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# **2017 VERMONT YOUTH RISK BEHAVIOR SURVEY REPORT**

## **REPORT FOR BARRE SU (SU061)**

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### About the YRBS

The Youth Risk Behavior Survey (YRBS) is a national school-based survey that monitors the health-risk behaviors that contribute to the leading causes of death and disability among youth and young adults. These include:

- Behaviors that contribute to unintentional injuries and violence
- Alcohol and other drug use
- Tobacco use
- Unhealthy dietary behaviors
- Inadequate physical activity
- Sexual health behaviors related to unintended pregnancy and STDs

The YRBS also measures other high priority health-related behaviors and protective factors. These include:

- Prevalence of obesity
- Attitudes and perceptions related to substance use
- Food and housing insecurity
- Youth assets
- Academic achievement
- Sexual Orientation and sex of sexual contacts

In Vermont, the YRBS has been conducted during the spring semester of odd years since 1993.

The Vermont Department of Health would like to acknowledge the work and effort of all the schools, teachers and students who participate in the Youth Risk Behavior Survey each year.

Visit the Vermont Department of Health YRBS website at:  
<http://www.healthvermont.gov/yrbs>

## METHODOLOGY

The YRBS is conducted every two years during the spring semester. In Vermont, the Department of Health works with the Agency of Education and the CDC to conduct two separate surveys: a high school survey of students in grades 9 through 12, and a middle school survey of middle school students in grades 6 through 8. These surveys are conducted as a census at all public schools and select independent schools across the state.

The middle school and high school surveys differ slightly. The shorter middle school survey focuses more on lifetime behaviors and includes questions on fighting, bullying, suicidality, substance use, attitudes and perceptions about substance use, sexual activity, nutrition, physical activity, youth assets, and other factors related to health equity. The high school survey includes questions on these topics as well as more in-depth questions on current behaviors as well as self-reported height and weight, driving behaviors, and other drugs used.

Student participation in the YRBS is anonymous and voluntary. During the spring semester schools were asked to set aside a class period, such during all math classes or during a specific period, to administer the survey. Students were read a set of directions and completed a self-administered paper and pencil questionnaire.

In addition, numerous precautions are taken to ensure the reliability and validity of the results. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) runs over 100 consistency checks on the data to exclude careless, invalid, or logically inconsistent answers. These internal reliability checks help identify the small percentage of students who falsify their answers. The CDC also weights data, a mathematical procedure that makes data representative of the population from which it was drawn. Only states with an overall response rate of at least 60% are weighted based on gender, grade, and race/ethnicity. These precautions can reduce some sources of error, but not all.

Additional information about the methodology of the national, state, and large urban school district YRBS has been described elsewhere and can be found online from the CDC's Healthy Youth-DASH website at:

<https://www.cdc.gov/healthyyouth/data/yrbs/methods>

## USING THE YRBS RESULTS

### ENGAGING STUDENTS, SCHOOLS, AND COMMUNITIES

The YRBS can detect changes in risk behaviors over time and identify differences among ages, grades, and genders. With these data, school and community organizations can focus prevention efforts and determine whether school policies and community programs are having the intended effect on student behaviors.

Think of the YRBS as a tool for starting discussions, for educating the community, for planning and evaluating programs, and for comparing Vermont students with other students nationwide.

**Start the Conversation:** Use the YRBS to begin a conversation with teens about the personal choices they make or about the health of their community. Ask them if the results accurately reflect what they see happening around them. How do they explain the results? From their perspective, what is or is not working? How would they promote healthy behaviors?

**Increase Awareness:** The YRBS provides an opportunity to break through “denial” and make community members aware of the risks that their young people face. It can also dispel myths and correct misinformation about the “average teenager.” The YRBS can accentuate the positive and celebrate the fact that many students are abstaining from behaviors that endanger their health and their ability to succeed.

**Plan and Evaluate Programs:** The YRBS can serve as the basis of a community needs assessment. It can help identify strengths and weaknesses in communities and can inform strategies to address those weaknesses.

**Remember to Look at the Positive Side:** In most cases, the majority of adolescents are NOT engaging in risky behaviors. Although most of the charts examine the prevalence of risk behaviors, please do not forget about the percentage of adolescents who are NOT engaging in these behaviors.

Participate in Getting to 'Y': Getting to Y provides an opportunity for students to take a lead in bringing meaning to their own Youth Risk Behavior Survey data and taking steps to strengthen their school and community based on their findings. Schools and districts across the state form teams to analyze local level data, identify areas of strength and concern, and create a preliminary action plan. Through the Getting to 'Y' program, students attend a training day where they learn tools and strategies to examine data, explore root causes, and create next action steps. In addition, teams plan and host a community dialogue event to share their executive summary with the school and community.

For more information on upcoming Getting to Y trainings, newsletters, and resources visit [Getting to Y at http://www.upforlearning.org/initiatives/getting-to-y](http://www.upforlearning.org/initiatives/getting-to-y)

## POPULATIONS IN FOCUS

Adverse health outcomes and behaviors experienced by specific populations are not intrinsic to youth themselves and are often instead due to social, economic and environmental inequities.

The Vermont Department of Health acknowledges that these inequities can have a greater impact than individual choices. To identify disparities and help tell the complex story of youth across Vermont, when possible, health-related factors and behaviors experienced by the following populations are noted:

- Sex (biological)
- Grade
- Race, Ethnicity
- Sexual Orientation

Populations presented vary depending on the size of the SU/SD or district. Smaller area may have limitations based on sample size that prevent all populations to be included.

To maintain anonymity and confidence in results, data is suppressed when the numerator is < 5 or the denominator is < 50 students. Suppression is indicated by a dot (.) and 'Too few students'.

## UNDERSTANDING AND INTERPRETING THE RESULTS

The results in this report are weighted by gender, grade, and race/ethnicity in order to compensate for absenteeism and incomplete surveys. The weighting allows the results to be fully representative of middle school students in grades six through eight (middle school survey) and high school students grades nine through twelve (high school survey). Weighting permits us to draw inferences about the school-based student population in Vermont.

Throughout this report, statistically significant differences are noted for the overall estimates by comparing the local and statewide results. Comparisons are also made for students within a local area, such as between male and female students in a particular county.

Statistical significance is calculated by comparing the 95% confidence intervals of two or more values. If the confidence intervals overlap, the percentages are not different. In other words, the two groups are not statistically different from one another. If the confidence intervals do not overlap, there is a statistical difference between the two groups, indicating that the difference is caused by something other than random chance.

Smaller groups (e.g. a county, female students, etc.) tend to have wider confidence intervals, thus when compared with another group the two may not be statistically different. In other words, when comparing the responses of two or more groups, the overall percent's may look very different, but the two numbers are not statistically different.

While this report notes statistical differences, we encourage you to consider meaningful difference: does the disparity merit a targeted intervention, show a real change in health, or otherwise mean something important to the community (statistics aside).

# HIGH SCHOOL RESULTS

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HIGH SCHOOL DEMOGRAPHICS		
	SU/SD	VT
Total	692	27349

		SU/SD	VT
Sex	Male	50%	51%
	Female	50%	49%
Grade	9th Grade	25%	25%
	10th Grade	23%	25%
	11th Grade	24%	25%
	12th Grade	28%	25%
Race / Ethnicity	White, non-Hispanic (WnH)	92%	83%
	Students of Color (REM)	8%	17%
Sexual Orientation	Heterosexual / Cisgender (Het/Cis)	87%	89%
	Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, or Transgender(LGBT)	13%	11%

WERE IN A PHYSICAL FIGHT, PAST YEAR				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		19%	17%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	22%	22%	SU > VT
	Female	16%	11%	
Grade	Grade 9	19%	21%	Within SU Differences
	Grade 10	21%	18%	
	Grade 11	18%	15%	
	Grade 12	17%	13%	
Race	WnH	17%	16%	Males > Females
	REM	40%	23%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	18%	16%	REM > WnH
	LGBT	31%	23%	
				LGBT > Het/CIS

WERE IN A PHYSICAL FIGHT ON SCHOOL PROPERTY, PAST YEAR				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		7%	7%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	10%	9%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	5%	3%	
Grade	Grade 9	8%	9%	Within SU Differences
	Grade 10	8%	7%	
	Grade 11	9%	6%	
	Grade 12	.	4%	
Race	WnH	6%	5%	Males > Females
	REM	19%	11%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	7%	6%	Too few students in at least one grade
	LGBT	13%	10%	
				REM > WnH
				LGBT > Het/CIS



**CARRIED A WEAPON ON SCHOOL PROPERTY, PAST 30 DAYS**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		7%	7%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	11%	10%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	2%	3%	
Within SU Differences				
Grade	Grade 9	2%	5%	Males > Females
	Grade 10	4%	6%	11 > 9
	Grade 11	11%	8%	12 > 9
	Grade 12	8%	8%	11 > 10
Race	WnH	6%	6%	REM > WnH
	REM	14%	10%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	7%	6%	
	LGBT	7%	10%	

**WERE THREATENED OR INJURED WITH A WEAPON ON SCHOOL PROPERTY, PAST YEAR**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		6%	5%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	6%	6%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	4%	3%	
Within SU Differences				
Grade	Grade 9	6%	6%	Too few students in at least one grade
	Grade 10	7%	5%	REM > WnH
	Grade 11	5%	4%	LGBT > Het/CIS
	Grade 12	.	4%	
Race	WnH	5%	4%	
	REM	14%	9%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	5%	4%	
	LGBT	12%	10%	

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WERE ELECTRONICALLY BULLIED, PAST YEAR				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		22%	16%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	12%	10%	SU > VT
	Female	31%	22%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	26%	19%	Females > Males
	Grade 10	20%	16%	9 > 11
	Grade 11	18%	15%	REM > WnH
	Grade 12	21%	13%	LGBT > Het/CIS
Race	WnH	20%	15%	
	REM	28%	18%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	18%	14%	
	LGBT	47%	30%	

WERE BULLIED, PAST 30 DAYS				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		17%	16%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	10%	11%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	24%	20%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	22%	21%	Females > Males
	Grade 10	18%	16%	9 > 11
	Grade 11	12%	14%	10 > 11
	Grade 12	16%	12%	REM > WnH
Race	WnH	16%	15%	LGBT > Het/CIS
	REM	28%	18%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	14%	14%	
	LGBT	37%	30%	

<b>BULLIED SOMEONE ELSE, PAST 30 DAYS</b>					
		<b>SU/SD</b>	<b>VT</b>		
Overall		13%	9%	Overall Differences: State vs SU	
Sex	Male	13%	10%	SU > VT	
	Female	12%	8%	Within SU Differences	
Grade	Grade 9	13%	9%	REM > WnH	
	Grade 10	14%	9%	LGBT > Het/CIS	
	Grade 11	13%	9%		
	Grade 12	11%	8%		
Race	WnH	11%	8%		
	REM	27%	12%		
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	11%	8%		
	LGBT	21%	13%		

<b>DID NOT GO TO SCHOOL BECAUSE THEY FELT UNSAFE, PAST 30 DAYS</b>					
		<b>SU/SD</b>	<b>VT</b>		
Overall		6%	5%	Overall Differences: State vs SU	
Sex	Male	5%	4%	SU > VT	
	Female	8%	6%	Within SU Differences	
Grade	Grade 9	7%	5%	Females > Males	
	Grade 10	7%	5%	REM > WnH	
	Grade 11	5%	5%	LGBT > Het/CIS	
	Grade 12	5%	4%		
Race	WnH	5%	4%		
	REM	14%	9%		
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	4%	4%		
	LGBT	19%	12%		

WERE EVER PHYSICALLY FORCED TO HAVE SEXUAL INTERCOURSE				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		10%	6%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	5%	3%	SU > VT
	Female	15%	9%	
Grade	Grade 9	6%	5%	Within SU Differences
	Grade 10	8%	5%	
	Grade 11	10%	7%	
	Grade 12	13%	7%	
Race	WnH	9%	6%	Females > Males
	REM	19%	9%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	7%	5%	12 > 9
	LGBT	26%	18%	

EXPERIENCED SEXUAL DATING VIOLENCE, PAST YEAR				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		13%	10%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	5%	5%	SU > VT
	Female	20%	15%	
Grade	Grade 9	13%	10%	Within SU Differences
	Grade 10	19%	11%	
	Grade 11	8%	10%	
	Grade 12	11%	9%	
Race	WnH	11%	9%	Females > Males
	REM	29%	14%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	9%	8%	10 > 12
	LGBT	32%	23%	

<b>EXPERIENCED PHYSICAL DATING VIOLENCE, PAST YEAR</b>			
		<b>SU/SD</b>	<b>VT</b>
Overall		9%	7%
Sex	Male	6%	6%
	Female	11%	8%
Grade	Grade 9	.	5%
	Grade 10	10%	7%
	Grade 11	14%	7%
	Grade 12	7%	7%
Race	WnH	8%	6%
	REM	.	11%
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	8%	5%
	LGBT	16%	15%

Overall Differences: State vs SU

SU &gt; VT

Within SU Differences

Females &gt; Males

Too few students in at least one grade

Too few students by race

LGBT &gt; Het/CIS

<b>DROVE A CAR OR OTHER VEHICLE AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL, PAST 30 DAYS</b>			
		<b>SU/SD</b>	<b>VT</b>
Overall		9%	7%
<b>Overall Differences: State vs SU</b>			
Sex	Male	10%	9%
<b>VT and SU are Similar</b>			
	Female	8%	5%
<b>Within SU Differences</b>			
Grade	Grade 9	.	5%
<b>Too few students in at least one grade</b>			
	Grade 10	.	4%
<b>Too few students by race</b>			
	Grade 11	12%	7%
<b>Too few students by sexual orientation</b>			
	Grade 12	12%	10%
Race	WnH	9%	6%
	REM	.	13%
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	10%	7%
	LGBT	.	11%

<b>DROVE A CAR OR OTHER VEHICLE AFTER USING MARIJUANA, PAST 30 DAYS</b>			
		<b>SU/SD</b>	<b>VT</b>
Overall		21%	14%
<b>Overall Differences: State vs SU</b>			
Sex	Male	22%	16%
<b>SU &gt; VT</b>			
	Female	20%	12%
<b>Within SU Differences</b>			
Grade	Grade 9	.	8%
<b>Too few students in at least one grade</b>			
	Grade 10	13%	9%
<b>Too few students by race</b>			
	Grade 11	23%	15%
<b>Too few students by sexual orientation</b>			
	Grade 12	27%	21%
Race	WnH	20%	13%
	REM	.	20%
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	21%	13%
	LGBT	.	21%

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**RODE WITH A DRIVER WHO HAD BEEN DRINKING  
ALCOHOL, PAST 30 DAYS**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		21%	18%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	19%	17%	SU > VT
	Female	22%	19%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	18%	17%	REM > WnH
	Grade 10	22%	18%	
	Grade 11	22%	18%	
	Grade 12	19%	18%	
Race	WnH	20%	18%	
	REM	31%	20%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	21%	17%	
	LGBT	23%	22%	

**RODE WITH A DRIVER WHO HAD BEEN USING MARIJUANA,  
PAST 30 DAYS**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		25%	20%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	24%	20%	SU > VT
	Female	26%	20%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	19%	13%	11 > 9
	Grade 10	24%	18%	12 > 9
	Grade 11	27%	22%	REM > WnH
	Grade 12	29%	28%	LGBT > Het/CIS
Race	WnH	24%	20%	
	REM	44%	23%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	24%	19%	
	LGBT	40%	29%	

**TEXTED OR E-MAILED WHILE DRIVING A CAR OR OTHER  
VEHICLE, PAST 30 DAYS**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		36%	34%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	36%	34%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	36%	34%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	.	9%	Too few students in at least one grade
	Grade 10	19%	16%	Too few students by race
	Grade 11	45%	42%	Too few students by sexual orientation
	Grade 12	48%	53%	
Race	WnH	36%	34%	
	REM	.	32%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	37%	34%	
	LGBT	.	31%	



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**HELMET USE AMONG THOSE WHO SKI OR SNOWBOARD,  
PAST YEAR**

	SU/SD	VT	
Never wore a helmet	16%	11%	SU > VT
Rarely wore a helmet	.	3%	Too few students
Sometimes wore a helmet	4%	3%	
Most of the time wore a helmet	8%	9%	
Always wore a helmet	72%	74%	

**RARELY OR NEVER WEAR A HELMET WHILE SKIING OR  
SNOWBOARDING, PAST YEAR**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		16%	14%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	17%	17%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	14%	9%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	.	11%	Too few students in at least one grade
	Grade 10	.	13%	Too few students by race
	Grade 11	19%	15%	Too few students by sexual orientation
	Grade 12	.	15%	
Race	WnH	15%	12%	
	REM	.	24%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	15%	12%	
	LGBT	.	24%	

**HAD A CONCUSSION FROM PLAYING A SPORT OR BEING  
PHYSICALLY ACTIVE, PAST YEAR**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		19%	18%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	22%	20%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	16%	16%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	21%	20%	Males > Females
	Grade 10	17%	18%	REM > WnH
	Grade 11	21%	17%	Het/CIS > LGBT
	Grade 12	16%	16%	
Race	WnH	18%	17%	
	REM	24%	22%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	20%	18%	
	LGBT	13%	15%	

<b>WERE ASKED BY A DOCTOR, DENTIST, OR NURSE IF THEY SMOKED, PAST YEAR</b>			
		<b>SU/SD</b>	<b>VT</b>
Overall		50%	54%
<b>Overall Differences: State vs SU</b>			
Sex	Male	48%	51%
	Female	53%	58%
<b>Within SU Differences</b>			
Grade	Grade 9	51%	47%
	Grade 10	47%	53%
	Grade 11	51%	58%
	Grade 12	51%	61%
Race	WnH	49%	56%
	REM	60%	50%
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	48%	54%
	LGBT	71%	62%

<b>MOST OF THE TIME OR ALWAYS SEE ADS FOR CIGARETTES OR OTHER TOBACCO PRODUCTS</b>			
		<b>SU/SD</b>	<b>VT</b>
Overall		53%	55%
<b>Overall Differences: State vs SU</b>			
Sex	Male	56%	53%
	Female	50%	56%
<b>Within SU Differences</b>			
Grade	Grade 9	66%	57%
	Grade 10	51%	56%
	Grade 11	49%	54%
	Grade 12	46%	52%
Race	WnH	53%	56%
	REM	49%	47%
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	52%	55%
	LGBT	61%	57%

**WERE IN THE SAME CAR AS SOMEONE WHO WAS SMOKING CIGARETTES, PAST 7 DAYS**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		32%	23%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	31%	23%	SU > VT
	Female	34%	23%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	35%	22%	9 > 12
	Grade 10	38%	23%	10 > 12
	Grade 11	31%	23%	REM > WnH
	Grade 12	24%	24%	LGBT > Het/CIS
Race	WnH	31%	22%	
	REM	53%	27%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	29%	22%	
	LGBT	50%	33%	

**WERE IN THE SAME ROOM AS SOMEONE WHO WAS SMOKING CIGARETTES, PAST 7 DAYS**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		39%	33%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	35%	33%	SU > VT
	Female	43%	33%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	39%	32%	Females > Males
	Grade 10	43%	33%	REM > WnH
	Grade 11	38%	33%	LGBT > Het/CIS
	Grade 12	35%	36%	
Race	WnH	38%	33%	
	REM	57%	34%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	36%	32%	
	LGBT	61%	44%	

**FELT SO SAD OR HOPELESS ALMOST EVERY DAY FOR TWO WEEKS OR MORE IN A ROW THAT THEY STOPPED DOING SOME USUAL ACTIVITIES, PAST YEAR**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		30%	25%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	19%	16%	SU > VT
	Female	42%	35%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	31%	23%	Females > Males
	Grade 10	39%	26%	10 > 9
	Grade 11	23%	26%	9 > 11
	Grade 12	27%	26%	10 > 12
Race	WnH	29%	25%	10 > 11
	REM	46%	28%	REM > WnH
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	24%	21%	LGBT > Het/CIS
	LGBT	67%	58%	

**DID SOMETHING TO PURPOSELY HURT THEMSELVES WITHOUT WANTING TO DIE, PAST YEAR**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		24%	16%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	12%	9%	SU > VT
	Female	37%	25%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	30%	18%	Females > Males
	Grade 10	29%	18%	9 > 12
	Grade 11	24%	16%	10 > 12
	Grade 12	15%	14%	11 > 12
Race	WnH	24%	16%	REM > WnH
	REM	33%	18%	LGBT > Het/CIS
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	20%	12%	
	LGBT	53%	48%	

MADE A PLAN ABOUT HOW THEY WOULD ATTEMPT SUICIDE, PAST YEAR				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		15%	11%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	10%	7%	SU > VT
	Female	20%	15%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	20%	11%	Females > Males
	Grade 10	18%	12%	9 > 11
	Grade 11	10%	11%	9 > 12
	Grade 12	12%	10%	10 > 12
Race	WnH	14%	10%	10 > 11
	REM	33%	15%	REM > WnH
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	11%	8%	LGBT > Het/CIS
	LGBT	38%	33%	

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE, PAST YEAR				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		8%	5%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	4%	4%	SU > VT
	Female	12%	7%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	9%	6%	Females > Males
	Grade 10	7%	6%	9 > 12
	Grade 11	11%	5%	11 > 12
	Grade 12	5%	4%	REM > WnH
Race	WnH	7%	5%	LGBT > Het/CIS
	REM	22%	8%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	6%	4%	
	LGBT	24%	18%	

EVER SMOKED A WHOLE CIGARETTE				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		31%	24%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	36%	26%	SU > VT
	Female	25%	22%	
Grade	Grade 9	29%	17%	Within SU Differences
	Grade 10	22%	21%	
	Grade 11	35%	28%	
	Grade 12	33%	31%	
Race	WnH	30%	23%	Males > Females
	REM	37%	28%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	30%	22%	12 > 10
	LGBT	44%	38%	
				11 > 10
				LGBT > Het/CIS

SMOKED A CIGARETTE BEFORE AGE 13 YEARS				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		12%	8%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	15%	9%	SU > VT
	Female	8%	6%	
Grade	Grade 9	16%	8%	Within SU Differences
	Grade 10	9%	8%	
	Grade 11	11%	8%	
	Grade 12	8%	7%	
Race	WnH	10%	7%	Males > Females
	REM	25%	12%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	11%	7%	9 > 10
	LGBT	22%	14%	
				9 > 12
				REM > WnH
				LGBT > Het/CIS

EVER USED AN ELECTRONIC VAPOR PRODUCT				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		37%	34%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	43%	37%	SU > VT
	Female	30%	31%	
Grade	Grade 9	24%	23%	Within SU Differences
	Grade 10	29%	31%	
	Grade 11	42%	38%	
	Grade 12	47%	44%	
Race	WnH	35%	34%	Males > Females
	REM	51%	35%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	36%	34%	11 > 9
	LGBT	46%	38%	
				12 > 9
				12 > 10
				11 > 10
				REM > WnH
				LGBT > Het/CIS

EVER TRIED FLAVORED TOBACCO PRODUCTS				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		29%	21%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	37%	24%	SU > VT
	Female	22%	17%	
Grade	Grade 9	18%	12%	Within SU Differences
	Grade 10	23%	17%	
	Grade 11	38%	24%	
	Grade 12	36%	30%	
Race	WnH	28%	20%	Males > Females
	REM	42%	21%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	30%	20%	11 > 9
	LGBT	32%	26%	
				12 > 9
				12 > 10
				11 > 10
				REM > WnH



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EVER DRANK ALCOHOL				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		63%	58%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	66%	57%	SU > VT
	Female	60%	58%	
Grade	Grade 9	45%	41%	Within SU Differences
	Grade 10	65%	54%	
	Grade 11	69%	65%	
	Grade 12	70%	71%	
Race	WnH	61%	58%	Males > Females
	REM	81%	56%	10 > 9
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	62%	57%	11 > 9
	LGBT	73%	66%	12 > 9
				REM > WnH
				LGBT > Het/CIS

DRANK ALCOHOL BEFORE AGE 13 YEARS				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		17%	14%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	21%	16%	SU > VT
	Female	13%	11%	
Grade	Grade 9	20%	17%	Within SU Differences
	Grade 10	25%	13%	
	Grade 11	11%	13%	
	Grade 12	14%	11%	
Race	WnH	16%	12%	Males > Females
	REM	37%	21%	9 > 11
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	16%	13%	10 > 12
	LGBT	29%	20%	10 > 11
				REM > WnH
				LGBT > Het/CIS

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EVER USED MARIJUANA			
		SU/SD	VT
Overall		41%	37%
Overall Differences: State vs SU			
Sex	Male	44%	37%
	Female	38%	37%
Within SU Differences			
Grade	Grade 9	30%	23%
	Grade 10	37%	34%
	Grade 11	48%	42%
	Grade 12	45%	50%
Race	WnH	39%	38%
	REM	56%	37%
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	40%	36%
	LGBT	57%	49%

TRIED MARIJUANA BEFORE AGE 13 YEARS			
		SU/SD	VT
Overall		9%	6%
Overall Differences: State vs SU			
Sex	Male	8%	7%
	Female	8%	5%
Within SU Differences			
Grade	Grade 9	10%	6%
	Grade 10	7%	6%
	Grade 11	9%	6%
	Grade 12	7%	5%
Race	WnH	7%	5%
	REM	27%	10%
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	7%	5%
	LGBT	19%	11%

EVER MISUSED PRESCRIPTION PAIN MEDICINE				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		9%	8%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	10%	8%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	8%	7%	
Grade	Grade 9	5%	6%	11 > 9
	Grade 10	9%	7%	12 > 9
	Grade 11	11%	8%	REM > WnH
	Grade 12	11%	9%	LGBT > Het/CIS
Race	WnH	8%	7%	
	REM	25%	11%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	8%	7%	
	LGBT	15%	16%	

EVER MISUSED PRESCRIPTION STIMULANTS				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		8%	6%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	10%	7%	SU > VT
	Female	8%	6%	
Grade	Grade 9	6%	4%	12 > 9
	Grade 10	8%	6%	REM > WnH
	Grade 11	8%	6%	
	Grade 12	11%	9%	
Race	WnH	7%	6%	
	REM	25%	10%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	8%	5%	
	LGBT	11%	12%	

EVER USED COCAINE				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		5%	4%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	6%	5%	SU > VT
	Female	4%	3%	
				Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	.	2%	Too few students in at least one grade
	Grade 10	.	3%	
	Grade 11	6%	4%	
	Grade 12	9%	6%	
Race	WnH	4%	3%	REM > WnH
	REM	18%	8%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	5%	3%	
	LGBT	6%	9%	

EVER USED INHALANTS				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		6%	6%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	6%	6%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	7%	6%	
				Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	6%	6%	REM > WnH
	Grade 10	8%	6%	
	Grade 11	4%	6%	
	Grade 12	5%	6%	
Race	WnH	5%	5%	LGBT > Het/CIS
	REM	20%	10%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	5%	5%	
	LGBT	13%	16%	

EVER USED HEROIN				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		2%	2%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	1%	3%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	1%	1%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	.	1%	Too few students in at least one grade
	Grade 10	.	2%	Too few students by race
	Grade 11	.	2%	LGBT > Het/CIS
	Grade 12	.	2%	
Race	WnH	.	1%	
	REM	12%	5%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	1%	1%	
	LGBT	5%	5%	

EVER USED METHAMPHETAMINES				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		2%	2%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	2%	3%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	2%	1%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	.	1%	Too few students in at least one grade
	Grade 10	.	2%	Too few students by race
	Grade 11	3%	2%	LGBT > Het/CIS
	Grade 12	.	3%	
Race	WnH	.	1%	
	REM	17%	6%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	2%	2%	
	LGBT	4%	5%	

USED ANY TOBACCO PRODUCTS DURING THE PAST YEAR				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		31%	24%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	39%	28%	SU > VT
	Female	23%	18%	
Grade	Grade 9	18%	14%	Within SU Differences
	Grade 10	24%	20%	
	Grade 11	44%	26%	
	Grade 12	35%	33%	
Race	WnH	30%	23%	Males > Females
	REM	39%	26%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	31%	23%	11 > 9
	LGBT	37%	31%	
				12 > 9
				12 > 10
				11 > 10
				REM > WnH

SMOKED CIGARETTES OR CIGARS OR USED SMOKELESS TOBACCO OR ELECTRONIC VAPOR PRODUCTS, PAST 30 DAYS				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		25%	19%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	31%	23%	SU > VT
	Female	19%	14%	
Grade	Grade 9	14%	11%	Within SU Differences
	Grade 10	17%	16%	
	Grade 11	36%	22%	
	Grade 12	31%	28%	
Race	WnH	24%	19%	Males > Females
	REM	33%	20%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	25%	18%	11 > 9
	LGBT	32%	25%	
				12 > 9
				12 > 10
				11 > 10
				REM > WnH

SMOKED CIGARETTES OR CIGARS OR USED SMOKELESS TOBACCO, PAST 30 DAYS				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		21%	15%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	27%	19%	SU > VT
	Female	15%	11%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	11%	8%	Males > Females
	Grade 10	15%	12%	11 > 9
	Grade 11	30%	17%	12 > 9
	Grade 12	25%	22%	12 > 10
Race	WnH	20%	15%	11 > 10
	REM	28%	16%	REM > WnH
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	21%	14%	LGBT > Het/CIS
	LGBT	28%	21%	

SMOKED CIGARETTES, PAST 30 DAYS				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		14%	9%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	16%	10%	SU > VT
	Female	11%	8%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	9%	5%	Males > Females
	Grade 10	7%	7%	11 > 9
	Grade 11	19%	11%	12 > 9
	Grade 12	15%	13%	12 > 10
Race	WnH	12%	9%	11 > 10
	REM	27%	12%	REM > WnH
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	12%	8%	LGBT > Het/CIS
	LGBT	26%	18%	

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**AMONG CURRENT SMOKERS: DAYS SMOKED  
CIGARETTES**

	SU/SD	VT	
1 or 2 days	17%	29%	VT > SU
3 to 5 days	16%	15%	
6 to 9 days	13%	10%	
10 to 19 days	5%	12%	VT > SU
20 to 29 days	16%	9%	SU > VT
All 30 days	34%	25%	SU > VT

**AMONG CURRENT SMOKERS: SMOKE CIGARETTES EVERY  
DAY**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		34%	25%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	.	27%	SU > VT
	Female	.	20%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	.	24%	Too few students by sex
	Grade 10	.	21%	Too few students in at least one grade
	Grade 11	.	23%	Too few students by race
	Grade 12	.	26%	Too few students by sexual orientation
Race	WnH	33%	21%	
	REM	.	38%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	34%	22%	
	LGBT	.	29%	



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**AMONG CURRENT SMOKERS: NUMBER OF CIGARETTES  
SMOKED ON DAYS SMOKED**

	SU/SD	VT	
Less than 1 cigarette	24%	30%	
1 cigarette	10%	19%	VT > SU
2 to 5 cigarettes	44%	30%	SU > VT
6 to 10 cigarettes	13%	9%	
11 to 20 cigarettes	5%	4%	
More than 20 cigarettes	.	8%	Too few students

**AMONG CURRENT SMOKERS: USUALLY SMOKED 11 OR  
MORE CIGARETTES ON DAYS SMOKED**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		9%	12%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	.	15%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	.	6%	
Grade	Grade 9	.	12%	Within SU Differences
	Grade 10	.	8%	
	Grade 11	.	10%	
	Grade 12	.	12%	
Race	WnH	.	7%	Too few students by sex
	REM	.	28%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	10%	10%	Too few students in at least one grade
	LGBT	.	14%	

USED ELECTRONIC VAPOR PRODUCTS, PAST 30 DAYS				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		15%	12%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	20%	14%	SU > VT
	Female	10%	9%	
Grade	Grade 9	7%	7%	Within SU Differences
	Grade 10	12%	10%	
	Grade 11	20%	13%	
	Grade 12	19%	17%	
Race	WnH	14%	12%	Males > Females
	REM	24%	13%	10 > 9
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	15%	12%	11 > 9
	LGBT	16%	16%	12 > 9

AMONG CURRENT USERS: REASONS FOR ELECTRONIC VAPOR PRODUCT USE				
		SU/SD	VT	
Friend/family used them		30%	35%	VT > SU
To try to quit other tobacco		5%	5%	
Cost less than other tobacco		.	1%	Too few students
Easier to get than other tobacco		.	1%	Too few students
Less harmful than other tobacco		9%	8%	
Available in flavors		19%	17%	
Used for some other reason		36%	33%	

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**AMONG CURRENT USERS: FREQUENCY OF  
ELECTRONIC VAPOR PRODUCTS USE**

	SU/SD	VT
1 or 2 days	41%	37%
3 to 5 days	14%	19%
6 to 9 days	13%	11%
10 to 19 days	14%	12%
20 to 29 days	9%	7%
All 30 days	10%	15%

**AMONG CURRENT USERS: USED ELECTRONIC VAPOR  
PRODUCTS ON 10+ DAYS**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		33%	33%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	.	37%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	.	26%	
Grade	Grade 9	.	29%	Within SU Differences
	Grade 10	.	36%	
	Grade 11	.	31%	
	Grade 12	.	34%	
Race	WnH	29%	30%	Too few students by sex
	REM	.	44%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	33%	32%	Too few students in at least one grade
	LGBT	.	37%	

**AMONG CURRENT USERS: SOURCE OF ELECTRONIC VAPOR PRODUCTS, UNDER AGE 18**

	SU/SD	VT	
Bought them in a store	11%	8%	Too few students
I got them on the Internet	15%	10%	
Someone else bought them	9%	14%	
Borrowed them	35%	38%	
A person 18 or older gave me	15%	11%	
Took them from a store	.	2%	
Some other way	13%	18%	

**USED SMOKELESS TOBACCO, PAST 30 DAYS**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		7%	5%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	13%	8%	SU > VT
	Female	2%	2%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	.	3%	Males > Females
	Grade 10	5%	5%	Too few students in at least one grade
	Grade 11	9%	6%	REM > WnH
	Grade 12	10%	7%	
Race	WnH	6%	5%	
	REM	12%	7%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	7%	5%	
	LGBT	5%	5%	

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**SMOKED CIGARS, CIGARILLOS, OR LITTLE CIGARS, PAST 30 DAYS**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		15%	9%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	20%	13%	SU > VT
	Female	11%	6%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	5%	4%	Males > Females
	Grade 10	11%	7%	10 > 9
	Grade 11	21%	10%	11 > 9
	Grade 12	23%	15%	12 > 9
Race	WnH	15%	9%	12 > 10
	REM	23%	10%	11 > 10
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	15%	9%	REM > WnH
	LGBT	19%	12%	

**TRIED TO QUIT USING ALL TOBACCO PRODUCTS, AMONG STUDENTS WHO USED A TOBACCO PRODUCT DURING THE PAST YEAR**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		35%	33%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	33%	30%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	36%	37%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	.	33%	Too few students in at least one grade
	Grade 10	.	35%	Too few students by race
	Grade 11	24%	32%	Too few students by sexual orientation
	Grade 12	.	32%	
Race	WnH	34%	33%	
	REM	.	33%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	32%	32%	
	LGBT	.	43%	

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DRANK ALCOHOL, PAST 30 DAYS				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		36%	33%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	36%	32%	SU > VT
	Female	36%	34%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	24%	20%	10 > 9
	Grade 10	38%	30%	11 > 9
	Grade 11	37%	36%	12 > 9
	Grade 12	41%	46%	REM > WnH
Race	WnH	35%	34%	
	REM	46%	29%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	36%	33%	
	LGBT	40%	37%	

BINGE DRANK, PAST 30 DAYS				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		19%	17%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	18%	17%	SU > VT
	Female	20%	17%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	8%	8%	10 > 9
	Grade 10	19%	14%	11 > 9
	Grade 11	22%	19%	12 > 9
	Grade 12	24%	27%	
Race	WnH	19%	17%	
	REM	24%	16%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	19%	17%	
	LGBT	21%	18%	

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**AMONG CURRENT USERS: FREQUENCY OF DRINKING**

	SU/SD	VT
1 or 2 days	45%	49%
3 to 5 days	26%	26%
6 to 9 days	14%	13%
10 to 19 days	8%	7%
20 to 29 days	2%	2%
All 30 days	4%	3%

**AMONG CURRENT USERS: DRANK ON 10+ DAYS**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		15%	12%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	18%	15%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	12%	9%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	.	11%	Too few students in at least one grade
	Grade 10	9%	11%	Too few students by race
	Grade 11	.	12%	Too few students by sexual orientation
	Grade 12	.	13%	
Race	WnH	13%	10%	
	REM	.	22%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	15%	11%	
	LGBT	.	18%	

AMONG CURRENT USERS: LARGEST AMOUNT OF ALCOHOL CONSUMED			
	SU/SD	VT	
1 or 2 drinks	35%	35%	
3 drinks	5%	6%	
4 drinks	9%	8%	
5 drinks	12%	13%	
6 or 7 drinks	10%	15%	VT > SU
8 or 9 drinks	9%	8%	
10 or more drinks	20%	14%	SU > VT

AMONG CURRENT USERS: BINGE DRANK (4+ females/5+ males)				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		60%	57%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	59%	59%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	61%	55%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	.	46%	Too few students in at least one grade
	Grade 10	.	53%	Too few students by race
	Grade 11	.	57%	Too few students by sexual orientation
	Grade 12	.	63%	
Race	WnH	61%	56%	
	REM	.	61%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	62%	57%	
	LGBT	.	55%	



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AMONG CURRENT USERS: ALCOHOL SOURCE

	SU/SD	VT	
Bought in store	.	3%	Too few students
Bought in restaurant	.	2%	Too few students
Bought at public event	.	0%	Too few students
I gave someone money to buy	26%	23%	
Someone gave it to me	41%	40%	
Took from store/family	15%	12%	
Some other way	17%	20%	

USED MARIJUANA, PAST 30 DAYS

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		25%	24%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	23%	24%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	27%	23%	
Grade	Grade 9	16%	15%	10 > 9
	Grade 10	23%	22%	11 > 9
	Grade 11	31%	25%	12 > 9
	Grade 12	27%	32%	11 > 10
Race	WnH	24%	23%	REM > WnH
	REM	42%	24%	LGBT > Het/CIS
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	23%	23%	
	LGBT	41%	33%	

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**AMONG CURRENT USERS: FREQUENCY OF MARIJUANA USE**

	SU/SD	VT	
1 or 2 times	18%	34%	VT > SU
3 to 9 times	22%	25%	
10 to 19 times	15%	12%	
20 to 39 times	13%	10%	
40 or more times	31%	20%	SU > VT

**AMONG CURRENT USERS: USED MARIJUANA 10+ TIMES**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		59%	41%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	67%	47%	SU > VT
	Female	53%	35%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	.	37%	Males > Females
	Grade 10	.	40%	Too few students in at least one grade
	Grade 11	.	41%	Too few students by race
	Grade 12	.	43%	Too few students by sexual orientation
Race	WnH	59%	39%	
	REM	.	53%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	60%	40%	
	LGBT	.	49%	

AMONG CURRENT USERS: PRIMARY WAY MARIJUANA USED			
	SU/SD	VT	
Smoked it	96%	91%	SU > VT
Ate in food	3%	4%	
Drank in tea or other drink	.	1%	Too few students
Vaporized	.	2%	Too few students
Some other way	.	2%	Too few students

MISUSED A PRESCRIPTION DRUG, PAST 30 DAYS				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		7%	5%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	8%	6%	SU > VT
	Female	6%	5%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	3%	4%	10 > 9
	Grade 10	7%	5%	11 > 9
	Grade 11	9%	5%	12 > 9
	Grade 12	9%	7%	REM > WnH
Race	WnH	6%	5%	LGBT > Het/CIS
	REM	21%	9%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	6%	5%	
	LGBT	15%	11%	

<b>WERE OFFERED, SOLD, OR GIVEN AN ILLEGAL DRUG AT SCHOOL, PAST YEAR</b>				
		<b>SU/SD</b>	<b>VT</b>	
Overall		13%	15%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	13%	17%	VT > SU
	Female	11%	13%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	14%	14%	REM > WnH
	Grade 10	11%	16%	LGBT > Het/CIS
	Grade 11	14%	16%	
	Grade 12	9%	14%	
Race	WnH	10%	15%	
	REM	33%	17%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	12%	14%	
	LGBT	21%	23%	

<b>ATTENDED SCHOOL UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF DRUGS OR ALCOHOL, PAST YEAR</b>				
		<b>SU/SD</b>	<b>VT</b>	
Overall		16%	13%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	16%	14%	SU > VT
	Female	15%	12%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	11%	9%	11 > 9
	Grade 10	13%	12%	REM > WnH
	Grade 11	19%	14%	LGBT > Het/CIS
	Grade 12	16%	18%	
Race	WnH	14%	13%	
	REM	30%	16%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	16%	12%	
	LGBT	21%	23%	

**THINK THAT IT IS VERY LIKELY OR LIKELY THAT POLICE WOULD BREAK UP A PARTY WHERE PEOPLE THEIR AGE WERE DRINKING ALCOHOL**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		26%	25%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	26%	25%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	26%	24%	
Grade	Grade 9	32%	32%	Within SU Differences
	Grade 10	30%	26%	
	Grade 11	21%	21%	
	Grade 12	21%	20%	
Race	WnH	26%	23%	WnH > REM
	REM	19%	31%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	25%	25%	
	LGBT	30%	25%	

**THINK IT IS WRONG OR VERY WRONG FOR SOMEONE THEIR AGE TO SMOKE CIGARETTES**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		80%	84%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	76%	82%	VT > SU
	Female	84%	86%	
Grade	Grade 9	88%	90%	Within SU Differences
	Grade 10	90%	88%	
	Grade 11	73%	83%	
	Grade 12	73%	75%	
Race	WnH	81%	85%	Females > Males
	REM	66%	81%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	82%	85%	9 > 11
	LGBT	70%	74%	
				9 > 12
				10 > 12
				10 > 11
				WnH > REM
				Het/CIS > LGBT

THINK IT IS WRONG OR VERY WRONG FOR SOMEONE THEIR AGE TO DRINK ALCOHOL				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		51%	54%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	48%	55%	VT > SU
	Female	53%	54%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	70%	71%	9 > 10
	Grade 10	48%	59%	9 > 11
	Grade 11	44%	48%	9 > 12
	Grade 12	41%	39%	WnH > REM
Race	WnH	51%	54%	
	REM	35%	58%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	50%	54%	
	LGBT	56%	51%	

THINK IT IS WRONG OR VERY WRONG FOR SOMEONE THEIR AGE TO USE MARIJUANA				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		55%	55%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	56%	56%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	54%	55%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	60%	69%	9 > 11
	Grade 10	62%	60%	9 > 12
	Grade 11	51%	51%	10 > 12
	Grade 12	49%	42%	10 > 11
Race	WnH	56%	55%	WnH > REM
	REM	37%	58%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	55%	57%	
	LGBT	50%	40%	

**THINK THEIR PARENTS OR GUARDIANS FEEL IT WOULD BE WRONG OR VERY WRONG FOR THEM TO SMOKE CIGARETTES**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		89%	91%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	88%	90%	VT > SU
	Female	90%	93%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	96%	94%	9 > 11
	Grade 10	97%	94%	9 > 12
	Grade 11	87%	91%	10 > 12
	Grade 12	80%	87%	10 > 11
Race	WnH	90%	92%	11 > 12
	REM	75%	87%	WnH > REM
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	90%	92%	
	LGBT	86%	86%	

**THINK THEIR PARENTS OR GUARDIANS FEEL IT WOULD BE WRONG OR VERY WRONG FOR THEM TO DRINK ALCOHOL**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		58%	66%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	58%	64%	VT > SU
	Female	57%	67%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	74%	78%	9 > 10
	Grade 10	61%	71%	9 > 11
	Grade 11	58%	63%	9 > 12
	Grade 12	40%	50%	10 > 12
Race	WnH	57%	65%	11 > 12
	REM	51%	67%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	57%	66%	
	LGBT	63%	60%	

**THINK THEIR PARENTS OR GUARDIANS FEEL IT WOULD BE  
WRONG OR VERY WRONG FOR THEM TO USE MARIJUANA**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		72%	76%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	74%	75%	VT > SU
	Female	69%	77%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	78%	83%	9 > 12
	Grade 10	78%	79%	10 > 12
	Grade 11	72%	75%	11 > 12
	Grade 12	63%	69%	WnH > REM
Race	WnH	72%	76%	Het/CIS > LGBT
	REM	62%	75%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	73%	78%	
	LGBT	62%	63%	



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**PERCEIVED RISK OF HARM FROM SMOKING A PACK  
OF CIGARETTES DAILY**

	SU/SD	VT	
No risk	6%	5%	VT > SU
Slight risk	9%	9%	
Moderate risk	20%	18%	
Great risk	65%	68%	

**THINK PEOPLE GREATLY RISK HARMING THEMSELVES IF  
THEY SMOKE ONE OR MORE PACKS OF CIGARETTES PER  
DAY**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		65%	68%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	62%	66%	VT > SU
	Female	69%	70%	
Grade	Grade 9	57%	64%	Within SU Differences
	Grade 10	71%	68%	
	Grade 11	67%	68%	
	Grade 12	65%	72%	
Race	WnH	64%	69%	Females > Males
	REM	68%	62%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	66%	68%	10 > 9
	LGBT	57%	68%	
				11 > 9
				12 > 9
				Het/CIS > LGBT

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**PERCEIVED RISK OF HARM FROM BINGE DRINKING  
EACH WEEK**

	SU/SD	VT	
No risk	7%	6%	
Slight risk	22%	19%	SU > VT
Moderate risk	40%	39%	
Great risk	31%	36%	VT > SU

**THINK PEOPLE GREATLY RISK HARMING THEMSELVES IF  
THEY HAVE FIVE OR MORE DRINKS OF ALCOHOL ONCE OR  
TWICE EACH WEEKEND**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		31%	36%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	28%	32%	VT > SU
	Female	35%	41%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	30%	38%	Females > Males
	Grade 10	37%	39%	10 > 9
	Grade 11	32%	35%	10 > 12
	Grade 12	28%	32%	
Race	WnH	32%	35%	
	REM	30%	39%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	30%	35%	
	LGBT	35%	38%	

PERCEIVED RISK OF HARM FROM REGULAR MARIJUANA USE		
	SU/SD	VT
No risk	24%	21%
Slight risk	25%	29%
Moderate risk	28%	26%
Great risk	23%	24%

PERCEIVED RISK OF HARM FROM REGULAR MARIJUANA USE
SU > VT
VT > SU

THINK PEOPLE GREATLY RISK HARMING THEMSELVES IF THEY USE MARIJUANA REGULARLY				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		23%	24%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	21%	21%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	25%	28%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	27%	32%	9 > 12
	Grade 10	23%	26%	Het/CIS > LGBT
	Grade 11	24%	22%	
	Grade 12	18%	18%	
Race	WnH	23%	23%	
	REM	17%	29%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	24%	25%	
	LGBT	14%	16%	

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**PERCEIVED ACCESS TO CIGARETTES**

	SU/SD	VT	
Very hard	23%	24%	VT > SU
Sort of hard	18%	21%	
Sort of easy	21%	22%	SU > VT
Very easy	38%	32%	

**SAY IF THEY WANTED CIGARETTES IT WOULD BE SORT OF EASY OR VERY EASY FOR THEM TO GET**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		59%	55%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	63%	57%	SU > VT
	Female	55%	52%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	43%	38%	Males > Females
	Grade 10	53%	48%	10 > 9
	Grade 11	54%	57%	11 > 9
	Grade 12	80%	75%	12 > 9
Race	WnH	58%	55%	12 > 10
	REM	76%	54%	12 > 11
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	58%	54%	REM > WnH
	LGBT	67%	61%	LGBT > Het/CIS

PERCEIVED ACCESS TO ALCOHOL		
	SU/SD	VT
Very hard	15%	15%
Sort of hard	16%	18%
Sort of easy	34%	31%
Very easy	35%	37%

SU > VT

SAY IF THEY WANTED ALCOHOL IT WOULD BE SORT OF EASY OR VERY EASY FOR THEM TO GET			
		SU/SD	VT
Overall		69%	68%
Sex	Male	69%	67%
	Female	70%	69%
Grade	Grade 9	53%	58%
	Grade 10	72%	67%
	Grade 11	77%	72%
	Grade 12	75%	74%
Race	WnH	70%	69%
	REM	64%	62%
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	70%	68%
	LGBT	62%	73%

Overall Differences: State vs SU

VT and SU are Similar

Within SU Differences

10 > 9

11 > 9

12 > 9

Het/CIS > LGBT

PERCEIVED ACCESS TO MARIJUANA		
	SU/SD	VT
Very hard	28%	27%
Sort of hard	16%	15%
Sort of easy	18%	22%
Very easy	38%	37%

VT > SU

SAY IF THEY WANTED MARIJUANA IT WOULD BE SORT OF EASY OR VERY EASY FOR THEM TO GET			
		SU/SD	VT
Overall		56%	58%
Sex	Male	59%	59%
	Female	53%	57%
Grade	Grade 9	41%	43%
	Grade 10	52%	56%
	Grade 11	62%	65%
	Grade 12	66%	69%
Race	WnH	56%	59%
	REM	64%	54%
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	56%	58%
	LGBT	60%	66%

Overall Differences: State vs SU

VT and SU are Similar

Within SU Differences

Males > Females

10 > 9

11 > 9

12 > 9

12 > 10

11 > 10

REM > WnH

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**LIFETIME SEXUAL CONTACTS: MALES**

	<b>SU/SD</b>	<b>VT</b>	
Never had sexual contact	33%	42%	VT > SU
Females	65%	54%	SU > VT
Males	.	2%	Too few students
Females and males	.	2%	Too few students

**LIFETIME SEXUAL CONTACTS: FEMALES**

	<b>SU/SD</b>	<b>VT</b>	
Never had sexual contact	40%	43%	
Females	4%	2%	SU > VT
Males	47%	48%	
Females and males	9%	7%	

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EVER HAD SEXUAL INTERCOURSE				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		47%	40%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	48%	40%	SU > VT
	Female	47%	40%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	27%	19%	10 > 9
	Grade 10	38%	33%	11 > 9
	Grade 11	57%	48%	12 > 9
	Grade 12	62%	61%	12 > 10
Race	WnH	46%	40%	11 > 10
	REM	64%	39%	REM > WnH
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	47%	40%	LGBT > Het/CIS
	LGBT	57%	47%	

HAVE HAD 4+ LIFETIME PARTNERS				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		14%	9%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	14%	9%	SU > VT
	Female	13%	8%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	5%	3%	10 > 9
	Grade 10	9%	6%	11 > 9
	Grade 11	14%	10%	12 > 9
	Grade 12	22%	16%	12 > 10
Race	WnH	12%	8%	11 > 10
	REM	29%	12%	12 > 11
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	13%	8%	REM > WnH
	LGBT	19%	15%	LGBT > Het/CIS



EVER HAD ORAL SEX				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		50%	42%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	52%	42%	SU > VT
	Female	47%	42%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	26%	23%	10 > 9
	Grade 10	44%	37%	11 > 9
	Grade 11	58%	49%	12 > 9
	Grade 12	65%	60%	12 > 10
Race	WnH	48%	43%	11 > 10
	REM	74%	40%	REM > WnH
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	50%	42%	
	LGBT	55%	52%	

WERE EVER TESTED FOR HUMAN IMMUNODEFICIENCY VIRUS (HIV)				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		13%	10%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	10%	9%	SU > VT
	Female	16%	12%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	7%	7%	Females > Males
	Grade 10	8%	9%	11 > 9
	Grade 11	16%	12%	12 > 9
	Grade 12	20%	14%	12 > 10
Race	WnH	12%	10%	11 > 10
	REM	28%	13%	REM > WnH
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	13%	10%	
	LGBT	16%	15%	

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**HAD SEXUAL INTERCOURSE DURING THE PAST 3 MONTHS**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		35%	31%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	32%	29%	SU > VT
	Female	39%	32%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	20%	13%	Females > Males
	Grade 10	23%	24%	11 > 9
	Grade 11	46%	37%	12 > 9
	Grade 12	47%	48%	12 > 10
Race	WnH	35%	31%	11 > 10
	REM	46%	29%	REM > WnH
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	36%	31%	
	LGBT	37%	34%	

**USED ALCOHOL OR DRUGS PRIOR TO LAST INTERCOURSE, AMONG CURRENTLY SEXUALLY ACTIVE STUDENTS**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		19%	20%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	18%	22%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	19%	17%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	.	24%	Too few students in at least one grade
	Grade 10	.	22%	Too few students by race
	Grade 11	18%	18%	Too few students by sexual orientation
	Grade 12	.	19%	
Race	WnH	17%	18%	
	REM	.	29%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	17%	18%	
	LGBT	.	31%	

**PREGNANCY PREVENTION METHODS USED, AMONG CURRENTLY SEXUALLY ACTIVE STUDENTS**

	SU/SD	VT	
No method was used	8%	7%	VT > SU
Birth control pills	33%	32%	
Condoms	35%	35%	
IUD or implant	9%	13%	
Shot/patch/birth control ring	7%	5%	Too few students
Withdrawal/other method	7%	5%	
Not sure	.	2%	

**USED PRESCRIPTION BIRTH CONTROL (PILLS; AN IUD OR IMPLANT; OR A SHOT, PATCH, OR BIRTH CONTROL RING), AMONG CURRENTLY SEXUALLY ACTIVE STUDENTS**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		49%	50%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	40%	40%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	56%	60%	
Grade	Grade 9	.	29%	Within SU Differences
	Grade 10	.	44%	
	Grade 11	54%	51%	
	Grade 12	.	59%	
Race	WnH	50%	53%	Females > Males
	REM	.	36%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	48%	52%	Too few students in at least one grade
	LGBT	.	39%	

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**CONDOM USE, AMONG CURRENTLY SEXUALLY ACTIVE STUDENTS**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		53%	56%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	51%	61%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	54%	52%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	.	64%	Too few students in at least one grade
	Grade 10	.	61%	Too few students by race
	Grade 11	60%	58%	Too few students by sexual orientation
	Grade 12	.	51%	
Race	WnH	53%	57%	
	REM	.	54%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	55%	58%	
	LGBT	.	45%	

**USED BOTH A CONDOM AND PRESCRIPTION BIRTH CONTROL TO PREVENT PREGNANCY AT LAST SEXUAL INTERCOURSE, AMONG CURRENTLY SEXUALLY ACTIVE STUDENTS**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		16%	19%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	11%	15%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	20%	22%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	.	12%	Females > Males
	Grade 10	.	19%	Too few students in at least one grade
	Grade 11	28%	20%	Too few students by race
	Grade 12	.	20%	Too few students by sexual orientation
Race	WnH	17%	20%	
	REM	.	13%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	15%	20%	
	LGBT	.	13%	

**DID NOT USE ANY METHOD TO PREVENT PREGNANCY,  
 AMONG CURRENTLY SEXUALLY ACTIVE STUDENTS**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		8%	7%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	8%	8%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	8%	7%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	.	12%	Too few students in at least one grade
	Grade 10	.	9%	Too few students by race
	Grade 11	.	6%	Too few students by sexual orientation
	Grade 12	.	6%	
Race	WnH	8%	6%	
	REM	.	13%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	7%	5%	
	LGBT	.	22%	

**OVERWEIGHT (BMI BETWEEN THE 85th AND <95th  
 PERCENTILES FOR AGE AND SEX)**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		17%	14%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	18%	14%	SU > VT
	Female	16%	15%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	15%	14%	10 > 9
	Grade 10	28%	15%	10 > 12
	Grade 11	15%	14%	10 > 11
	Grade 12	12%	13%	
Race	WnH	17%	14%	
	REM	19%	14%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	16%	14%	
	LGBT	21%	16%	

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<b>OBESE (BMI &gt;95th PERCENTILE FOR AGE AND SEX)</b>				
		<b>SU/SD</b>	<b>VT</b>	
Overall		15%	13%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	19%	15%	SU > VT
	Female	11%	10%	
Grade	Grade 9	16%	12%	Within SU Differences
	Grade 10	11%	12%	
	Grade 11	17%	14%	
	Grade 12	16%	13%	
Race	WnH	15%	12%	Males > Females
	REM	17%	14%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	15%	12%	
	LGBT	18%	19%	

<b>PERCEPTIONS OF OWN WEIGHT</b>				
		<b>SU/SD</b>	<b>VT</b>	
Very underweight		1%	2%	
Slightly underweight		13%	12%	
About the right weight		49%	56%	VT > SU
Slightly overweight		30%	25%	SU > VT
Very overweight		7%	5%	SU > VT

DESCRIBED THEMSELVES AS SLIGHTLY OR VERY OVERWEIGHT				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		37%	30%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	31%	25%	SU > VT
	Female	42%	36%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	37%	29%	Females > Males
	Grade 10	42%	30%	10 > 12
	Grade 11	37%	30%	REM > WnH
	Grade 12	33%	33%	LGBT > Het/CIS
Race	WnH	36%	30%	
	REM	46%	30%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	35%	28%	
	LGBT	50%	46%	

WHAT ONE IS TRYING TO DO ABOUT WEIGHT				
		SU/SD	VT	
	Lose weight	49%	42%	SU > VT
	Gain weight	11%	15%	VT > SU
	Stay the same weight	16%	18%	
	Not trying to do anything	23%	25%	

WERE TRYING TO LOSE WEIGHT			
		SU/SD	VT
Overall		49%	42%
Overall Differences: State vs SU			
Sex	Male	36%	28%
	Female	62%	57%
Within SU Differences			
Grade	Grade 9	54%	41%
	Grade 10	60%	42%
	Grade 11	42%	41%
	Grade 12	41%	44%
Race	WnH	49%	42%
	REM	51%	42%
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	49%	40%
	LGBT	57%	55%

DAYS PHYSICALLY ACTIVE (60 MIN), PAST WEEK			
		SU/SD	VT
0 days	16%	13%	SU > VT
1 day	7%	7%	
2 days	10%	9%	
3 days	12%	12%	
4 days	10%	11%	
5 days	11%	14%	VT > SU
6 days	8%	10%	VT > SU
7 days	24%	25%	



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**WERE PHYSICALLY ACTIVE AT LEAST 60 MINUTES PER DAY  
ON ALL 7 DAYS**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		24%	25%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	31%	33%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	18%	17%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	25%	27%	Males > Females
	Grade 10	31%	27%	10 > 12
	Grade 11	21%	24%	10 > 11
	Grade 12	22%	23%	Het/CIS > LGBT
Race	WnH	24%	25%	
	REM	29%	27%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	26%	27%	
	LGBT	18%	14%	

**WERE PHYSICALLY ACTIVE AT LEAST 60 MINUTES PER DAY  
ON 5 OR MORE DAYS, PAST WEEK**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		44%	49%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	48%	56%	VT > SU
	Female	39%	42%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	44%	53%	Males > Females
	Grade 10	48%	50%	Het/CIS > LGBT
	Grade 11	43%	47%	
	Grade 12	42%	47%	
Race	WnH	44%	50%	
	REM	41%	46%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	45%	52%	
	LGBT	37%	29%	

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**DID NOT PARTICIPATE IN AT LEAST 60 MINUTES OF  
PHYSICAL ACTIVITY ON AT LEAST 1 DAY, PAST WEEK**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		16%	13%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	14%	11%	SU > VT
	Female	18%	14%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	15%	10%	REM > WnH
	Grade 10	14%	12%	LGBT > Het/CIS
	Grade 11	18%	14%	
	Grade 12	16%	15%	
Race	WnH	15%	12%	
	REM	25%	17%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	14%	11%	
	LGBT	21%	23%	

**TV, VIDEO OR COMPUTER GAMES, OR COMPUTER USE,  
PAST WEEK**

		SU/SD	VT	
Do not watch TV		2%	3%	VT > SU
Less than 1 hour per day		6%	8%	VT > SU
1 hour per day		8%	12%	VT > SU
2 hours per day		22%	23%	
3 hours per day		20%	21%	
4 hours per day		15%	13%	SU > VT
5 or more hours per day		26%	19%	SU > VT

**WATCHED TV, PLAYED VIDEO OR COMPUTER GAMES, OR USED A COMPUTER FOR THREE OR MORE HOURS PER DAY, PAST WEEK**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		61%	53%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	62%	53%	SU > VT
	Female	60%	52%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	70%	53%	9 > 10
	Grade 10	60%	53%	9 > 11
	Grade 11	54%	51%	9 > 12
	Grade 12	61%	53%	LGBT > Het/CIS
Race	WnH	61%	52%	
	REM	66%	57%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	59%	51%	
	LGBT	74%	67%	

**ATE FRUIT OR DRANK 100% FRUIT JUICES TWO OR MORE TIMES PER DAY, PAST WEEK**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		30%	33%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	30%	32%	VT > SU
	Female	29%	33%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	26%	33%	Het/CIS > LGBT
	Grade 10	28%	33%	
	Grade 11	33%	32%	
	Grade 12	31%	32%	
Race	WnH	30%	32%	
	REM	25%	35%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	32%	33%	
	LGBT	19%	29%	

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**ATE VEGETABLES THREE OR MORE TIMES PER DAY,  
PAST WEEK**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		12%	18%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	11%	18%	VT > SU
	Female	13%	18%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	11%	17%	
	Grade 10	15%	18%	
	Grade 11	10%	17%	
	Grade 12	12%	19%	
Race	WnH	12%	17%	
	REM	12%	21%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	13%	18%	
	LGBT	12%	18%	

**SODA CONSUMPTION, PAST WEEK**

	SU/SD	VT	
Did not drink soda or pop	33%	37%	VT > SU
1 to 3 times	40%	40%	
4 to 6 times	14%	12%	SU > VT
1 time per day	5%	4%	SU > VT
2 times per day	3%	3%	
3 times per day	1%	1%	
4 or more times per day	3%	3%	

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**DRANK A CAN, BOTTLE, OR GLASS OF SODA OR POP ONE  
OR MORE TIMES PER DAY, PAST WEEK**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		13%	11%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	19%	16%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	7%	6%	
Grade	Grade 9	12%	11%	Within SU Differences
	Grade 10	14%	11%	
	Grade 11	12%	11%	
	Grade 12	13%	12%	
Race	WnH	12%	10%	Males > Females
	REM	20%	14%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	12%	11%	REM > WnH
	LGBT	13%	12%	

**SUGAR-SWEETENED BEVERAGE CONSUMPTION, PAST WEEK**

	SU/SD	VT	
Did not drink sugar-sweetened	25%	28%	VT > SU
1 to 3 times	45%	44%	
4 to 6 times	17%	15%	SU > VT
1 time per day	5%	6%	
2 times per day	4%	3%	SU > VT
3 times per day	2%	1%	
4 or more times per day	2%	2%	

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**DRANK A CAN, BOTTLE, OR GLASS OF SUGAR-SWEETENED  
BEVERAGES ONE OR MORE TIMES PER DAY, PAST WEEK**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		13%	12%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	17%	15%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	10%	9%	
Grade	Grade 9	11%	12%	Within SU Differences  Males > Females  10 > 9  10 > 11
	Grade 10	17%	12%	
	Grade 11	10%	13%	
	Grade 12	14%	13%	
Race	WnH	13%	12%	
	REM	15%	15%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	13%	12%	
	LGBT	13%	13%	

**WATER CONSUMPTION, PAST WEEK**

	SU/SD	VT	
Did not drink water	3%	4%	VT > SU
1 to 3 times	9%	9%	
4 to 6 times	11%	11%	
1 time per day	8%	9%	
2 times per day	14%	16%	
3 times per day	21%	19%	
4 or more times per day	35%	33%	

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**DRANK THREE OR MORE GLASSES PER DAY OF WATER,  
PAST WEEK**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		55%	52%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	48%	51%	SU > VT
	Female	63%	53%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	50%	50%	Females > Males
	Grade 10	59%	53%	10 > 9
	Grade 11	55%	51%	Het/CIS > LGBT
	Grade 12	58%	55%	
Race	WnH	55%	52%	
	REM	48%	50%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	57%	53%	
	LGBT	48%	49%	

**BREAKFAST CONSUMPTION, PAST WEEK**

	SU/SD	VT	
0 days	17%	11%	SU > VT
1 day	6%	6%	
2 days	10%	9%	
3 days	12%	10%	SU > VT
4 days	7%	8%	
5 days	10%	9%	
6 days	8%	7%	
7 days	31%	40%	VT > SU

DID NOT EAT BREAKFAST, PAST WEEK			
		SU/SD	VT
Overall		17%	11%
Overall Differences: State vs SU			
Sex	Male	16%	11%
	Female	17%	10%
Within SU Differences			
Grade	Grade 9	19%	10%
	Grade 10	20%	11%
	Grade 11	20%	10%
	Grade 12	9%	11%
Race	WnH	16%	10%
	REM	29%	13%
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	16%	10%
	LGBT	20%	14%

WENT HUNGRY BECAUSE THERE WAS NOT ENOUGH FOOD AT HOME, PAST 30 DAYS			
		SU/SD	VT
	Never	73%	75%
	Rarely	14%	15%
	Sometimes	10%	7%
	Most of the time	2%	2%
	Always	1%	1%

SU > VT

9 > 12

10 > 12

11 > 12

REM > WnH

SU > VT

VT > SU



<b>MOST OF THE TIME OR ALWAYS WENT HUNGRY, PAST 30 DAYS</b>				
		<b>SU/SD</b>	<b>VT</b>	
Overall		3%	3%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
				VT and SU are Similar
Sex	Male	3%	3%	Within SU Differences
	Female	2%	2%	
Grade	Grade 9	.	3%	Too few students in at least one grade
	Grade 10	.	2%	
	Grade 11	.	3%	
	Grade 12	5%	3%	
Race	WnH	2%	2%	REM > WnH
	REM	7%	6%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	3%	3%	Too few students by sexual orientation
	LGBT	.	5%	

<b>USUALLY DID NOT SLEEP AT THEIR PARENTS HOUSE BECAUSE THEY HAD TO LEAVE THEIR HOME, OR THEIR PARENT OR GUARDIAN CANNOT AFFORD HOUSING</b>				
		<b>SU/SD</b>	<b>VT</b>	
Overall		4%	4%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
				VT and SU are Similar
Sex	Male	5%	4%	Within SU Differences
	Female	3%	3%	
Grade	Grade 9	.	3%	Males > Females
	Grade 10	.	3%	
	Grade 11	4%	4%	
	Grade 12	8%	5%	
Race	WnH	4%	3%	Too few students in at least one grade
	REM	9%	9%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	4%	3%	REM > WnH
	LGBT	.	7%	
				Too few students by sexual orientation

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ATE DINNER WITH AT LEAST ONE PARENT, PAST WEEK		
	SU/SD	VT
0 days	8%	9%
1 day	5%	4%
2 days	5%	4%
3 days	7%	6%
4 days	8%	8%
5 days	15%	13%
6 days	9%	12%
7 days	42%	44%

SU > VT

VT > SU

<b>ATE DINNER AT HOME WITH AT LEAST ONE OF THEIR PARENTS ON FOUR OR MORE DAYS, PAST WEEK</b>				
		<b>SU/SD</b>	<b>VT</b>	
Overall		74%	77%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	75%	80%	VT > SU
	Female	73%	75%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	79%	83%	9 > 12
	Grade 10	79%	81%	10 > 12
	Grade 11	75%	76%	11 > 12
	Grade 12	66%	71%	WnH > REM
Race	WnH	75%	79%	Het/CIS > LGBT
	REM	61%	70%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	77%	79%	
	LGBT	55%	65%	

<b>GRADES EARNED IN SCHOOL</b>			
	<b>SU/SD</b>	<b>VT</b>	
Mostly A's	38%	46%	VT > SU
Mostly B's	46%	39%	SU > VT
Mostly C's	12%	12%	
Mostly D's	3%	2%	SU > VT
Mostly F's	.	1%	Too few students

<b>REPORTED THERE IS AT LEAST ONE TEACHER OR OTHER ADULT IN THEIR SCHOOL THAT THEY CAN TALK TO IF THEY HAVE A PROBLEM</b>				
		<b>SU/SD</b>	<b>VT</b>	
Overall		84%	80%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	86%	80%	SU > VT
	Female	83%	81%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	80%	78%	11 > 9
	Grade 10	80%	79%	12 > 9
	Grade 11	87%	82%	12 > 10
	Grade 12	90%	83%	11 > 10
Race	WnH	84%	82%	
	REM	81%	74%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	85%	81%	
	LGBT	82%	76%	

<b>BELIEVE SCHOOL HAS CLEAR RULES AND CONSEQUENCES FOR BEHAVIORS</b>			
	<b>SU/SD</b>	<b>VT</b>	
Strongly agree	17%	21%	VT > SU
Agree	44%	44%	
Not sure	21%	19%	
Disagree	12%	11%	
Strongly disagree	7%	5%	SU > VT

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**STRONGLY AGREE OR AGREE THAT THEIR SCHOOL HAS  
CLEAR RULES AND CONSEQUENCES FOR BEHAVIOR**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		60%	65%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	62%	69%	VT > SU
	Female	59%	61%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	68%	67%	9 > 10
	Grade 10	59%	65%	9 > 12
	Grade 11	62%	64%	Het/CIS > LGBT
	Grade 12	55%	63%	
Race	WnH	60%	65%	
	REM	57%	64%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	63%	67%	
	LGBT	51%	53%	

**LIKELIHOOD TO COMPLETE A POST GRADUATION  
PROGRAM**

	SU/SD	VT	
Definitely will not	6%	5%	
Probably will not	5%	5%	
Probably will	27%	22%	SU > VT
Definitely will	48%	57%	VT > SU
Not sure	13%	11%	SU > VT

**PROBABLY OR DEFINITELY WILL COMPLETE A POST HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAM**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		75%	79%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	76%	75%	VT > SU
	Female	75%	83%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	76%	74%	WnH > REM
	Grade 10	74%	77%	Het/CIS > LGBT
	Grade 11	80%	81%	
	Grade 12	74%	83%	
Race	WnH	77%	80%	
	REM	61%	72%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	78%	80%	
	LGBT	63%	74%	

**HOURS SPENT IN EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES, TYPICAL WEEK**

	SU/SD	VT	
0 hours	41%	33%	SU > VT
1 to 4 hours	23%	27%	VT > SU
5 to 9 hours	16%	17%	
10 to 19 hours	13%	17%	VT > SU
20 or more hours	6%	6%	

SPEND 10 OR MORE HOURS PARTICIPATING IN AFTERSCHOOL ACTIVITIES, TYPICAL WEEK				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		19%	24%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	20%	24%	VT > SU
	Female	18%	24%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	15%	21%	10 > 9
	Grade 10	26%	23%	10 > 11
	Grade 11	17%	24%	
	Grade 12	19%	26%	
Race	WnH	19%	24%	
	REM	19%	22%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	20%	25%	
	LGBT	18%	16%	

MATTER TO PEOPLE IN THEIR COMMUNITY			
	SU/SD	VT	
Strongly agree	15%	19%	VT > SU
Agree	39%	41%	VT > SU
Not sure	28%	25%	SU > VT
Disagree	11%	9%	SU > VT
Strongly disagree	7%	5%	SU > VT

**STRONGLY AGREE OR AGREE THAT IN THEIR COMMUNITY  
THEY FEEL LIKE THEY MATTER TO PEOPLE**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		54%	61%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	57%	65%	VT > SU
	Female	51%	57%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 9	51%	61%	Males > Females
	Grade 10	53%	60%	Het/CIS > LGBT
	Grade 11	58%	60%	
	Grade 12	54%	62%	
Race	WnH	54%	62%	
	REM	48%	55%	
Sexual Orientation	Het/CIS	59%	64%	
	LGBT	24%	39%	



# MIDDLE SCHOOL RESULTS

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**MIDDLE SCHOOL DEMOGRAPHICS**

	SU/SD	VT
Total	503	16701

		SU/SD	VT
Sex	Male	53%	52%
	Female	47%	48%
Grade	6th Grade	32%	24%
	7th Grade	32%	39%
	8th Grade	36%	37%
Race / Ethnicity	White, non-Hispanic (WnH)	92%	81%
	Students of Color (REM)	8%	19%
Sexual Orientation	Heterosexual (Het)	91%	93%
	Lesbian, Gay, or Bisexual (LGB)	9%	7%

WERE EVER IN A PHYSICAL FIGHT				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		47%	42%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	58%	56%	SU > VT
	Female	34%	27%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	44%	40%	Males > Females
	Grade 7	49%	43%	7 > 6
	Grade 8	47%	43%	REM > WnH
Race	WnH	47%	40%	
	REM	60%	54%	

WERE EVER BULLIED ON SCHOOL PROPERTY				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		45%	44%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	35%	39%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	57%	50%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	47%	44%	Females > Males
	Grade 7	37%	45%	6 > 7
	Grade 8	51%	44%	8 > 7
Race	WnH	47%	43%	REM > WnH
	REM	63%	48%	

WERE EVER ELECTRONICALLY BULLIED				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		25%	24%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	15%	16%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	36%	33%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	20%	18%	Females > Males
	Grade 7	23%	24%	8 > 6
	Grade 8	30%	28%	8 > 7
Race	WnH	27%	24%	REM > WnH
	REM	32%	29%	

WERE BULLIED, PAST 30 DAYS				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		19%	22%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	14%	17%	VT > SU
	Female	25%	26%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	22%	22%	Females > Males
	Grade 7	19%	22%	6 > 8
	Grade 8	16%	21%	REM > WnH
Race	WnH	17%	20%	
	REM	37%	26%	

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**BULLIED SOMEONE ELSE, PAST 30 DAYS**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		9%	8%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	9%	8%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	8%	8%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	9%	7%	7 > 8
	Grade 7	11%	8%	REM > WnH
	Grade 8	6%	9%	
Race	WnH	7%	7%	
	REM	12%	11%	

**DID NOT GO TO SCHOOL BECAUSE THEY FELT UNSAFE AT SCHOOL OR ON THEIR WAY TO OR FROM SCHOOL, PAST 30 DAYS**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		8%	8%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	8%	7%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	9%	10%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	12%	8%	6 > 7
	Grade 7	4%	8%	8 > 7
	Grade 8	10%	9%	REM > WnH
Race	WnH	8%	7%	
	REM	14%	12%	

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SEATBELT USE		
	SU/SD	VT
Never	1%	1%
Rarely	1%	1%
Sometimes	6%	3%
Most of the time	15%	18%
Always	77%	76%

RARELY OR NEVER WEAR A SEAT BELT			
		SU/SD	VT
Overall		2%	2%
Sex	Male	3%	3%
	Female	.	2%
Grade	Grade 6	.	1%
	Grade 7	.	2%
	Grade 8	4%	3%
Race	WnH	2%	2%
	REM	6%	5%

Overall Differences: State vs SU

VT and SU are Similar

Within SU Differences

Too few students by sex

Too few students in at least one grade

REM > WnH

<b>EVER RODE WITH A DRIVER WHO HAD BEEN DRINKING ALCOHOL</b>				
		<b>SU/SD</b>	<b>VT</b>	
Overall		28%	22%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	25%	20%	SU > VT
	Female	31%	24%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	22%	15%	Females > Males
	Grade 7	19%	21%	8 > 6
	Grade 8	41%	27%	8 > 7
Race	WnH	29%	22%	
	REM	29%	24%	

<b>EVER RODE WITH A DRIVER WHO HAD BEEN USING MARIJUANA</b>				
		<b>SU/SD</b>	<b>VT</b>	
Overall		10%	9%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	9%	7%	SU > VT
	Female	12%	10%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	7%	5%	Females > Males
	Grade 7	12%	8%	7 > 6
	Grade 8	12%	12%	8 > 6
Race	WnH	9%	8%	REM > WnH
	REM	18%	14%	

**HELMET USE WHEN RIDING A BICYCLE**

	SU/SD	VT	
Never wear a helmet	18%	16%	SU > VT
Rarely wear a helmet	18%	15%	SU > VT
Sometimes wear a helmet	14%	15%	
Most of the time wear a helmet	19%	25%	VT > SU
Always wear a helmet	31%	28%	SU > VT

**RARELY OR NEVER WEAR A BICYCLE HELMET**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		37%	31%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	36%	33%	SU > VT
	Female	37%	29%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	31%	24%	8 > 6
	Grade 7	33%	30%	8 > 7
	Grade 8	45%	37%	REM > WnH
Race	WnH	34%	28%	
	REM	49%	42%	



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**HELMET USE WHEN SKIING OR SNOWBOARDING**

	SU/SD	VT	
Never wear a helmet	11%	5%	SU > VT
Rarely wear a helmet	7%	2%	SU > VT
Sometimes wear a helmet	8%	2%	SU > VT
Most of the time wear a helmet	7%	7%	
Always wear a helmet	67%	83%	VT > SU

**RARELY OR NEVER WEAR A HELMET WHEN SKIING OR SNOWBOARDING**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		18%	7%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	24%	8%	SU > VT
	Female	11%	6%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	20%	7%	Males > Females
	Grade 7	19%	8%	Too few students by race
	Grade 8	17%	7%	
Race	WnH	16%	6%	
	REM	.	12%	

<b>HAD A CONCUSSION FROM PLAYING A SPORT OR BEING PHYSICALLY ACTIVE</b>			
		<b>SU/SD</b>	<b>VT</b>
Overall		17%	17%
<b>Overall Differences: State vs SU</b>			
Sex	Male	17%	19%
	Female	16%	16%
<b>VT and SU are Similar</b>			
<b>Within SU Differences</b>			
Grade	Grade 6	16%	17%
	Grade 7	16%	17%
	Grade 8	18%	18%
<b>REM &gt; WnH</b>			
Race	WnH	17%	17%
	REM	28%	21%

**WERE IN THE SAME ROOM WITH SOMEONE WHO WAS SMOKING CIGARETTES, PAST 7 DAYS**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		31%	26%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	29%	25%	SU > VT
	Female	33%	27%	
				Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	29%	21%	Females > Males
	Grade 7	30%	27%	
	Grade 8	34%	29%	
				8 > 6
				REM > WnH
Race	WnH	29%	25%	
	REM	40%	32%	

**WERE IN THE SAME CAR WITH SOMEONE WHO WAS SMOKING CIGARETTES, PAST 7 DAYS**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		23%	19%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	20%	17%	SU > VT
	Female	25%	20%	
				Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	25%	15%	Females > Males
	Grade 7	22%	19%	
	Grade 8	22%	20%	
Race	WnH	22%	18%	
	REM	25%	23%	

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**SEE TOBACCO ADS WHEN GOING TO A GROCERY STORE, SUPERMARKET, OR CONVENIENCE STORE**

	SU/SD	VT	
Never	8%	9%	SU > VT
Rarely	12%	14%	
Sometimes	33%	27%	
Most of the time	29%	29%	
Always	18%	21%	VT > SU

**MOST OF THE TIME OR ALWAYS SEE ADS FOR CIGARETTES OR OTHER TOBACCO PRODUCTS**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		47%	50%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	42%	51%	VT > SU
	Female	51%	49%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	44%	42%	Females > Males
	Grade 7	38%	50%	6 > 7
	Grade 8	56%	56%	8 > 6
Race	WnH	46%	51%	8 > 7
	REM	62%	52%	REM > WnH

<b>WERE ASKED BY A DOCTOR, DENTIST, OR NURSE IF THEY SMOKED, PAST YEAR</b>			
		<b>SU/SD</b>	<b>VT</b>
Overall		21%	30%
<b>Overall Differences: State vs SU</b>			
Sex	Male	21%	30%
	Female	21%	31%
<b>Within SU Differences</b>			
Grade	Grade 6	14%	18%
	Grade 7	21%	29%
	Grade 8	27%	40%
Race	WnH	21%	31%
	REM	30%	34%

<b>FELT SAD OR HOPELESS, PAST YEAR</b>				
		<b>SU/SD</b>	<b>VT</b>	
Overall		20%	19%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	11%	12%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	30%	26%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	15%	16%	Females > Males
	Grade 7	19%	18%	7 > 6
	Grade 8	25%	22%	8 > 6
Race	WnH	20%	18%	8 > 7
	REM	40%	26%	REM > WnH

<b>EVER SERIOUSLY THOUGHT ABOUT KILLING THEMSELVES</b>				
		<b>SU/SD</b>	<b>VT</b>	
Overall		21%	18%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	15%	12%	SU > VT
	Female	29%	23%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	16%	13%	Females > Males
	Grade 7	19%	17%	8 > 6
	Grade 8	28%	22%	8 > 7
Race	WnH	22%	17%	REM > WnH
	REM	37%	24%	

EVER MADE A PLAN ABOUT HOW THEY WOULD KILL THEMSELVES				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		13%	12%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	6%	8%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	21%	16%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	9%	7%	Females > Males
	Grade 7	11%	11%	8 > 6
	Grade 8	18%	16%	8 > 7
Race	WnH	14%	11%	REM > WnH
	REM	21%	18%	

EVER ATTEMPTED SUICIDE				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		8%	6%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	4%	3%	SU > VT
	Female	12%	8%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	7%	3%	Females > Males
	Grade 7	6%	5%	8 > 6
	Grade 8	10%	8%	8 > 7
Race	WnH	8%	5%	REM > WnH
	REM	15%	10%	

EVER SMOKED A WHOLE CIGARETTE				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		7%	7%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	7%	7%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	7%	7%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	5%	4%	8 > 6
	Grade 7	6%	7%	8 > 7
	Grade 8	10%	10%	REM > WnH
Race	WnH	6%	6%	
	REM	18%	12%	

EVER USED AN ELECTRONIC VAPOR PRODUCT				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		9%	9%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	9%	9%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	8%	8%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	3%	3%	7 > 6
	Grade 7	9%	8%	8 > 6
	Grade 8	13%	14%	8 > 7
Race	WnH	8%	8%	REM > WnH
	REM	18%	14%	



EVER USED A FLAVORED TOBACCO PRODUCT				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		4%	5%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	4%	5%	VT > SU
	Female	4%	5%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	3%	2%	REM > WnH
	Grade 7	4%	5%	
	Grade 8	5%	6%	
Race	WnH	3%	4%	
	REM	9%	8%	

EVER DRANK ALCOHOL				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		22%	19%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	21%	20%	SU > VT
	Female	21%	17%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	17%	10%	8 > 6
	Grade 7	17%	17%	8 > 7
	Grade 8	29%	26%	REM > WnH
Race	WnH	21%	18%	
	REM	38%	24%	

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EVER USED MARIJUANA				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		7%	7%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	7%	7%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	6%	7%	
Grade	Grade 6	.	2%	Too few students in at least one grade
	Grade 7	9%	6%	
	Grade 8	9%	11%	
Race	WnH	7%	6%	REM > WnH
	REM	13%	12%	

EVER USED INHALANTS				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		5%	4%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	5%	4%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	5%	4%	
Grade	Grade 6	3%	3%	Too few students in at least one grade
	Grade 7	.	4%	
	Grade 8	10%	5%	
Race	WnH	5%	4%	REM > WnH
	REM	7%	7%	

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**EVER TOOK PRESCRIPTION PAIN MEDICINE WITHOUT A DOCTOR'S PRESCRIPTION OR DIFFERENTLY THAN HOW A DOCTOR TOLD THEM TO USE IT**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		4%	2%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	3%	2%	SU > VT
	Female	4%	3%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	3%	1%	Females > Males
	Grade 7	.	2%	Too few students in at least one grade
	Grade 8	6%	3%	REM > WnH
Race	WnH	3%	2%	
	REM	12%	5%	

**EVER TOOK A PRESCRIPTION STIMULANT WITHOUT A DOCTOR'S PRESCRIPTION OR DIFFERENTLY THAN HOW A DOCTOR TOLD THEM TO USE IT**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		2%	2%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	.	2%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	2%	2%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	.	1%	Too few students by sex
	Grade 7	.	2%	Too few students in at least one grade
	Grade 8	.	2%	Too few students by race
Race	WnH	1%	1%	
	REM	.	4%	

USED TOBACCO PRODUCTS, PAST YEAR			
		SU/SD	VT
Overall		5%	5%
Overall Differences: State vs SU			
Sex	Male	5%	6%
	Female	3%	5%
Within SU Differences			
Grade	Grade 6	.	3%
	Grade 7	4%	5%
	Grade 8	8%	7%
Race	WnH	4%	5%
	REM	13%	9%

SMOKED CIGARETTES OR CIGARS OR USED SMOKELESS TOBACCO OR ELECTRONIC VAPOR PRODUCTS, PAST 30 DAYS			
		SU/SD	VT
Overall		4%	5%
Overall Differences: State vs SU			
Sex	Male	4%	5%
	Female	4%	4%
Within SU Differences			
Grade	Grade 6	2%	2%
	Grade 7	.	4%
	Grade 8	8%	7%
Race	WnH	4%	5%
	REM	12%	8%

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**SMOKED CIGARETTES OR CIGARS OR USED SMOKELESS  
TOBACCO, PAST 30 DAYS**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		2%	3%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	2%	3%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	2%	2%	
Grade	Grade 6	.	1%	Too few students in at least one grade
	Grade 7	.	2%	
	Grade 8	4%	4%	
Race	WnH	2%	2%	REM > WnH
	REM	6%	5%	

**SMOKED CIGARETTES, PAST 30 DAYS**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		2%	2%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	1%	2%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	2%	2%	
Grade	Grade 6	.	1%	Too few students in at least one grade
	Grade 7	.	2%	
	Grade 8	4%	3%	
Race	WnH	2%	2%	REM > WnH
	REM	6%	4%	

**AMONG CURRENT USERS: TYPICAL NUMBER OF CIGARETTES SMOKED**

	SU/SD	VT	
Less than 1 cigarette	.	33%	Too few students
1 cigarette	.	23%	Too few students
2 to 5 cigarettes	.	23%	Too few students
6 to 10 cigarettes	.	6%	Too few students
11 to 20 cigarettes	.	.	Too few students
More than 20 cigarettes	.	14%	Too few students

**USED AN ELECTRONIC VAPOR PRODUCT PAST 30 DAYS**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		3%	4%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	3%	4%	VT > SU
	Female	3%	3%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	.	1%	Too few students in at least one grade
	Grade 7	.	3%	REM > WnH
	Grade 8	5%	6%	
Race	WnH	2%	3%	
	REM	8%	6%	

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**AMONG CURRENT USERS: REASONS FOR USING AN  
ELECTRONIC VAPOR PRODUCT**

	SU/SD	VT	
Friend/family used them	42%	38%	
To try to quit other tobacco products	.	3%	Too few students
Cost less	.	1%	Too few students
Easier to get	.	1%	Too few students
Less harmful	.	7%	Too few students
Available in flavors	17%	13%	
Used for some other reason	30%	36%	

**AMONG CURRENT USERS: ELECTRONIC VAPOR PRODUCT  
SOURCE**

	SU/SD	VT	
Bought them in a store	.	3%	Too few students
I got them on the Internet	.	9%	Too few students
Someone else bought them	.	10%	Too few students
Borrowed them	.	44%	Too few students
A person 18 or older gave me	.	9%	Too few students
Took them from a store	.	4%	Too few students
Some other way	46%	21%	SU > VT

AMONG CURRENT USERS: FREQUENCY OF ELECTRONIC VAPOR PRODUCT USE		
	SU/SD	VT
1 or 2 days	46%	49%
3 to 5 days	.	16%
6 to 9 days	.	10%
10 to 19 days	.	6%
20 to 29 days	.	5%
All 30 days	.	15%

SMOKED CIGARS, PAST 30 DAYS			
		SU/SD	VT
Overall		.	1%
Sex	Male	.	1%
	Female	.	1%
Grade	Grade 6	.	1%
	Grade 7	.	1%
	Grade 8	.	2%
Race	WnH	.	1%
	REM	.	3%

Overall Differences: State vs SU

Too few students

Within SU Differences

Too few students by sex

Too few students in at least one grade

Too few students by race



USED SMOKELESS TOBACCO, PAST 30 DAYS				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		1%	1%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	.	2%	VT > SU
	Female	.	1%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	.	1%	Too few students by sex
	Grade 7	.	1%	Too few students in at least one grade
	Grade 8	.	2%	Too few students by race
Race	WnH	.	1%	
	REM	.	3%	

TRIED TO QUIT USING ALL TOBACCO PRODUCTS, AMONG STUDENTS WHO USED ANY IN PAST YEAR				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		.	36%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	.	36%	Too few students
	Female	.	38%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	.	30%	Too few students by sex
	Grade 7	.	35%	Too few students in at least one grade
	Grade 8	.	40%	Too few students by race
Race	WnH	.	37%	
	REM	.	40%	

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DRANK ALCOHOL, PAST 30 DAYS				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		5%	7%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	4%	6%	VT > SU
	Female	5%	6%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	.	2%	Too few students in at least one grade
	Grade 7	4%	5%	REM > WnH
	Grade 8	7%	10%	
Race	WnH	4%	6%	
	REM	10%	10%	

BINGE DRANK, PAST 30 DAYS				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		1%	2%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	.	2%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	.	1%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	.	0%	Too few students by sex
	Grade 7	.	1%	Too few students in at least one grade
	Grade 8	.	3%	Too few students by race
Race	WnH	.	1%	
	REM	.	3%	

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**AMONG CURRENT USERS: LARGEST AMOUNT OF  
ALCOHOL CONSUMED**

	SU/SD	VT	
1 or 2 drinks	51%	63%	VT > SU
3 drinks	.	10%	Too few students
4 drinks	.	7%	Too few students
5 drinks	.	6%	Too few students
6 or 7 drinks	.	4%	Too few students
8 or 9 drinks	.	2%	Too few students
10 or more drinks	.	9%	Too few students

**USED MARIJUANA, PAST 30 DAYS**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		4%	4%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	5%	4%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	.	4%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	.	1%	Too few students by sex
	Grade 7	.	3%	Too few students in at least one grade
	Grade 8	6%	7%	REM > WnH
Race	WnH	3%	4%	
	REM	8%	8%	

**THINK IT IS WRONG OR VERY WRONG FOR SOMEONE  
 THEIR AGE TO SMOKE CIGARETTES**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		95%	95%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	97%	95%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	93%	95%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	99%	98%	Males > Females
	Grade 7	94%	95%	6 > 7
	Grade 8	93%	93%	6 > 8
Race	WnH	95%	96%	
	REM	95%	92%	

**THINK IT IS WRONG OR VERY WRONG FOR SOMEONE  
 THEIR AGE TO DRINK ALCOHOL**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		89%	89%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	92%	89%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	87%	90%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	92%	95%	Males > Females
	Grade 7	90%	91%	6 > 8
	Grade 8	85%	84%	7 > 8
Race	WnH	89%	89%	
	REM	87%	87%	

<b>THINK IT IS WRONG OR VERY WRONG FOR SOMEONE THEIR AGE TO USE MARIJUANA</b>				
		<b>SU/SD</b>	<b>VT</b>	
Overall		91%	90%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	92%	90%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	91%	90%	
Grade	Grade 6	99%	97%	6 > 7
	Grade 7	85%	91%	6 > 8
	Grade 8	89%	84%	8 > 7
Race	WnH	91%	90%	WnH > REM
	REM	87%	86%	

<b>THINK THEIR PARENTS OR GUARDIANS FEEL IT WOULD BE WRONG OR VERY WRONG FOR THEM TO SMOKE CIGARETTES</b>				
		<b>SU/SD</b>	<b>VT</b>	
Overall		93%	95%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	94%	95%	VT > SU
	Female	93%	95%	
Grade	Grade 6	95%	96%	6 > 7
	Grade 7	90%	95%	8 > 7
	Grade 8	95%	95%	
Race	WnH	94%	96%	
	REM	93%	93%	

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**THINK THEIR PARENTS OR GUARDIANS FEEL IT WOULD BE  
WRONG OR VERY WRONG FOR THEM TO DRINK ALCOHOL**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		85%	85%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	86%	84%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	86%	87%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	84%	87%	8 > 6
	Grade 7	84%	86%	8 > 7
	Grade 8	89%	83%	
Race	WnH	86%	86%	
	REM	82%	82%	

**THINK THEIR PARENTS OR GUARDIANS FEEL IT WOULD BE  
WRONG OR VERY WRONG FOR THEM TO USE MARIJUANA**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		93%	92%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	93%	92%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	92%	92%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	97%	95%	6 > 7
	Grade 7	86%	92%	6 > 8
	Grade 8	94%	89%	8 > 7
Race	WnH	93%	92%	WnH > REM
	REM	89%	88%	

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**THINK CIGARETTES WOULD BE SORT OF EASY OR VERY EASY TO GET**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		24%	22%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	22%	22%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	25%	21%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	13%	13%	7 > 6
	Grade 7	24%	20%	8 > 6
	Grade 8	31%	28%	8 > 7
Race	WnH	24%	21%	
	REM	27%	28%	

**THINK ALCOHOL WOULD BE SORT OF EASY OR VERY EASY TO GET**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		33%	37%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	30%	37%	VT > SU
	Female	35%	37%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	21%	24%	Females > Males
	Grade 7	32%	35%	7 > 6
	Grade 8	44%	48%	8 > 6
Race	WnH	34%	39%	8 > 7
	REM	43%	39%	REM > WnH

**THINK MARIJUANA WOULD BE SORT OF EASY OR VERY EASY TO GET**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		15%	15%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	15%	15%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	14%	15%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	6%	6%	7 > 6
	Grade 7	14%	13%	8 > 6
	Grade 8	22%	23%	8 > 7
Race	WnH	14%	15%	REM > WnH
	REM	22%	21%	

**THINK PEOPLE GREATLY RISK HARMING THEMSELVES IF THEY SMOKE ONE OR MORE PACKS OF CIGARETTES PER DAY**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		71%	72%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	70%	71%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	72%	74%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	72%	76%	
	Grade 7	68%	72%	
	Grade 8	72%	70%	
Race	WnH	73%	74%	
	REM	72%	68%	



**THINK PEOPLE GREATLY RISK HARMING THEMSELVES IF THEY BINGE DRINK EACH WEEKEND**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		50%	48%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	47%	45%	SU > VT
	Female	55%	51%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	47%	50%	Females > Males
	Grade 7	51%	48%	8 > 6
	Grade 8	53%	46%	
Race	WnH	51%	48%	
	REM	50%	47%	

**THINK PEOPLE GREATLY RISK HARMING THEMSELVES IF THEY USE MARIJUANA REGULARLY**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		61%	59%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	56%	56%	SU > VT
	Female	68%	62%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	69%	73%	Females > Males
	Grade 7	57%	60%	6 > 7
	Grade 8	59%	48%	6 > 8
Race	WnH	63%	59%	WnH > REM
	REM	52%	54%	

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EVER HAD SEXUAL INTERCOURSE				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		5%	5%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	7%	6%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	3%	4%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	3%	2%	Males > Females
	Grade 7	4%	4%	8 > 6
	Grade 8	7%	8%	8 > 7
Race	WnH	5%	5%	REM > WnH
	REM	10%	10%	

EVER HAD ORAL SEX				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		5%	6%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	5%	6%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	4%	5%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	.	1%	Too few students in at least one grade
	Grade 7	4%	4%	REM > WnH
	Grade 8	8%	9%	
Race	WnH	5%	5%	
	REM	9%	10%	

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**DAYS ENGAGED IN AT LEAST 60 MIN OF  
PHYSICAL ACTIVITY, PAST WEEK**

	SU/SD	VT	
0 days	10%	7%	SU > VT
1 day	7%	4%	SU > VT
2 days	9%	7%	SU > VT
3 days	10%	10%	
4 days	11%	11%	
5 days	14%	15%	
6 days	9%	11%	VT > SU
7 days	29%	34%	VT > SU

**WERE PHYSICALLY ACTIVE AT LEAST 60 MINUTES PER DAY  
ON ALL 7 DAYS**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		29%	34%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	35%	42%	VT > SU
	Female	21%	26%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	37%	38%	Males > Females
	Grade 7	26%	35%	6 > 7
	Grade 8	24%	30%	6 > 8
Race	WnH	28%	34%	WnH > REM
	REM	21%	35%	

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WERE PHYSICALLY ACTIVE AT LEAST 60 MINUTES PER DAY ON 5 OR MORE DAYS				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		52%	60%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	56%	66%	VT > SU
	Female	48%	54%	
Grade	Grade 6	59%	63%	Within SU Differences
	Grade 7	48%	60%	
	Grade 8	50%	57%	
Race	WnH	53%	61%	Males > Females
	REM	37%	58%	
				6 > 7
				6 > 8
				WnH > REM

WERE NOT PHYSICALLY ACTIVE PAST WEEK				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		10%	7%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	10%	7%	SU > VT
	Female	10%	7%	
Grade	Grade 6	9%	7%	Within SU Differences
	Grade 7	13%	7%	
	Grade 8	8%	8%	
Race	WnH	10%	6%	7 > 6
	REM	9%	9%	
				7 > 8

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**PHYSICAL ACTIVITY BREAKS AT SCHOOL,  
TYPICAL WEEK**

	<b>SU/SD</b>	<b>VT</b>	
0 days	42%	25%	SU > VT
1 day	6%	7%	
2 days	13%	8%	SU > VT
3 days	8%	8%	
4 days	4%	5%	VT > SU
5 days	27%	46%	VT > SU

**GET NO PHYSICAL ACTIVITY BREAKS WHILE THEY ARE  
AT SCHOOL**

		<b>SU/SD</b>	<b>VT</b>	
Overall		42%	25%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	42%	24%	SU > VT
	Female	41%	25%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	6%	16%	7 > 6
	Grade 7	55%	26%	8 > 6
	Grade 8	61%	29%	8 > 7
Race	WnH	42%	24%	REM > WnH
	REM	49%	27%	

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**RIDE A BIKE OR WALK TO SCHOOL WHEN  
WEATHER PERMITS**

	SU/SD	VT	
0 days	84%	77%	SU > VT
1 day	3%	3%	
2 days	4%	3%	
3 days	2%	4%	VT > SU
4 days	1%	2%	VT > SU
5 days	6%	10%	VT > SU

**WALK OR RIDE THEIR BIKE TO SCHOOL EVERYDAY**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		6%	10%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	6%	12%	VT > SU
	Female	5%	9%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	5%	11%	
	Grade 7	6%	10%	
	Grade 8	6%	10%	
Race	WnH	6%	10%	
	REM	7%	13%	

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**WATCH TELEVISION, TYPICAL SCHOOL DAY**

	SU/SD	VT	
No TV on average school day	18%	18%	
Less than 1 hour per day	24%	23%	
1 hour per day	18%	18%	
2 hours per day	18%	20%	VT > SU
3 hours per day	11%	10%	
4 hours per day	7%	4%	SU > VT
5 or more hours per day	4%	6%	VT > SU

**WATCHED TV 3+ HOURS PER DAY**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		22%	20%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	21%	20%	SU > VT
	Female	24%	20%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	24%	18%	6 > 8
	Grade 7	24%	20%	7 > 8
	Grade 8	20%	21%	
Race	WnH	21%	19%	
	REM	20%	24%	

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**COMPUTER AND VIDEO GAME USE, TYPICAL SCHOOL DAY**

	SU/SD	VT	
No playing video/computer game	12%	12%	
Less than 1 hour per day	13%	17%	VT > SU
1 hour per day	11%	15%	VT > SU
2 hours per day	20%	18%	SU > VT
3 hours per day	13%	14%	
4 hours per day	11%	8%	SU > VT
5 or more hours per day	19%	16%	SU > VT

**PLAYED VIDEO OR COMPUTER GAMES OR USED A COMPUTER 3+ HOURS PER DAY**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		44%	38%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	45%	39%	SU > VT
	Female	42%	37%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	30%	29%	7 > 6
	Grade 7	47%	38%	8 > 6
	Grade 8	53%	45%	8 > 7
Race	WnH	46%	38%	
	REM	50%	43%	



BREAKFAST CONSUMPTION, PAST WEEK			
	SU/SD	VT	
0 days	9%	7%	SU > VT
1 day	7%	4%	SU > VT
2 days	7%	7%	
3 days	8%	7%	SU > VT
4 days	7%	6%	
5 days	9%	8%	SU > VT
6 days	9%	9%	
7 days	44%	52%	VT > SU

DID NOT EAT BREAKFAST, PAST WEEK				
		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		9%	7%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	8%	6%	SU > VT
	Female	8%	7%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	9%	5%	6 > 8
	Grade 7	10%	7%	7 > 8
	Grade 8	6%	7%	REM > WnH
Race	WnH	7%	6%	
	REM	18%	10%	

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**GLASSES OF WATER CONSUMED PER DAY, PAST WEEK**

	SU/SD	VT	
Did not drink water	3%	3%	
1 to 3 times	12%	9%	SU > VT
4 to 6 times	11%	10%	
1 time per day	7%	6%	
2 times per day	13%	16%	VT > SU
3 times per day	17%	19%	VT > SU
4 or more times per day	36%	37%	

**DRANK THREE OR MORE GLASSES PER DAY OF WATER**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		53%	56%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	53%	57%	VT > SU
	Female	54%	54%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	58%	58%	6 > 7
	Grade 7	51%	54%	6 > 8
	Grade 8	51%	56%	
Race	WnH	54%	56%	
	REM	54%	57%	

**WENT HUNGRY BECAUSE THERE WAS NOT ENOUGH FOOD AT HOME, PAST 30 DAYS**

	SU/SD	VT	
Never	70%	77%	VT > SU
Rarely	17%	14%	SU > VT
Sometimes	10%	7%	SU > VT
Most of the time	3%	1%	SU > VT
Always	.	1%	Too few students

**MOST OF THE TIME OR ALWAYS WENT HUNGRY BECAUSE THERE WAS NOT ENOUGH FOOD IN THEIR HOME**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		3%	2%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	4%	2%	SU > VT
	Female	3%	2%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	3%	2%	Too few students in at least one grade
	Grade 7	.	2%	Too few students by race
	Grade 8	3%	2%	
Race	WnH	3%	2%	
	REM	.	4%	

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<b>BORN OUTSIDE THE U.S.</b>				
		<b>SU/SD</b>	<b>VT</b>	
Overall		3%	6%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	2%	6%	VT > SU
	Female	3%	6%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	5%	7%	Females > Males
	Grade 7	.	5%	Too few students in at least one grade
	Grade 8	.	6%	Too few students by race
Race	WnH	.	3%	
	REM	.	18%	

<b>ATE DINNER WITH AT LEAST ONE PARENT, PAST WEEK</b>				
		<b>SU/SD</b>	<b>VT</b>	
0 days	6%	5%	SU > VT	
1 day	2%	2%		
2 days	3%	2%		
3 days	4%	3%	SU > VT	
4 days	4%	4%		
5 days	7%	7%		
6 days	10%	10%		
7 days	63%	66%	VT > SU	

**ATE DINNER AT HOME WITH AT LEAST ONE OF THEIR PARENTS ON 4+ DAYS, PAST WEEK**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		84%	88%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	85%	89%	VT > SU
	Female	84%	87%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	86%	90%	6 > 8
	Grade 7	86%	89%	7 > 8
	Grade 8	81%	86%	
Race	WnH	84%	89%	
	REM	82%	84%	

**BELIEVE SCHOOL HAS RULES AND CONSEQUENCES FOR BEHAVIORS**

	SU/SD	VT	
Strongly agree	26%	28%	
Agree	44%	43%	
Not sure	19%	17%	SU > VT
Disagree	6%	8%	VT > SU
Strongly disagree	4%	5%	

**STRONGLY AGREE OR AGREE THAT THEIR SCHOOL HAS CLEAR RULES AND CONSEQUENCES FOR BEHAVIOR**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		70%	71%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	71%	72%	VT and SU are Similar
	Female	70%	69%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	72%	77%	WnH > REM
	Grade 7	68%	72%	
	Grade 8	70%	66%	
Race	WnH	70%	71%	
	REM	64%	68%	

**BELIEVE THERE IS AT LEAST ONE ADULT IN THEIR SCHOOL THAT THEY CAN TALK TO IF THEY HAVE A PROBLEM**

		SU/SD	VT		
Overall		76%	76%	Overall Differences: State vs SU	
Sex	Male	72%	76%	VT and SU are Similar	
	Female	80%	76%	Within SU Differences	
Grade	Grade 6	79%	79%	Females > Males	
	Grade 7	77%	75%		6 > 8
	Grade 8	71%	75%		7 > 8
Race	WnH	76%	77%		
	REM	77%	71%		

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**GRADES EARNED IN SCHOOL**

	<b>SU/SD</b>	<b>VT</b>	
Mostly A's	37%	46%	VT > SU
Mostly B's	45%	38%	SU > VT
Mostly C's	13%	12%	
Mostly D's	4%	3%	SU > VT
Mostly F's	1%	1%	

**BELIEVE THEY MATTER TO PEOPLE IN THEIR  
COMMUNITY**

	<b>SU/SD</b>	<b>VT</b>	
Strongly agree	21%	27%	VT > SU
Agree	39%	36%	SU > VT
Not sure	28%	24%	SU > VT
Disagree	8%	7%	
Strongly disagree	5%	5%	

**STRONGLY AGREE OR AGREE THAT IN THEIR COMMUNITY  
THEY FEEL LIKE THEY MATTER TO PEOPLE**

		SU/SD	VT	
Overall		59%	64%	Overall Differences: State vs SU
Sex	Male	65%	68%	VT > SU
	Female	54%	60%	Within SU Differences
Grade	Grade 6	58%	67%	Males > Females
	Grade 7	58%	65%	8 > 6
	Grade 8	63%	60%	8 > 7
Race	WnH	60%	65%	WnH > REM
	REM	47%	58%	