hyperlinked. Click on the title of a section or a table in the List of Tables and you will be automatically directed to the actual content section or table in the report.

This report provides the detailed results for each question from the 2023-24 California Healthy Kids Survey (CHKS) for schools within this school district. The CHKS, along with its two companion surveys—the California School Staff Survey (CSSS) and the California School Parent Survey (CSPS)—form the California Department of Education's California School Climate, Health, and Learning Survey (CalSCHLS) System. CalSCHLS is the largest, most comprehensive state effort in the nation to regularly assess students, staff, and parents to provide key data on school climate and safety, learning supports and barriers, stakeholder engagement, and youth development, health, and well-being. Exhibit 1, at the end of the Preface, presents the major domains and constructs assessed by CalSCHLS. Appendix I lists the schools that administered the survey in the district and their response rates; Appendix II provides more information about CHKS questions.

These surveys grew out of the California Department of Education's (CDE) commitment to helping schools create more positive, safe, supportive, and engaging environments and to promoting the successful cognitive, social, emotional, and physical development of all students. They provide a wealth of information to guide school improvement and **Local Control and Accountability Plan** (LCAP) efforts, particularly in regard to the state priorities of enhancing school climate, pupil engagement, parent involvement, and addressing the needs of vulnerable groups.

Factsheets, guidebooks, and other resources to help in understanding and using CHKS results are available for downloading from the CalSCHLS website (<u>calschls.org</u>). The California Safe and Supportive Schools website (<u>ca-safe-supportive-schools.wested.org</u>) provides information and tools helpful in implementing effective strategies to address the needs identified by the survey.

The CalSCHLS technical advisor team offers data workshops and coaching to help identify local needs and develop action plans to meet those needs.

### THE SURVEY

CDE has funded the CHKS since 1997 to provide data to assist schools in: (1) fostering safe and supportive school climates, social-emotional competencies, and engagement in learning; (2) preventing youth health-risk behaviors and other barriers to academic achievement; and (3) promoting positive youth development, resilience, and well-being. A thorough understanding of the scope and nature of student behaviors, attitudes, experiences, and supports is essential for guiding school improvement and academic, prevention, and health programs. Appendix II is a brief guide to key CHKS Core Module indicators designed to help survey users more easily understand and interpret their findings.

The CHKS is not just a standalone instrument but a data collection system that districts can customize to meet local needs and interests. The secondary-school CHKS consists of a required general Core Module and a series of optional, supplementary topic-focused modules that districts can elect to administer.

Districts may also add their own questions of local interest in a custom module. Table 1 indicates the modules administered by the district/school.

### **Core Module**

As summarized in Appendix II, the Core Module consists of key questions that are considered most important for schools to guide improvement of academic, health, and prevention programs and promote student achievement, college and career readiness, positive development, and well-being. The majority of the questions are school-specific, including the following indicators:

- student grades, truancy, boredom at school, attendance, academic motivation, and school connectedness, as indicators of engagement;
- developmental supports (protective factors) that promote positive academic, social, and emotional outcomes: experiences of caring adult relationships, high expectations, and opportunities for meaningful participation at school;
- perceived school safety, bullying, and victimization; and
- violence perpetration, substance use, and crime-related behavior (e.g., weapons possession).

The Core Module also assesses indicators of student well-being in general, including the scope and nature of substance use and mental health and wellness (chronic sadness, social and emotional distress, life satisfaction, and contemplation of suicide). These questions provide insight into important barriers to learning and development.

A wide range of demographic questions help districts identify differences among student groups and to better address the needs of significant and vulnerable students, including those required to be included in LCAP efforts. These include differences in the results related to race/ethnicity, gender, sexual orientation, and socioeconomic status; homeless and foster status; and English language proficiency.

### **Behavioral Health Module (Supplementary)**

The Behavioral Health Module (BHM) is a multiform survey module that assesses secondary student well-being indicators (i.e., social isolation, body image and disordered eating, responses to trauma, stress-associated health conditions, and precursors to and consequences of substance use) and protective factors (i.e., home adult supports, peer supports, and school mental health supports). This module assesses almost all of the measures that were assessed on the 2022-23 Mental Health Supports Module, Student Trauma Module, and Alcohol and Other Drugs (AOD) Module—which have been discontinued. The BHM assesses more content while minimizing the survey length for individual students by using a multiform instrument. Students are randomly administered one of two BHM survey forms to reduce survey burden and collect representative data on more aspects of behavioral health. Because the BHM is administered to all schools participating in the Biennial State CHKS, statewide comparison data will be available for all BHM results.

### **School Climate Module (Supplementary)**

To further support school improvement efforts and the LCAP process, a supplementary School Climate Module is available. It provides additional data on student academic mindset, school academic supports, discipline/order, supports for social-emotional learning, bullying prevention, peer relationships, respect for diversity, and the quality of the physical environment (calschls.org/survey-administration/downloads).

### Social Emotional Health Module (Supplementary)

The Social Emotional Health Module (SEHM) greatly enhances the value of the CHKS as a strength-based assessment of positive emotions, engagement, ability to build and maintain relationships, and other social-

emotional capacities linked to student mental health and well-being and academic success. It includes 43 items that capture core adolescent psychological assets. The combination of the SEHM and Core Module yields a comprehensive set of data to inform decisions about mental health and social-emotional learning programs.

### SURVEY ADMINISTRATION AND SAMPLE

School staff administered the survey, following detailed instructions provided by CDE that were designed to assure the protection of all student and parental rights to privacy and to maintain confidentiality. Students were surveyed only with the consent of parents or guardians. Each student's participation was voluntary, anonymous, and confidential.

- Table A1.1 describes the target sample of students and the final number and percent of students who completed the survey (the participation response rate).
- Appendix I lists all the secondary schools in the district that were eligible to participate in the survey and the percentage of their enrolled students that completed the survey (included in the district report).

### THE REPORT

The report tables, organized by topic, provide the percentage of students that responded to each question response option by grade level. Percentages are rounded to the nearest whole number.

### **LCAP Subgroup Results**

Summary tables provide key findings (e.g., safety, school connectedness, bullying and harassment, developmental supports) disaggregated by each of the LCAP subgroups (race/ethnic subgroups, socioeconomically disadvantaged students, English learners and long-term English learners, students with disabilities, students in foster care, and unhoused youth). Results are also disaggregated by gender. Districts can subscribe to the District CalSCHLS data dashboard to disaggregate their CHKS results by these and other factors (i.e., students who report different levels of caring relations with adults at school).

### ONLINE DATA DASHBOARDS

**Public Dashboard**. Anyone can examine online key state, county, and district CHKS results on the public CalSCHLS Data Dashboard (<u>calschls.org/reports-data/dashboard</u>). The dashboard can be used to graphically display statewide, county, and district key indicators from the Core and School Climate Modules, trends over time, and disparities in survey outcomes across subgroups. Group differences across LCAP subgroups and other characteristics (e.g., chronic sadness) can be examined. In addition to displaying results interactively on the web, dashboard results can be exported as Image and PDF files for dissemination. District data are publicly posted on the dashboard by the end of November of the year following survey administration.

The District Dashboard Option. Districts may also purchase a two-year subscription to a password-protected, private data dashboard that displays up to 11 years of CalSCHLS data at not only the district level but also the *individual school level*. The dashboard provides designated staff with graphical data displays for the district as a whole, for all schools in the district on the same page to enable comparisons across schools, and for a single, individual school. At both the district and school level, viewers can:

• compare their data with district and state averages;

- make comparisons across groups such as race/ethnicity, sexual orientation, gender identity, and many other characteristics (LCAP subgroups, chronic sadness, caring relationships); and
- examine data trends over time overall and by different demographic groups.

Viewers at both the district level and the school level have the option to download data displays as a PDF document which can be shared with stakeholders.

### UNDERSTANDING THE DATA

Care must be taken to understand the factors that can impact the quality, validity, and generalizability of the results. These include changes that occur in survey content, administration, and/or sample characteristics between administrations. The following are a few of the key issues that should be kept in mind.

### Representativeness

Among the most important factors affecting the quality of survey results is the level and type of student participation. The validity and representativeness of the results will be adversely affected if the student response rate is lower than 70 percent (see Table A1.1 and Appendix I for student response rates). One indication of the survey's representativeness is how accurately the sample reflects the gender and ethnic composition of the student enrollment. Even if the response rate is low, the results provide an indication of what those students who did respond felt about the school and their experiences and behavior.

### **Changes Between Survey Administrations**

Many factors besides real changes in behavior, attitudes, or experiences among students may account for changes in results from administration to administration. Changes may be due to differences over time in the characteristics or size of the sample of students who completed the survey, changes in the questions themselves, or differences between time periods in which the survey was administered (e.g., some risk behaviors tend to increase as students age, or may increase during holidays or social events).

### RESOURCES

<u>CalSCHLS.org</u> contains numerous guidebooks and other resources for using and understanding survey results.

- CHKS **factsheets** analyze key topics at the state level, show how data variables are related, and offer suggestions for how data can be analyzed at the local level (<u>calschls.org/resources/factsheets</u>).
- *Making Sense of School Climate* provides a discussion of CalSCHLS survey items that relate to school climate (data.calschls.org/resources/S3 schoolclimateguidebook final.pdf).
- The California Center for School Climate (<u>ca-safe-supportive-schools.wested.org/california-center-for-school-climate/</u>) provides free support and trainings on school climate and data use to LEAs in California. The website provides archived virtual events and other school climate improvement resources.
- The *California Safe and Supportive Schools Newsletter* provides monthly announcements of resources, tools, webinars and workshops, and research. Sign up on <a href="mailto:ca-safe-supportive-schools.wested.org/subscribe/">ca-safe-supportive-schools.wested.org/subscribe/</a>.
- CDE's California Safe and Supportive Schools website (<u>ca-safe-supportive-schools.wested.org</u>) contains a wealth of information and tools related to school climate

- improvement and social-emotional learning. It includes factsheets analyzing CalSCHLS data and *What Works Briefs* that provide guidance on strategies to implement.
- The CalSCHLS Item Crosswalk (<u>calschls.org/resources/#resources\_and\_tools</u>) is a handy table listing all the constructs and questions that are on two or more of the CalSCHLS surveys, along with the report table number where results can be found, to assist in the comparison of findings among students, staff, and parents.

### **NEXT STEPS**

Receiving this report is just a beginning step in a data-driven decision-making process of continuous improvement. The following describes some additional steps you should take and some custom services (additional fees apply) available from the CalSCHLS technical advisor team. These will help in fostering effective use of the results and provide additional information to support school and program improvement efforts and the LCAP process.

### Engage Students, Staff, and Parents in Reviewing the Results and Action Planning

Engage students, parents, and school/community stakeholders in reviewing and exploring the meaning of the results. Obtain their input into how the school might better meet the identified school and student needs and into developing a detailed action plan to guide school/community collaborative efforts. This communicates to stakeholders that you value their input into how to improve the school/community and gives them an opportunity for meaningful participation. By enlisting their collaboration, you also increase the prospect that the identified needs will be successfully addressed.

As part of this process, WestEd staff can facilitate a *Data Workshop* designed to identify local needs based on the survey results and engage adult stakeholders in developing a detailed plan and timetable for meeting those needs using evidence-based strategies. For more information, contact your CalSCHLS technical advisor (<u>calschls.org/contact</u>) or email <u>calschls@wested.org</u>.

### **Compare Results with Other Data**

The value of your CHKS results will be greatly enhanced if examined in the context of the following sources of related data.

- Staff and Parent Surveys. If your school district has administered the CalSCHLS school staff and parent surveys, obtain these results and compare them to those provided by students. It is important to determine how consistent are student, staff, and parent perceptions and experiences. To facilitate these comparisons, the CalSCHLS Survey Item Crosswalk (calschls.org/resources/#resources and tools) lists all the constructs and questions that are on two or more of the CalSCHLS surveys, along with the report table number where results can be found. If your district did not administer these companion surveys, urge them to do so next time.
- Elementary CHKS Results. Examine how the results from 9<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> graders compare with those from 5<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> graders if your district also administered the CHKS at these school levels. The elementary, middle, and high school surveys contain common indicators that will enable you to gain a sense of the developmental trajectory in these indicators and explore what programs at the elementary and middle school levels might help mitigate problems that are evident among older students.
- Other Data. Examine how the results compare with other youth data collected within the district that relate to the variables assessed. Other relevant school-related data include discipline

referrals, school demographic information, school vandalism costs, and behavioral observations in classrooms.

• Similar District and Statewide Results. The results from the biennial state administration of the CHKS, which provide representative state norms, can be downloaded from the CalSCHLS website (data.calschls.org/resources/Biennial\_State\_1921.pdf) or examined on the CalSCHLS Data Dashboard (calschls.org/reports-data/dashboard). If there is a school district that you consider similar to your own, you can also check to see if they have administered the survey and download the results for comparison (calschls.org/reports-data/search-lea-reports). How you compare to state and district results can provide some context for your results, but the most important consideration is what your own results say about the students in your school/community.

### **Data Workshop**

To assist in your review of the survey results, you can request your CalSCHLS techical advisor to conduct a structured, customized *Data Workshop*. In this workshop, a survey specialist works with district stakeholders to promote better understanding of the results and to identify local needs that need to be addressed. The workshops can also include engaging stakeholders in developing a detailed Action Plan and timetable for meeting those needs using evidence-based strategies. For more information, contact your CalSCHLS technical advisor (calschls.org/contact) or email calschls@wested.org.

### **Request Additional Reports and Data**

As you review your data with stakeholders, you may find that additional data needs emerge. The following custom services are available to help delve more deeply into your survey results and foster more effective use of the results in support of school and program improvement efforts and the LCAP process.

# School Reports, School Climate Report Cards, Mental Health Reports, and School Boredom Reports

If the schools in the district vary significantly in demographics, programs, or other characteristics, consider requesting individual reports for each school. Four types of reports are available:

- A full report with all the survey results
- A short, user-friendly, graphic **School Climate Report Card** that provides trends across key indicators of school climate and provides two-year state averages on those indicators (calschls.org/reports-data/#slcr)
- A graphic **Mental Health Report** that describes key indicators of mental health by grade level and by survey administration year (calschls.org/reports-data/#slcr)
- A **School Boredom Report** that describes how much students value school and how bored they feel at school (calschls.org/reports-data/#slcr)

### **Disaggregated Reports**

CalSCHLS staff can produce full reports that look at how results vary by demographic subgroups (e.g., race/ethnicity), or by other characteristics of youth, such as those who are low in academic motivation compared to those who are high. This can be valuable for identifying what subgroups need to be targeted with what resources and programs. Given the LCAP requirement that districts identify and address the needs of underserved subgroups, doing this would be a natural next step for addressing subgroup disparities.

### **Additional Analysis of Data**

The complete dataset is available electronically for additional analysis (<u>calschls.org/reports-data</u>). The dataset enables analyses of patterns in the results, how they are interrelated, and how they vary by different subgroups of students and across schools within a district. You can also request an analysis by WestEd staff of any topic of interest.

### **Add Questions to Your Next Surveys**

Determine what additional information is needed from students to guide school improvement efforts and add questions to your next CHKS, staff, or parent surveys. All three surveys are designed so that schools can add additional questions to help them conduct a more individualized and comprehensive assessment.

For more information about survey planning or technical assistance in understanding survey results and developing effective action plans to address identified needs, call the CalSCHLS helpline (562.799.5164) or email calschls@wested.org.

Exhibit 1
Major School-Related Domains and Constructs Assessed by CalSCHLS in Secondary Schools

	Student Core	Student School Climate	Student Social Emotional Health	Staff Survey	Parent Survey
Student Learning Engagement					
Academic mindset			✓		
Academic motivation	✓	✓		✓	✓
Academic performance (grades)	✓				
Attendance (absences and reasons absent)	✓			✓	
School boredom	✓				
School connectedness	✓				
Student Social-Emotional and Physical Well-being					
Alcohol, tobacco, and drug use	✓			✓	✓
Behavioral self-control			✓		
Bedtime	✓				
Collaboration			✓		
Emotional self-regulation			✓		
Empathy			✓		
Gratitude			✓		
Life satisfaction	✓				
Optimism	✓				
Perceived safety	✓			✓	✓
Persistence			✓		
Problem solving			✓		
Self-awareness			✓		
Self-efficacy			✓		
Social-emotional competencies and health			<b>√</b>	✓	
Social-emotional distress	✓				
Violence and victimization (bullying)	✓			✓	✓
Zest			✓		
<b>School Climate Conditions</b>					
Academic rigor and norms				✓	✓
College and career supports				✓	✓
Family support			✓		
High expectations	✓			✓	✓
Meaningful participation and decision-making	✓			✓	<b>√</b>
Parent involvement	✓			<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>
Physical environment	✓	<b>√</b>		<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>
Relationships among staff				<b>√</b>	
Relationships among students		<b>√</b>	✓	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>
Relationships between students and staff	✓			<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>
Respect for diversity and cultural sensitivity		<b>√</b>		<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>
Teacher and other supports for learning		✓		<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>
School Climate Improvement Practices		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		<u> </u>	-
Bullying prevention		✓		<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>
Discipline and order (policies, enforcement)		<b>✓</b>		✓	· ·
Services and policies to address student needs		•			•
Social-emotional/behavioral supports		<b>√</b>			
Staff supports		•			

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# **Survey Module Administration**

Table 1
CHKS Survey Modules Administered

Survey Module	Administered
A. Core (Required)	X
B. Behavioral Health Module (BHM)	X
C. Closing the Achievement Gap (CTAG) Module	
D. Community Health Module (CHM)	
E. Community Schools Module	
F. District Afterschool Module (DASM)	
G. Drug-Free Communities (DFC) Module	
H. Gang Risk Awareness Module (GRAM)	
I. Gender Identity & Sexual Orientation-Based Harassment Module	
J. Military-Connected School Module	
K. Physical Health & Nutrition Module	
L. Resilience & Youth Development Module (RYDM)	
M. Safety & Violence Module	
N. School Climate Module (SCM)	X
O. Sexual Behavior Module	
P. Social Emotional Health Module (SEHM)	X
Q. Tobacco Module	
Z. Custom Questions	

# **Core Module Results**

# 1. Survey Sample

Table A1.1 Student Sample for Core Module

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	$NT^A$
Student Sample Size				
Target sample	740	784	847	127
Final number	302	13	38	98
Response Rate	41%	2%	4%	77%

*Note:* <sup>A</sup>NT includes continuation, community day, and other alternative school types.

Table A1.2

Number of Respondents by Instructional Model

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
In-school learning only	279	1	3	94
Remote learning only	23	12	35	4

# 2. Summary of Key Indicators

Table A2.1

Key Indicators of School Climate

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %	Table
School Engagement and Supports					
School connectedness†# (In-School Only)	51			65	A6.4
School connectedness $^{\dagger\psi}$ (Remote Only)	37	55	60		A6.4
Academic motivation <sup>†</sup>	56	83	72	60	A6.4
School is really boring <sup>±</sup>	49	33	33	32	A6.11
School is worthless and a waste of time <sup>±</sup>	20	8	14	11	A6.11
Monthly Absences (3 or more)	16	17	13	27	A6.2
Maintaining focus on schoolwork $^{\dagger\Gamma}$	32	50	42	30	A6.10
Caring adult relationships <sup>‡</sup>	55	67	74	60	A6.4
High expectations <sup>‡</sup>	67	89	73	66	A6.4
Meaningful participation <sup>‡</sup>	25	12	31	30	A6.4
Facilities upkeep $^{\dagger\Phi}$	32			71	A6.15
Promotion of parental involvement in school <sup>†</sup>	55	67	68	62	A6.4
School Safety and Cyberbullying					
School perceived as very safe or safe $^{\Phi}$	44			76	A8.1
Experienced any harassment or bullying§	55	17	3	13	A8.2
Had mean rumors or lies spread about you§	41	8	8	22	A8.3
Been afraid of being beaten up $^{\S\Phi}$	33			5	A8.3
Been in a physical fight $^{\S\Phi}$	12			9	A8.4
Seen a weapon on campus $^{\$\Phi}$	17			8	A8.6
Cyberbullying <sup>§</sup>	37	8	8	20	A8.3

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Agree" or "Strongly agree."

<sup>\*</sup>The scale was based on five survey questions for in-school respondents.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>psi}$ *The scale was based on four questions for remote respondents.* 

 $<sup>\</sup>pm$ Rating of 7 or higher.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>Gamma}$ Survey question was reverse-coded.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>Phi}$ *In-School only.* 

<sup>‡</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Pretty much true" or "Very much true."

<sup>§</sup> Past 12 months.

Table A2.2

Key Indicators of Substance Use, Remote Schooling, and Student Well-Being

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT	Table
	%	%	%	%	
Substance Use					
Current alcohol or drug use <sup>¶</sup>	8	17	3	21	A9.5
Current tobacco use <sup>¶</sup>	3	8	6	16	A10.6
Current marijuana use <sup>¶</sup>	3	17	0	17	A9.5
Current binge drinking <sup>¶</sup>	1	17	0	7	A9.5
Very drunk or "high" 7 or more times, ever	1	8	0	10	A9.7
Been drunk or "high" on drugs at school, ever	3	0	3	13	A9.9
Current cigarette smoking <sup>¶</sup>	0	8	0	5	A10.4
Current use of vape products <sup>¶</sup>	5	0	6	19	A10.4
Current tobacco vaping <sup>¶</sup>	3	0	6	15	A10.5
Current marijuana vaping <sup>¶</sup>	2	0	3	14	A10.5
Routines					
Eating of breakfast	52	50	42	42	A4.1
Bedtime (at 12 am or later)	21	42	61	41	A4.2
Remote Schooling					
Remote learning frequency (5 days per week) $^{\P\delta}$	30	45	69		A5.1
Synchronous instruction (4 days or more) $^{\parallel\delta}$	11	27	20		A5.1
Interest in schoolwork done from home $^{\dagger\delta}$	18	50	59		A5.3
Meaningful opportunities $^{\ddagger\delta}$	47	55	82		A5.2
Social and Emotional Health					
Social emotional distress <sup>‡</sup>	35	30	40	23	A7.5
Experienced chronic sadness/hopelessness§	44	42	44	29	A7.1
Considered suicide§	20	8	14	14	A7.2
Optimism <sup>‡</sup>	48	50	39	39	A7.3
Life satisfaction <sup>∓</sup>	57	63	54	55	A7.4

<sup>¶</sup>Past 30 days.

Today.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>delta}$ *Remote only.* 

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>∥</sup>Past 7 days.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Agree" or "Strongly agree."

<sup>‡</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Pretty much true" or "Very much true."

<sup>§</sup>Past 12 months.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>+</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Satisfied" or "Very satisfied."

# 3. Demographics

Table A3.1 School Schedule, Past 30 Days

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
In-School Model	92	8	8	96
Remote Learning Model	8	92	92	4

Question HS/MS A.1: Which of the following best describes your school schedule during the past 30 days? Notes: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

In-School Model - Respondents selecting "I went to school in person at my school building for the entire day, Monday through Friday."

Remote Learning Model - Respondents selecting "I participated in school from home for the entire day on most or all weekdays and did not go to school in person."

Table A3.2

Gender of Sample

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Male	48	31	37	54
Female	49	62	58	42
Nonbinary	2	0	5	3
Something else	2	8	0	1

*Question HS/MS A.3: What is your gender?* 

Table A3.3
Sexual Orientation

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Straight (not gay)	78	83	82	81
Lesbian or Gay	2	0	3	2
Bisexual	9	8	11	8
Something else	1	0	3	2
Not sure	6	0	3	1
Decline to respond	3	8	0	5

Question HS/MS A.5: Which of the following best describes you?

Note: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

Table A3.4

Gender Identity

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
No, I am not transgender	91	92	95	92
Yes, I am transgender	0	0	3	2
I am not sure if I am transgender	4	0	0	1
Decline to respond	4	8	3	5

Question HS/MS A.4: Some people describe themselves as transgender when how they think or feel about their gender is different from the sex they were assigned at birth. Are you transgender?

Table A3.5

Race or Ethnicity

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
American Indian or Alaska Native, non-Hispanic	4	0	0	1
Asian or Asian American, non-Hispanic	19	0	16	11
Black or African American, non-Hispanic	4	8	8	2
Hispanic or Latinx	57	42	63	65
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander, non-Hispanic	1	0	3	6
White, non-Hispanic	2	17	5	3
Multiracial, non-Hispanic	10	17	5	7
Something else, non-Hispanic	3	17	0	4

Question HS/MS A.6: What is your race or ethnicity? (Mark All That Apply.)... American Indian or Alaska Native... Asian or Asian American... Black or African American... Hispanic or Latinx... Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander... White... Something else.

Note: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

Table A3.6

Living Arrangements and Housing Status

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
A home with one or more parent or guardian	87	83	89	78
Other relative's home	3	8	0	2
A home with more than one family	7	8	5	15
Friend's home	0	0	0	0
Foster home, group care, or waiting placement	0	0	0	1
Hotel or motel	0	0	0	0
Shelter, car, campground, or other transitional or temporary housing	1	0	0	0
Other living arrangement	2	0	5	4

Question HS/MS A.9: What best describes where you live? A home includes a house, apartment, trailer, or mobile home.

Table A3.7

Living Situation

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Home with one or more parent or guardian	87	83	89	78
Foster home	0	0	0	1
Homeless	1	0	0	0
Other living arrangement	12	17	11	21

Question HS/MS A.9: What best describes where you live? A home includes a house, apartment, trailer, or mobile home

Notes: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

Category "Homeless" includes "Friend's home," "Hotel or motel," and "Shelter, car, campground, or other transitional or temporary housing."

Category "Other living arrangement" includes "Other relative's home," "A home with more than one family," and "Other living arrangement."

Table A3.8

Parental Education

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Did not finish high school	7	17	24	37
Graduated from high school	15	25	13	22
Attended college but did not complete four-year degree	9	25	16	6
Graduated from college	38	17	37	10
Don't know	31	17	11	24

Question HS/MS A.10: What is the highest level of education your parents or guardians completed? (Mark the educational level of the parent or guardian who went the furthest in school.)

Table A3.9
Special Education Services

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
No	74	75	70	66
Yes	6	8	8	15
Don't know	16	17	22	17
Prefer not to say	4	0	0	2

Question HS/MS A.15: Do you have an IEP (Individualized Education Plan) or get special education services? Note: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

Table A3.10

English Learner Program Designation

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
	%	%	%	%
No	77	67	87	73
Yes	14	0	3	9
Don't know	9	33	11	18

Question HS/MS A.13: Are you in the English Learner Program at school?

Note: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

Table A3.11
English Learner (EL) Program Duration and Long-Term English Learner (LTEL) Status

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
	%	%	%	%
Not currently in English Learner Program	85		97	89
Less than 7 years (EL)	11		3	7
7 years or more (LTEL)	3		0	4

Question HS/MS A.13, 14: Are you in the English Learner Program at school?... How many years have you been in the English Learner Program across all schools you've attended?

Notes: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

Category "Less than 7 years (EL)" includes responses "Less than 3 years," "3 to 4 years," and "5 to 6 years."

Table A3.12

Language Spoken at Home

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
English	58	75	68	49
Spanish	26	17	26	40
Mandarin	1	0	0	0
Cantonese	1	0	0	0
Taiwanese	0	0	0	0
Tagalog	3	0	3	3
Vietnamese	2	0	0	0
Korean	0	0	0	0
Arabic	0	0	0	0
Other	9	8	3	7

Question HS/MS A.12: What language is spoken most of the time in your home?

Table A3.13

English Language Proficiency Among Students Speaking a Language Other Than English at Home

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
How well do you				
understand English?				
Very well	79		83	67
Well	17		17	31
Not well	3		0	2
Not at all	1		0	0
speak English?				
Very well	69		75	55
Well	25		25	34
Not well	4		0	6
Not at all	2		0	4
read English?				
Very well	69		67	46
Well	23		33	50
Not well	7		0	4
Not at all	1		0	0
write English?				
Very well	61		67	40
Well	24		25	53
Not well	14		8	6
Not at all	1		0	0
English Language Proficiency Status				
Proficient	65		67	45
Not proficient	35		33	55

Question HS/MS A.12, 12A-12D: What language is spoken most of the time in your home?... How well do you understand, speak, read, and write English?... Understand English... Speak English... Read English... Write English.

*Notes: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.* 

English Language Proficiency was determined by creating a scale score using four survey questions: how well do you understand... speak... read... and write English? Response options are reverse coded so higher values indicate higher English proficiency level ("Not at all" (1); "Not well" (2); "Well" (3); and "Very well" (4)). The scale score was computed by averaging the survey responses. Respondents are categorized as "Proficient" or "Not Proficient" based on the English language proficiency scale.

Proficient: students with average item response > 3.5; and

*Not Proficient: students with average item response* < 3.5.

Table A3.14

Number of Days Attending Afterschool Program (In-School Only)

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
I do not attend my school's afterschool program	82			65
1 day	3			15
2 days	1			7
3 days	2			8
4 days	3			1
5 days	9			4

Question HS/MS A.19: How many days a week do you usually go to your school's afterschool program? Note: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

Table A3.15

Military Connections

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
	%	%	%	%
No	93	100	97	87
Yes	3	0	3	7
Don't know	4	0	0	5

Question HS/MS A.11: Is your father, mother, or guardian currently in the military (Army, Navy, Marines, Air Force, National Guard, or Reserves)?

## 4. Routines

Table A4.1

Eating of Breakfast

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
No	48	50	58	58
Yes	52	50	42	42

Question HS/MS A.17: Did you eat breakfast today?

Note: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

Table A4.2 *Bedtime* 

	Grade 7	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Before 7:00 pm	0	0	0	3
7:00-7:59 pm	1	0	0	0
8:00-8:59 pm	7	0	3	2
9:00-9:59 pm	17	17	8	8
10:00-10:59 pm	36	8	11	18
11:00-11:59 pm	18	33	18	27
12:00-12:59 am	10	8	32	18
After 1:00 am	11	33	29	23
Bedtime at 12 am or later	21	42	61	41

Question HS/MS A.16: What time did you go to bed last night?

# 5. Remote Schooling

Table A5.1

Remote Schooling Schedule and Instructional Time (Remote Only)

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Time spent on learning and completing schoolwork from home on the average weekday				
Less than 1 hour	10	0	0	
Between 1 and 2 hours	35	9	11	
Between 2 and 3 hours	30	18	17	
Between 3 and 4 hours	25	45	29	
Between 4 and 5 hours	0	18	26	
More than 5 hours	0	9	17	
Number of days in the past week participating in an online class from home where your teacher talked to students				
0 days	42	27	0	
1 day	5	36	34	
2 days	42	0	26	
3 days	0	9	20	
4 days	5	9	6	
5 days	5	18	14	
Number of weekdays participating in school from home for the entire school day				
0 days	20	0	3	
1 day	0	9	6	
2 days	5	0	6	
3 days	20	27	14	
4 days	25	18	3	
5 days	30	45	69	

Question HS/MS A.20-22: In the past 30 days, how many weekdays in an average week did you participate in school from home for an entire school day?.. On the average weekday, how much of your day did you spend learning and completing schoolwork from home?... How many days in the past week did you participate in an online class from home where your teacher talked to students from a computer, phone, or tablet (iPad)?

Table A5.2

Interesting Activities Provided for Student in Remote Schooling (Remote Only)

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Not at all true	26	45	9	
A little true	26	0	9	
Pretty much true	32	27	48	
Very much true	16	27	33	

Question HS/MS A.49: There is a teacher or some other adult from my school... who provides me with interesting activities to do while I am participating in school from home.

Note: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

Table A5.3

Interest in Schoolwork Done from Home (Remote Only)

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Strongly disagree	29	10	0	
Disagree	29	0	9	
Neither disagree nor agree	24	40	31	
Agree	18	40	31	
Strongly agree	0	10	28	

Question HS/MS A.40: How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statements?... I am interested in the schoolwork I do when participating in school from home.

# 6. School Performance, Engagement, and Supports

Table A6.1

Grades, Past 12 Months

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Mostly A's	23	17	18	10
A's and B's	36	25	39	34
Mostly B's	5	25	24	9
B's and C's	19	25	16	28
Mostly C's	5	8	3	1
C's and D's	7	0	0	15
Mostly D's	2	0	0	1
Mostly F's	3	0	0	2

Question HS/MS A.24: During the past 12 months, how would you describe the grades you mostly received in school?

Note: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

Table A6.2

Absences, Past 30 Days

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
I did not miss any days of school in the past 30 days	49	33	68	32
1 day	19	25	16	24
2 days	16	25	3	17
3 or more days	16	17	13	27

Question HS/MS A.18, 23: In the past 30 days, how often did you miss an entire day of school for any reason? [In-School only]. In the past 30 days, how often did you miss an entire day of remote learning classes for any reason? [Remote only]

Table A6.3

Reasons for Absence, Past 30 Days

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11	NT %
Does not apply; I didn't miss any school	46	17	47	30
Illness (feeling physically sick), including problems with breathing or your teeth	42	58	32	37
Were being bullied or mistreated at school ( <i>In-School Only</i> )	2			1
Felt very sad, hopeless, anxious, stressed, or angry	9	17	13	15
Didn't get enough sleep	10	17	13	24
Didn't feel safe at school or going to and from school ( <i>In-School Only</i> )	1			1
Had to take care of or help a family member or friend	6	25	13	11
Wanted to spend time with friends	1	0	8	3
Used alcohol or drugs	1	8	0	1
Were behind in schoolwork or weren't prepared for a test or class assignment	5	25	5	3
Were bored or uninterested in school	5	25	5	12
Had no transportation to school (In-School Only)	2			8
Other reason	14	0	18	13

Question HS/MS A.25, 26: In the past 30 days, did you miss a day of school for any of the following reasons? (Mark All That Apply.) [In-School only]... In the past 30 days, did you miss a day of school from home for any of the following reasons? (Mark All That Apply.) [Remote only]

Notes: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

Total percentages may exceed 100% for "mark all that apply" items.

Table A6.4
School Environment, School Connectedness, Academic Motivation, and Promotion of Parental Involvement Scales

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11	NT %	Table
Total school supports	49	56	59	52	
Caring relationships-adults in school <sup>‡</sup>	55	67	74	60	A6.5
High expectations-adults in school <sup>‡</sup>	67	89	73	66	A6.6
Meaningful participation at school <sup>‡</sup>	25	12	31	30	A6.7
School connectedness <sup>†#</sup> ( <i>In-School Only</i> )	51			65	A6.8
School connectedness $^{\dagger\psi}$ (Remote Only)	37	55	60		A6.8
Academic motivation <sup>†</sup>	56	83	72	60	A6.9
Promotion of parental involvement in school <sup>†</sup>	55	67	68	62	A6.13

Notes: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

Table numbers refer to tables with item-level results for the survey questions that comprise each scale.

<sup>‡</sup>Scales are based on average of respondents reporting "Pretty much true" or "Very much true."

<sup>†</sup>Scales are based on average of respondents reporting "Agree" or "Strongly agree."

<sup>\*</sup>The scale was based on five survey questions for in-school respondents.

 $<sup>\</sup>psi$ The scale was based on four questions for remote respondents.

Table A6.5

Caring Relationships Scale Questions

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11	NT %
Caring relationships-adults in school	•			
Average reporting "Pretty much true" or "Very much true"	55	67	74	60
There is a teacher or some other adult from my school				
who really cares about me.				
Not at all true	12	8	3	9
A little true	36	25	33	32
Pretty much true	32	42	39	35
Very much true	20	25	25	24
who notices when I'm not there.				
Not at all true	22	0	3	13
A little true	24	42	9	30
Pretty much true	31	33	46	33
Very much true	22	25	43	25
who listens to me when I have something to say.				
Not at all true	21	8	6	9
A little true	21	17	22	28
Pretty much true	29	50	39	27
Very much true	29	25	33	36

Question HS/MS A.47, 50, 53: There is a teacher or some other adult from my school... who really cares about me... who notices when I'm not there... who listens to me when I have something to say.

Table A6.6

High Expectations Scale Questions

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
High expectations-adults in school				
Average reporting "Pretty much true" or "Very much true"	67	89	73	66
There is a teacher or some other adult from my school				
who tells me when I do a good job.				
Not at all true	13	0	3	6
A little true	23	17	28	28
Pretty much true	35	33	33	34
Very much true	29	50	36	32
who always wants me to do my best.				
Not at all true	10	0	0	6
A little true	17	8	11	27
Pretty much true	32	42	47	35
Very much true	42	50	42	32
who believes that I will be a success.				
Not at all true	14	0	0	7
A little true	21	8	39	28
Pretty much true	29	42	31	30
Very much true	36	50	31	35

Question HS/MS A.48, 51, 54: There is a teacher or some other adult from my school... who tells me when I do a good job... who always wants me to do my best... who believes that I will be a success.

Table A6.7

Meaningful Participation Scale Questions

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Meaningful participation at school	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Average reporting "Pretty much true" or "Very much true"	25	12	31	30
At school/When I participate in school,				
I do interesting activities.				
Not at all true	16	42	11	13
A little true	33	17	47	37
Pretty much true	32	33	28	39
Very much true	19	8	14	11
I help decide things like class activities or rules.				
Not at all true	54	67	42	43
A little true	29	25	31	32
Pretty much true	9	8	22	15
Very much true	7	0	6	10
I do things that make a difference.				
Not at all true	42	50	31	37
A little true	37	50	31	37
Pretty much true	11	0	29	17
Very much true	10	0	9	9
I have a say in how things work.				
Not at all true	48	67	33	45
A little true	29	25	33	30
Pretty much true	15	8	22	14
Very much true	9	0	11	11
I help decide school activities or rules.				
Not at all true	68	75	58	59
A little true	17	25	25	20
Pretty much true	7	0	6	14
Very much true	8	0	11	8

Question HS/MS A.55-64: At school [In-School only],... When I participate in school [Remote only],... I do interesting activities... I help decide things like class activities or rules... I do things that make a difference... I have a say in how things work... I help decide school activities or rules.

Table A6.8
School Connectedness Scale Questions

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
School connectedness <sup>#</sup> (In-School Only)				
Average reporting "Agree" or "Strongly agree"	51			65
School connectedness $^{\psi}$ (Remote Only)				
Average reporting "Agree" or "Strongly agree"	37	55	60	
I feel close to people at/from this school.				
Strongly disagree	3	17	19	9
Disagree	9	33	25	10
Neither disagree nor agree	22	33	39	29
Agree	43	8	11	42
Strongly agree	22	8	6	10
I am happy with/to be at this school.				
Strongly disagree	11	0	0	3
Disagree	9	0	0	6
Neither disagree nor agree	33	42	22	27
Agree	33	33	33	47
Strongly agree	13	25	44	17
I feel like I am part of this school.				
Strongly disagree	9	0	0	2
Disagree	11	17	6	11
Neither disagree nor agree	38	25	31	27
Agree	31	42	44	51
Strongly agree	11	17	19	9

Question HS/MS A.27-34: How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statements?... I feel close to people at this school. [In-School only]... I feel close to people from this school. [Remote only]... I am happy to be at this school. [In-School only]... I am happy with this school. [Remote only]... I feel like I am part of this school.... The teachers at this school treat students fairly. [In-School only]... The teachers treat students fairly. [Remote only]... I feel safe in my school. [In-School only]

<sup>\*</sup>The scale was based on five survey questions for in-school respondents.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>psi}$ The scale was based on four questions for remote respondents.

Table A6.8
School Connectedness Scale Questions – Continued

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11	NT %
The teachers at this school treat students fairly/The teachers treat students fairly.				
Strongly disagree	8	0	0	4
Disagree	11	0	0	3
Neither disagree nor agree	29	17	14	12
Agree	36	58	44	47
Strongly agree	16	25	42	33
I feel safe in my school. (In-School Only)				
Strongly disagree	9			2
Disagree	13			3
Neither disagree nor agree	34			24
Agree	33			53
Strongly agree	11			17

Question HS/MS A.32-34 How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statements?... The teachers at this school treat students fairly. [In-School only]... The teachers treat students fairly. [Remote only]...I feel safe in my school. [In-School only]

Table A6.9

Academic Motivation Scale Questions

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Academic motivation	<u> 70</u>	<u> 70</u>	70	70
Average reporting "Agree" or "Strongly agree"	56	83	72	60
I try hard to make sure that I am good at my schoolwork.				
Strongly disagree	5	0	0	1
Disagree	5	0	0	4
Neither disagree nor agree	20	18	14	26
Agree	37	45	40	46
Strongly agree	33	36	46	23
I try hard on my schoolwork because I am interested in it.				
Strongly disagree	14	0	8	3
Disagree	25	17	14	16
Neither disagree nor agree	29	17	25	34
Agree	20	58	36	38
Strongly agree	12	8	17	9
I work hard to try to understand new things when doing my schoolwork.				
Strongly disagree	7	0	0	2
Disagree	13	0	11	10
Neither disagree nor agree	23	17	25	31
Agree	39	58	39	49
Strongly agree	17	25	25	8
I am always trying to do better in my schoolwork.				
Strongly disagree	7	0	0	1
Disagree	4	0	3	3
Neither disagree nor agree	21	0	11	27
Agree	39	58	53	49
Strongly agree	28	42	33	20

Question HS/MS A.41-44: How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statements?... I try hard to make sure that I am good at my schoolwork... I try hard on my schoolwork because I am interested in it... I work hard to try to understand new things when doing my schoolwork... I am always trying to do better in my schoolwork.

Table A6.10

Maintaining Focus on Schoolwork

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
It is hard for me to stay focused when doing my schoolwork.				
Strongly disagree	10	0	11	6
Disagree	22	50	31	25
Neither disagree nor agree	26	17	33	36
Agree	25	33	8	18
Strongly agree	16	0	17	16

Question HS/MS A.39: How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statements?... It is hard for me to stay focused when doing my schoolwork.

Table A6.11 School Boredom and Value of School

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
School boredom			·	
Low (0-3)	13	25	25	22
Medium (4-6)	37	42	42	46
High (7-10)	49	33	33	32
Value of school				
High (0-3)	52	75	69	57
Medium (4-6)	28	17	17	32
Low (7-10)	20	8	14	11

Table A6.12A
School Boredom Profile Groups - 7th Grade

					,	School (	is real Grade	•	ng			
		0 Strongly Disagree	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10 Strongly Agree
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tim	1	High Value			Hi	gh Val	ue		lue			
e of	2	12%				25%		15%				
wast	3	1										
ıd a	4	Low	Bored	om &		Mid Boredom &			High Boredom &			
ss ar	5	М	id Valı	ıe <sup>₹</sup>		Mid Value			Mid Value			
School is worthless and a waste of time	6						11%			17%		
WOI	7											
ol is	8	Low	Bored	om &		Mid	Boredo	om &		High	Bored	lom &
cho	9	Low Value <sup>⊼</sup>				Lo	w Valu	ıe <sup>₹</sup>		L	ow Val	lue
	10						18%					
	Strongly Agree											

Notes: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>bar{\bar{\wedge}}}$  Results are not reported due to a very small number of responses.

Table A6.12B
School Boredom Profile Groups - 9th Grade

		ojus oroup			,	School (	is real Grade	•	ng				
		0 Strongly Disagree	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10 Strongly Agree	
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time	1	High Value			Hi	gh Val	ue	High Value			lue		
e of	2	25%				33%		17%					
a waste of time	3	1											
	4	Low Boredom &				Mid Boredom &			High Boredom &				
ss ar	5	М	id Valı	ıe <sup>₹</sup>		M	Mid Value			Mid Value			
School is worthless and	6						8%				8%		
WOI	7												
ol is	8	Low	Bored	om &		Mid	Boredo	om &		High	Bored	lom &	
cho	9	Low Value <sup>⊼</sup>				Low Value <sup>⊼</sup>			Low Value				
•	10 Strongly Agree										8%		

Notes: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>bar{\bar{\wedge}}}$  Results are not reported due to a very small number of responses.

Table A6.12C School Boredom Profile Groups - 11th Grade

					,	School ((	is real Grade	•	ng			
		0 Strongly Disagree	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10 Strongly Agree
					Mid Boredom & High Boredom &					lom &		
tim	1	High Value			Hi	gh Val	ue		Н	igh Va	lue	
e of	2	26%				31%		11%				
a waste of time	3	1										
ıd a	4	Low	Bored	om &		Mid Boredom &			High Boredom &			
ss ar	5	М	id Valı	ue <sup>₹</sup>		Mid Value			Mid Value			
thle	6						11%		6%			
WOI	7											
ol is	8	Low	Bored	om &		Mid	Boredo	om &		High	Bored	lom &
School is worthless and	9	Lo	w Val	ue <sup>₹</sup>		Lo	w Valu	ıe <sup>₹</sup>		L	ow Val	lue
	10 Strongly										14%	
											14%	

Notes: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>bar{\bar{\wedge}}}$  Results are not reported due to a very small number of responses.

**Table A6.12D** School Boredom Profile Groups - Non-Traditional

	Borcuom I		School is really boring (NT)									
		0 Strongly Disagree	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10 Strongly Agree
0	Strongly Disagree 0	Low Boredom &			Mid	Boredo	om &	High Boredom &			lom &	
a waste of time	1	High Value			Hi	gh Val	ue	High Value			lue	
e of	2	20%			24% 13%							
wast	3											
	4	Low Boredom &			Mid Boredom &				High Boredom &			
ss ar	5	Mid Value <sup>⊼</sup>			M	id Val	ue	Mid Value			ue	
School is worthless and	6	1				22% 8%						
WOI	7											
ol is	8	Low	Bored	om &		Mid Boredom &			High Boredom &			
cho	9	Lo	w Val	ue <sup>₹</sup>		Lo	w Valu	ıe <sup>₹</sup>		L	ow Va	lue
7	10 Strongly Agree										11%	

Notes: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

 $<sup>^{</sup>ar{\overline{\wedge}}}$  Results are not reported due to a very small number of responses.

Table A6.13

Promotion of Parental Involvement Scale Questions

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Promotion of parental involvement in school				
Average reporting "Agree" or "Strongly agree"	55	67	68	62
Teachers at this school communicate with parents about what students are expected to learn in class.				
Strongly disagree	4	0	0	4
Disagree	6	0	3	4
Neither disagree nor agree	27	25	17	30
Agree	46	50	42	52
Strongly agree	17	25	39	9
Parents feel welcome to participate at this school.				
Strongly disagree	5	0	0	2
Disagree	2	0	0	3
Neither disagree nor agree	42	50	44	30
Agree	40	42	42	49
Strongly agree	11	8	14	15
School staff take parent concerns seriously.				
Strongly disagree	8	0	6	2
Disagree	5	0	0	2
Neither disagree nor agree	37	25	28	34
Agree	33	58	50	45
Strongly agree	17	17	17	16

Question HS/MS A.36-38: How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statements?... Teachers at this school communicate with parents about what students are expected to learn in class... Parents feel welcome to participate at this school... School staff take parent concerns seriously.

Table A6.14

Checking Student Progress

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11	NT %
A teacher or some other adult from my school checks on how I am feeling.				
Not at all true	28	25	11	16
A little true	30	17	19	33
Pretty much true	21	42	39	22
Very much true	21	17	31	29

Question HS/MS A.52: There is a teacher or some other adult from my school... who checks on how I am feeling. Note: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

Table A6.15

Quality of School Physical Environment (In-School Only)

	Grade 7	Grade 9 %	Grade 11	NT %
My school is usually clean and tidy.				
Strongly disagree	12			3
Disagree	21			6
Neither disagree nor agree	35			20
Agree	26			58
Strongly agree	6			13

Question HS/MS A.35: How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statements?... My school is usually clean and tidy.

## 7. Social and Emotional Health

Table A7.1

Chronic Sad or Hopeless Feelings, Past 12 Months

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
No	56	58	56	71
Yes	44	42	44	29

Question HS A.153/MS A.146: During the past 12 months, did you ever feel so sad or hopeless almost every day for two weeks or more that you stopped doing some usual activities?

*Note: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.* 

Table A7.2
Seriously Considered Attempting Suicide, Past 12 Months

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
	%	%	%	%
No	80	92	86	86
Yes	20	8	14	14

Question HS A.154/MS A.147: During the past 12 months, did you ever seriously consider attempting suicide? Note: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

Table A7.3

Optimism Scale Questions

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Optimism				
Average reporting "Pretty much true" or "Very much true"	48	50	39	39
Each day I look forward to having a lot of fun.				
Not at all true	16	33	20	20
A little true	37	42	43	42
Pretty much true	27	25	20	27
Very much true	20	0	17	11
I usually expect to have a good day.				
Not at all true	26	25	29	21
A little true	30	25	31	40
Pretty much true	26	33	17	28
Very much true	18	17	23	12
Overall, I expect more good things to happen to me than bad things.				
Not at all true	26	17	26	33
A little true	21	8	34	27
Pretty much true	30	67	14	23
Very much true	22	8	26	17

Question HS A.160-162/MS A.153-155: Please tell us how true each statement is of you... Each day I look forward to having a lot of fun... I usually expect to have a good day... Overall, I expect more good things to happen to me than bad things.

**Table A7.4** *Life Satisfaction Scale Questions* 

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
Life satisfaction	%	%	%	%
Average reporting "Satisfied" or "Very satisfied"	57	63	54	55
I would describe my satisfaction with				
my family life as				
Very dissatisfied	4	8	0	3
Dissatisfied	4	0	9	9
A little dissatisfied	9	17	11	14
A little satisfied	14	8	31	14
Satisfied	29	33	29	31
Very satisfied	39	33	20	29
my friendships as				
Very dissatisfied	4	18	6	4
Dissatisfied	4	0	3	4
A little dissatisfied	6	9	11	10
A little satisfied	15	18	20	22
Satisfied	37	36	43	42
Very satisfied	35	18	17	18
my school experience as				
Very dissatisfied	10	0	3	5
Dissatisfied	10	8	6	8
A little dissatisfied	15	17	26	10
A little satisfied	35	25	23	36
Satisfied	22	25	31	29
Very satisfied	8	25	11	12

Question HS A.163-165/MS A.156-158: Please describe your level of satisfaction below. I would describe my satisfaction with... my family life as... my friendships as... my school experience as...

Table A7.4

Life Satisfaction Scale Questions – Continued

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
I would describe my satisfaction with				
myself as				
Very dissatisfied	9	8	11	5
Dissatisfied	9	8	14	14
A little dissatisfied	14	0	9	12
A little satisfied	21	17	23	20
Satisfied	26	50	29	37
Very satisfied	21	17	14	12
where I live as				
Very dissatisfied	7	8	0	7
Dissatisfied	3	0	6	3
A little dissatisfied	8	8	9	7
A little satisfied	14	8	11	20
Satisfied	30	42	43	47
Very satisfied	39	33	31	17

Question HS A.166, 167/MS A.159, 160: Please describe your level of satisfaction below. I would describe my satisfaction with... myself as... where I live as...

**Table A7.5** Social Emotional Distress Scale Questions

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
	%	%	%	%
Social emotional distress				
Average reporting "Pretty much true" or "Very much true"	35	30	40	23
I had a hard time relaxing.				
Not at all true	29	42	29	42
A little true	30	33	31	33
Pretty much true	25	8	11	20
Very much true	15	17	29	5
I felt sad and down.				
Not at all true	36	58	32	49
A little true	30	8	15	27
Pretty much true	15	8	32	18
Very much true	19	25	21	6
I was easily irritated.				
Not at all true	24	42	31	45
A little true	23	17	29	22
Pretty much true	24	17	14	14
Very much true	29	25	26	19
It was hard for me to cope and I thought I would panic.				
Not at all true	56	58	40	64
A little true	19	25	23	19
Pretty much true	11	8	17	3
Very much true	14	8	20	14
It was hard for me to get excited about anything.				
Not at all true	52	42	37	64
A little true	27	25	34	23
Pretty much true	10	17	23	8
Very much true	11	17	6	5

Question HS A.155-159/MS A.148-152: Over the past 30 days, how true do you feel these statements are about you?... I had a hard time relaxing... I felt sad and down... I was easily irritated... It was hard for me to cope and I thought I would panic... It was hard for me to get excited about anything.

## 8. School Violence, Victimization, and Safety

Table A8.1

Perceived Safety at School (In-School Only)

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Very safe	7			32
Safe	37			44
Neither safe nor unsafe	40			23
Unsafe	8			0
Very unsafe	7			1

Question HS A.117/MS A.110: How safe do you feel when you are at school?

Table A8.2

Reasons for Harassment, Past 12 Months

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
Race, ethnicity, or national origin	%	%	%	%
	<i>C</i> 1	100	100	02
0 times	64	100	100	92
1 time	8	0	0	3
2 or more times	28	0	0	5
Religion				
0 times	85	100	100	92
1 time	6	0	0	3
2 or more times	10	0	0	5
Gender				
0 times	88	100	100	94
1 time	4	0	0	1
2 or more times	7	0	0	5
Because you are gay, lesbian, or bisexual or someone thought you were				
0 times	89	100	100	94
1 time	3	0	0	3
2 or more times	8	0	0	4
A physical or mental disability				
0 times	91	100	97	95
1 time	2	0	3	1
2 or more times	7	0	0	4
Any of the above five reasons	44	0	3	10

Question HS A.137-141, 144-148/MS A.130-134, 137-141: During the past 12 months, how many times on school property were you harassed or bullied for any of the following reasons?... Your race, ethnicity, or national origin [In-school only]... Your religion [In-school only]... Your gender [In-school only]... Because you are gay, lesbian, or bisexual or someone thought you were [In-school only]... A physical or mental disability [In-school only]... During the past 12 months, how many times did students from your school harass you or bully you for any of the following reasons?... Your race, ethnicity, or national origin [Remote only]... Your religion [Remote only]... Your gender [Remote only]... Because you are gay, lesbian, or bisexual or someone thought you were [Remote only]... A physical or mental disability. [Remote only]

Table A8.2

Reasons for Harassment, Past 12 Months – Continued

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11	NT %
You are an immigrant or someone thought you were				
0 times	85	100	100	92
1 time	6	0	0	4
2 or more times	10	0	0	4
Any other reason				
0 times	70	82	97	92
1 time	11	9	0	3
2 or more times	19	9	3	5
Any harassment	55	17	3	13

Question HS A.137-150/MS A.130-143: During the past 12 months, how many times on school property were you harassed or bullied for any of the following reasons?... Your race, ethnicity, or national origin [In-school only]... Your religion [In-school only]... Your gender [In-school only]... Because you are gay, lesbian, or bisexual or someone thought you were [In-school only]... A physical or mental disability [In-school only]... You are an immigrant or someone thought you were [In-school only]... Any other reason [In-school only]... During the past 12 months, how many times did students from your school harass you or bully you for any of the following reasons?... Your race, ethnicity, or national origin [Remote only]... Your religion [Remote only]... Your gender [Remote only]... Because you are gay, lesbian, or bisexual or someone thought you were [Remote only]... A physical or mental disability [Remote only]... You are an immigrant or someone thought you were [Remote only]... Any other reason. [Remote only]

**Table A8.3**School Violence Victimization Scale Questions

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
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School violence victimization ( <i>In-School Only</i> )	20			10
Average reporting "1 or more times"	39			12
During the past 12 months, how many times on school property have you				
been pushed, shoved, slapped, hit, or kicked by someone who wasn't just kidding around? ( <i>In-School Only</i> )				
0 times	68			91
1 time	11			4
2 to 3 times	11			2
4 or more times	11			2
been afraid of being beaten up? (In-School Only)				
0 times	67			95
1 time	20			4
2 to 3 times	6			1
4 or more times	8			0
During the past 12 months, how many times have you				
had mean rumors or lies spread about you?				
0 times	59	92	92	78
1 time	17	0	3	8
2 to 3 times	11	8	3	7
4 or more times	13	0	3	6
had sexual jokes, comments, or gestures made to you?				
0 times	65	92	92	87
1 time	8	0	3	4
2 to 3 times	7	8	3	1
4 or more times	20	0	3	9

Question HS A.118, 119, 121, 122, 133, 134/MS A.111, 112, 114, 115, 126, 127: During the past 12 months, how many times on school property have you... been pushed, shoved, slapped, hit, or kicked by someone who wasn't just kidding around? [In-school only]... been afraid of being beaten up? [In-school only]... had mean rumors or lies spread about you? [In-school only]... had sexual jokes, comments, or gestures made to you? [In-School only]... During the past 12 months, how many times did students from your school... spread mean rumors or lies spread about you? [Remote only]... make sexual jokes, comments, or gestures toward you? [Remote only] Note: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

**Table A8.3**School Violence Victimization Scale Questions – Continued

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
During the past 12 months, how many times on school property have you/did students from your school				
had your property stolen or deliberately damaged? (In-School Only)				
0 times	75			94
1 time	14			5
2 to 3 times	6			1
4 or more times	4			0
been made fun of because of your looks or the way you talk?				
0 times	51	75	94	84
1 time	15	17	3	5
2 to 3 times	12	0	0	5
4 or more times	21	8	3	6
been made fun of, insulted, or called names?				
0 times	50	83	89	88
1 time	14	0	6	4
2 to 3 times	9	8	3	3
4 or more times	26	8	3	5
During the past 12 months, how many times did other students spread mean rumors or lies, or hurtful pictures, about you online, on social media, or on a cell phone?				
0 times (never)	63	92	92	80
1 time	15	0	3	5
2 to 3 times	9	0	3	5
4 or more times	14	8	3	10

Question HS A.123, 124, 132, 135, 136, 151/MS A.116, 117, 125, 128, 129, 144: During the past 12 months, how many times on school property have you... been made fun of because of your looks or the way you talk? [In-school only]... had your property stolen or deliberately damaged, such as your car, clothing, or books? [In-school only]... been made fun of, insulted, or called names? [In-school only]... During the past 12 months, how many times did students from your school... make fun of you because of your looks or the way you talk? [Remote only]...make fun of you, insult you, or call you names? [Remote only]... During the past 12 months, how many times did other students spread mean rumors or lies, or hurtful pictures, about you online, on social media, or on a cell phone? Note: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

Table A8.4
School Violence Perpetration Scale Questions (In-School Only)

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
School violence perpetration	70		/0	70
Average reporting "1 or more times"	8			6
During the past 12 months, how many times on school property have you				
been in a physical fight?				
0 times	88			91
1 time	6			6
2 to 3 times	2			2
4 or more times	4			0
been offered, sold, or given an illegal drug?				
0 times	83			89
1 time	10			6
2 to 3 times	3			3
4 or more times	4			3
damaged school property on purpose?				
0 times	92			95
1 time	3			3
2 to 3 times	1			0
4 or more times	4			3
carried a gun?				
0 times	98			99
1 time	0			1
2 to 3 times	0			0
4 or more times	2			0
carried any other weapon (such as a knife or club)?				
0 times	96			95
1 time	3			3
2 to 3 times	0			0
4 or more times	1			3

Question HS A.120, 125-128/MS A.113, 118-121: During the past 12 months, how many times on school property have you... been in a physical fight?... been offered, sold, or given an illegal drug?... damaged school property on purpose?... carried a gun?... carried any other weapon (such as a knife or club)?

Table A8.5

Threats and Injuries with Weapons at School, Past 12 Months (In-School Only)

7	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		<u>,                                      </u>	
	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
During the past 12 months, how many times on school property have you				
been threatened with harm or injury?				
0 times	82			94
1 time	10			4
2 to 3 times	3			1
4 or more times	4			1
been threatened or injured with a weapon (gun, knife, club, etc.)?				
0 times	94			95
1 time	3			3
2 to 3 times	1			1
4 or more times	2			1

Question HS A.129, 131/MS A.122, 124: During the past 12 months, how many times on school property have you... been threatened or injured with a weapon (gun, knife, club, etc.)?... been threatened with harm or injury? Note: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

Table A8.6
Weapons Possession on School Property, Past 12 Months (In-School Only)

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
During the past 12 months, how many times on school property have you				
seen someone carrying a gun, knife, or other weapon?				
0 times	83			92
1 time	12			4
2 to 3 times	2			3
4 or more times	4			1

Question HS A.130/MS A.123: During the past 12 months, how many times on school property have you... seen someone carrying a gun, knife, or other weapon?

## 9. Alcohol and Other Drug Use

Table A9.1
Summary Measures of Level of AOD Use and Perceptions

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT %	Table
Lifetime illicit AOD use to get "high" <sup>⊼</sup>	14	25	19	43	A9.2
Lifetime alcohol or drug use	14	25	19	44	A9.2
Lifetime marijuana use	5	17	19	28	A9.2
Lifetime very drunk or high (7 or more times)	1	8	0	10	A9.7
Current alcohol or drug use <sup>¶</sup>	8	17	3	21	A9.5
Current marijuana use <sup>¶</sup>	3	17	0	17	A9.5
Current heavy drug use <sup>¶</sup>	3	0	0	9	A9.5
Current heavy alcohol use (binge drinking)¶	1	17	0	7	A9.5
Current alcohol or drug use on school property $^{\P\Phi}$	4			12	A9.8
Harmfulness of occasional marijuana use <sup>B</sup>	38	25	34	25	A9.11
Difficulty of obtaining marijuana <sup>C</sup>	16	0	6	11	A9.12

 $<sup>^{\</sup>bar{\wedge}}$ Excludes prescription pain medication.

<sup>¶</sup>Past 30 days.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>Phi}$ In-School only.

 $<sup>^</sup>B$ Great harm.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>C</sup>Very difficult.

Table A9.2
Summary of AOD Lifetime Use

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT %
Alcohol	9	25	14	41
Marijuana	5	17	19	28
Inhalants	4	0	3	5
Cocaine, methamphetamine, or any amphetamines	na	0	0	5
Ecstasy, LSD, or other psychedelics	na	8	0	10
Prescription pain medication (opioids)	na	0	0	9
Cold/cough medicines or other over-the-counter medicines to get "high"	na	0	6	7
Any other drug, pill, or medicine to get "high"	2	0	0	6
Any of the above AOD use	14	25	19	44
Any illicit AOD use to get "high".	14	25	19	43

 $<sup>^{\</sup>bar{\wedge}}$ Excludes prescription pain medication.

na—Not asked of middle school students.

Table A9.3

Lifetime AOD Use

	Grade 7	Grade 9 %	Grade 11	NT %
Alcohol (one full drink)	//	//	/0	/0
0 times	91	75	86	59
1 time	4	8	3	12
2 to 3 times	4	0	8	12
4 or more times	1	17	3	17
Marijuana (smoke, vape, eat, or drink)				
0 times	95	83	81	72
1 time	1	0	8	5
2 to 3 times	0	0	6	6
4 or more times	3	17	6	17
Inhalants				
0 times	96	100	97	95
1 time	2	0	3	1
2 to 3 times	0	0	0	1
4 or more times	2	0	0	2
Cocaine, methamphetamine, or any amphetamines				
0 times	na	100	100	95
1 time	na	0	0	0
2 to 3 times	na	0	0	3
4 or more times	na	0	0	1
Ecstasy, LSD, or other psychedelics				
0 times	na	92	100	90
1 time	na	8	0	2
2 to 3 times	na	0	0	3
4 or more times	na	0	0	5
Prescription pain medication				
0 times	na	100	100	91
1 time	na	0	0	1
2 to 3 times	na	0	0	3
4 or more times	na	0	0	5

Question HS A.68-71, 73, 74/MS A.69-71: During your life, how many times have you used the following? One full drink of alcohol (such as a can of beer, glass of wine, hard seltzer, or shot of liquor)... Marijuana (smoke, vape, eat, or drink)... Inhalants (things you sniff, huff, or breathe to get "high" such as glue, paint, aerosol sprays, gasoline, poppers, gases)... Cocaine, methamphetamine, or any amphetamines (meth, speed, crystal, crank, ice)... Ecstasy, LSD, or other psychedelics (acid, mescaline, peyote, mushrooms)... Prescription pain medication (Vicodin, OxyContin, Percodan, Fentanyl).

Notes: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

na—Not asked of middle school students.

Table A9.3

Lifetime AOD Use – Continued

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT %
Cold/cough medicines or other over-the-counter medicines to get "high"	70	70	70	70
0 times	na	100	94	93
1 time	na	0	3	1
2 to 3 times	na	0	3	2
4 or more times	na	0	0	3
Any other drug, pill, or medicine to get "high" or for reasons other than medical				
0 times	98	100	100	94
1 time	1	0	0	1
2 to 3 times	1	0	0	2
4 or more times	0	0	0	2

Question HS A.75, 76/MS A.73: During your life, how many times have you used the following?... Cold/cough medicines or other over-the-counter medicines to get "high"... Any other drug, pill, or medicine to get "high" or for reasons other than medical.

Notes: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

na—Not asked of middle school students.

Table A9.4

Methods of Marijuana Consumption

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
During your life, how many times have you used marijuana in any of the following ways				
Smoke it?				
0 times	98	83	86	74
1 time	0	0	3	6
2 to 3 times	0	8	6	5
4 or more times	2	8	6	15
In a vaping device?				
0 times	97	92	83	77
1 time	0	0	6	6
2 to 3 times	0	0	8	3
4 or more times	3	8	3	14
Eat or drink it in products made with marijuana?				
0 times	99	83	86	78
1 time	1	0	6	8
2 to 3 times	0	17	6	3
4 or more times	0	0	3	10

Question HS A.69, 80-82/MS A.70, 77-79: During your life, how many times have you used the following?... Marijuana (smoke, vape, eat, or drink)... During your life, how many times have you used marijuana in any of the following ways... Smoke it?... In a vaping device (vape pens, mods, or portable vaporizers)?... Eat or drink it in products made with marijuana?

Table A9.5

Current AOD Use, Past 30 Days

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11	NT %
Alcohol (one or more drinks of alcohol)	5	17	3	14
Binge drinking (5 or more drinks in a row)	1	17	0	7
Marijuana (smoke, vape, eat, or drink)	3	17	0	17
Inhalants	2	0	0	1
Prescription drugs to get "high" or for reasons other than prescribed	na	0	0	1
Other drug, pill, or medicine to get "high" or for reasons other than medical	1	0	0	1
Any drug use	5	17	0	16
Heavy drug use	3	0	0	9
Any AOD Use	8	17	3	21
Two or more substances at the same time	na	8	0	5

Question HS A.86-92/MS A.83-87: During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use... one or more drinks of alcohol?... five or more drinks of alcohol in a row, that is, within a couple of hours?... marijuana (smoke, vape, eat, or drink)?... inhalants (things you sniff, huff, or breathe to get "high")?... prescription drugs to get "high" or for reasons other than prescribed?... any other drug, pill, or medicine to get "high" or for reasons other than medical?... two or more substances at the same time (for example, alcohol with marijuana, ecstasy with mushrooms)?

Notes: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

Heavy drug use was calculated based on pattern of combined current drug use on three or more days (marijuana, inhalants, prescription pain medicine to get "high" (high school only), or any other illegal drug/pill to get "high"). na—Not asked of middle school students.

Table A9.6
Frequency of Current AOD Use, Past 30 Days

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Alcohol (one or more drinks)				
0 days	95	83	97	86
1 or 2 days	3	8	3	8
3 to 9 days	1	0	0	5
10 to 19 days	0	0	0	0
20 to 30 days	0	8	0	1
Binge drinking (5 or more drinks in a row)				
0 days	99	83	100	93
1 or 2 days	0	8	0	5
3 to 9 days	0	0	0	1
10 to 19 days	0	8	0	0
20 to 30 days	0	0	0	1
Marijuana (smoke, vape, eat, or drink)				
0 days	97	83	100	83
1 or 2 days	2	17	0	10
3 to 9 days	2	0	0	2
10 to 19 days	0	0	0	1
20 to 30 days	0	0	0	4

Question HS A.86-88/MS A.83-85: During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use... one or more drinks of alcohol?... five or more drinks of alcohol in a row, that is, within a couple of hours?... marijuana (smoke, vape, eat, or drink)?

Table A9.7

Lifetime Drunk or "High"

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT %
Very drunk or sick after drinking alcohol	,,,	70	70	70
0 times	98	83	89	78
1 to 2 times	1	17	8	9
3 to 6 times	0	0	3	8
7 or more times	0	0	0	5
"High" (loaded, stoned, or wasted) from using drugs				
0 times	97	83	86	76
1 to 2 times	1	8	8	10
3 to 6 times	1	0	6	6
7 or more times	1	8	0	8
Very drunk or "high" 7 or more times	1	8	0	10

Question HS A.77, 78/MS A.74, 75: During your life, how many times have you been... very drunk or sick after drinking alcohol?... "high" (loaded, stoned, or wasted) from using drugs?

Table A9.8

Current AOD Use on School Property, Past 30 Days (In-School Only)

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Alcohol				
0 days	98			96
1 to 2 days	1			1
3 or more days	0			3
Marijuana (smoke, vape, eat, or drink)				
0 days	98			88
1 to 2 days	0			3
3 or more days	2			10
Any other drug, pill, or medicine to get "high reasons other than medical	h" or for			
0 days	100			99
1 to 2 days	0			1
3 or more days	0			0
Any of the above	4			12

Question HS A.96-98/MS A.91-93: During the past 30 days, on how many days on school property did you... have at least one drink of alcohol?... use marijuana (smoke, vape, eat, or drink)?... use any other drug, pill, or medicine to get "high" or for reasons other than medical?

*Note: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.* 

Table A9.9
Lifetime Drunk or "High" on School Property

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	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
0 times	97	100	97	87
1 to 2 times	2	0	0	5
3 to 6 times	0	0	3	0
7 or more times	1	0	0	8

Question HS A.79/MS A.76: During your life, how many times have you been... drunk on alcohol or "high" on drugs on school property?

Table A9.10

Cessation Attempts

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11	NT %
Alcohol	70	70	70	70
Does not apply, don't use	na	83	94	81
0 times	na	17	6	14
1 time	na	0	0	4
2 to 3 times	na	0	0	0
4 or more times	na	0	0	1
Marijuana				
Does not apply, don't use	na	83	89	84
0 times	na	17	3	5
1 time	na	0	8	6
2 to 3 times	na	0	0	1
4 or more times	na	0	0	5

Question HS A.68, 69, 114, 115: During your life, how many times have you used the following?... One full drink of alcohol (such as a can of beer, glass of wine, hard seltzer, or shot of liquor)... Marijuana (smoke, vape, eat, or drink)... How many times have you tried to quit or stop using... alcohol?... marijuana?

Notes: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

Respondents reporting "0 times" on lifetime alcohol and marijuana use are coded as "Does not apply, don't use" on alcohol and marijuana cessation attempts, respectively.

na—Not asked of middle school students.

Table A9.11
Perceived Harm of AOD Use

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Alcohol - drink occasionally				
Great	30	33	36	18
Moderate	21	25	25	29
Slight	19	17	11	16
None	30	25	28	37
Alcohol - 5 or more drinks once or twice a week				
Great	45	50	53	40
Moderate	20	33	19	17
Slight	5	0	3	7
None	30	17	25	35
Marijuana - use occasionally				
Great	38	25	34	25
Moderate	24	25	31	22
Slight	9	33	9	16
None	29	17	26	37
Marijuana - use daily				
Great	57	33	58	40
Moderate	10	42	14	15
Slight	4	8	3	6
None	30	17	25	39

Question HS A.104-107/MS A.99-102: How much do people risk harming themselves physically and in other ways when they do the following?... Drink alcohol (beer, wine, liquor) occasionally... Have five or more drinks of alcohol once or twice a week... Use marijuana occasionally (smoke, vape, eat, or drink) ... Use marijuana daily. Note: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

Table A9.12

Perceived Difficulty of Obtaining Alcohol, Marijuana, and Prescription Drugs to Get "High"

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11	NT %
Alcohol				
Very difficult	14	0	6	12
Fairly difficult	12	8	11	11
Fairly easy	15	8	11	30
Very easy	13	33	25	13
Don't know	47	50	47	34
Marijuana				
Very difficult	16	0	6	11
Fairly difficult	9	17	6	6
Fairly easy	9	8	22	25
Very easy	13	17	25	22
Don't know	52	58	42	36
Prescription drugs to get "high" or for reasons other than prescribed				
Very difficult	14	0	14	14
Fairly difficult	7	8	6	12
Fairly easy	12	8	8	20
Very easy	14	25	17	8
Don't know	53	58	56	45

Question HS A.110-112/MS A.105-107: How difficult is it for students in your grade to get any of the following if they really want them?... Alcohol... Marijuana... Prescription drugs to get "high" or for reasons other than prescribed.

## 10. Tobacco Use

Table A10.1 Summary of Key CHKS Tobacco Indicators

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT	Table
	%	%	%	%	
<b>Use Prevalence and Patterns</b>					
Ever smoked a whole cigarette	1	8	3	13	A10.2
Current cigarette smoking <sup>¶</sup>	0	8	0	5	A10.4
Current cigarette smoking at school $^{\P\Phi}$	0			1	A10.7
Ever tried smokeless tobacco	0	0	6	7	A10.2
Current smokeless tobacco use <sup>¶</sup>	0	0	3	3	A10.4
Current smokeless tobacco use at school $\P^{\Phi}$	0			2	A10.7
Ever used vape products	9	17	19	36	A10.2
Current use of vape products <sup>¶</sup>	5	0	6	19	A10.4
Current tobacco vaping <sup>¶</sup>	3	0	6	15	A10.5
Current marijuana vaping <sup>¶</sup>	2	0	3	14	A10.5
Current vaping at school <sup>¶Ф</sup>	3			13	A10.7
Lifetime tobacco use	5	17	17	32	A10.2
Current tobacco use ¶	3	8	6	16	A10.6
<b>Cessation Attempts</b>					
Tried to quit smoking or vaping tobacco or nicotine	na	0	3	16	A10.9
Attitudes and Correlates					
Harmfulness of occasional cigarette smoking <sup>B</sup>	33	33	33	27	A10.10
Harmfulness of smoking 1 or more packs/day <sup>B</sup>	51	67	61	54	A10.10
Harmfulness of vaping occasionally <sup>B</sup>	36	33	29	20	A10.11
Harmfulness of vaping several times a day <sup>B</sup>	59	75	61	49	A10.11
Difficulty of obtaining cigarettes <sup>C</sup>	11	0	3	12	A10.12
Difficulty of obtaining vape products <sup>C</sup>	8	0	6	8	A10.12
Anti-Tobacco Policy					
School bans tobacco use and vaping	60	42	61	74	A10.13

Notes: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

na—Not asked of middle school students.

<sup>¶</sup>Past 30 days.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>Phi}$ *In-School only.* 

 $<sup>^</sup>B$ Great harm.

 $<sup>^{</sup>C}Very\ difficult.$ 

Table A10.2

Lifetime Tobacco Use

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
	%	%	%	%
A cigarette, even one or two puffs				
0 times	96	na	na	na
1 time	2	na	na	na
2 to 3 times	2	na	na	na
4 or more times	0	na	na	na
A whole cigarette				
0 times	99	92	97	88
1 time	0	0	0	6
2 to 3 times	0	0	0	1
4 or more times	0	8	3	6
Smokeless tobacco				
0 times	100	100	94	93
1 time	0	0	0	1
2 to 3 times	0	0	3	2
4 or more times	0	0	3	3
Vape products				
0 times	91	83	81	64
1 time	3	8	6	9
2 to 3 times	2	8	3	8
4 or more times	5	0	11	19
Lifetime tobacco use				
No	95	83	83	68
Yes	5	17	17	32

Question HS A.65-67/MS A.65-68: During your life, how many times have you used the following?... A cigarette, even one or two puffs... A whole cigarette... Smokeless tobacco (dip, chew, or snuff)... Vape products.

Notes: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

Lifetime tobacco use includes using a whole cigarette or smokeless tobacco, or vaping tobacco or nicotine. na—Not asked of high school students.

Table A10.3
Substances Ever Vaped

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Vaped tobacco or nicotine				
0 times	95	92	83	69
1 time	2	0	3	3
2 to 3 times	1	8	8	10
4 or more times	3	0	6	17
Vaped marijuana or THC				
0 times	97	92	81	74
1 time	0	0	3	3
2 to 3 times	0	0	8	6
4 or more times	3	8	8	17
Vaped other product				
0 times	97	100	97	88
1 time	1	0	0	3
2 to 3 times	0	0	0	3
4 or more times	2	0	3	5

Question HS A.67, 67A-67C/MS A.68, 68A-68C: During your life, how many times have you used the following?... Vape products... Vaped tobacco or nicotine... Vaped marijuana or THC... Vaped other product.

Table A10.4

Any Current Use and Daily Use

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Cigarettes				
Any	0	8	0	5
Daily (20 or more days)	0	0	0	0
Smokeless tobacco				
Any	0	0	3	3
Daily (20 or more days)	0	0	0	0
Vape products				
Any	5	0	6	19
Daily (20 or more days)	1	0	0	7

Question HS A.83-85/MS A.80-82: During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use... cigarettes?... smokeless tobacco (dip, chew, or snuff)?... vape products?

Table A10.5
Substances Vaped, Past 30 Days

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Vaped tobacco or nicotine				
0 days	97	100	94	85
1 or 2 days	1	0	3	8
3 to 9 days	0	0	3	0
10 to 19 days	1	0	0	1
20 to 30 days	0	0	0	6
Vaped marijuana or THC				
0 days	98	100	97	86
1 or 2 days	1	0	3	7
3 to 9 days	1	0	0	4
10 to 19 days	0	0	0	0
20 to 30 days	0	0	0	4
Vaped other product				
0 days	99	100	100	94
1 or 2 days	1	0	0	5
3 to 9 days	0	0	0	0
10 to 19 days	0	0	0	0
20 to 30 days	0	0	0	1

Question HS A.85, 85A-85C/MS A.82, 82A-82C: During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use... vaped products?... vaped tobacco or nicotine?... vaped marijuana or THC?... vaped other product?

Note: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

Table A10.6

Current Tobacco Use, Past 30 Days

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
No	97	92	94	84
Yes	3	8	6	16

Question HS A.83-85, 85A/MS A.80-82, 82A: During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use... cigarettes?... smokeless tobacco (dip, chew, or snuff)?... vape products?... During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use vape products?... Vaped tobacco or nicotine.

Notes: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

Current tobacco use includes using cigarettes or smokeless tobacco, or vaping tobacco or nicotine.

Table A10.7

Current Smoking on School Property, Past 30 Days (In-School Only)

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11	NT %
Cigarettes				
0 days	100			99
1 or 2 days	0			1
3 to 9 days	0			0
10 to 19 days	0			0
20 to 30 days	0			0
Smokeless tobacco				
0 days	100			98
1 or 2 days	0			2
3 to 9 days	0			0
10 to 19 days	0			0
20 to 30 days	0			0
Vape				
0 days	97			88
1 or 2 days	1			6
3 to 9 days	0			0
10 to 19 days	0			4
20 to 30 days	1			3

Question HS A.93-95/MS A.88-90: During the past 30 days, on how many days on school property did you... smoke cigarettes?... use smokeless tobacco (dip, chew, or snuff)?... vape?

**Table A10.8** Secondhand Smoke on School Property, Past 30 Days (In-School Only)

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Breathed the smoke or vapor from someone who was using cigarettes or e-cigarettes				
0 days	98			91
1 day	0			1
2 days	0			3
3-9 days	0			3
10-19 days	0			1
20-30 days	1			1

Question HS A.99/MS A.94: During the past 30 days, on how many days on school property did you... breathe the smoke or vapor from someone who was using cigarettes or e-cigarettes?

*Note: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.* 

**Table A10.9** Cigarette Smoking and Vaping Cessation Attempts

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Does not apply, don't use	na	92	94	81
0 times	na	8	3	2
1 time	na	0	0	7
2 to 3 times	na	0	0	2
4 or more times	na	0	3	7

Question HS A.65, 67, 113: During your life, how many times have you used the following? A whole cigarette... Vape products... How many times have you tried to quit or stop using... smoking or vaping tobacco or nicotine? Notes: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

Respondents reporting "0 Times" on lifetime cigarette or vape product use are coded as "Does not apply, don't use" on cigarette smoking and vaping cessation attempts.

na—Not asked of middle school students.

Table A10.10
Perceived Harm of Cigarette Smoking

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Smoke cigarettes occasionally				
Great	33	33	33	27
Moderate	22	42	36	27
Slight	15	8	6	11
None	30	17	25	35
Smoke 1 or more packs of cigarettes each day				
Great	51	67	61	54
Moderate	13	8	8	8
Slight	6	8	6	4
None	29	17	25	35

Question HS A.100, 101/MS A.95, 96: How much do people risk harming themselves physically and in other ways when they do the following?... Smoke cigarettes occasionally... Smoke 1 or more packs of cigarettes each day. Note: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

Table A10.11
Perceived Harm of Using Vape Products

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Vape tobacco or nicotine occasionally				
Great	36	33	29	20
Moderate	24	42	40	37
Slight	10	8	6	7
None	30	17	26	35
Vape tobacco or nicotine several times a day (100 puffs or more)				
Great	59	75	61	49
Moderate	8	8	14	15
Slight	4	0	0	1
None	30	17	25	35

Question HS A.102, 103/MS A.97, 98: How much do people risk harming themselves physically and in other ways when they do the following?... Vape tobacco or nicotine occasionally... Vape tobacco or nicotine several times a day (100 puffs or more).

Table A10.12
Perceived Difficulty of Obtaining Cigarettes and Vape Products

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11	NT %
Cigarettes	70	70	70	70
Very difficult	11	0	3	12
Fairly difficult	11	8	25	11
Fairly easy	14	0	8	30
Very easy	12	17	17	10
Don't know	52	75	47	37
Vape products				
Very difficult	8	0	6	8
Fairly difficult	5	8	8	6
Fairly easy	23	8	14	28
Very easy	26	25	36	27
Don't know	39	58	36	31

Question HS A.108, 109/MS A.103, 104: How difficult is it for students in your grade to get any of the following if they really want them?... Cigarettes... Vape products.

Note: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

Table A10.13
School Bans Tobacco Use and Vaping

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
	%	%	%	%
No	6	0	3	6
Yes	60	42	61	74
Don't know	34	58	36	20

Question HS A.116/MS A.108: Does your school ban tobacco use and vaping on school property and at school sponsored events?

## 11. Other Health Risks

Table A11.1

Alone After School (In-School Only)

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Never	52	na	na	na
1 day	18	na	na	na
2 days	9	na	na	na
3 days	4	na	na	na
2 days 3 days 4 days	0	na	na	na
5 days	17	na	na	na

Question MS A.109: In a normal week, how many days are you home after school for at least one hour without an adult there?

Notes: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

na—Not asked of high school students.

Table A11.2

Gang Involvement (In-School Only)

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
No	93	100	100	96
Yes	7	0	0	4

Question HS A.152/MS A.145: Do you consider yourself a member of a gang?

## 12. Race/Ethnicity Breakdowns

Table A12.1 School Engagement and Supports by Race/Ethnicity

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
School Connectedness <sup>†#</sup> (In-School Only)	70	70	70	70
American Indian or Alaska Native	66			
Asian or Asian American	50			45
Black or African American	57			
Hispanic or Latinx	45			71
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial	58			
Something else				
School Connectedness <sup>†</sup> (Remote Only)				
American Indian or Alaska Native				
Asian or Asian American				
Black or African American				
Hispanic or Latinx	29		60	
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial				
Something else				
Academic Motivation <sup>†</sup>				
American Indian or Alaska Native	68			
Asian or Asian American	61			70
Black or African American	60			
Hispanic or Latinx	51		75	60
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial	62			
Something else				

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Agree" or "Strongly agree."

<sup>\*</sup>The scale was based on five survey questions for in-school respondents.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>psi}$ The scale was based on four questions for remote respondents.

Table A12.1
School Engagement and Supports by Race/Ethnicity – Continued

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
	%	%	%	%
School is really boring <sup>±</sup>				
American Indian or Alaska Native	45			
Asian or Asian American	35			36
Black or African American	60			
Hispanic or Latinx	56		27	31
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial	40			
Something else				
School is worthless and a waste of time $^\pm$				
American Indian or Alaska Native	30			
Asian or Asian American	12			0
Black or African American	20			
Hispanic or Latinx	24		19	9
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial	20			
Something else				
Monthly Absences (3 or more)				
American Indian or Alaska Native	8			
Asian or Asian American	4			45
Black or African American	9			
Hispanic or Latinx	21		8	20
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial	10			
Something else				

 $<sup>^{\</sup>pm}$ Rating of 7 or higher.

Table A12.1
School Engagement and Supports by Race/Ethnicity – Continued

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
N# · 4 · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	%	%	%	%
Maintaining focus on schoolwork <sup>†</sup>	• •			
American Indian or Alaska Native	20			
Asian or Asian American	39			9
Black or African American	40			
Hispanic or Latinx	27		55	35
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial	45			
Something else				
Caring adult relationships <sup>‡</sup>				
American Indian or Alaska Native	67			
Asian or Asian American	61			67
Black or African American	63			
Hispanic or Latinx	47		71	58
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial	66			
Something else				
High expectations <sup>‡</sup>				
American Indian or Alaska Native	80			
Asian or Asian American	77			79
Black or African American	70			
Hispanic or Latinx	60		71	64
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial	70			
Something else				

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Agree" or "Strongly agree."

 $<sup>^{\</sup>ddagger}$ Average percent of respondents reporting "Pretty much true" or "Very much true."

Table A12.1
School Engagement and Supports by Race/Ethnicity – Continued

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Meaningful participation <sup>‡</sup>	70	70	70	70
American Indian or Alaska Native	44			
Asian or Asian American	31			36
Black or African American	34			
Hispanic or Latinx	22		33	23
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial	25			
Something else				
Facilities upkeep <sup>†</sup> ( <i>In-School Only</i> )				
American Indian or Alaska Native	30			
Asian or Asian American	22			73
Black or African American	20			
Hispanic or Latinx	34			71
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial	36			
Something else				
Promotion of parental involvement in school <sup>†</sup>				
American Indian or Alaska Native	67			
Asian or Asian American	58			50
Black or African American	50			
Hispanic or Latinx	51		73	64
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial	57			
Something else				

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Agree" or "Strongly agree."

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>‡</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Pretty much true" or "Very much true."

Table A12.2 School Safety by Race/Ethnicity

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
School perceived as very safe or safe ( <i>In-School Only</i> )		%	<u> </u>	90
American Indian or Alaska Native				
Asian or Asian American	50			64
Black or African American				
Hispanic or Latinx	38			79
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial	44			
Something else				
Experienced harassment due to five reasons $^{\lambda \S}$				
American Indian or Alaska Native				
Asian or Asian American	48			18
Black or African American				
Hispanic or Latinx	44		5	8
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial	48			
Something else				
Experienced any harassment or bullying <sup>§</sup>				
American Indian or Alaska Native				
Asian or Asian American	53			18
Black or African American				
Hispanic or Latinx	57		5	12
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial	62			
Something else				

 $<sup>^{\</sup>lambda}$ The five reasons include race, ethnicity, or national origin; religion; gender (being male or female); sexual orientation; and a physical or mental disability.

<sup>§</sup>Past 12 months.

Table A12.2 School Safety by Race/Ethnicity – Continued

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Had mean rumors or lies spread about you§	<u>%</u>	%	<u>%</u>	<u>%</u>
American Indian or Alaska Native				
Asian or Asian American	43			9
Black or African American	<b>T</b> 3			
Hispanic or Latinx	45		9	24
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	43		9	24
White				
	20			
Multiracial	38			
Something else				
Been afraid of being beaten up§ (In-School Only)				
American Indian or Alaska Native				
Asian or Asian American	36			0
Black or African American				
Hispanic or Latinx	35			4
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial	36			
Something else				
Been in a physical fight <sup>§</sup> ( <i>In-School Only</i> )				
American Indian or Alaska Native				
Asian or Asian American	5			9
Black or African American				
Hispanic or Latinx	16			10
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial	12			
Something else				

<sup>§</sup> Past 12 months.

Table A12.2
School Safety by Race/Ethnicity - Continued

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11	NT %
Seen a weapon on campus <sup>§</sup> (In-School Only)		•	·	·
American Indian or Alaska Native				
Asian or Asian American	16			9
Black or African American				
Hispanic or Latinx	20			6
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial	20			
Something else				

Table A12.3

Cyberbullying by Race/Ethnicity

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Cyberbullying <sup>§</sup>	,-	, -	, -	, -
American Indian or Alaska Native				
Asian or Asian American	43			9
Black or African American				
Hispanic or Latinx	40		9	24
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial	34			
Something else				

<sup>§</sup>Past 12 months.

<sup>§</sup>Past 12 months.

Table A12.4
Substance Use by Race/Ethnicity

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
Current alashal or drug	%	%	%	%
Current alcohol or drug use <sup>¶</sup>	0			
American Indian or Alaska Native	0			
Asian or Asian American	2			9
Black or African American	10			
Hispanic or Latinx	10		5	24
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial	17			
Something else				
Current tobacco use <sup>¶</sup>				
American Indian or Alaska Native	0			
Asian or Asian American	0			9
Black or African American	0			
Hispanic or Latinx	3		9	20
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial	10			
Something else				
Current marijuana use¶				
American Indian or Alaska Native	0			
Asian or Asian American	0			9
Black or African American	0			
Hispanic or Latinx	4		0	17
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial	10			
Something else				

<sup>¶</sup>Past 30 days.

Table A12.4
Substance Use by Race/Ethnicity – Continued

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Current binge drinking <sup>¶</sup>	/0	70	/0	70
American Indian or Alaska Native	0			
Asian or Asian American	0			0
Black or African American	0			
Hispanic or Latinx	1		0	7
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial	0			
Something else				
Very drunk or "high" 7 or more times, ever				
American Indian or Alaska Native	0			
Asian or Asian American	0			9
Black or African American	0			
Hispanic or Latinx	1		0	7
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial	7			
Something else				
Been drunk or "high" on drugs at school, ever				
American Indian or Alaska Native	0			
Asian or Asian American	0			9
Black or African American	0			
Hispanic or Latinx	4		0	9
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial	7			
Something else				

<sup>¶</sup>Past 30 days.

Table A12.4
Substance Use by Race/Ethnicity – Continued

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
Current alcohol use <sup>¶</sup>	%	%	%	%
	0			
American Indian or Alaska Native	0			
Asian or Asian American	2			9
Black or African American	10			
Hispanic or Latinx	6		5	16
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial	3			
Something else				
Current alcohol use at school (In-School Only)				
American Indian or Alaska Native	0			
Asian or Asian American	0			0
Black or African American	0			
Hispanic or Latinx	3			4
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial	0			
Something else				
Current cigarette smoking¶				
American Indian or Alaska Native	0			
Asian or Asian American	0			0
Black or African American	0			
Hispanic or Latinx	0		0	5
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial	0			
Something else				

<sup>¶</sup>Past 30 days.

Table A12.4
Substance Use by Race/Ethnicity – Continued

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
Commont was of warms must divisted	%	%	%	%
Current use of vape products¶	^			
American Indian or Alaska Native	0			
Asian or Asian American	0			10
Black or African American	0			
Hispanic or Latinx	7		9	21
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial	10			
Something else				
Current tobacco vaping <sup>¶</sup>				
American Indian or Alaska Native	0			
Asian or Asian American	0			10
Black or African American	0			
Hispanic or Latinx	3		9	20
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial	7			
Something else				
Current marijuana vaping <sup>¶</sup>				
American Indian or Alaska Native	0			
Asian or Asian American	0			10
Black or African American	0			
Hispanic or Latinx	3		5	16
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial	7			
Something else				

<sup>¶</sup>Past 30 days.

Table A12.5

Routines by Race/Ethnicity

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11	NT %
Eating of breakfast <sup> </sup>				
American Indian or Alaska Native	73			
Asian or Asian American	69			45
Black or African American	55			
Hispanic or Latinx	43		46	43
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial	55			
Something else				
Bedtime (at 12 am or later)				
American Indian or Alaska Native	17			
Asian or Asian American	11			55
Black or African American	18			
Hispanic or Latinx	21		63	38
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial	40			
Something else				

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Table A12.6
Remote Schooling by Race/Ethnicity (Remote Only)

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Remote learning frequency (5 days per week)¶	70	70	70	70
American Indian or Alaska Native				
Asian or Asian American				
Black or African American				
Hispanic or Latinx	30		68	
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial				
Something else				
Synchronous instruction (4 days or more) <sup>∥</sup>				
American Indian or Alaska Native				
Asian or Asian American				
Black or African American				
Hispanic or Latinx	20		23	
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial				
Something else				
Interest in schoolwork done from home <sup>†</sup>				
American Indian or Alaska Native				
Asian or Asian American				
Black or African American				
Hispanic or Latinx			58	
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial				
Something else				

<sup>¶</sup>Past 30 days.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>∥</sup>Past 7 days.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Agree" or "Strongly agree."

Table A12.6

Remote Schooling by Race/Ethnicity – Continued (Remote Only)

<u> </u>	<u> </u>			
	Grade 7	Grade 9 %	Grade 11	NT %
Meaningful opportunities <sup>‡</sup>				
American Indian or Alaska Native				
Asian or Asian American				
Black or African American				
Hispanic or Latinx	30		85	
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial				
Something else				

<sup>‡</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Pretty much true" or "Very much true."

Table A12.7 Social and Emotional Health by Race/Ethnicity

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Social emotional distress <sup>‡</sup>	70	70	70	70
American Indian or Alaska Native				
Asian or Asian American	31			24
Black or African American				
Hispanic or Latinx	37		32	24
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial	46			
Something else				
Experienced chronic sadness/hopelessness§				
American Indian or Alaska Native				
Asian or Asian American	40			36
Black or African American				
Hispanic or Latinx	49		36	29
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial	52			
Something else				
Considered suicide <sup>§</sup>				
American Indian or Alaska Native				
Asian or Asian American	13			18
Black or African American				
Hispanic or Latinx	24		5	16
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial	34			
Something else				

<sup>‡</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Pretty much true" or "Very much true."

<sup>§</sup>Past 12 months.

Table A12.7
Social and Emotional Health by Race/Ethnicity – Continued

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Optimism <sup>‡</sup>				
American Indian or Alaska Native				
Asian or Asian American	47			57
Black or African American				
Hispanic or Latinx	41		38	41
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial	56			
Something else				
ife satisfaction <sup>∓</sup>				
American Indian or Alaska Native				
Asian or Asian American	56			
Black or African American				
Hispanic or Latinx	54		52	58
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander				
White				
Multiracial	55			
Something else				

<sup>‡</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Pretty much true" or "Very much true."

 $<sup>^{\</sup>mp}$ Average percent of respondents reporting "Satisfied" or "Very satisfied."

## 13. Gender Breakdowns

Table A13.1
School Engagement and Supports by Gender

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
School Connectedness <sup>†#</sup> (In-School Only)				
Male	54			62
Female	49			68
Nonbinary				
Something else				
School Connectedness†\( \psi \) (Remote Only)				
Male			60	
Female	34		61	
Nonbinary				
Something else				
Academic Motivation <sup>†</sup>				
Male	55		61	52
Female	59		78	71
Nonbinary				
Something else				
School is really boring $^\pm$				
Male	51		57	39
Female	48		15	27
Nonbinary				
Something else				
School is worthless and a waste of time $^\pm$				
Male	27		29	18
Female	15		5	3
Nonbinary				
Something else				

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Agree" or "Strongly agree."

<sup>\*</sup>The scale was based on five survey questions for in-school respondents.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>psi}$ The scale was based on four questions for remote respondents.

 $<sup>\</sup>pm$ Rating of 7 or higher.

Table A13.1
School Engagement and Supports by Gender – Continued

	Grade 7	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT
Monthly Absences (3 or more)	%	<u>%</u>	<u>%</u>	%
Male	17		7	22
	17			22
Female	16		9	32
Nonbinary				
Something else				
Maintaining focus on schoolwork <sup>†</sup>				
Male	34		36	40
Female	32		45	22
Nonbinary				
Something else				
Caring adult relationships <sup>‡</sup>				
Male	55		69	51
Female	56		78	69
Nonbinary				
Something else				
High expectations <sup>‡</sup>				
Male	67		67	57
Female	69		78	77
Nonbinary				
Something else				
Meaningful participation <sup>‡</sup>				
Male	27		21	31
Female	25		39	28
Nonbinary				
Something else				

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Agree" or "Strongly agree."

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>‡</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Pretty much true" or "Very much true."

Table A13.1
School Engagement and Supports by Gender – Continued

	Grade 7	Grade 9 %	Grade 11	NT %
Facilities upkeep <sup>†</sup> (In-School Only)		•	·	•
Male	30			70
Female	36			71
Nonbinary				
Something else				
Promotion of parental involvement in school <sup>†</sup>				
Male	58		67	64
Female	53		70	62
Nonbinary				
Something else				

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Agree" or "Strongly agree."

<sup>‡</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Pretty much true" or "Very much true."

Table A13.2 School Safety by Gender

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
School perceived as very safe or safe (In-School Only)				
Male	46			80
Female	42			70
Nonbinary				
Something else				
Experienced harassment due to five reasons $^{\lambda \S}$				
Male	36		0	5
Female	52		5	10
Nonbinary				
Something else				
Experienced any harassment or bullying§				
Male	49		0	5
Female	62		5	16
Nonbinary				
Something else				
Had mean rumors or lies spread about you <sup>§</sup>				
Male	39		7	7
Female	44		10	36
Nonbinary				
Something else				
Been afraid of being beaten up§ (In-School Only)				
Male	34			4
Female	34			6
Nonbinary				
Something else				

 $<sup>^{\</sup>lambda}$ The five reasons include race, ethnicity, or national origin; religion; gender (being male or female); sexual orientation; and a physical or mental disability.

<sup>§</sup>Past 12 months.

Table A13.2 School Safety by Gender – Continued

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Been in a physical fight <sup>§</sup> (In-School Only)				
Male	16			7
Female	7			13
Nonbinary				
Something else				
Seen a weapon on campus <sup>§</sup> (In-School Only)				
Male	22			5
Female	14			6
Nonbinary				
Something else				

Table A13.3

Cyberbullying by Gender

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Cyberbullying§				
Male	32		7	7
Female	43		10	32
Nonbinary				
Something else				

<sup>§</sup>Past 12 months.

<sup>§</sup>Past 12 months.

Table A13.4
Substance Use by Gender

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
Current alcohol or drug use <sup>¶</sup>	%	%	%	%
Male	8		0	17
Female	10		5	24
Nonbinary	10		<u> </u>	24
Something else  Current tobacco use  ¶				
	4		7	12
Male	4		7	13
Female	2		5	17
Nonbinary				
Something else				
Current marijuana use¶				
Male	4		0	17
Female	3		0	12
Nonbinary				
Something else				
Current binge drinking <sup>¶</sup>				
Male	0		0	9
Female	2		0	6
Nonbinary				
Something else				
Very drunk or "high" 7 or more times, ever				
Male	2		0	13
Female	1		0	6
Nonbinary				
Something else				
Been drunk or "high" on drugs at school, ever				
Male	4		0	13
Female	2		5	11
Nonbinary				
Something else				

 $<sup>\</sup>P$ Past 30 days.

Table A13.4
Substance Use by Gender – Continued

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
Current alcohol use <sup>¶</sup>	%	%	%	%
Male	2		0	11
Female	8		5	15
Nonbinary				13
Something else				
Current alcohol use at school (In-School Only)				
Male	2			2
Female	2			3
Nonbinary				
Something else				
Current cigarette smoking¶				
Male Male	0		0	4
Female	0		0	3
Nonbinary	<u> </u>		<u> </u>	
Something else				
Current use of vape products <sup>¶</sup>				
Male	5		7	15
Female	6		5	20
Nonbinary	0			20
Something else				
Current tobacco vaping¶				
Male	3		7	11
Female	2		5	17
Nonbinary				17
Something else				
Current marijuana vaping <sup>¶</sup>				
Male	2		7	13
Female	2		0	11
Nonbinary			U	11
Something else				

<sup>¶</sup>Past 30 days.

Table A13.5

Routines by Gender

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Eating of breakfast	,-	, -	, <del>-</del>	, -
Male	58		43	46
Female	48		41	42
Nonbinary				
Something else				
Bedtime (at 12 am or later)				
Male	18		50	44
Female	23		64	39
Nonbinary				
Something else				

Today.

Table A13.6

Remote Schooling by Gender (Remote Only)

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Remote learning frequency (5 days per week)¶				
Male			67	
Female	23		71	
Nonbinary				
Something else				
Synchronous instruction (4 days or more)				
Male			25	
Female	8		14	
Nonbinary				
Something else				
Interest in schoolwork done from home <sup>†</sup>				
Male			50	
Female	8		67	
Nonbinary				
Something else				
Meaningful opportunities <sup>‡</sup>				
Male			75	
Female	38		89	
Nonbinary				
Something else				

<sup>¶</sup>Past 30 days.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>∥</sup>Past 7 days.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Agree" or "Strongly agree."

<sup>‡</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Pretty much true" or "Very much true."

Table A13.7
Social and Emotional Health by Gender

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
Social emotional distress <sup>‡</sup>	%	%	%	%
	26		22	1.4
Male	26		23	14
Female	43		46	30
Nonbinary				
Something else				
Experienced chronic sadness/hopelessness§				
Male	33		29	11
Female	53		50	48
Nonbinary				
Something else				
Considered suicide§				
Male	17		7	11
Female	23		10	10
Nonbinary				
Something else				
Optimism <sup>‡</sup>				
Male	61		55	38
Female	37		30	44
Nonbinary				
Something else				
Life satisfaction <sup>‡</sup>				
Male	65		60	59
Female	51		53	53
Nonbinary				
Something else				

<sup>‡</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Pretty much true" or "Very much true."

<sup>§</sup>Past 12 months.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>∓</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Satisfied" or "Very satisfied."

## 14. Parental Education Breakdowns

Table A14.1
School Engagement and Supports by Parental Education

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
School Connectedness <sup>†#</sup> (In-School Only)				
Less than high school	41			72
High school graduate	45			61
Some college	58			
College degree	57			
Don't know	46			55
School Connectedness $^{\dagger \psi}$ (Remote Only)				
Less than high school				
High school graduate				
Some college				
College degree			63	
Don't know				
Academic Motivation <sup>†</sup>				
Less than high school	57			65
High school graduate	47			62
Some college	70			
College degree	60		69	
Don't know	50			53
School is really boring $^\pm$				
Less than high school	52			27
High school graduate	64			38
Some college	38			
College degree	45		31	
Don't know	48			27

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Agree" or "Strongly agree."

<sup>\*</sup>The scale was based on five survey questions for in-school respondents.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>psi}$ The scale was based on four questions for remote respondents.

Table A14.1
School Engagement and Supports by Parental Education – Continued

school Engagement and Supports by I archial Education	auton Continued				
	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %	
School is worthless and a waste of time $^\pm$					
Less than high school	29			6	
High school graduate	29			10	
Some college	17				
College degree	18		0		
Don't know	19			14	
Monthly Absences (3 or more)					
Less than high school	35			24	
High school graduate	15			29	
Some college	15				
College degree	6		14		
Don't know	25			39	
Maintaining focus on schoolwork <sup>†</sup>					
Less than high school	19			25	
High school graduate	37			43	
Some college	46				
College degree	41		38		
Don't know	21			32	
Caring adult relationships <sup>‡</sup>					
Less than high school	56			66	
High school graduate	41			55	
Some college	61				
College degree	60		85		
Don't know	52			53	

 $<sup>^{\</sup>pm}$ Rating of 7 or higher.

Table A14.1
School Engagement and Supports by Parental Education – Continued

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
TY* 1	%	%	%	%
High expectations <sup>‡</sup>				
Less than high school	51			66
High school graduate	57			67
Some college	69			
College degree	75		82	
Don't know	66			59
Meaningful participation <sup>‡</sup>				
Less than high school	23			31
High school graduate	20			31
Some college	38			
College degree	30		37	
Don't know	19			25
Facilities upkeep <sup>†</sup> ( <i>In-School Only</i> )				
Less than high school	40			70
High school graduate	25			67
Some college	25			
College degree	27			
Don't know	40			73
Promotion of parental involvement in school <sup>†</sup>				
Less than high school	48			66
High school graduate	50			65
Some college	54			
College degree	60		74	
Don't know	51			52

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Agree" or "Strongly agree."

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>‡</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Pretty much true" or "Very much true."

Table A14.2 School Safety by Parental Education

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
School perceived as very safe or safe (In-School Only)				
Less than high school	37			76
High school graduate	37			76
Some college	64			
College degree	51			
Don't know	36			70
Experienced harassment due to five reasons $^{\lambda \S}$				
Less than high school	41			17
High school graduate	51			11
Some college	62			
College degree	41		0	
Don't know	38			5
Experienced any harassment or bullying <sup>§</sup>				
Less than high school	59			21
High school graduate	69			11
Some college	71			
College degree	49		0	
Don't know	49			11
Had mean rumors or lies spread about you <sup>§</sup>				
Less than high school	50			38
High school graduate	58			14
Some college	48			
College degree	36		8	
Don't know	37			20

 $<sup>^{\</sup>lambda}$ The five reasons include race, ethnicity, or national origin; religion; gender (being male or female); sexual orientation; and a physical or mental disability.

<sup>§</sup>Past 12 months.

Table A14.2
School Safety by Parental Education – Continued

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Been afraid of being beaten up <sup>§</sup> (In-School Only)				
Less than high school	39			11
High school graduate	29			5
Some college	29			
College degree	36			
Don't know	34			0
Been in a physical fight <sup>§</sup> (In-School Only)				
Less than high school	29			11
High school graduate	16			19
Some college	14			
College degree	9			
Don't know	7			0
Seen a weapon on campus <sup>§</sup> (In-School Only)				
Less than high school	22			7
High school graduate	26			15
Some college	24			
College degree	14			
Don't know	14			5

Table A14.3

Cyberbullying by Parental Education

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	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Cyberbullying <sup>§</sup>				
Less than high school	29			21
High school graduate	54			17
Some college	29			
College degree	33		8	
Don't know	38			16

<sup>§</sup>Past 12 months.

<sup>§</sup>Past 12 months.

Table A14.4
Substance Use by Parental Education

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
Comment also hal an dense man	%	%	%	%
Current alcohol or drug use¶				
Less than high school	15			30
High school graduate	8			10
Some college	5			
College degree	6		0	
Don't know	10			19
Current tobacco use <sup>¶</sup>				
Less than high school	14			19
High school graduate	3			10
Some college	0			
College degree	0		0	
Don't know	5			10
Current marijuana use <sup>¶</sup>				
Less than high school	10			24
High school graduate	0			10
Some college	0			
College degree	3		0	
Don't know	5			14
Current binge drinking¶				
Less than high school	0			10
High school graduate	3			5
Some college	0			
College degree	1		0	
Don't know	0			0

<sup>¶</sup>Past 30 days.

Table A14.4
Substance Use by Parental Education – Continued

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
Vous dural on (Grich? 7 on the control of the contr	%	%	%	%
Very drunk or "high" 7 or more times, ever	1.0			_
Less than high school	10			6
High school graduate	3			5
Some college	0			
College degree	0		0	
Don't know	0			19
Been drunk or "high" on drugs at school, ever				
Less than high school	10			13
High school graduate	3			10
Some college	0			
College degree	2		8	
Don't know	4			14
Current alcohol use <sup>¶</sup>				
Less than high school	5			20
High school graduate	8			5
Some college	0			
College degree	4		0	
Don't know	4			10
Current alcohol use at school (In-School Only)				
Less than high school	0			11
High school graduate	0			0
Some college	0			
College degree	3			
Don't know	1			0

<sup>¶</sup>Past 30 days.

Table A14.4
Substance Use by Parental Education – Continued

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
C	%	%	%	%
Current cigarette smoking¶	_			
Less than high school	0			6
High school graduate	0			5
Some college	0			
College degree	0		0	
Don't know	0			0
Current use of vape products¶				
Less than high school	19			23
High school graduate	3			15
Some college	0			
College degree	2		0	
Don't know	6			10
Current tobacco vaping <sup>¶</sup>				
Less than high school	10			19
High school graduate	3			10
Some college	0			
College degree	0		0	
Don't know	5			10
Current marijuana vaping <sup>¶</sup>				
Less than high school	10			19
High school graduate	0			10
Some college	0			
College degree	1		0	
Don't know	4			5

<sup>¶</sup>Past 30 days.

Table A14.5

Routines by Parental Education

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Eating of breakfast	70	70	-70	70
Less than high school	55			47
High school graduate	56			20
Some college	69			
College degree	59		36	
Don't know	41			43
Bedtime (at 12 am or later)				
Less than high school	38			35
High school graduate	13			40
Some college	15			
College degree	15		64	
Don't know	27			43

Today.

Table A14.6

Remote Schooling by Parental Education (Remote Only)

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
Pemete learning frequency (5 days nor week)	%	%	%	%
Remote learning frequency (5 days per week)¶				
Less than high school				
High school graduate				
Some college				
College degree			71	
Don't know				
Synchronous instruction (4 days or more)				
Less than high school				
High school graduate				
Some college				
College degree			14	
Don't know				
Interest in schoolwork done from home <sup>†</sup>				
Less than high school				
High school graduate				
Some college				
College degree			54	
Don't know				
Meaningful opportunities <sup>‡</sup>				
Less than high school				
High school graduate				
Some college				
College degree			85	
Don't know				

<sup>¶</sup>Past 30 days.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>∥</sup>Past 7 days.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Agree" or "Strongly agree."

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>‡</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Pretty much true" or "Very much true."

Table A14.7
Social and Emotional Health by Parental Education

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11	NT %
Social emotional distress <sup>‡</sup>				
Less than high school	33			28
High school graduate	31			24
Some college	24			
College degree	33		37	
Don't know	39			20
Experienced chronic sadness/hopelessness§				
Less than high school	47			34
High school graduate	36			28
Some college	33			
College degree	39		46	
Don't know	53			32
Considered suicide§				
Less than high school	19			14
High school graduate	17			11
Some college	29			
College degree	16		31	
Don't know	25			16
Optimism <sup>‡</sup>				
Less than high school	53			43
High school graduate	50			37
Some college	59			
College degree	49		44	
Don't know	41			32
Life satisfaction $^{\mp}$				
Less than high school	53			53
High school graduate	58			61
Some college	47			
College degree	59		65	
Don't know	58			51

<sup>‡</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Pretty much true" or "Very much true."

<sup>§</sup>Past 12 months.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>mp}$ Average percent of respondents reporting "Satisfied" or "Very satisfied."

## 15. English Learner Breakdowns

Table A15.1
School Engagement and Supports by English Learner Status

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
School Connectedness <sup>†#</sup> (In-School Only)	<u> </u>		<u> </u>	90
Not English learner	50			64
English learner	46			
Don't know	70			66
School Connectedness <sup>†</sup> ψ (Remote Only)				
Not English learner	31		62	
English learner				
Don't know				
Academic Motivation <sup>†</sup>				
Not English learner	56		72	55
English learner	49			
Don't know	71			72
School is really boring <sup>±</sup>				
Not English learner	50		39	32
English learner	50			
Don't know	38			38
School is worthless and a waste of time $^\pm$				
Not English learner	20		17	12
English learner	25			
Don't know	16			13
Monthly Absences (3 or more)				
Not English learner	14		12	24
English learner	23			
Don't know	26			41

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Agree" or "Strongly agree."

<sup>\*</sup>The scale was based on five survey questions for in-school respondents.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>psi}$ The scale was based on four questions for remote respondents.

 $<sup>\</sup>pm$ Rating of 7 or higher.

Table A15.1
School Engagement and Supports by English Learner Status – Continued

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Maintaining focus on schoolwork <sup>†</sup>				
Not English learner	36		42	33
English learner	23			
Don't know	20			25
Caring adult relationships <sup>‡</sup>				
Not English learner	54		75	60
English learner	51			
Don't know	68			58
High expectations <sup>‡</sup>				
Not English learner	68		76	66
English learner	54			
Don't know	79			65
Meaningful participation <sup>‡</sup>				
Not English learner	25		32	28
English learner	22			
Don't know	31			40
Facilities upkeep <sup>†</sup> (In-School Only)				
Not English learner	29			65
English learner	38			
Don't know	48			94
Promotion of parental involvement in school <sup>†</sup>				
Not English learner	54		73	61
English learner	54			
Don't know	63			71

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Agree" or "Strongly agree."

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>‡</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Pretty much true" or "Very much true."

Table A15.2 School Safety by English Learner Status

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
School perceived as very safe or safe ( <i>In-School Only</i> )	/0	///	70	/0
Not English learner	46			73
English learner	31			
Don't know	53			75
Experienced harassment due to five reasons $^{\lambda \S}$				
Not English learner	44		3	12
English learner	34			
Don't know	53			0
Experienced any harassment or bullying§				
Not English learner	57		3	16
English learner	48			
Don't know	53			0
Had mean rumors or lies spread about you§				
Not English learner	39		3	27
English learner	57			
Don't know	33			0
Been afraid of being beaten up§ (In-School Only)				
Not English learner	33			3
English learner	29			
Don't know	47			6
Been in a physical fight <sup>§</sup> (In-School Only)				
Not English learner	11			7
English learner	11			
Don't know	18			13
Seen a weapon on campus <sup>§</sup> (In-School Only)				
Not English learner	16			9
English learner	21			
Don't know	24			6

 $<sup>^{\</sup>lambda}$ The five reasons include race, ethnicity, or national origin; religion; gender (being male or female); sexual orientation; and a physical or mental disability.

<sup>§</sup> Past 12 months.

Table A15.3

Cyberbullying by English Learner Status

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT %
Cyberbullying <sup>§</sup>				
Not English learner	36		3	22
English learner	48			
Don't know	30			0

Table A15.4
Substance Use by English Learner Status

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11	NT %
Current alcohol or drug use <sup>¶</sup>				
Not English learner	8		3	23
English learner	13			
Don't know	9			6
Current alcohol or drug use <sup>¶</sup>				
Not English learner	3		6	17
English learner	6			
Don't know	0			0
Current marijuana use <sup>¶</sup>				
Not English learner	3		0	20
English learner	6			
Don't know	0			6
Current binge drinking <sup>¶</sup>				
Not English learner	0		0	10
English learner	3			
Don't know	0			0
Very drunk or "high" 7 or more times, ever				
Not English learner	1		0	13
English learner	0			
Don't know	0			6

<sup>§</sup>Past 12 months.

<sup>¶</sup>Past 30 days.

Table A15.4
Substance Use by English Learner Status – Continued

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Been drunk or "high" on drugs at school, ever	70	70	70	70
Not English learner	3		3	13
English learner	6			
Don't know	0			6
Current alcohol use <sup>¶</sup>				
Not English learner	4		3	16
English learner	6			
Don't know	4			0
Current alcohol use at school (In-School Only)				
Not English learner	2			5
English learner	3			
Don't know	0			0
Current cigarette smoking¶				
Not English learner	0		0	6
English learner	0			
Don't know	0			0
Current use of vape products¶				
Not English learner	5		6	19
English learner	6			
Don't know	0			0
Current tobacco vaping <sup>¶</sup>				
Not English learner	2		6	16
English learner	6			
Don't know	0			0
Current marijuana vaping <sup>¶</sup>				
Not English learner	2		3	16
English learner	6			
Don't know	0			0

<sup>¶</sup>Past 30 days.

Table A15.5

Routines by English Learner Status

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Eating of breakfast				
Not English learner	55		45	43
English learner	35			
Don't know	54			41
Bedtime (at 12 am or later)				
Not English learner	18		61	45
English learner	33			
Don't know	22			35

Today.

Table A15.6

Remote Schooling by English Learner Status (Remote Only)

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11	NT %
Remote learning frequency (5 days per week)¶	, -	,-	,-	, -
Not English learner	23		70	
English learner				
Don't know				
Synchronous instruction (4 days or more)				
Not English learner	8		23	
English learner				
Don't know				
Interest in schoolwork done from home <sup>†</sup>				
Not English learner	15		63	
English learner				
Don't know				
Meaningful opportunities <sup>‡</sup>				
Not English learner	31		86	
English learner				
Don't know				

<sup>¶</sup>Past 30 days.

<sup>||</sup>Past 7 days.||

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Agree" or "Strongly agree."

<sup>‡</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Pretty much true" or "Very much true."

Table A15.7
Social and Emotional Health by English Learner Status

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Social emotional distress <sup>‡</sup>				
Not English learner	36		38	25
English learner	30			
Don't know	28			12
Experienced chronic sadness/hopelessness§				
Not English learner	44		45	31
English learner	45			
Don't know	35			13
Considered suicide§				
Not English learner	20		13	16
English learner	24			
Don't know	20			7
Optimism <sup>‡</sup>				
Not English learner	51		38	39
English learner	37			
Don't know	35			31
Life satisfaction $^{\mp}$				
Not English learner	57		55	52
English learner	52			
Don't know	63			69

<sup>‡</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Pretty much true" or "Very much true."

<sup>§</sup> Past 12 months.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>mp}$ Average percent of respondents reporting "Satisfied" or "Very satisfied."

## 16. Long-Term English Learner (LTEL) Breakdowns

Table A16.1
School Engagement and Supports by English Learner (EL) Program Duration

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
Sala al Carra eta drassi <sup>‡‡</sup> (In Sala al Only)	%	%	%	%
School Connectedness <sup>†#</sup> (In-School Only)	<b>7</b> 0			<i>c</i>
Not currently in English Learner Program	50			64
Less than 7 years (EL)	42			
7 years or more (LTEL)				
School Connectedness $^{\dagger\psi}$ (Remote Only)				
Not currently in English Learner Program	31		62	
Less than 7 years (EL)				
7 years or more (LTEL)				
Academic Motivation <sup>†</sup>				
Not currently in English Learner Program	56		72	55
Less than 7 years (EL)	46			
7 years or more (LTEL)				
School is really boring <sup>±</sup>				
Not currently in English Learner Program	50		39	32
Less than 7 years (EL)	56			
7 years or more (LTEL)				
School is worthless and a waste of time $^\pm$				
Not currently in English Learner Program	20		17	12
Less than 7 years (EL)	22			
7 years or more (LTEL)				
Monthly Absences (3 or more)				
Not currently in English Learner Program	14		12	24
Less than 7 years (EL)	21			
7 years or more (LTEL)				

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Agree" or "Strongly agree."

<sup>\*</sup>The scale was based on five survey questions for in-school respondents.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>psi}$ The scale was based on four questions for remote respondents.

 $<sup>\</sup>pm Rating of 7 or higher.$ 

Table A16.1
School Engagement and Supports by English Learner (EL) Program Duration – Continued

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	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Maintaining focus on schoolwork <sup>†</sup>				
Not currently in English Learner Program	36		42	33
Less than 7 years (EL)	19			
7 years or more (LTEL)				
Caring adult relationships <sup>‡</sup>				
Not currently in English Learner Program	54		75	60
Less than 7 years (EL)	47			
7 years or more (LTEL)				
High expectations <sup>‡</sup>				
Not currently in English Learner Program	68		76	66
Less than 7 years (EL)	49			
7 years or more (LTEL)				
Meaningful participation <sup>‡</sup>				
Not currently in English Learner Program	25		32	28
Less than 7 years (EL)	24			
7 years or more (LTEL)				
Facilities upkeep <sup>†</sup> (In-School Only)				
Not currently in English Learner Program	29			65
Less than 7 years (EL)	38			
7 years or more (LTEL)				
Promotion of parental involvement in school <sup>†</sup>				
Not currently in English Learner Program	54		73	61
Less than 7 years (EL)	50			
7 years or more (LTEL)				

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Agree" or "Strongly agree."

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>‡</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Pretty much true" or "Very much true."

Table A16.2 School Safety by English Learner (EL) Program Duration

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
School perceived as very safe or safe ( <i>In-School Only</i> )	70	70	70	70
Not currently in English Learner Program	46			73
Less than 7 years (EL)	33			
7 years or more (LTEL)				
Experienced harassment due to five reasons $^{\lambda \S}$				
Not currently in English Learner Program	44		3	12
Less than 7 years (EL)	39			
7 years or more (LTEL)				
Experienced any harassment or bullying§				
Not currently in English Learner Program	57		3	16
Less than 7 years (EL)	48			
7 years or more (LTEL)				
Had mean rumors or lies spread about you§				
Not currently in English Learner Program	39		3	27
Less than 7 years (EL)	63			
7 years or more (LTEL)				
Been afraid of being beaten up§ (In-School Only)				
Not currently in English Learner Program	33			3
Less than 7 years (EL)	30			
7 years or more (LTEL)				
Been in a physical fight <sup>§</sup> (In-School Only)				
Not currently in English Learner Program	11			7
Less than 7 years (EL)	13			
7 years or more (LTEL)				
Seen a weapon on campus <sup>§</sup> (In-School Only)				
Not currently in English Learner Program	16			9
Less than 7 years (EL)	22			
7 years or more (LTEL)				

 $<sup>^{\</sup>lambda}$ The five reasons include race, ethnicity, or national origin; religion; gender (being male or female); sexual orientation; and a physical or mental disability.

<sup>§</sup> Past 12 months.

Table A16.3

Cyberbullying by English Learner (EL) Program Duration

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT %
Cyberbullying§				
Not currently in English Learner Program	36		3	22
Less than 7 years (EL)	52			
7 years or more (LTEL)				

Table A16.4
Substance Use by English Learner (EL) Program Duration

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Current alcohol or drug use <sup>¶</sup>				
Not currently in English Learner Program	8		3	23
Less than 7 years (EL)	15			
7 years or more (LTEL)				
Current tobacco use <sup>¶</sup>				
Not currently in English Learner Program	3		6	17
Less than 7 years (EL)	8			
7 years or more (LTEL)				
Current marijuana use <sup>¶</sup>				
Not currently in English Learner Program	3		0	20
Less than 7 years (EL)	8			
7 years or more (LTEL)				
Current binge drinking <sup>¶</sup>				
Not currently in English Learner Program	0		0	10
Less than 7 years (EL)	4			
7 years or more (LTEL)				
Very drunk or "high" 7 or more times, ever				
Not currently in English Learner Program	1		0	13
Less than 7 years (EL)	0			
7 years or more (LTEL)				

<sup>§</sup>Past 12 months.

<sup>¶</sup>Past 30 days.

Table A16.4
Substance Use by English Learner (EL) Program Duration – Continued

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9	Grade 11 %	NT %
Been drunk or "high" on drugs at school, ever	·			-
Not currently in English Learner Program	3		3	13
Less than 7 years (EL)	8			
7 years or more (LTEL)				
Current alcohol use¶				
Not currently in English Learner Program	4		3	16
Less than 7 years (EL)	8			
7 years or more (LTEL)				
Current alcohol use at school (In-School Only)				
Not currently in English Learner Program	2			5
Less than 7 years (EL)	4			
7 years or more (LTEL)				
Current cigarette smoking¶				
Not currently in English Learner Program	0		0	6
Less than 7 years (EL)	0			
7 years or more (LTEL)				
Current use of vape products¶				
Not currently in English Learner Program	5		6	19
Less than 7 years (EL)	8			
7 years or more (LTEL)				
Current tobacco vaping¶				
Not currently in English Learner Program	2		6	16
Less than 7 years (EL)	8			
7 years or more (LTEL)				
Current marijuana vaping <sup>¶</sup>				
Not currently in English Learner Program	2		3	16
Less than 7 years (EL)	8			
7 years or more (LTEL)				

<sup>¶</sup>Past 30 days.

Table A16.5
Routines by English Learner (EL) Program Duration

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11	NT %
Eating of breakfast				
Not currently in English Learner Program	55		45	43
Less than 7 years (EL)	33			
7 years or more (LTEL)				
Bedtime (at 12 am or later)				
Not currently in English Learner Program	18		61	45
Less than 7 years (EL)	37			
7 years or more (LTEL)				

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Table A16.6

Remote Schooling by English Learner (EL) Program Duration (Remote Only)

<u> </u>	<u> </u>			
	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Remote learning frequency (5 days per week)¶				
Not currently in English Learner Program	23		70	
Less than 7 years (EL)				
7 years or more (LTEL)				
Synchronous instruction (4 days or more)				
Not currently in English Learner Program	8		23	
Less than 7 years (EL)				
7 years or more (LTEL)				
Interest in schoolwork done from home <sup>†</sup>				
Not currently in English Learner Program	15		63	
Less than 7 years (EL)				
7 years or more (LTEL)				
Meaningful opportunities <sup>‡</sup>				
Not currently in English Learner Program	31		86	
Less than 7 years (EL)				
7 years or more (LTEL)				

<sup>¶</sup>Past 30 days.

<sup>∥</sup>Past 7 days.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Agree" or "Strongly agree."

<sup>‡</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Pretty much true" or "Very much true."

Table A16.7
Social and Emotional Health by English Learner (EL) Program Duration

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Social emotional distress <sup>‡</sup>				
Not currently in English Learner Program	36		38	25
Less than 7 years (EL)	31			
7 years or more (LTEL)				
Experienced chronic sadness/hopelessness§				
Not currently in English Learner Program	44		45	31
Less than 7 years (EL)	48			
7 years or more (LTEL)				
Considered suicide§				
Not currently in English Learner Program	20		13	16
Less than 7 years (EL)	22			
7 years or more (LTEL)				
Optimism <sup>‡</sup>				
Not currently in English Learner Program	51		38	39
Less than 7 years (EL)	32			
7 years or more (LTEL)				
Life satisfaction $^{\mp}$				
Not currently in English Learner Program	57		55	52
Less than 7 years (EL)	49			
7 years or more (LTEL)				

<sup>‡</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Pretty much true" or "Very much true."

<sup>§</sup>Past 12 months.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>mp}$ Average percent of respondents reporting "Satisfied" or "Very satisfied."

## 17. Special Education Breakdowns

Table A17.1
School Engagement and Supports by Individualized Education Plan (IEP) Placement

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11	NT %
School Connectedness <sup>†#</sup> (In-School Only)				
No IEP	53			66
IEP	57			74
Don't know	39			61
Prefer not to say				
School Connectedness $^{\dagger\psi}$ (Remote Only)				
No IEP	42		68	
IEP				
Don't know				
Prefer not to say				
Academic Motivation <sup>†</sup>				
No IEP	56		78	60
IEP	64			57
Don't know	55			67
Prefer not to say				
School is really boring <sup>±</sup>				
No IEP	50		32	37
IEP	25			21
Don't know	45			27
Prefer not to say	80			
School is worthless and a waste of time $^\pm$				
No IEP	20		20	14
IEP	19			7
Don't know	21			7
Prefer not to say	30			

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Agree" or "Strongly agree."

<sup>\*</sup>The scale was based on five survey questions for in-school respondents.

 $<sup>\</sup>psi$ The scale was based on four questions for remote respondents.

 $<sup>\</sup>pm Rating of 7 or higher.$ 

Table A17.1
School Engagement and Supports by Individualized Education Plan (IEP) Placement – Continued

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Monthly Absences (3 or more)	7.0	70	70	70
No IEP	16		12	28
IEP	13			21
Don't know	16			31
Prefer not to say	25			
Maintaining focus on schoolwork <sup>†</sup>				
No IEP	34		44	32
IEP	31			31
Don't know	24			27
Prefer not to say				
Caring adult relationships <sup>‡</sup>				
No IEP	57		77	64
IEP	50			64
Don't know	52			47
Prefer not to say				
High expectations <sup>‡</sup>				
No IEP	70		79	70
IEP	65			67
Don't know	60			60
Prefer not to say				
Meaningful participation <sup>‡</sup>				
No IEP	25		38	27
IEP	28			37
Don't know	26			40
Prefer not to say				

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Agree" or "Strongly agree."

<sup>‡</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Pretty much true" or "Very much true."

Table A17.1
School Engagement and Supports by Individualized Education Plan (IEP) Placement – Continued

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Facilities upkeep <sup>†</sup> ( <i>In-School Only</i> )				
No IEP	33			68
IEP	29			83
Don't know	29			73
Prefer not to say				
Promotion of parental involvement in school <sup>†</sup>				
No IEP	57		76	60
IEP	69			67
Don't know	45			76
Prefer not to say				

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Agree" or "Strongly agree."

<sup>‡</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Pretty much true" or "Very much true."

Table A17.2 School Safety by Individualized Education Plan (IEP) Placement

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
School perceived as very safe or safe (In-School Only)		·	·	
No IEP	46			74
IEP	57			100
Don't know	31			67
Prefer not to say				
Experienced harassment due to five reasons $^{\lambda \S}$				
No IEP	43		4	9
IEP	40			18
Don't know	50			8
Prefer not to say				
Experienced any harassment or bullying§				
No IEP	55		4	11
IEP	47			18
Don't know	59			15
Prefer not to say				
Had mean rumors or lies spread about you§				
No IEP	38		4	25
IEP	40			18
Don't know	50			13
Prefer not to say				
Been afraid of being beaten up§ (In-School Only)				
No IEP	30			6
IEP	43			10
Don't know	47			0
Prefer not to say				

 $<sup>^{\</sup>lambda}$ The five reasons include race, ethnicity, or national origin; religion; gender (being male or female); sexual orientation; and a physical or mental disability.

<sup>§</sup>Past 12 months.

Table A17.2
School Safety by Individualized Education Plan (IEP) Placement – Continued

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
	%	%	%	%
Been in a physical fight <sup>§</sup> (In-School Only)				
No IEP	13			4
IEP	15			20
Don't know	7			20
Prefer not to say				
Seen a weapon on campus <sup>§</sup> (In-School Only)				
No IEP	16			4
IEP	7			30
Don't know	27			7
Prefer not to say				

Table A17.3

Cyberbullying by Individualized Education Plan (IEP) Placement

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT %
Cyberbullying <sup>§</sup>				
No IEP	38		4	23
IEP	40			18
Don't know	27			15
Prefer not to say				

<sup>§</sup>Past 12 months.

<sup>§</sup>Past 12 months.

Table A17.4
Substance Use by Individualized Education Plan (IEP) Placement

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
Current alcohol or drug use <sup>¶</sup>	%	%	%	%
No IEP	9		4	21
IEP	19			18
Don't know	5			27
Prefer not to say				
Current tobacco use <sup>¶</sup>				
No IEP	4		8	16
IEP	0			17
Don't know	0			20
Prefer not to say				
Current marijuana use <sup>¶</sup>				
No IEP	5		0	16
IEP	0			20
Don't know	0			20
Prefer not to say				
Current binge drinking <sup>¶</sup>				
No IEP	1		0	9
IEP	0			9
Don't know	0			0
Prefer not to say				
Very drunk or "high" 7 or more times, ever				
No IEP	2		0	12
IEP	0			8
Don't know	0			7
Prefer not to say				
Been drunk or "high" on drugs at school, ever				
No IEP	4		4	12
IEP	0			17
Don't know	0			14
Prefer not to say				

<sup>¶</sup>Past 30 days.

Table A17.4
Substance Use by Individualized Education Plan (IEP) Placement – Continued

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Current alcohol use <sup>¶</sup>	70	70	70	-/0
No IEP	4		4	16
IEP	13			18
Don't know	5			7
Prefer not to say				
Current alcohol use at school (In-School Only)				
No IEP	2			2
IEP	7			20
Don't know	0			0
Prefer not to say				
Current cigarette smoking¶				
No IEP	0		0	2
IEP	0			17
Don't know	0			7
Prefer not to say				
Current use of vape products <sup>¶</sup>				
No IEP	7		8	17
IEP	0			17
Don't know	0			29
Prefer not to say				
Current tobacco vaping¶				
No IEP	4		8	14
IEP	0			17
Don't know	0			21
Prefer not to say				
Current marijuana vaping <sup>¶</sup>				
No IEP	3		4	16
IEP	0			17
Don't know	0			7
Prefer not to say				

<sup>¶</sup>Past 30 days.

Table A17.5

Routines by Individualized Education Plan (IEP) Placement

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
	%	%	%	%
Eating of breakfast				
No IEP	50		42	38
IEP	63			50
Don't know	54			50
Prefer not to say	64			
Bedtime (at 12 am or later)				
No IEP	21		50	42
IEP	19			57
Don't know	20			31
Prefer not to say	18			

<sup>|</sup>Today.

Table A17.6

Remote Schooling by Individualized Education Plan (IEP) Placement (Remote Only)

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Remote learning frequency (5 days per week)¶				
No IEP	33		70	
IEP				
Don't know				
Prefer not to say				
Synchronous instruction (4 days or more) <sup>∥</sup>				
No IEP	8		26	
IEP				
Don't know				
Prefer not to say				
Interest in schoolwork done from home <sup>†</sup>				
No IEP	17		81	
IEP				
Don't know				
Prefer not to say				
Meaningful opportunities <sup>‡</sup>				
No IEP	42		86	
IEP				
Don't know				
Prefer not to say				

<sup>¶</sup>Past 30 days.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>∥</sup>Past 7 days.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Agree" or "Strongly agree."

<sup>‡</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Pretty much true" or "Very much true."

Table A17.7
Social and Emotional Health by Individualized Education Plan (IEP) Placement

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
Conial amotional distunss <sup>‡</sup>	%	%	%	%
Social emotional distress <sup>‡</sup>	2.5		4.4	2.
No IEP	35		41	26
IEP	33			27
Don't know	33			8
Prefer not to say				
Experienced chronic sadness/hopelessness§				
No IEP	45		48	34
IEP	40			36
Don't know	45			8
Prefer not to say				
Considered suicide§				
No IEP	21		12	13
IEP	14			36
Don't know	18			0
Prefer not to say				
Optimism <sup>‡</sup>				
No IEP	49		40	41
IEP	53			30
Don't know	39			44
Prefer not to say				
Life satisfaction <sup>+</sup>				
No IEP	57		59	54
IEP	68			51
Don't know	56			57
Prefer not to say				- '

<sup>‡</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Pretty much true" or "Very much true."

<sup>§</sup>Past 12 months.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>∓</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Satisfied" or "Very satisfied."

## 18. Living Situation Breakdowns

Table A18.1 School Engagement and Supports by Living Situation

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT %
School Connectedness <sup>†#</sup> (In-School Only)	/0	//	/0	70
Home with one or more parent or guardian	51			62
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement	53			76
School Connectedness <sup>†</sup> (Remote Only)				
Home with one or more parent or guardian	39		62	
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement				
Academic Motivation <sup>†</sup>				
Home with one or more parent or guardian	55	80	71	58
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement	63			66
School is really boring <sup>±</sup>				
Home with one or more parent or guardian	51	40	36	33
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement	32			30
School is worthless and a waste of time $^\pm$				
Home with one or more parent or guardian	22	10	16	12
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement	9			10

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Agree" or "Strongly agree."

<sup>\*</sup>The scale was based on five survey questions for in-school respondents.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>psi}$ The scale was based on four questions for remote respondents.

 $<sup>\</sup>pm$ Rating of 7 or higher.

Table A18.1 School Engagement and Supports by Living Situation – Continued

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
Monthly Absonces (2 on mone)	%	%	%	%
Monthly Absences (3 or more)	4 ~	10	10	26
Home with one or more parent or guardian	15	10	12	26
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement	23			30
Maintaining focus on schoolwork <sup>†</sup>				
Home with one or more parent or guardian	32	50	36	28
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement	30			37
Caring adult relationships <sup>‡</sup>				
Home with one or more parent or guardian	55	63	76	55
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement	51			77
High expectations <sup>‡</sup>				
Home with one or more parent or guardian	68	90	74	65
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement	65			70
Meaningful participation <sup>‡</sup>				
Home with one or more parent or guardian	25	12	33	26
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement	25			42

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Agree" or "Strongly agree."

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>‡</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Pretty much true" or "Very much true."

Table A18.1
School Engagement and Supports by Living Situation – Continued

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Facilities upkeep <sup>†</sup> ( <i>In-School Only</i> )				
Home with one or more parent or guardian	31			70
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement	37			74
Promotion of parental involvement in school <sup>†</sup>				
Home with one or more parent or guardian	55	63	71	62
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement	50			67

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Agree" or "Strongly agree."

<sup>‡</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Pretty much true" or "Very much true."

Table A18.2 School Safety by Living Situation

	Grade 7	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
School perceived as very safe or safe ( <i>In-School Only</i> )	%	%0	%0	%
•	4.4			70
Home with one or more parent or guardian	44			72
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement	46			85
Experienced harassment due to five reasons $^{\lambda \S}$				
Home with one or more parent or guardian	42	0	0	8
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement	58			17
Experienced any harassment or bullying§				
Home with one or more parent or guardian	55	10	0	12
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement	58			17
Had mean rumors or lies spread about you§				
Home with one or more parent or guardian	39	10	6	19
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement	57			30
Been afraid of being beaten up§ (In-School Only)				
Home with one or more parent or guardian	33			7
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement	35			0

 $<sup>^{\</sup>lambda}$ The five reasons include race, ethnicity, or national origin; religion; gender (being male or female); sexual orientation; and a physical or mental disability.

<sup>§</sup>Past 12 months.

Table A18.2 School Safety by Living Situation – Continued

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
Been in a physical fight <sup>§</sup> ( <i>In-School Only</i> )	%	%	%	%
Home with one or more parent or guardian	11			8
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement	12			10
Seen a weapon on campus§ (In-School Only)				
Home with one or more parent or guardian	15			9
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement	38			5

Table A18.3

Cyberbullying by Living Situation

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Cyberbullying <sup>§</sup>				
Home with one or more parent or guardian	36	0	6	20
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement	50			22

<sup>§</sup>Past 12 months.

<sup>§</sup> Past 12 months.

Table A18.4
Substance Use by Living Situation

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Current alcohol or drug use <sup>¶</sup>	<u> </u>	<u> 70</u>	70	70
Home with one or more parent or guardian	8	20	0	23
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement	10			15
Current tobacco use <sup>¶</sup>				
Home with one or more parent or guardian	3	10	3	18
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement	3			10
Current marijuana use¶				
Home with one or more parent or guardian	4	20	0	19
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement	0			10
Current binge drinking¶				
Home with one or more parent or guardian	0	20	0	8
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement	3			5
Very drunk or "high" 7 or more times, ever				
Home with one or more parent or guardian	1	10	0	12
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement	3			5
Been drunk or "high" on drugs at school, ever				
Home with one or more parent or guardian	3	0	3	14
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement	7			11

<sup>¶</sup>Past 30 days.

Table A18.4
Substance Use by Living Situation – Continued

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Current alcohol use <sup>¶</sup>	70	70	70	70
Home with one or more parent or guardian	5	20	0	14
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement	3			15
Current alcohol use at school (In-School Only)				
Home with one or more parent or guardian	1			5
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement	4			0
Current cigarette smoking¶				
Home with one or more parent or guardian	0	10	0	6
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement	0			0
Current use of vape products¶				
Home with one or more parent or guardian	5	0	3	18
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement	7			20
Current tobacco vaping¶				
Home with one or more parent or guardian	3	0	3	17
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement	3			10
Current marijuana vaping <sup>¶</sup>				
Home with one or more parent or guardian	3	0	3	16
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement	0			10

<sup>¶</sup>Past 30 days.

Table A18.5

Routines by Living Situation

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT %
Eating of breakfast	,,,	,,	,,	,,,
Home with one or more parent or guardian	52	50	47	44
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement	56			35
Bedtime (at 12 am or later)				
Home with one or more parent or guardian	21	50	59	45
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement	20			30

<sup>|</sup>Today.

Table A18.6

Remote Schooling by Living Situation (Remote Only)

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Remote learning frequency (5 days per week)¶				
Home with one or more parent or guardian	24		71	
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement				
Synchronous instruction (4 days or more) <sup>∥</sup>				
Home with one or more parent or guardian	6		19	
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement				
Interest in schoolwork done from home <sup>†</sup>				
Home with one or more parent or guardian	14		59	
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement				
Meaningful opportunities <sup>‡</sup>				
Home with one or more parent or guardian	56		80	
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement				

<sup>¶</sup>Past 30 days.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>∥</sup>Past 7 days.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Agree" or "Strongly agree."

<sup>‡</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Pretty much true" or "Very much true."

Table A18.7 Social and Emotional Health by Living Situation

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
	%	%	%	%
Social emotional distress <sup>‡</sup>				
Home with one or more parent or guardian	35	28	37	22
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement	34			23
Experienced chronic sadness/hopelessness§				
Home with one or more parent or guardian	44	30	39	28
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement	46			33
Considered suicide§				
Home with one or more parent or guardian	20	0	12	13
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement	23			17
Optimism <sup>‡</sup>				
Home with one or more parent or guardian	47	50	41	36
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement	54			52
Life satisfaction $^{\mp}$				
Home with one or more parent or guardian	57	68	58	52
Foster home				
Homeless				
Other living arrangement	60			61

<sup>‡</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Pretty much true" or "Very much true."

<sup>§</sup>Past 12 months.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>∓</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Satisfied" or "Very satisfied."

## **Behavioral Health Module**

# Form A. Alcohol and Other Drugs (AOD)

# 1. Student Sample

Table B.I.1.1
Student Sample for AOD Indicators

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT <sup>A</sup>
Student Sample Size				
Target sample	186	7	19	64
Final number	110	6	9	36
Response Rate	59%	86%	47%	56%

*Note:* <sup>A</sup>NT includes continuation, community day, and other alternative school types.

# 2. Summary of Key Indicators

Table B.I.2.1 Key Indicators of Alcohol and Other Drug Use

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %	Table
Alcohol and Marijuana Consumption Patterns					
Usually drank until felt it a lot	0			0	B.I.3.4
Usually used marijuana or other drugs until felt it a lot	na			3	B.I.3.5
Driving under the influence experiences	35			10	B.I.3.6
<b>Consequences of AOD Consumption</b>					
Caused one or more problems	na			12	B.I.4.2
Caused one or more dependency-related experiences	na			15	B.I.4.3
Supports to Reduce AOD Use					
Very likely to find help at school for quitting or reducing use	na			15	B.I.5.2
Strong Personal Disapproval of AOD Use					
Having one or two drinks of any alcoholic beverage nearly every day	55			42	B.I.7.1
Trying marijuana once or twice	47			28	B.I.7.1
Using marijuana once a month or more	60			33	B.I.7.1

Notes: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

na—Not asked of middle school students.

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## 3. Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drug Consumption Patterns

Table B.I.3.1

Lifetime Use of Heroin, Sedatives, Appetite Suppressants, and Prescription Stimulants

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11	NT %
Heroin	70	70	70	70
0 times	na			88
1 time	na			0
2 to 3 times	na			3
4 or more times	na			9
Tranquilizers or sedatives				
0 times	na			91
1 time	na			0
2 to 3 times	na			6
4 or more times	na			3
Appetite suppressants				
0 times	na			94
1 time	na			0
2 to 3 times	na			3
4 or more times	na			3
Ritalin or Adderall or other prescription stimulant				
0 times	na			94
1 time	na			0
2 to 3 times	na			3
4 or more times	na			3

Question HS B.I.6-9: During your life, how many times have you used the following?... Heroin... Tranquilizers or sedatives (Xanax, Klonopin, Ativan, Valium)... Appetite suppressants (Didrex, Dexedrine, Xenadrine, Skittles, M&Ms)... Ritalin or Adderall or other prescription stimulant.

Notes: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

Table B.I.3.2

Age of Onset – AOD Use

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT %
Alcohol (one full drink)	70	///	///	70
Never	79			66
10 years or under	12			9
11-12 years old	7			3
13-14 years old	1			9
15-16 years old	1			11
17 years or older	0			3
Marijuana (smoke, vape, eat, or drink)				
Never	94			76
10 years or under	2			3
11-12 years old	2			6
13-14 years old	2			6
15-16 years old	0			9
17 years or older	0			0
Any other illegal drug or pill to get "high"				
Never	97			97
10 years or under	2			0
11-12 years old	0			3
13-14 years old	0			0
15-16 years old	1			0
17 years or older	0			0

Question HS/MS B.I.1, 4, 5: About how old were you the first time you tried any of these things?... A drink of an alcoholic beverage (other than a sip or two)... Marijuana (smoke, vape, eat, or drink)... Any other illegal drug or pill to get "high."

Table B.I.3.3

Age of Onset - Tobacco Use

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Smoked part or all of a cigarette				
Never	97			86
10 years or under	0			3
11-12 years old	2			3
13-14 years old	0			3
15-16 years old	1			3
17 years or older	0			3
A vape product such as an e-cigarette, va mod	pe pen, or			
Never	90			76
10 years or under	2			6
11-12 years old	5			6
13-14 years old	2			9
15-16 years old	1			3
17 years or older	1			0

Question HS/MS B.I.2, 3: About how old were you the first time you tried any of these things?... Part or all of a cigarette... A vape product such as an e-cigarette (JUUL), vape pen, or mod.

Note: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

Table B.I.3.4
Usual Alcohol Consumption Level

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
I don't drink alcohol	94			77
Just enough to feel it a little	4			11
Enough to feel it moderately	2			11
Until I feel it a lot or get really drunk	0			0

Question HS B.I.10/MS B.I.6: If you drink alcohol, how much do you usually drink?

Table B.I.3.5

Usual Drug Consumption Level

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11	NT %
I don't use drugs	na			82
Just enough to feel a little high	na			12
Enough to feel it moderately	na			3
Until I feel it a lot or get really high	na			3

Question HS B.I.11: If you use marijuana or other drugs, how "high" (stoned, faded, wasted, trashed) do you usually like to get?

Notes: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

na—Not asked of middle school students.

Table B.I.3.6

Driving Under the Influence Experiences, Lifetime

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Driven a car when you had been using alcohol or drugs, or been in a car driven by a friend who had been using				
Never	na			90
1 time	na			6
2 times	na			0
3 to 6 times	na			0
7 or more times	na			3
Have ridden in a car driven by someone who had been using alcohol or drugs				
Never	65	na	na	na
1 time	5	na	na	na
2 times	5	na	na	na
3 to 6 times	5	na	na	na
7 or more times	20	na	na	na

Question HS B.I.35/MS B.I.25: During your life, how many times have you ever driven a car when you had been using alcohol or drugs, or been in a car driven by a friend when he or she had been using?... During your life, how many times have you ridden in a car driven by someone who had been using alcohol or drugs? Notes: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

## 4. Reasons for and Consequences of AOD Consumption

Table B.I.4.1

Reasons for AOD Use, Past 12 Months

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Does not apply, I haven't used alcohol, marijuana, or other drugs in the past 12 months.	81			71
To experiment (try using)	4			9
To get high	5			9
To have a good time with friends	4			6
To fit in with a group you like	1			0
Because of boredom	3			3
To relax	4			6
To get away from problems	6			3
Because of anger or frustration	4			6
To get through the day	3			6
Because it made you feel better	4			3
To seek deeper insights and understanding	1			3
None of the above	18			24

Question HS B.I.12/MS B.I.7: Have you used alcoholic beverages, marijuana, or other drugs in the past 12 months for any of the following reasons? (Mark All That Apply.)

Notes: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

Total percentages may exceed 100% for "mark all that apply" items.

Table B.I.4.2

Problems Caused by AOD Use

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9	Grade 11 %	NT %
Does not apply; I've never used alcohol or drugs	na			85
I've used alcohol or drugs but never had any of these problems	na			6
Have problems with emotions, nerves, or mental health	na			6
Get into trouble or have problems with the police	na			0
Have money problems	na			0
Miss school	na			0
Have problems with schoolwork	na			3
Fight with others	na			3
Damage a friendship	na			9
Physically hurt or injure yourself	na			0
Have unwanted or unprotected sex	na			6
Forget what happened or pass out	na			3
Been suspended from school	na			0
One or more problems	na			12

Question HS B.I.13: Has using alcohol, marijuana, or other drugs ever caused you to have any of the following problems? (Mark All That Apply.)

Notes: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

Total percentages may exceed 100% for "mark all that apply" items.

Table B.I.4.3

Alcohol or Other Drug Use Caused Dependency-Related Experiences

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Does not apply; I have not used alcohol or drugs	na			76
I use alcohol or drugs but have not experienced any of these things	na			12
Found you had to increase how much you use to have the same effect as before	na			12
Frequently spent a lot of time getting, using, or being hung over from using alcohol or other drugs	na			6
Used alcohol or drugs a lot more than you intended	na			3
Used alcohol or drugs when you were alone	na			3
Your use of alcohol or drugs often kept you from doing a normal activity, like going to school, working, or doing recreational activities or hobbies	na			0
You didn't feel OK unless you had something to drink or used a drug	na			0
Thought about reducing or stopping use	na			0
Told yourself you were not going to use but found yourself using anyway	na			0
Spoke with someone about reducing or stopping use	na			0
Attended counseling, a program, or group to help you reduce or stop use	na			0
One or more dependency-related experiences	na			15

Question HS B.I.14: If you use alcohol, marijuana, or another drug, have you had any of the following experiences? (Mark All That Apply.)

Notes: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

Total percentages may exceed 100% for "mark all that apply" items.

Table B.I.4.4

Likelihood of Suspension, Expulsion, Transfer Because of AOD Use/Possession

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Very likely	na			19
Likely	na			50
Not likely	na			9
Don't know	na			22

Question HS B.I.17: In your opinion, how likely is it that a student will be suspended, expelled, or transferred if caught on school property using or possessing alcohol or other drugs?

Notes: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

#### 5. Supports to Reduce AOD Use

Table B.I.5.1

Needed Counseling for Use

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9	Grade 11 %	NT %
No, I never used alcohol or other drugs	na			85
No, but I do use alcohol or other drugs	na			9
Yes, I have felt that I needed help	na			6

Question HS B.I.15: Have you ever felt that you needed help (such as counseling or treatment) for your alcohol or other drug use?

Notes: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

na—Not asked of middle school students.

Table B.I.5.2

Likelihood of Finding Help at School for Quitting or Reducing Use

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9	Grade 11 %	NT %
Very likely	na		·	15
Likely	na			52
Not likely	na			9
Don't know	na			24

Question HS B.I.16: In your opinion, how likely is it that a student could find help at your school from a counselor, teacher, or other adult to stop or reduce using alcohol or other drugs?

Notes: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

na—Not asked of middle school students.

Table B.I.5.3

Talked with Parent About AOD Use, Past 12 Months

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
No	65			55
Yes	35			45

Question HS B.I.23/MS B.I.13: During the past 12 months, have you talked with at least one of your parents or guardians about the dangers of alcohol or drug use?

# 6. Availability

Table B.I.6.1 Sources for Obtaining Alcohol

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
At school	13		·	9
At parties	7			18
At concerts or other social events	3			6
At their own home	19			18
From adults at friends' homes	11			9
From friends or another teenager	22			21
Get adults to buy it for them	8			12
Buy it themselves from a store	7			12
At bars, clubs, or gambling casinos	3			3
Other	11			12
Don't know	79			67

Question HS B.I.18/MS B.I.8: How do most students at your school who drink alcohol usually get it? (Mark All That Apply.)

Notes: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

Total percentages may exceed 100% for "mark all that apply" items.

Table B.I.6.2
Sources for Obtaining Marijuana

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT %
At school	16		//	6
At parties	4			12
At concerts or other social events	2			6
At their own home	9			9
From an adult acquaintance	8			12
From friends or another teenager	19			18
Buy it at a marijuana dispensary	4			12
At bars or clubs	3			0
Other	6			15
Don't know	76			73

Question HS B.I.19/MS B.I.9: How do most kids at your school who use marijuana usually get it? (Mark All That Apply.)

Notes: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

Total percentages may exceed 100% for "mark all that apply" items.

## 7. Influences on ATOD Use

Table B.I.7.1

Personal Disapproval of AOD Use

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Having one or two drinks of any alcoholic beverage nearly every day				
Neither approve nor disapprove	27			39
Somewhat disapprove	19			18
Strongly disapprove	55			42
Trying marijuana once or twice				
Neither approve nor disapprove	29			53
Somewhat disapprove	24			19
Strongly disapprove	47			28
Using marijuana once a month or more regularly				
Neither approve nor disapprove	25			58
Somewhat disapprove	15			9
Strongly disapprove	60			33

Question HS B.I.20-22/MS B.I.10-12: How do you feel about someone your age doing the following?... Having one or two drinks of any alcoholic beverage nearly every day... Trying marijuana once or twice... Using marijuana once a month or more regularly.

Table B.I.7.2

Parent Disapproval of ATOD Use

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT
Take one or two drinks of alcohol nearly every day	%	%	%	%
	90			<i></i>
Very wrong	89			55
Wrong	7			24
A little wrong	4			18
Not at all wrong	0			3
Smoke tobacco				
Very wrong	94			59
Wrong	3			28
A little wrong	3			9
Not at all wrong	0			3
Use vape products such as e-cigarettes, vape pens, or mods				
Very wrong	93			59
Wrong	4			28
A little wrong	3			6
Not at all wrong	0			6
Use marijuana (smoke, vape, eat, or drink)				
Very wrong	95			55
Wrong	4			18
A little wrong	1			15
Not at all wrong	0			12
Use prescription drugs to get high or for reasons other than prescribed				
Very wrong	94			72
Wrong	2			16
A little wrong	4			6
Not at all wrong	0			6

Question HS B.I.25-29/MS B.I.15-19: How wrong do your parents or guardians feel it would be if you did the following?... Take one or two drinks of alcohol nearly every day... Smoke tobacco... Use vape products such as e-cigarettes (JUUL), vape pens, or mods... Use marijuana (smoke, vape, eat, or drink)... Use prescription drugs to get high or for reasons other than prescribed.

Table B.I.7.3

Peer Disapproval of ATOD Use

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Take one or two drinks of alcohol nearly every day				
Very wrong	58			38
Wrong	26			31
A little wrong	12			25
Not at all wrong	4			6
Smoke tobacco				
Very wrong	68			47
Wrong	25			38
A little wrong	6			9
Not at all wrong	2			6
Use vape products such as e-cigarettes, vape pens, or mods				
Very wrong	60			47
Wrong	25			22
A little wrong	10			22
Not at all wrong	5			9
Use marijuana (smoke, vape, eat, or drink)				
Very wrong	66			42
Wrong	22			23
A little wrong	10			26
Not at all wrong	3			10
Use prescription drugs to get high or for reasons other than prescribed				
Very wrong	69			61
Wrong	21			29
A little wrong	9			3
Not at all wrong	2			6

Question HS B.I.30-34/MS B.I.20-24: How wrong would your close friends feel it would be if you did the following?... Take one or two drinks of alcohol nearly every day... Smoke tobacco... Use vape products such as e-cigarettes (JUUL), vape pens, or mods... Use marijuana (smoke, vape, eat, or drink)... Use prescription drugs to get high or for reasons other than prescribed.

Table B.I.7.4

Heard, Read, or Watched Any Anti-AOD Messages, Past 12 Months

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11	NT %
No	40			34
Yes	60			66

Question HS B.I.24/MS B.I.14: During the past 12 months, have you heard, read, or watched any messages about not using alcohol or drugs?

## **Behavioral Health Module**

#### Form B. Other Behavioral Health Factors

# 1. Student Sample

Table B.II.1.1
Student Sample on Other Behavioral Health Factors

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	$NT^A$
Student Sample Size				
Target sample	186	7	25	64
Final number	117	6	25	40
Response Rate	63%	86%	100%	63%

*Note:* <sup>A</sup>NT includes continuation, community day, and other alternative school types.

# 2. Summary of Key Indicators

Table B.II.2.1 Key Indicators of Other Behavioral Health Factors

Key Thuiculors of Other Denavioral Health Pack	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT %	Table
<b>Behavioral Health Protective Factors</b>	70	70	70	70	
Emotional safety at school <sup>†</sup>	44		50	59	B.II.3.2
School co-regulation supports <sup>†</sup>	52		60	67	B.II.3.3
Home adult co-regulation supports <sup>†</sup>	63		51	59	B.II.3.4
Peer co-regulation supports <sup>†</sup>	62		63	77	B.II.3.5
Resilience Assets					
Emotion regulationô	28		51	33	B.II.4.1
Student Wellness					
Responses to trauma <sup>ç¶</sup>	26		23	19	B.II.5.1
Potential Post-Traumatic Stress <sup>¶</sup>	38		35	52	B.II.5.2
Stress associated health symptoms*	20		23	26	B.II.5.3
Loneliness <sup>ê</sup>	51		60	46	B.II.5.4
Self-harm <sup>§</sup>	30		4	19	B.II.5.8
Fasting for 12 hours or more	39		36	24	B.II.5.7
Trouble sleeping (daily)	22		28	17	B.II.5.1
Mental Health Supports					
Wanted to get mental health services§	18		18	29	B.II.6.4
Received mental health services§	19		14	29	B.II.6.4
Barriers to receiving services (3 or more)	30		19	22	B.II.6.5

Table numbers refer to tables with scale categories for domains or sub-domains, or item-level results for the survey questions that comprise each scale.

<sup>†</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "Pretty much true" or "Very much true."

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Average percent of respondents reporting the top two response categories ("Quite relaxed," "Extremely relaxed," 2023-24

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Average percent of respondents reporting the top two response categories ("Quite relaxed," "Extremely relaxed," 2023-24

Frequently," "Almost always," "Quite calm," and "Extremely calm").

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>ç</sup>Average percent of respondents reporting "2-3 times a week" or "Almost every day."

#### 3. Behavioral Health Protective Factors

Table B.II.3.1
Perceived Safety at Home and in Neighborhood

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11	NT %
How safe do you feel	//	///	///	/0
at home or the place where you live?				
Very safe	48		48	50
Safe	38		44	34
Neither safe nor unsafe	8		4	16
Unsafe	3		0	0
Very unsafe	4		4	0
in the neighborhood where you live?				
Very safe	39	39		45
Safe	39		36	32
Neither safe nor unsafe	17		28	21
Unsafe	3		4	3
Very unsafe	3		0	0

Question HS/MS B.II.12, 13: How safe do you feel at home or the place where you live?... How safe do you feel in the neighborhood where you live?

Table B.II.3.2

Emotional Safety at School Scale Questions

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Emotional safety at school				
Average reporting "Pretty much true" or "Very much true"	44		50	59
At my school,				
I feel socially accepted.				
Not at all true	17		12	5
A little true	36		28	34
Pretty much true	35		36	32
Very much true	12		24	29
I feel that I matter to others.				
Not at all true	22		20	11
A little true	37		40	32
Pretty much true	30		16	29
Very much true	11		24	29

Question HS/MS B.II.10,11: How true do you feel these statements are about your feelings at school? At my school,... I feel socially accepted... I feel that I matter to others.

Table B.II.3.3
School Co-Regulation Supports Scale Questions

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
School co-regulation supports				
Average reporting "Pretty much true" or "Very much true"	52		60	67
At my school, there is a teacher or other adult who				
would understand my problems if I shared them.				
Not at all true	20		20	5
A little true	27		24	32
Pretty much true	30		16	34
Very much true	23		40	29
would be helpful to me if I came to school upset.				
Not at all true	26		16	3
A little true	23		24	26
Pretty much true	32		20	37
Very much true	19		40	34
makes me feel good about myself.				
Not at all true	24		20	5
A little true	24		16	29
Pretty much true	31		28	37
Very much true	21		36	29

Question HS/MS B.II.7-9: How true do you feel these statements are about a teacher or other adult at school? At my school, there is a teacher or other adult who... would understand my problems if I shared them... would be helpful to me if I came to school upset... makes me feel good about myself.

Table B.II.3.4

Home Adult Co-Regulation Supports Scale Questions

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Home adult co-regulation supports				
Average reporting "Pretty much true" or "Very much true"	63		51	59
In my home, there is a parent or some other adult who				
talks with me about my problems.				
Not at all true	19		24	13
A little true	21		24	23
Pretty much true	22		16	35
Very much true	37		36	30
helps me when I am upset.				
Not at all true	22		20	18
A little true	15		28	28
Pretty much true	28		24	28
Very much true	36		28	28
makes me feel good about myself.				
Not at all true	17		16	15
A little true	18		36	28
Pretty much true	27		20	31
Very much true	38		28	26

Question HS/MS B.II.1-3: How true do you feel these statements are about your family? In my home, there is a parent or some other adult who... talks with me about my problems... helps me when I am upset... makes me feel good about myself.

Table B.II.3.5

Peer Co-Regulation Supports Scale Questions

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Peer co-regulation supports				
Average reporting "Pretty much true" or "Very much true"	62		63	77
I have a friend my age who				
talks with me about my problems.				
Not at all true	28		28	8
A little true	22		12	18
Pretty much true	21		28	35
Very much true	29		32	40
helps me when I am upset.				
Not at all true	19		32	3
A little true	15		4	18
Pretty much true	29		36	33
Very much true	38		28	48
makes me feel good about myself.				
Not at all true	14		24	3
A little true	15		12	23
Pretty much true	35		28	28
Very much true	36		36	48

Question HS/MS B.II.4-6: How true do you feel these statements are about your friends? I have a friend my age who... talks with me about my problems... helps me when I am upset... makes me feel good about myself.

Note: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

## 4. Resilience Assets

Table B.II.4.1

Emotion Regulation Scale Questions

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Emotion regulation				
Average reporting the top two response categories <sup>ô</sup>	28		51	33
When everybody around you gets angry, how relaxed can you stay?				
Not relaxed at all	20		17	23
Slightly relaxed	17		17	23
Somewhat relaxed	39		21	31
Quite relaxed	19		42	14
Extremely relaxed	4		4	9
How often are you able to control your emotions when you need to?				
Almost never	13		0	11
Once in a while	15		13	11
Sometimes	31		21	34
Frequently	24		38	20
Almost always	17		29	23
When things go wrong for you, how calm are you able to remain?				
Not calm at all	16		4	14
Slightly calm	28		17	26
Somewhat calm	35		38	26
Quite calm	16		25	23
Extremely calm	4		17	11

Question HS/MS B.II.21-23: When everybody around you gets angry, how relaxed can you stay?... How often are you able to control your emotions when you need to?... When things go wrong for you, how calm are you able to remain?

ôThe top two response categories include "Quite relaxed," "Extremely relaxed," "Frequently," "Almost always," "Quite calm," and "Extremely calm."

## 5. Student Wellness

Table B.II.5.1

Responses to Trauma Scale Questions

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Responses to trauma				
Average reporting "2-3 times a week" or "Almost every day"	26		23	19
During the past 30 days,				
I got upset easily or got into arguments or physical fights.				
Never	58		60	72
1-3 times a month	22		32	22
1-2 times a week	3		4	0
2-3 times a week	11		4	6
Almost every day	6		0	0
I had trouble concentrating or paying attention.				
Never	36		36	47
1-3 times a month	21		36	19
1-2 times a week	9		8	3
2-3 times a week	18		8	11
Almost every day	15		12	19
I had trouble feeling happiness or love.				
Never	50		63	51
1-3 times a month	19		13	14
1-2 times a week	5		4	20
2-3 times a week	7		8	6
Almost every day	18		13	9

Question HS/MS B.II.14-16: These questions ask about how you felt or what you did in the past 30 days... I got upset easily or got into arguments or physical fights... I had trouble concentrating or paying attention... I had trouble feeling happiness or love.

Table B.II.5.1

Responses to Trauma Scale Questions – Continued

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
During the past 30 days,				
I felt alone even when I was around other people.				
Never	39		48	50
1-3 times a month	29		16	19
1-2 times a week	6		4	8
2-3 times a week	9		12	17
Almost every day	16		20	6
I had trouble going to sleep, woke up often, or had trouble getting back to sleep.				
Never	40		32	50
1-3 times a month	15		24	17
1-2 times a week	15		8	8
2-3 times a week	8		8	8
Almost every day	22		28	17

Question HS/MS B.II.17, 18: These questions ask about how you felt or what you did in the past 30 days... I felt alone even when I was around other people... I had trouble going to sleep, woke up often, or had trouble getting back to sleep.

*Note: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.* 

Table B.II.5.2

Post-Traumatic Stress (PTS) Profile, Past 30 Days

	Grade 7		Grade 11	NT
	%	%	%	%
Minimal PTS Symptoms	35		40	35
Mild PTS Symptoms	27		25	13
Potential PTS	38		35	52

Question HS/MS B.II.14-18: These questions ask about how you felt or what you did in the past 30 days... I got upset easily or got into arguments or physical fights... I had trouble concentrating or paying attention... I had trouble feeling happiness or love... I felt alone even when I was around other people... I had trouble going to sleep, woke up often, or had trouble getting back to sleep.

*Notes: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.* 

PTS Profile categories are based on the UCLA Brief Screen for Child/Adolescent Trauma and PTSD.

Table B.II.5.3
Stress Associated Health Symptoms Scale Questions

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Stress associated health symptoms				
Average reporting "A lot" or "A whole lot"	20		23	26
In the last 2 weeks, how much were you bothered by the following physical problems?				
Stomachaches				
Not at all	33		50	39
A little	24		17	22
Some	21		8	17
A lot	14		13	6
A whole lot	8		13	17
Headaches				
Not at all	29		17	37
A little	28		21	20
Some	22		33	14
A lot	13		13	11
A whole lot	9		17	17
Pains in your lower back				
Not at all	44		38	40
A little	23		17	14
Some	15		13	14
A lot	10		17	11
A whole lot	8		17	20

Question HS/MS B.II.27-29: Below is a list of symptoms that students sometimes have. In the last 2 weeks, how much were you bothered by the following physical problems?... Stomachaches... Headaches... Pains in your lower back.

Table B.II.5.3
Stress Associated Health Symptoms Scale Questions – Continued

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In the last 2 weeks, how much were you bothered by the following physical problems?	%	<u></u> %	<u></u> %	<u>%</u>
Feeling faint or dizzy				
Not at all	45		32	44
A little	20		36	14
Some	16		14	11
A lot	11		0	17
A whole lot	9		18	14
Heart beating too fast (even when you are not exercising)				
Not at all	58		58	61
A little	13		17	8
Some	13		13	17
A lot	10		4	6
A whole lot	8		8	8

Question HS/MS B.II.30, 31: Below is a list of symptoms that students sometimes have. In the last 2 weeks, how much were you bothered by the following physical problems?... Feeling faint or dizzy... Heart beating too fast (even when you are not exercising).

Table B.II.5.4

Loneliness Scale Questions

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Loneliness				
Average reporting "Sometimes" or "Often"	51		60	46
How often do you feel lonely?				
Never	21		28	42
Rarely	22		12	11
Sometimes	35		24	31
Often	21		36	17
How often do you feel that you are no longer close t anyone?	0			
Never	31		28	42
Rarely	23		12	14
Sometimes	28		28	22
Often	19		32	22

Question HS/MS B.II.19, 20: How often do you feel lonely?... How often do you feel that you are no longer close to anyone?

Table B.II.5.5

Body Image

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Very dissatisfied	19		21	26
Dissatisfied	19		13	29
Neither dissatisfied nor satisfied	30		46	20
Satisfied	18		17	14
Very satisfied	15		4	11

Question HS/MS B.II.24: Over the past 30 days, how satisfied have you been with your weight and shape? Note: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

Table B.II.5.6
Weight Management

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
Which of the following are you trying to do about your weight?				
Lose weight	51		38	49
Gain weight	8		33	31
Stay the same weight	16		8	11
I am not trying to do anything about my weight	25		21	9

Question HS/MS B.II.25: Which of the following are you trying to do about your weight?

Table B.II.5.7

Disordered Eating Behavior

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
During the past 30 days, please indicate which of the following things you did to lose weight or keep from gaining weight:				
Exercise				
No	24		9	43
Yes	76		91	57
Eat less food, fewer calories, or foods low in fat				
No	33		18	38
Yes	67		82	62
Go without eating for 12 hours or more				
No	61		64	76
Yes	39		36	24
Take diet pills, powders, or liquids without a doctor's advice				
No	88		91	86
Yes	12		9	14
Vomit or take laxatives				
No	92		73	81
Yes	8		27	19

Question HS/MS B.II.25A-25E: During the past 30 days, please indicate which of the following things you did to lose weight or keep from gaining weight:... Exercise... Eat less food, fewer calories, or foods low in fat... Go without eating for 12 hours or more (also called fasting)... Take diet pills, powders, or liquids without a doctor's advice (do not include meal replacement products such as Ensure, Muscle Milk, or SlimFast)... Vomit or take laxatives.

Notes: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

Only respondents who selected "Lose weight" or "Stay the same weight" to question "Which of the following are you trying to do about your weight?" were asked to answer these questions.

Table B.II.5.8 Self-Harm, Past 12 Months

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
0 times	70		96	81
1 time	10		0	3
2 or 3 times	9		4	11
4 or 5 times	6		0	0
6 or more times	7		0	6

Question HS/MS B.II.26: During the past 12 months, how many times did you do something to purposely hurt yourself, such as cutting, scratching, or burning yourself?

## 6. Mental Health Supports

Table B.II.6.1

Availability of Mental Health Supports at School, Past Year

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
No	80		86	62
Yes	13		5	29
I don't know	7		9	9

Question HS/MS B.II.41: In the past year, did an adult at school refer or connect you to a counselor or therapist outside of school to get help?

Note: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

Table B.II.6.2

Mental Health Help-Seeking Attitude

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11 %	NT %
If you were feeling very sad, stressed, lonely, or depressed, would you				
talk to a teacher or another adult from your school?	20		30	40
talk to your parents or someone else in your family?	44		55	49
get help from a counselor or therapist?	26		25	37
talk to your friends?	55		50	74
be afraid to get help?	25		25	20
not know what to do?	41		20	20

Question HS/MS B.II.37: If you were feeling very sad, stressed, lonely, or depressed, would you... (Mark All That Apply.)

Notes: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

Total percentages may exceed 100% for "mark all that apply" items.

Table B.II.6.3

Mental Health Help-Seeking Attitude Toward Peers

	Grade 7	Grade 9 %	Grade 11	NT %
If someone my age felt very sad, stressed, lonely, or depressed,	,	,,,	,,,	, ,
talking to an adult could help them feel better.				
Strongly disagree	15		9	9
Disagree	17		17	27
Agree	55		65	52
Strongly agree	13		9	12
kids at my school would be nice to them.				
Strongly disagree	24		5	6
Disagree	33		32	24
Agree	39		59	52
Strongly agree	4		5	18

Question HS/MS B.II.35, 36: If someone my age felt very sad, stressed, lonely, or depressed,... talking to an adult could help them feel better... kids at my school would be nice to them.

Table B.II.6.4

Mental Health Services Usage, Past Year

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11	NT %
In the past year,				
did you want to talk to a counselor or therapist about feeling very sad, stressed, lonely, or depressed?				
No	68		77	56
Yes	18		18	29
I don't know	13		5	15
did you get help from a counselor or therapist when you needed it?				
Does not apply, I didn't need help	53		55	50
No, I didn't get help when I needed it	28		32	21
Yes, I got help when I needed it	19		14	29
where did you get help from a counselor or therapist? (Mark All That Apply.)#				
Nowhere	0			10
At school (in person, by phone, or online)	53			50
From a counselor or therapist not from my school (in person, by phone, or online)	37			60
Somewhere else	5			0
I don't know	11			10

Question HS/MS B.II.38-40: In the past year, did you want to talk to a counselor or therapist about feeling very sad, stressed, lonely, or depressed?... In the past year, did you get help from a counselor or therapist when you needed it? ... In the past year, where did you get help from a counselor or therapist? (Mark All That Apply.) Notes: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

<sup>#</sup>Total percentages may exceed 100% for "mark all that apply" items.

Table B.II.6.5

Barriers to Using Mental Health Services

	Grade 7	Grade 9	Grade 11	NT %
I would not know where to go for help	29	70	5	34
There isn't anyone I can talk to	20		10	22
They wouldn't understand	29		19	22
People would think there's something wrong with me	20		10	22
My parents might find out	27		29	19
Other students might find out	20		0	13
I wouldn't have a way to pay for it	8		14	16
I wouldn't want to talk to a counselor or therapist	33		24	19
Other reasons	17		29	6
Does not apply, none of these things would stop you from talking to a counselor or therapist.	38		33	31
Three or more barriers	30		19	22

Question HS/MS B.II.42: If you were very sad, stressed, lonely, or depressed, would any of these things stop you from talking to a counselor or therapist? (Mark All That Apply.)

Notes: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.

Total percentages may exceed 100% for "mark all that apply" items.

Table B.II.6.6 School Promotion of Mental Health Awareness

	Grade 7 %	Grade 9 %	Grade 11	NT %
I know where to go or who to contact at school for help when I am very sad, stressed, lonely, or depressed.				
Strongly disagree	21		8	14
Disagree	14		29	17
Agree	53		50	46
Strongly agree	12		13	23
People at my school talk openly about mental health.				
Strongly disagree	26		21	17
Disagree	28		29	29
Agree	40		42	37
Strongly agree	5		8	17
My school encourages students to take care of their mental health.				
Strongly disagree	17		13	11
Disagree	17		25	3
Agree	50		54	46
Strongly agree	16		8	40

Question HS/MS B.II.32-34: How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statements?... I know where to go or who to contact at school for help when I am very sad, stressed, lonely, or depressed... People at my school talk openly about mental health... My school encourages students to take care of their mental health. Note: Cells are empty if there are less than 10 respondents.