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**TABLE 1
SAMPLE DESCRIPTION**

American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		N	%	N	%	N	%
Total number of surveys		1,084	100%	671	100%	217	100%
Gender	Male	575	53%	352	52%	115	53%
	Female	509	47%	319	48%	102	47%
Age	11 or younger	283	26%	0	0%	0	0%
	12	698	64%	0	0%	0	0%
	13	91	8%	0	0%	0	0%
	14	3	0%	200	30%	0	0%
	15	0	0%	406	61%	0	0%
	16	0	0%	51	8%	0	0%
	17	0	0%	6	1%	85	39%
	18	0	0%	0	0%	122	56%
	19-20	0	0%	0	0%	9	4%
	No answer	9	1%	8	1%	1	0%
Race/ethnicity	American Indian	1,084	100%	671	100%	217	100%

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TABLE 2
FEELINGS ABOUT SCHOOL, SCHOOL PLANS, AND TRUANCY
American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
How do you feel about going to school?	I like school very much	18%	23%	7%	8%	13%	8%
	I like school quite a bit	25%	29%	20%	25%	25%	28%
	I like school a little	27%	30%	35%	34%	27%	29%
	I don't like school very much	15%	10%	17%	20%	13%	24%
	I hate school	15%	8%	20%	14%	22%	11%
Which of these best describes your school plans?	I would like to quit school as soon as I can	6%	4%	5%	3%	7%	4%
	I plan to finish high school but won't go to college	17%	10%	26%	13%	12%	6%
	I'd like to go to some kind of trade or vocational school	2%	2%	8%	3%	21%	11%
	I'd like to go to college after high school	54%	59%	50%	63%	49%	46%
	I'd like to go to college and then to graduate school	20%	25%	11%	18%	11%	33%
During the last 30 days, how often have you skipped or cut full days of school?	Never	66%	62%	58%	52%	36%	37%
	Once or twice	22%	24%	26%	28%	40%	38%
	3 to 5 times	8%	10%	9%	12%	14%	15%
	6 to 10 times	2%	2%	2%	5%	4%	8%
	More than 10 times	2%	2%	6%	3%	5%	2%

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TABLE 3
ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE
American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Mark the two grades you get the most often.	A only	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	A and B only	26%	33%	16%	23%	23%	37%
	B only	4%	5%	4%	2%	4%	3%
	B and C only	22%	26%	26%	25%	27%	39%
	C only	6%	4%	4%	4%	8%	0%
	C and D only	11%	8%	17%	19%	19%	9%
	D only	2%	1%	4%	2%	0%	1%
	D and F only	5%	2%	11%	11%	3%	1%
	F only	2%	1%	5%	3%	1%	1%
	Not applicable or no answer	20%	20%	14%	11%	14%	8%

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TABLE 4
PERCEPTIONS OF SCHOOL ENVIRONMENT
American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
How many students in your school are friendly?	All	5%	4%	4%	3%	11%	3%
	Most	41%	39%	49%	44%	53%	47%
	Some	37%	43%	32%	39%	21%	38%
	A few	15%	13%	10%	13%	13%	12%
	None	2%	1%	6%	2%	2%	1%
How many students in your school behave well in the hallways and lunchroom?	All	4%	4%	7%	4%	13%	3%
	Most	29%	26%	28%	34%	30%	32%
	Some	34%	38%	40%	38%	36%	41%
	A few	29%	29%	18%	21%	15%	21%
	None	4%	3%	6%	3%	6%	3%
How many students in your school have made fun of or threatened students of different races or backgrounds?	All	4%	4%	6%	3%	10%	2%
	Most	14%	13%	14%	13%	10%	18%
	Some	19%	20%	24%	28%	24%	21%
	A few	37%	37%	33%	39%	40%	44%
	None	27%	26%	23%	18%	16%	16%
How many of your teachers are interested in you as a person?	All	24%	26%	9%	6%	12%	13%
	Most	29%	31%	21%	23%	23%	27%
	Some	23%	20%	27%	27%	36%	29%
	A few	16%	17%	24%	31%	18%	28%
	None	7%	6%	19%	12%	11%	4%
How many of your teachers show respect for students?	All	44%	48%	22%	22%	16%	27%
	Most	29%	30%	33%	34%	33%	37%
	Some	14%	11%	19%	24%	27%	20%
	A few	9%	9%	17%	16%	14%	15%
	None	3%	2%	9%	4%	10%	2%

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TABLE 5
PERCEPTIONS OF SCHOOL SAFETY
American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

<i>How much do you agree or disagree with the following statements?</i>		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
I feel safe going to and from school	Strongly agree	41%	37%	39%	26%	38%	40%
	Agree	48%	52%	48%	62%	45%	57%
	Disagree	7%	7%	8%	10%	11%	3%
	Strongly disagree	3%	4%	5%	3%	6%	0%
I feel safe at school	Strongly agree	41%	35%	33%	19%	35%	34%
	Agree	43%	51%	46%	64%	49%	57%
	Disagree	12%	11%	15%	15%	11%	9%
	Strongly disagree	4%	3%	7%	2%	5%	0%
Bathrooms in this school are a safe place to be	Strongly agree	21%	23%	21%	19%	24%	27%
	Agree	43%	45%	39%	54%	47%	51%
	Disagree	25%	25%	24%	21%	19%	22%
	Strongly disagree	11%	8%	16%	7%	9%	0%
Illegal gang activity is a problem at this school	Strongly agree	10%	8%	14%	3%	13%	4%
	Agree	13%	14%	19%	17%	16%	11%
	Disagree	32%	33%	37%	54%	31%	51%
	Strongly disagree	45%	44%	30%	27%	41%	34%
Student use of alcohol or drugs is a problem at this school	Strongly agree	13%	13%	29%	23%	30%	35%
	Agree	14%	15%	32%	34%	18%	33%
	Disagree	26%	27%	24%	31%	34%	24%
	Strongly disagree	46%	45%	15%	12%	18%	9%

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TABLE 6
VICTIMIZATION AT SCHOOL
American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

		Grade						
		6th		9th		12th		
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	
		%	%	%	%	%	%	
During the last 12 months, has anyone offered, sold, or given you an illegal drug on school property?	Yes	7%	6%	34%	27%	39%	23%	
	No	93%	94%	66%	73%	61%	77%	
During the last 12 months, how many times has someone stolen or deliberately damaged your property at school?	0 times	52%	54%	60%	61%	57%	73%	
	1 time	22%	21%	16%	19%	21%	16%	
	2 or 3 times	14%	15%	14%	14%	15%	9%	
	4 or 5 times	5%	7%	3%	4%	3%	1%	
	6 or more times	7%	3%	7%	2%	4%	1%	
During the last 30 days, how many days did you not go to school because you felt unsafe at school or going to/from school?	0 days	89%	82%	86%	88%	80%	92%	
	1 day	5%	8%	7%	7%	10%	4%	
	2 or 3 days	4%	8%	4%	3%	6%	3%	
	4 or 5 days	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	0%	
	6 or more days	2%	1%	2%	1%	4%	1%	
During the last 12 months, which of the following has happened to you on school property? Has a student:	Insulted you?	Yes	59%	51%	55%	46%	56%	43%
		No	41%	49%	45%	54%	44%	57%
	Threatened you?	Yes	42%	28%	38%	29%	38%	12%
		No	58%	72%	62%	71%	62%	88%
	Pushed, shoved, or grabbed you?	Yes	65%	51%	49%	44%	40%	18%
		No	35%	49%	51%	56%	60%	82%
	Kicked, bitten, or hit you?	Yes	49%	38%	37%	27%	29%	5%
		No	51%	62%	63%	73%	71%	95%
	Stabbed you or fired a gun at you?	Yes	4%	0%	8%	2%	13%	1%
		No	96%	100%	92%	98%	88%	99%

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**TABLE 7A
ACTIVITIES**

American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

<i>During the school year, how many hours in a typical week do you spend doing the following?</i>		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Homework or study	0 hours	13%	9%	25%	11%	25%	8%
	1-2 hours	56%	56%	50%	49%	41%	40%
	3-5 hours	17%	19%	14%	24%	18%	33%
	6-10 hours	7%	8%	5%	12%	7%	11%
	11-20 hours	3%	5%	2%	2%	5%	7%
	21 hours or more	4%	4%	4%	2%	4%	1%
Band, choir, orchestra, music lessons, or practicing voice or an instrument	0 hours	67%	51%	81%	69%	78%	77%
	1-2 hours	20%	31%	7%	14%	6%	9%
	3-5 hours	8%	11%	7%	9%	7%	8%
	6-10 hours	2%	3%	2%	6%	6%	4%
	11-20 hours	1%	3%	1%	1%	0%	2%
	21 hours or more	2%	2%	3%	2%	3%	0%
Activities-Clubs or organizations outside of school	0 hours	64%	58%	63%	63%	54%	60%
	1-2 hours	18%	21%	14%	16%	17%	18%
	3-5 hours	13%	13%	10%	12%	13%	9%
	6-10 hours	2%	7%	6%	6%	13%	9%
	11-20 hours	1%	1%	3%	1%	1%	2%
	21 hours or more	2%	1%	3%	3%	3%	1%
Activities-Playing sports on a school team	0 hours	52%	56%	58%	56%	55%	73%
	1-2 hours	17%	21%	11%	11%	9%	6%
	3-5 hours	16%	12%	8%	10%	11%	6%
	6-10 hours	6%	6%	8%	13%	10%	8%
	11-20 hours	3%	3%	8%	7%	5%	5%
	21 hours or more	5%	3%	8%	5%	11%	1%

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**TABLE 7B
ACTIVITIES**

American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

<i>During the school year, how many hours in a typical week do you spend doing the following?</i>		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Activities-Other physical activities	0 hours	22%	23%	28%	33%	25%	35%
	1-2 hours	32%	34%	22%	28%	18%	33%
	3-5 hours	23%	23%	22%	20%	24%	19%
	6-10 hours	10%	11%	14%	11%	15%	8%
	11-20 hours	3%	5%	6%	5%	8%	3%
	21 hours or more	9%	3%	8%	3%	10%	1%
Attending services, groups, or programs at a church, synagogue, or mosque	0 hours	63%	56%	71%	68%	67%	71%
	1-2 hours	22%	28%	18%	16%	21%	19%
	3-5 hours	9%	10%	5%	9%	6%	6%
	6-10 hours	3%	4%	3%	3%	3%	2%
	11-20 hours	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%
	21 hours or more	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%
Activities-Reading for pleasure	0 hours	39%	26%	66%	46%	48%	44%
	1-2 hours	40%	47%	20%	31%	26%	32%
	3-5 hours	12%	13%	8%	12%	11%	16%
	6-10 hours	5%	8%	3%	7%	6%	5%
	11-20 hours	2%	2%	2%	2%	5%	2%
	21 hours or more	3%	3%	2%	3%	5%	1%
Activities-Watching TV or videos	0 hours	5%	5%	7%	7%	9%	4%
	1-2 hours	30%	37%	27%	26%	24%	28%
	3-5 hours	27%	28%	24%	28%	32%	38%
	6-10 hours	18%	14%	17%	19%	21%	13%
	11-20 hours	8%	7%	9%	8%	6%	11%
	21 hours or more	12%	9%	16%	11%	8%	5%
Activities-Playing computer or video games	0 hours	11%	24%	13%	32%	23%	43%
	1-2 hours	33%	39%	27%	28%	27%	31%
	3-5 hours	20%	19%	23%	20%	18%	12%
	6-10 hours	15%	9%	14%	9%	16%	9%
	11-20 hours	9%	7%	9%	6%	7%	1%
	21 hours or more	12%	3%	14%	5%	10%	3%

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**TABLE 7C
ACTIVITIES**

American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

<i>During the school year, how many hours in a typical week do you spend doing the following?</i>		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Activities-Volunteer work or community service	0 hours	74%	68%	72%	71%	69%	71%
	1-2 hours	15%	19%	14%	17%	14%	13%
	3-5 hours	7%	7%	8%	5%	10%	9%
	6-10 hours	2%	4%	2%	5%	5%	4%
	11-20 hours	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%	0%
	21 hours or more	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%
Chores at home/babysitting for family	0 hours	19%	10%	34%	10%	38%	18%
	1-2 hours	43%	35%	31%	27%	25%	39%
	3-5 hours	21%	30%	17%	28%	26%	25%
	6-10 hours	8%	12%	10%	20%	8%	11%
	11-20 hours	4%	6%	2%	8%	1%	2%
	21 hours or more	5%	6%	4%	7%	3%	5%
Work for pay (including babysitting for others)	0 hours	45%	30%	45%	29%	39%	31%
	1-2 hours	30%	27%	17%	23%	9%	12%
	3-5 hours	13%	23%	17%	24%	7%	14%
	6-10 hours	7%	10%	12%	13%	8%	20%
	11-20 hours	2%	6%	4%	6%	10%	10%
	21 hours or more	3%	4%	5%	5%	26%	12%
Activities-Hanging out	0 hours	9%	7%	6%	4%	10%	2%
	1-2 hours	21%	19%	14%	11%	13%	10%
	3-5 hours	23%	25%	20%	17%	20%	21%
	6-10 hours	18%	21%	15%	22%	19%	19%
	11-20 hours	10%	13%	14%	14%	13%	25%
	21 hours or more	19%	15%	31%	33%	27%	22%

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TABLE 8
COMPUTER USE AT HOME
American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Do you use a computer at home?	Yes	75%	77%	78%	77%	75%	77%
	No	25%	23%	22%	23%	25%	23%

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Do you use the Internet at home?	Yes	65%	70%	71%	72%	65%	70%
	No	35%	30%	29%	28%	35%	30%
What do you use the Internet for at home? (Mark all that apply)	E-mail	35%	52%	51%	66%	52%	63%
	Surfing the web	37%	39%	48%	54%	50%	52%
	Chat rooms	24%	31%	36%	40%	26%	26%
	Listening to or downloading music	29%	38%	51%	57%	46%	50%
	Playing games	52%	55%	52%	43%	40%	35%
	Entertainment or sports	24%	13%	28%	20%	32%	14%
	Homework or other research	35%	47%	33%	50%	41%	52%
Shopping	12%	13%	18%	22%	17%	26%	

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TABLE 9
FAMILY COMPOSITION AND PARENTAL COMMUNICATION
American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Which adults do you live with?	Both biological parents	30%	26%	25%	27%	36%	27%
	Both adoptive parents	2%	1%	1%	3%	2%	4%
	Mother and stepfather	6%	9%	3%	8%	3%	11%
	Father and stepmother	1%	3%	1%	1%	1%	0%
	Mother only	30%	33%	33%	35%	23%	25%
	Father only	5%	4%	9%	3%	8%	5%
	Sometimes with mother, sometimes with father	13%	10%	7%	8%	3%	3%
	Other	11%	13%	15%	13%	21%	22%
	No adults or no answer	2%	3%	4%	2%	5%	3%
Can you talk to your father about problems you are having?	Yes, most of the time	34%	20%	27%	13%	38%	22%
	Yes, some of the time	24%	26%	23%	24%	21%	22%
	No, not very often	15%	19%	13%	15%	13%	11%
	No, not at all	10%	14%	15%	18%	9%	18%
	My father is not around	18%	22%	21%	31%	19%	28%
Can you talk to your mother about problems you are having?	Yes, most of the time	51%	54%	34%	41%	42%	47%
	Yes, some of the time	27%	24%	29%	26%	26%	37%
	No, not very often	12%	11%	15%	18%	12%	7%
	No, not at all	5%	7%	13%	10%	11%	6%
	My mother is not around	5%	4%	8%	6%	11%	4%

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TABLE 10
PERCEPTIONS OF FAMILY CARING
American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

<i>How much do you feel ...</i>		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
... your parents care about you?	Not at all	1%	2%	6%	4%	5%	1%
	A little	2%	2%	8%	8%	7%	5%
	Some	4%	3%	8%	6%	16%	4%
	Quite a bit	10%	9%	14%	11%	18%	19%
	Very much	83%	84%	64%	71%	55%	71%
... other adult relatives care about you?	Not at all	3%	2%	8%	4%	6%	2%
	A little	6%	3%	9%	9%	11%	5%
	Some	9%	6%	13%	10%	21%	12%
	Quite a bit	19%	14%	23%	23%	22%	27%
	Very much	63%	76%	47%	55%	39%	54%
... your family cares about your feelings?	Not at all	6%	5%	14%	9%	6%	3%
	A little	6%	8%	12%	15%	14%	9%
	Some	12%	13%	18%	20%	27%	17%
	Quite a bit	22%	20%	21%	21%	24%	33%
	Very much	53%	55%	35%	35%	30%	38%
... your family understands you?	Not at all	9%	10%	21%	26%	8%	7%
	A little	11%	14%	17%	20%	21%	18%
	Some	16%	16%	17%	23%	29%	27%
	Quite a bit	22%	22%	22%	15%	17%	27%
	Very much	42%	37%	23%	16%	25%	22%
... your family has lots of fun together?	Not at all	7%	9%	18%	18%	13%	7%
	A little	12%	13%	15%	22%	14%	15%
	Some	20%	15%	19%	24%	27%	27%
	Quite a bit	23%	18%	23%	17%	25%	29%
	Very much	38%	44%	25%	18%	21%	21%
... your family respects your privacy?	Not at all	10%	13%	21%	27%	8%	9%
	A little	12%	13%	13%	14%	13%	10%
	Some	11%	13%	14%	17%	23%	29%
	Quite a bit	19%	19%	23%	19%	28%	23%
	Very much	48%	43%	29%	22%	28%	29%

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TABLE 11
PERCEPTIONS OF OTHERS CARING
American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

<i>How much do you feel ...</i>		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
... friends care about you?	Not at all	6%	3%	10%	2%	5%	4%
	A little	17%	14%	15%	9%	15%	8%
	Some	21%	14%	27%	19%	25%	18%
	Quite a bit	31%	26%	28%	27%	27%	37%
	Very much	25%	43%	20%	43%	27%	33%
... teachers or other adults at school care about you? *	Not at all	7%	5%	24%	11%	13%	9%
	A little	17%	14%	26%	27%	21%	26%
	Some	22%	24%	27%	33%	39%	30%
	Quite a bit	26%	28%	15%	21%	15%	27%
	Very much	27%	29%	8%	9%	12%	7%
... church or spiritual leaders care about you? *	Not at all	26%	21%	37%	36%	28%	37%
	A little	11%	12%	13%	14%	20%	15%
	Some	16%	14%	16%	16%	23%	15%
	Quite a bit	17%	19%	16%	18%	13%	17%
	Very much	29%	34%	17%	16%	16%	16%
... police officers care about you?	Not at all	19%	11%	49%	37%	49%	48%
	A little	17%	15%	17%	24%	18%	20%
	Some	15%	15%	16%	16%	21%	18%
	Quite a bit	17%	20%	8%	11%	6%	10%
	Very much	31%	38%	10%	12%	6%	3%
... other adults in your community care about you?	Not at all	15%	10%	28%	24%	23%	30%
	A little	18%	15%	26%	22%	25%	28%
	Some	23%	22%	26%	26%	30%	22%
	Quite a bit	23%	23%	9%	14%	15%	11%
	Very much	20%	30%	11%	14%	7%	9%

* Variations in wording for this item affect year-to-year comparisons.

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TABLE 12
FAMILY SUBSTANCE ABUSE
American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Has alcohol use by any family member repeatedly caused family, health, job, or legal problems?	Yes	31%	37%	28%	43%	27%	43%
	No	69%	63%	72%	57%	73%	57%
Whose use? (Mark all that apply)	Family alc problems-Parent who lives with me	13%	12%	8%	17%	7%	11%
	Family alc problems-Parent who doesn't live with me	10%	9%	11%	15%	10%	10%
	Family alc problems-Other relative	18%	23%	17%	26%	15%	29%
Has drug use by any family member repeatedly caused family, health, job, or legal problems?	Yes	23%	31%	24%	36%	25%	25%
	No	77%	69%	76%	64%	75%	75%
Whose use? (Mark all that apply)	Family drug problems-Parent who lives with me	9%	8%	3%	10%	8%	2%
	Family drug problems-Parent who doesn't live with me	7%	5%	6%	11%	9%	3%
	Family drug problems-Other relative	12%	20%	17%	24%	16%	21%

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TABLE 13
FAMILY/DOMESTIC VIOLENCE
American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Have you ever been the victim of violence on a date? *	Yes			9%	10%	15%	9%
	No			91%	90%	85%	91%
Has any adult in your household ever hit you so hard that you had marks or were afraid of that person?	Yes	17%	21%	13%	23%	15%	13%
	No	83%	79%	87%	77%	85%	87%
Has anyone in your family ever hit anyone else in the family so hard that they had marks or were afraid of that person?	Yes	18%	27%	17%	28%	18%	19%
	No	82%	73%	83%	72%	82%	81%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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**TABLE 14
SEXUAL ABUSE**

American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Have you ever been the victim of date rape? *	Yes			5%	8%	10%	5%
	No			95%	92%	90%	95%
Has any older person outside the family touched you sexually against your wishes or forced you to touch them sexually?	Yes	4%	8%	7%	17%	7%	14%
	No	96%	92%	93%	83%	93%	86%
Has any older/stronger member of your family touched you sexually or had you touch them sexually?	Yes	2%	6%	3%	8%	13%	6%
	No	98%	94%	97%	92%	87%	94%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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TABLE 15
GENERAL HEALTH ISSUES
American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
When was the last time you had a physical exam?	Within the last 12 months	48%	51%	44%	51%	47%	51%
	1-2 years ago	25%	22%	36%	36%	32%	34%
	3-4 years ago	5%	6%	10%	5%	12%	10%
	More than 4 years ago	5%	6%	2%	2%	3%	4%
	I have never had a physical exam	16%	16%	8%	6%	6%	1%
Have you ever been treated for an alcohol or other drug problem? *	No			84%	88%	87%	91%
	Yes			16%	12%	13%	9%
Do you have a mental or physical health problem that has lasted at least 12 months?	No	83%	88%	86%	82%	80%	86%
	Yes	17%	12%	14%	18%	20%	14%
In the past 12 months, how often have you blacked out because someone hit you in the head?	Never	87%	89%	85%	88%	85%	94%
	Once	8%	9%	11%	12%	10%	6%
	Two times or more	4%	2%	4%	1%	5%	0%
In the past 12 months, how often have you blacked out because you fell or were accidentally hit in the head?	Never	74%	78%	81%	79%	78%	91%
	Once	18%	17%	12%	17%	15%	8%
	Two times or more	7%	5%	7%	4%	7%	1%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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TABLE 16
WEIGHT-RELATED ISSUES
American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

		Grade						
		6th		9th		12th		
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	
		%	%	%	%	%	%	
During the last 12 months, have you ever eaten so much in a short time that you felt out of control (binge-eating)? *	Yes			19%	30%	25%	25%	
	No			81%	70%	75%	75%	
At the present time, do you think you are...	Underweight	12%	13%	9%	8%	12%	10%	
	About the right weight	68%	60%	66%	61%	60%	48%	
	Overweight	21%	27%	25%	31%	28%	43%	
During the last 12 months, have you done any of the following to lose or control weight? (Mark all that apply) *	Exercise	Yes			69%	75%	66%	66%
		No			31%	25%	34%	34%
	Fast or skip meals	Yes			16%	41%	23%	41%
		No			84%	59%	77%	59%
	Smoke cigarettes	Yes			11%	19%	14%	19%
		No			89%	81%	86%	81%
	Use diet pills or speed	Yes			5%	8%	4%	8%
		No			95%	92%	96%	92%
	Vomit on purpose after eating	Yes			3%	9%	3%	5%
		No			97%	91%	97%	95%
	Use laxatives	Yes			2%	1%	3%	1%
		No			98%	99%	97%	99%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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**TABLE 17
EXERCISE**

American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
On how many of the last 7 days did you exercise or play sports that made you sweat or breathe hard for at least 20 minutes?	0 days	14%	12%	20%	22%	14%	25%
	1 day	10%	11%	5%	10%	7%	17%
	2 days	10%	12%	9%	14%	14%	20%
	3 days	12%	13%	14%	12%	5%	15%
	4 days	11%	14%	11%	11%	20%	10%
	5 days	12%	14%	15%	13%	14%	8%
	6 days	4%	7%	6%	5%	9%	2%
	7 days	26%	16%	19%	13%	16%	3%
On how many of the last 7 days were you physically active for a combined total of at least 30 minutes?	0 days	13%	17%	13%	15%	12%	25%
	1 day	11%	11%	5%	11%	6%	12%
	2 days	13%	13%	12%	17%	11%	19%
	3 days	11%	14%	11%	15%	7%	15%
	4 days	9%	12%	12%	5%	12%	16%
	5 days	11%	12%	15%	17%	19%	10%
	6 days	5%	9%	8%	6%	11%	1%
	7 days	27%	13%	24%	14%	23%	2%

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**TABLE 18
NUTRITION**

American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

<i>How many glasses of each of the following did you drink yesterday?</i>		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Milk	0 glasses	18%	16%	16%	33%	16%	39%
	1-2 glasses	46%	56%	54%	50%	50%	51%
	3-4 glasses	21%	18%	18%	12%	21%	10%
	5 or more glasses	15%	9%	12%	5%	13%	0%
100% fruit juice	0 glasses	34%	35%	35%	41%	30%	37%
	1-2 glasses	38%	39%	43%	39%	45%	54%
	3-4 glasses	15%	16%	13%	16%	15%	7%
	5 or more glasses	13%	11%	9%	4%	10%	2%
Fruit juice drinks	0 glasses	33%	38%	38%	45%	42%	38%
	1-2 glasses	36%	37%	40%	35%	33%	54%
	3-4 glasses	17%	15%	16%	13%	16%	5%
	5 or more glasses	13%	10%	7%	6%	10%	3%
Pop or soda	0 glasses	28%	31%	22%	27%	23%	30%
	1-2 glasses	38%	39%	34%	43%	33%	44%
	3-4 glasses	17%	16%	21%	19%	22%	15%
	5 or more glasses	16%	13%	23%	12%	23%	11%
Sports drinks	0 glasses	53%	58%	50%	68%	50%	76%
	1-2 glasses	23%	24%	23%	20%	23%	18%
	3-4 glasses	11%	8%	12%	7%	9%	4%
	5 or more glasses	14%	10%	15%	5%	17%	2%
Water	0 glasses	7%	6%	9%	11%	5%	13%
	1-2 glasses	17%	22%	24%	27%	28%	32%
	3-4 glasses	21%	21%	20%	22%	26%	32%
	5 or more glasses	55%	50%	47%	39%	42%	22%
How many servings of fruits, fruit juices, or vegetables did you eat yesterday?	0 servings	9%	8%	17%	14%	8%	10%
	1 serving	14%	14%	12%	17%	11%	20%
	2 servings	22%	18%	20%	21%	19%	29%
	3 servings	21%	26%	20%	24%	22%	22%
	4 servings	15%	17%	15%	11%	17%	12%
	5 or more servings	19%	17%	15%	14%	23%	8%

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**TABLE 19
SEAT BELT USE**

American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

<i>How often do you wear a seat belt when you ...</i>		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
...ride in a car?	Never	6%	4%	10%	6%	13%	4%
	Sometimes	25%	19%	31%	34%	19%	23%
	Often	28%	28%	23%	26%	18%	34%
	Always	41%	49%	35%	34%	50%	39%
...drive a car? *	I never do this activity			21%	30%	14%	6%
	Never			9%	8%	9%	6%
	Sometimes			17%	13%	14%	17%
	Often			12%	11%	12%	18%
	Always			41%	39%	51%	53%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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TABLE 20
SOURCES OF INFORMATION ON RISK BEHAVIORS
American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Where have you received most of your information about alcohol and other drugs? (Mark all that apply)	Alc-drug info: Friends or peers	31%	34%	55%	75%	68%	80%
	Alc-drug info: Parents	52%	61%	48%	57%	42%	61%
	Alc-drug info: Brothers or sisters	18%	27%	27%	35%	27%	34%
	Alc-drug info: School, teachers, or counselors	54%	65%	47%	50%	34%	48%
	Alc-drug info: Clinics, doctors, or nurses	17%	23%	17%	22%	13%	16%
	Alc-drug info: Internet	12%	11%	22%	19%	20%	16%
	Alc-drug info: TV, radio, magazines, newspapers, or books	33%	31%	36%	39%	31%	40%
	Alc-drug info: I do not know much about alcohol or drugs	8%	8%	9%	5%	13%	5%
Where have you received most of your information about sex? (Mark all that apply)	Sex info: Friends or peers	33%	31%	57%	70%	68%	76%
	Sex info: Parents	38%	54%	37%	46%	33%	43%
	Sex info: Brothers or sisters	16%	20%	20%	27%	23%	19%
	Sex info: School, teachers, or counselors	35%	34%	41%	46%	32%	38%
	Sex info: Clinics, doctors, or nurses	12%	18%	16%	29%	15%	39%
	Sex info: Internet	11%	9%	25%	13%	30%	16%
	Sex info: TV, radio, magazines, newspapers, or books	24%	20%	31%	31%	29%	43%
	Sex info: I do not know much about sex	13%	14%	4%	3%	9%	4%

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**TABLE 21
SELF-ESTEEM ***

American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
I usually feel good about myself.	Disagree	8%	11%	10%	15%	6%	9%
	Mostly disagree	5%	7%	9%	13%	11%	9%
	Mostly agree	37%	35%	39%	42%	35%	54%
	Agree	49%	48%	42%	31%	47%	28%
I am able to do things as well as most other people my age.	Disagree	8%	12%	8%	10%	6%	5%
	Mostly disagree	8%	3%	3%	7%	5%	6%
	Mostly agree	34%	35%	34%	43%	36%	41%
	Agree	50%	50%	55%	39%	53%	47%
On the whole, I'm satisfied with myself.	Disagree	8%	14%	10%	15%	8%	8%
	Mostly disagree	8%	6%	10%	14%	8%	9%
	Mostly agree	31%	31%	33%	41%	31%	52%
	Agree	53%	49%	46%	30%	52%	31%
I feel I do not have much to be proud of.	Agree	18%	23%	16%	21%	10%	6%
	Mostly agree	11%	13%	16%	21%	17%	20%
	Mostly disagree	25%	21%	19%	21%	24%	26%
	Disagree	46%	42%	50%	36%	49%	48%
Sometimes I think that I am no good.	Agree	22%	28%	13%	30%	14%	14%
	Mostly agree	15%	16%	13%	24%	12%	17%
	Mostly disagree	22%	21%	22%	20%	25%	24%
	Disagree	40%	35%	51%	26%	50%	45%
I feel that I can't do anything right.	Agree	19%	25%	12%	22%	9%	9%
	Mostly agree	13%	11%	12%	20%	10%	13%
	Mostly disagree	24%	24%	19%	26%	29%	31%
	Disagree	44%	40%	57%	32%	52%	46%
I feel that my life is not very useful.	Agree	17%	17%	13%	18%	12%	5%
	Mostly agree	12%	13%	8%	18%	13%	9%
	Mostly disagree	26%	19%	22%	23%	23%	23%
	Disagree	45%	51%	57%	41%	53%	62%

* Responses on this table have been ordered so that the highest risk response is always first and the lowest risk response is always last.

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TABLE 22
EMOTIONAL WELL-BEING/DISTRESS
American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

<i>During the last 30 days ...</i>		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
... how has your mood been?	Very bad	6%	5%	5%	3%	2%	2%
	Bad	6%	7%	4%	6%	6%	2%
	Up and down a lot	48%	55%	41%	64%	38%	57%
	Very good	24%	22%	35%	22%	36%	37%
	Excellent	16%	12%	15%	5%	19%	2%
... have you felt you were under any stress or pressure?	Yes, almost more than I could take	17%	16%	11%	24%	17%	13%
	Yes, quite a bit of pressure	12%	12%	15%	20%	17%	27%
	Yes, more than usual	13%	12%	14%	19%	18%	27%
	Yes, a little	35%	42%	38%	27%	34%	28%
	Not at all	23%	18%	22%	10%	14%	5%
... have you felt sad?	All the time	6%	11%	5%	13%	7%	5%
	Most of the time	10%	14%	6%	23%	10%	20%
	Some of the time	19%	27%	21%	31%	28%	36%
	Little of the time	40%	38%	38%	26%	36%	32%
	None of the time	25%	10%	29%	7%	19%	6%
... have you felt so discouraged or hopeless that you wondered if anything was worthwhile?	Extremely so, to the point that I have just about given up	7%	9%	6%	11%	8%	8%
	Quite a bit	12%	12%	10%	16%	11%	8%
	Some, enough to bother me	15%	18%	16%	26%	8%	25%
	A little bit	26%	25%	20%	23%	27%	24%
	Not at all	40%	35%	48%	24%	45%	34%
... have you felt nervous, worried, or upset?	All the time	8%	10%	7%	12%	12%	6%
	Most of the time	13%	14%	11%	22%	9%	16%
	Some of the time	25%	30%	23%	34%	23%	31%
	Little of the time	31%	34%	36%	25%	39%	39%
	None of the time	24%	13%	23%	7%	16%	8%
... how satisfied have you been with your personal life?	Very dissatisfied	8%	6%	5%	9%	8%	6%
	Somewhat dissatisfied	9%	17%	15%	27%	8%	27%
	Satisfied	39%	40%	40%	43%	36%	34%
	Very satisfied	24%	22%	26%	16%	30%	25%
	Extremely satisfied	20%	15%	16%	5%	17%	7%

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TABLE 23
SUICIDAL THOUGHTS AND BEHAVIOR
American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Have you ever thought about killing yourself?	No	71%	65%	70%	46%	64%	53%
	Yes, during the last year	19%	23%	18%	41%	19%	21%
	Yes, more than a year ago	10%	12%	12%	13%	16%	26%
Have you ever tried to kill yourself?	No	87%	84%	87%	71%	81%	77%
	Yes, during the last year	8%	11%	7%	22%	10%	11%
	Yes, more than a year ago	5%	5%	6%	8%	10%	11%

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TABLE 24
GAMBLING BEHAVIOR *
American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

<i>During the last 12 months, how often have you done these activities?</i>		Grade			
		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%
Played cards for money	Not at all	38%	67%	34%	73%
	Less than once a month	19%	20%	19%	11%
	About once a month	16%	7%	17%	12%
	About once a week	15%	2%	16%	4%
	Daily	12%	4%	15%	0%
Bet on games of personal skill like pool, golf, or bowling	Not at all	42%	76%	36%	83%
	Less than once a month	20%	13%	12%	12%
	About once a month	16%	7%	25%	3%
	About once a week	14%	3%	15%	2%
	Daily	8%	1%	12%	0%
Bet money on sports teams	Not at all	48%	76%	49%	85%
	Less than once a month	17%	13%	14%	9%
	About once a month	17%	7%	17%	5%
	About once a week	9%	3%	12%	1%
	Daily	9%	1%	10%	0%
Bought lottery tickets or scratch-offs	Not at all	80%	86%	41%	74%
	Less than once a month	8%	6%	13%	15%
	About once a month	2%	4%	22%	3%
	About once a week	4%	3%	13%	8%
	Daily	6%	0%	11%	0%
Gambled in a casino	Not at all	90%	97%	41%	63%
	Less than once a month	4%	2%	23%	18%
	About once a month	2%	1%	16%	7%
	About once a week	1%	0%	11%	8%
	Daily	3%	1%	9%	3%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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TABLE 25
GAMBLING CONSEQUENCES *
American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

<i>During the last 12 months, have you ever felt ...</i>		Grade			
		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%
... bad about the amount you bet, or about what happens when you bet money?	Yes	10%	7%	12%	11%
	No	64%	36%	67%	37%
	I don't bet for money	26%	57%	21%	53%
... that you would like to stop betting money but didn't think you could?	Yes	7%	4%	12%	2%
	No	66%	38%	67%	44%
	I don't bet for money	26%	57%	21%	54%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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TABLE 26
DESTRUCTIVE AND ANTISOCIAL BEHAVIOR
American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
During the last 12 months, how often have you run away from home?	Never	82%	77%	80%	62%	80%	80%
	Once or twice	14%	17%	13%	23%	5%	16%
	3 to 5 times	2%	4%	4%	10%	8%	2%
	6 to 10 times	0%	1%	1%	3%	2%	1%
	More than 10 times	2%	1%	3%	2%	6%	0%
During the last 12 months, how often have you damaged or destroyed property at school or somewhere else?	Never	61%	79%	57%	58%	59%	81%
	Once or twice	28%	15%	22%	26%	22%	16%
	3 to 5 times	5%	4%	8%	11%	11%	1%
	6 to 10 times	1%	1%	4%	3%	4%	0%
	More than 10 times	5%	1%	8%	2%	4%	2%
During the last 12 months, how often have you hit or beat up another person?	Never	46%	60%	40%	47%	50%	65%
	Once or twice	35%	29%	32%	36%	29%	24%
	3 to 5 times	10%	6%	12%	12%	6%	11%
	6 to 10 times	3%	2%	5%	2%	3%	0%
	More than 10 times	6%	3%	10%	3%	12%	0%
During the last 12 months, how often have you taken something from a store without paying for it?	Never	78%	80%	64%	59%	71%	72%
	Once or twice	15%	14%	18%	22%	12%	17%
	3 to 5 times	3%	3%	8%	10%	8%	4%
	6 to 10 times	2%	2%	3%	4%	6%	2%
	More than 10 times	2%	1%	8%	6%	3%	4%
Do you get a real kick out of doing things that are a little dangerous?	Not at all	35%	55%	21%	29%	25%	39%
	A little	34%	28%	32%	44%	34%	49%
	Quite a bit	16%	10%	22%	14%	21%	7%
	Very much	15%	7%	25%	13%	20%	4%
On how many of the last 30 days did you carry a gun on school property?	0 days	97%	99%	90%	98%	86%	98%
	1 day	1%	1%	4%	1%	3%	0%
	2 or 3 days	0%	0%	1%	0%	2%	2%
	4 or 5 days	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
	6 or more days	1%	0%	3%	1%	9%	0%
On how many of the last 30 days did you carry a weapon (other than a gun) on school property?	0 days	89%	96%	80%	90%	80%	92%
	1 day	6%	3%	6%	5%	4%	3%
	2 or 3 days	2%	1%	5%	3%	5%	1%
	4 or 5 days	1%	0%	2%	0%	2%	2%
	6 or more days	1%	0%	7%	2%	9%	2%

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TABLE 27
SUMMARY OF SUBSTANCE USE *
American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Use of any tobacco products during the past year	No	85%	82%	57%	48%	44%	47%
	Yes	15%	18%	43%	52%	56%	53%
DAILY use of any tobacco products during the past year	No	96%	97%	79%	70%	63%	67%
	Yes	4%	3%	21%	30%	37%	33%
Frequent binge drinking in the past year (typically drank 5 or more drinks at a time and drank on 10 or more occasions during the past year)	No	99%	100%	88%	86%	77%	78%
	Yes	1%	0%	12%	14%	23%	22%
Any alcohol and/or other drug use during the past year (excluding tobacco)	No alcohol or other drug use in the past year	78%	76%	40%	30%	28%	26%
	Used only alcohol in the past year	8%	10%	20%	19%	27%	34%
	Used only other drugs in the past year	3%	4%	5%	4%	4%	1%
	Used both alcohol and other drugs in the past year	10%	11%	35%	46%	41%	39%

* These are all computed variables based on combinations of responses to two or more survey items.

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**TABLE 28
CIGARETTE USE**

American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
During the last 12 months, how often have you used cigarettes? *	Not at all	87%	83%	63%	49%	51%	49%
	Less than monthly	8%	8%	9%	11%	9%	10%
	Monthly	1%	4%	2%	4%	7%	3%
	Weekly	1%	2%	6%	6%	1%	5%
	Daily	3%	3%	19%	30%	33%	33%
During the last 30 days, on how many days did you smoke a cigarette?	0 days	90%	86%	68%	56%	54%	55%
	1 or 2 days	5%	7%	7%	7%	8%	3%
	3 to 5 days	1%	1%	3%	4%	5%	2%
	6 to 9 days	1%	1%	1%	3%	7%	4%
	10 to 19 days	0%	2%	3%	4%	5%	2%
	20 to 29 days	1%	1%	4%	6%	5%	9%
	All 30 days	2%	1%	13%	20%	17%	24%
During the last 30 days, how frequently have you smoked cigarettes?	Never	91%	87%	70%	56%	56%	54%
	Less than one cigarette per day	5%	8%	9%	10%	9%	7%
	One to five cigarettes per day	2%	4%	10%	25%	16%	22%
	About one-half pack per day	1%	1%	6%	7%	12%	12%
	About one pack per day	0%	0%	3%	1%	2%	5%
	About one and one-half packs per day	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%
	Two packs or more per day	0%	0%	2%	1%	5%	0%
If you have not smoked a cigarette in the last year, do you think you will during the next year?	Definitely yes	4%	5%	14%	16%	17%	10%
	Probably yes	8%	7%	13%	15%	20%	7%
	Probably not	15%	15%	19%	18%	17%	15%
	Definitely not	73%	74%	55%	51%	47%	68%

* Variations in wording for this item affect year-to-year comparisons.

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TABLE 29
CIGAR AND SMOKELESS TOBACCO USE
American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
During the last 12 months, how often have you used chewing tobacco or snuff? *	Not at all	97%	98%	88%	96%	76%	98%
	Less than monthly	1%	1%	6%	2%	1%	1%
	Monthly	0%	0%	1%	1%	6%	0%
	Weekly	0%	0%	2%	1%	5%	1%
	Daily	1%	0%	3%	0%	13%	0%
During the last 12 months, how often have you used cigars, cigarillos, or little cigars?	Not at all	95%	97%	76%	87%	65%	85%
	Less than monthly	3%	2%	10%	7%	11%	12%
	Monthly	1%	1%	6%	2%	4%	1%
	Weekly	0%	0%	6%	2%	9%	1%
	Daily	1%	0%	3%	1%	12%	1%

* Variations in wording for this item affect year-to-year comparisons.

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**TABLE 30
ACCESS TO TOBACCO**

American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

INCLUDES ONLY THOSE WHO USED TOBACCO IN THE LAST 30 DAYS		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
If you used tobacco, how did you get it in the last 30 days? (Mark all that apply)	Bought it at gas stations or convenience stores	8%	4%	36%	25%	62%	72%
	Bought it at bars or restaurants	6%	1%	7%	2%	16%	15%
	Bought it at grocery, discount, or drug stores	8%	1%	6%	3%	24%	28%
	Bought it at places like bowling alleys, video arcades, or pool halls	8%	4%	2%	1%	16%	11%
	Bought it from vending machines	10%	4%	3%	3%	5%	2%
	Bought it on the Internet *			2%	1%	7%	2%
	Got it from friends	47%	54%	49%	60%	41%	43%
	Got it from family members	24%	26%	24%	33%	19%	37%
	Got it by getting someone else to buy for me	27%	26%	36%	49%	17%	33%
	Took it from my home	27%	39%	26%	27%	14%	17%
	Took it from a friend's home	13%	21%	16%	10%	9%	4%
	Took it from stores	11%	4%	11%	5%	14%	7%

INCLUDES ONLY THOSE WHO BOUGHT TOBACCO IN THE LAST 30 DAYS		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
If you bought tobacco in the last 30 days, did you use a fake ID?	Yes	10%	4%	13%	4%	18%	3%
	No	90%	96%	87%	96%	82%	97%

* 6th grade survey did not provide this response option.

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TABLE 31
ALCOHOL USE FREQUENCY AND QUANTITY
American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
On how many occasions (if any) have you had alcoholic beverages to drink during the last 12 months?	0	83%	81%	47%	34%	36%	31%
	1-2	9%	11%	15%	10%	13%	14%
	3-5	5%	3%	10%	17%	8%	10%
	6-9	1%	3%	7%	13%	11%	9%
	10-19	1%	2%	6%	10%	8%	11%
	20-39	0%	1%	6%	8%	7%	7%
	40+	1%	0%	9%	7%	17%	19%
On how many occasions (if any) have you had alcoholic beverages to drink during the last 30 days?	0	91%	89%	65%	52%	56%	53%
	1-2	5%	6%	14%	20%	8%	12%
	3-5	1%	2%	8%	12%	14%	18%
	6-9	1%	1%	5%	11%	7%	7%
	10-19	0%	0%	5%	2%	7%	7%
	20-39	0%	0%	1%	1%	3%	3%
	40+	1%	0%	2%	2%	4%	1%
If you drink beer/wine/wine coolers/hard liquor, generally, how much (if any) do you drink at one time?	I don't drink beer/wine/wine coolers/hard liquor	85%	82%	48%	36%	36%	34%
	1 glass, can, or drink	7%	10%	12%	11%	6%	8%
	2 glasses, cans, or drinks	2%	3%	9%	13%	5%	11%
	3 glasses, cans, or drinks	2%	2%	6%	9%	13%	10%
	4 glasses, cans, or drinks	1%	1%	5%	9%	7%	13%
	5 glasses, cans, or drinks	0%	1%	3%	6%	4%	7%
	6 or more glasses, cans, or drinks	2%	1%	18%	15%	28%	18%
Over the last 2 weeks, how many times (if any) have you had five or more drinks in a row? *	Never			69%	63%	62%	61%
	Once			8%	15%	11%	18%
	Twice			10%	10%	8%	11%
	3 - 5 times			4%	8%	10%	6%
	6 - 9 times			4%	2%	3%	1%
	10 or more times			5%	2%	6%	3%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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TABLE 32
ACCESS TO ALCOHOL
American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

<i>INCLUDES ONLY THOSE WHO USED ALCOHOL IN THE LAST 30 DAYS *</i>		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
If you used alcohol, how did you get it in the last 30 days? (Mark all that apply)	Bought it at bars or restaurants	9%	4%	2%	5%	14%	12%
	Bought it at stores	14%	11%	16%	15%	19%	14%
	Bought it on the Internet **			2%	0%	2%	0%
	Got it from friends	30%	35%	57%	65%	55%	65%
	Got it from family members	28%	37%	29%	26%	29%	21%
	Got it by getting someone else to buy for me	12%	20%	43%	42%	38%	56%
	Got it at parties	37%	33%	44%	50%	43%	58%
	Took it from my home	14%	39%	21%	17%	12%	14%
	Took it from a friend's home	14%	26%	15%	13%	19%	7%
	Took it from stores	9%	2%	14%	5%	7%	5%

<i>INCLUDES ONLY THOSE WHO BOUGHT ALCOHOL IN THE LAST 30 DAYS</i>		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
If you bought alcohol in the last 30 days, did you use a fake ID?	Yes	10%	3%	11%	4%	19%	3%
	No	90%	97%	89%	96%	81%	97%

* * In 1998, percentages were based on only recent alcohol users who cited a source. This year, as in 2001, percentages are based on all recent alcohol users, even if they skipped this question. Therefore, these percentages are comparable only to the 2001 survey results.

** 6th grade survey did not provide this response option.

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TABLE 33
DRINKING AND DRIVING *
American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

		Grade			
		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%
During the last 12 months, how many times have you driven a motor vehicle after using alcohol or drugs?	0 times or no use	77%	80%	57%	64%
	Once	8%	7%	9%	11%
	Twice	6%	7%	10%	7%
	3 or more times	10%	5%	24%	18%
Do you ever ride with friends after they have been using alcohol or drugs?	No	51%	45%	42%	40%
	Yes, but rarely	21%	33%	31%	45%
	Yes, often	20%	16%	25%	13%
	None of my friends use alcohol or other drugs	7%	6%	2%	2%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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TABLE 34
MARIJUANA, INHALANTS, AND PRESCRIPTION DRUGS
American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

<i>On how many occasions (if any) have you ...</i>		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
... used marijuana (grass, pot) or hashish (hash, hash oil) during the last 12 months?	0	91%	93%	64%	54%	57%	61%
	1-2	5%	3%	7%	10%	7%	3%
	3-5	1%	2%	2%	5%	3%	5%
	6-9	0%	1%	4%	5%	4%	1%
	10-19	1%	0%	4%	4%	5%	3%
	20-39	0%	0%	4%	7%	2%	5%
	40+	2%	1%	15%	14%	22%	21%
... used marijuana (grass, pot) or hashish (hash, hash oil) during the last 30 days?	0	95%	95%	68%	63%	66%	65%
	1-2	2%	3%	6%	10%	8%	10%
	3-5	1%	1%	6%	6%	6%	2%
	6-9	0%	1%	3%	6%	2%	4%
	10-19	1%	0%	4%	5%	4%	5%
	20-39	0%	0%	6%	4%	3%	3%
	40+	1%	0%	7%	5%	11%	10%
... sniffed glue or inhaled any other gases or sprays in order to get high during the last 12 months? *	0	92%	91%	90%	86%	93%	97%
	1-2	5%	5%	3%	7%	0%	2%
	3-5	1%	2%	2%	4%	1%	0%
	6-9	1%	1%	1%	1%	4%	1%
	10-19	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%
	20-39	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
	40+	0%	0%	1%	0%	2%	0%
... taken other people's prescription drugs during the last 12 months? *	0	96%	96%	87%	77%	84%	84%
	1-2	1%	2%	7%	13%	3%	8%
	3-5	1%	1%	3%	5%	5%	6%
	6-9	1%	1%	1%	3%	5%	1%
	10-19	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%
	20-39	0%	0%	0%	0%	2%	0%
	40+	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%

* Questions regarding use of these substances in the past 30 days were dropped due to low prevalence rates.

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TABLE 35
AMPHETAMINES, METHAMPHETAMINE, COCAINE, AND ECSTASY *
American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

<i>During the last 12 months, on how many occasions (if any) have you ...</i>		Grade			
		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%
... taken amphetamines on your own without a doctor telling you to take them?	0	90%	84%	88%	84%
	1-2	4%	7%	5%	7%
	3-5	4%	5%	3%	6%
	6-9	1%	2%	2%	0%
	10-19	1%	1%	1%	0%
	20-39	0%	0%	1%	1%
	40+	0%	0%	0%	1%
... used methamphetamine (meth, speed, crank, crystal meth) by any method?	0	90%	87%	90%	91%
	1-2	3%	7%	1%	7%
	3-5	4%	2%	1%	1%
	6-9	0%	2%	4%	0%
	10-19	1%	1%	1%	0%
	20-39	0%	1%	2%	0%
	40+	1%	0%	1%	0%
... used "crack" (cocaine in chunk or rock form), or cocaine in any other form?	0	90%	89%	85%	94%
	1-2	5%	7%	5%	2%
	3-5	2%	2%	2%	1%
	6-9	2%	1%	5%	2%
	10-19	0%	1%	0%	1%
	40+	1%	0%	3%	0%
	... used MDMA ("ecstasy")?	0	91%	94%	86%
1-2		4%	5%	7%	1%
3-5		3%	0%	1%	2%
6-9		1%	1%	4%	0%
10-19		0%	0%	1%	0%
20-39		1%	0%	1%	0%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions. Questions regarding use of these substances in the past 30 days were dropped due to low prevalence rates.

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TABLE 36
HALLUCINOGENS, OPIATES, AND TRANQUILIZERS *
American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

During the last 12 months, on how many occasions (if any) have you ...		Grade			
		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%
... used LSD ("acid"), PCP, or other psychedelics?	0	90%	94%	85%	98%
	1-2	4%	3%	4%	1%
	3-5	3%	1%	3%	1%
	6-9	2%	1%	3%	0%
	10-19	1%	0%	4%	0%
	20-39	0%	0%	1%	0%
... used heroin or any other narcotics or opiates?	0	95%	94%	90%	99%
	1-2	2%	3%	4%	1%
	3-5	1%	1%	2%	0%
	6-9	1%	1%	2%	0%
	10-19	0%	0%	1%	0%
	20-39	0%	0%	0%	0%
	40+	0%	0%	1%	0%
... taken barbiturates or tranquilizers without a doctor telling you to take them?	0	93%	93%	86%	90%
	1-2	3%	2%	3%	5%
	3-5	1%	1%	5%	2%
	6-9	1%	1%	3%	2%
	10-19	0%	1%	1%	0%
	20-39	0%	1%	2%	0%
	40+	1%	0%	0%	0%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions. Questions regarding use of these substances in the past 30 days were dropped due to low prevalence rates.

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TABLE 37 ACCESS TO OTHER DRUGS *

American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

INCLUDES ONLY PAST-YEAR DRUG USERS WHO REPORTED OBTAINING DRUGS IN THE LAST 30 DAYS **		Grade			
		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%
If you used drugs other than alcohol, how did you get them in the last 30 days? (Mark all that apply)	Bought them from people I know	79%	60%	78%	69%
	Bought them from people I don't know	19%	12%	16%	6%
	Bought them on the Internet	2%	0%	8%	3%
	Got them from friends	70%	84%	54%	69%
	Got them from family members	25%	20%	19%	34%
	Got them by getting someone else to buy for me	32%	28%	22%	9%
	Got them at parties	27%	46%	32%	34%
	Took them from my home	19%	9%	5%	6%
	Took them from a friend's home	33%	18%	32%	13%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

** In 1998, percentages were based on recent drug users. This year, as in 2001, because recent use questions were dropped for most substances, the percentages are based on past-year drug users who cited a source, i.e. those who answered this question. Due to this difference, results are comparable only to 2001 results.

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TABLE 38
SUBSTANCE USE PATTERNS
American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

<i>Do you ever use alcohol or other drugs ...</i>		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
...before school?	Yes	4%	6%	24%	21%	30%	19%
	No	96%	94%	76%	79%	70%	81%
...during school?	Yes	2%	2%	13%	16%	21%	11%
	No	98%	98%	87%	84%	79%	89%
...right after school?	Yes	7%	7%	30%	33%	35%	27%
	No	93%	93%	70%	67%	65%	73%

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TABLE 39
REASONS FOR SUBSTANCE USE *
American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

ALCOHOL AND/OR DRUG USERS ONLY **		Grade			
		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%
If you use alcohol or drugs, which are reasons you use? (Mark all that apply)	Reasons to use: To relax	64%	49%	56%	59%
	Reasons to use: To get high or smashed	50%	57%	52%	55%
	Reasons to use: To have fun at parties	46%	55%	54%	71%
	To escape from school, family or personal problems	34%	48%	32%	34%
	Because my parents aren't around	11%	17%	10%	7%
	Because my friends do	21%	23%	16%	10%
	Because my parents do	3%	9%	2%	3%
	Because I like the taste	32%	30%	40%	45%
	Because I'm sad, lonely, or angry	16%	36%	17%	16%
	Because it's illegal	17%	7%	14%	9%
	Because of peer pressure	11%	14%	11%	3%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

** In 2001, the percentages for this table were inadvertently based on ALL students, not only alcohol and/or drug users as the table was labeled.

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TABLE 40
REASONS FOR SUBSTANCE NON-USE *
American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

		Grade	
		6th	
		Male	Female
		%	%
If you do not use alcohol or other drugs, what factors influence your choice not to use? (Mark all that apply) **	Reasons not using alc: My friends don't use	63%	62%
	Reasons not using alc: One or both of my parents would object	49%	47%
	Reasons not using alc: I have no desire to use	65%	68%
	Reasons not using alc: Use is against my principles or religious beliefs	21%	17%
	Reasons not using alc: Alcohol and drugs are dangerous	60%	68%
	Reasons not using alc: Alcohol and drug education at school	30%	29%
	Reasons not using alc: Use could affect my performance in school, sports, or other activities	61%	65%

* 9th-12th grade survey did not ask this question.

** In 2001, the percentages for this table were inadvertently based on ALL students, not only those who actually answered the question.

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TABLE 41A
CONSEQUENCES OF SUBSTANCE USE *
American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

<i>During the last 12 months ...</i>		Grade			
		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%
...have you found that you had to use a lot more alcohol or other drugs than before to get the same effect?	No or no use	81%	76%	76%	78%
	Yes	19%	24%	24%	22%
...have you tried to cut down on your alcohol or other drug use but couldn't?	No or no use	82%	73%	76%	88%
	Yes	18%	27%	24%	13%
...has alcohol or other drug use hurt your relationships with friends or family?	No or no use	86%	75%	82%	83%
	Yes	14%	25%	18%	17%
...how many times have you spent all or most of the day using alcohol or other drugs, or getting over their effects?	0 times or no use	68%	60%	64%	60%
	Once	9%	19%	15%	15%
	Twice	7%	10%	6%	9%
	3 or more times	16%	11%	15%	16%
...how many times have you given up activities in order to use alcohol or other drugs or get over their effects?	0 times or no use	83%	79%	83%	83%
	Once	7%	9%	6%	11%
	Twice	3%	6%	4%	5%
	3 or more times	7%	5%	6%	1%
...how many times has alcohol or other drug use left you feeling depressed, agitated, paranoid, or unable to concentrate?	0 times or no use	81%	67%	77%	75%
	Once	9%	17%	11%	15%
	Twice	4%	7%	2%	2%
	3 or more times	6%	9%	11%	8%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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TABLE 41B
CONSEQUENCES OF SUBSTANCE USE *
American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

<i>During the last 12 months ...</i>		Grade			
		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%
...how many times have you neglected your responsibilities because of alcohol or other drug use?	0 times or no use	81%	71%	80%	79%
	Once	9%	13%	12%	11%
	Twice	5%	8%	3%	3%
	3 or more times	5%	8%	5%	7%
...how many times have you missed work or school because of alcohol or other drug use?	0 times or no use	89%	84%	83%	80%
	Once	4%	6%	5%	9%
	Twice	4%	4%	4%	9%
	3 or more times	4%	5%	7%	2%
...how many times has alcohol or other drug use caused you problems with the law?	0 times or no use	82%	79%	83%	91%
	Once	8%	13%	12%	6%
	Twice	4%	5%	3%	1%
	3 or more times	6%	3%	2%	2%
...how many times have you hit someone or become violent while using alcohol or other drugs?	0 times or no use	80%	78%	78%	88%
	Once	8%	12%	6%	4%
	Twice	6%	4%	8%	3%
	3 or more times	6%	6%	7%	4%
...how many times have you used so much alcohol or other drugs that later you couldn't recall what you had said/done?	0 times or no use	73%	60%	66%	67%
	Once	12%	15%	7%	13%
	Twice	4%	9%	8%	7%
	3 or more times	11%	15%	18%	12%
...how many times have you used more alcohol or other drugs than you intended to?	0 times or no use	78%	62%	67%	58%
	Once	8%	15%	8%	18%
	Twice	4%	12%	7%	10%
	3 or more times	10%	11%	17%	14%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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TABLE 42A SEXUAL BEHAVIOR *

American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

		Grade			
		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%
Have you ever had sexual intercourse ("gone all the way")?	No	51%	55%	38%	33%
	Yes, once or twice	16%	20%	19%	15%
	Yes, 3 times or more	33%	26%	43%	52%
During the last 12 months, with how many different male partners have you had sexual intercourse?	None	93%	58%	93%	37%
	1 person	2%	17%	0%	28%
	2 persons	2%	9%	1%	11%
	3 persons	0%	7%	2%	11%
	4 persons	0%	4%	0%	3%
	5 persons	0%	2%	2%	0%
	6 or more persons	2%	3%	2%	9%
During the last 12 months, with how many different female partners have you had sexual intercourse?	None	53%	93%	46%	94%
	1 person	7%	5%	19%	5%
	2 persons	9%	1%	7%	1%
	3 persons	6%	0%	7%	0%
	4 persons	9%	0%	3%	0%
	5 persons	1%	0%	2%	0%
	6 or more persons	15%	1%	15%	0%
How many times have you been pregnant or gotten someone pregnant?	0 times	89%	93%	88%	93%
	1 time	5%	5%	4%	7%
	2 or more times	1%	1%	5%	0%
	Not sure	4%	1%	3%	0%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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TABLE 42B
SEXUAL BEHAVIOR *

American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

SEXUALLY ACTIVE STUDENTS ONLY		Grade			
		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%
Have you talked with your partner(s) about protecting yourselves from getting STDs/HIV/AIDS? **	Never	39%	33%	39%	10%
	Not with every partner	17%	20%	16%	27%
	At least once with every partner	44%	47%	45%	63%
Have you talked with partner(s) about preventing pregnancy? **	Never	38%	38%	44%	22%
	Not with every partner	15%	19%	10%	22%
	At least once with every partner	47%	44%	47%	57%
If you have sexual intercourse, how often do you and/or your partner use any birth control method?	Never	34%	30%	20%	14%
	Rarely	4%	19%	10%	5%
	Sometimes	13%	7%	14%	7%
	Usually	18%	7%	10%	12%
	Always	31%	37%	46%	62%
If you have sexual intercourse, how often is a condom used?	Never	11%	9%	18%	17%
	Rarely	12%	9%	13%	16%
	Sometimes	10%	7%	17%	14%
	Usually	9%	12%	7%	16%
	Always	57%	63%	45%	38%
The last time you had sexual intercourse, did you or your partner use a condom?	Yes	65%	71%	54%	57%
	No	35%	29%	46%	43%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

** In 1998, the percentages for these questions included sexually inactive students who responded to the question. This year, as in 2001, the percentages include only sexually active students. Accordingly, the results for these questions are comparable only to 2001 survey results.

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TABLE 43
REASONS FOR SEXUAL ABSTINENCE *
American Indian (single race/ethnicity)

		Grade			
		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%
If you do not have sexual intercourse, what factors influence your choice not to? (Mark all that apply)	Reasons not having sex: One or both of my parents would object	33%	39%	29%	36%
	Reasons not having sex: I don't want to have sex	22%	49%	26%	39%
	Reasons not having sex: Most students in my school don't have sex	8%	9%	13%	0%
	Reasons not having sex: My friends don't have sex	13%	17%	16%	6%
	I don't think it's right for a person my age to have sex	28%	52%	37%	42%
	I'm afraid of getting caught	17%	27%	16%	19%
	My religious or spiritual beliefs	13%	20%	24%	28%
	Sex education at school has shown me the advantages of waiting until I'm older	22%	32%	24%	31%
	I don't want to get a sexually transmitted disease	42%	57%	45%	53%
	Fear of pregnancy **	30%	61%	45%	50%
	My parents taught me the advantages of waiting until I'm older	25%	36%	21%	56%
I have chosen to wait until I'm married	28%	35%	42%	53%	

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** Variations in wording for this item affect year-to-year comparisons.