

2004 Minnesota Student Survey

TABLE 1
SAMPLE DESCRIPTION
Todd County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		N	%	N	%	N	%
Total number of surveys		249	100%	308	100%	256	100%
Gender	Male	128	51%	154	50%	119	46%
	Female	121	49%	154	50%	137	54%
Age	11 or younger	66	27%	0	0%	0	0%
	12	168	67%	0	0%	0	0%
	13	10	4%	0	0%	0	0%
	14	0	0%	89	29%	0	0%
	15	0	0%	210	68%	0	0%
	16	0	0%	8	3%	5	2%
	17	0	0%	0	0%	82	32%
	18	0	0%	0	0%	163	64%
	19-20	0	0%	0	0%	5	2%
	No answer	5	2%	1	0%	1	0%
Race/ethnicity	American Indian	2	1%	1	0%	1	0%
	Black or African American	0	0%	3	1%	0	0%
	Hispanic or Latino	16	6%	12	4%	7	3%
	Asian American or Pacific Islander	0	0%	2	1%	5	2%
	White	190	76%	264	86%	228	89%
	Mixed race (checked more than one race/ethnicity)	11	4%	7	2%	5	2%
	I don't know / no answer	30	12%	19	6%	10	4%

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TABLE 2
FEELINGS ABOUT SCHOOL, SCHOOL PLANS, AND TRUANCY
Todd County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
How do you feel about going to school?	I like school very much	20%	28%	8%	12%	12%	10%
	I like school quite a bit	38%	34%	27%	34%	32%	45%
	I like school a little	24%	27%	38%	29%	31%	28%
	I don't like school very much	14%	6%	17%	19%	16%	9%
	I hate school	5%	5%	10%	6%	8%	8%
Which of these best describes your school plans?	I would like to quit school as soon as I can	2%	2%	3%	1%	3%	0%
	I plan to finish high school but won't go to college	15%	3%	15%	8%	10%	9%
	I'd like to go to some kind of trade or vocational school	4%	4%	7%	3%	22%	11%
	I'd like to go to college after high school	65%	68%	64%	67%	51%	62%
	I'd like to go to college and then to graduate school	14%	23%	11%	21%	14%	18%
During the last 30 days, how often have you skipped or cut full days of school?	Never	79%	85%	79%	73%	57%	62%
	Once or twice	17%	13%	17%	19%	28%	27%
	3 to 5 times	5%	3%	3%	5%	11%	7%
	6 to 10 times	0%	0%	1%	3%	1%	2%
	More than 10 times	0%	0%	1%	0%	3%	2%

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**TABLE 3
ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE**

Todd County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Mark the two grades you get the most often.	A only	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%	6%
	A and B only	52%	54%	48%	61%	59%	70%
	B only	2%	2%	2%	1%	3%	4%
	B and C only	27%	21%	29%	23%	24%	15%
	C only	0%	3%	2%	1%	3%	0%
	C and D only	5%	6%	9%	4%	7%	2%
	D only	1%	0%	2%	0%	0%	1%
	D and F only	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	0%
	F only	0%	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%
	Not applicable or no answer	8%	11%	4%	6%	3%	2%

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TABLE 4
PERCEPTIONS OF SCHOOL ENVIRONMENT
Todd County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
How many students in your school are friendly?	All	3%	3%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	Most	59%	64%	69%	61%	71%	61%
	Some	28%	26%	22%	31%	22%	33%
	A few	9%	7%	7%	6%	4%	4%
	None	1%	0%	0%	0%	2%	1%
How many students in your school behave well in the hallways and lunchroom?	All	2%	3%	1%	1%	2%	2%
	Most	35%	32%	56%	50%	54%	58%
	Some	46%	45%	30%	38%	35%	32%
	A few	15%	17%	13%	10%	8%	7%
	None	2%	3%	1%	1%	2%	1%
How many students in your school have made fun of or threatened students of different races or backgrounds?	All	1%	1%	3%	1%	1%	1%
	Most	6%	12%	6%	5%	4%	6%
	Some	9%	13%	19%	24%	29%	23%
	A few	44%	49%	49%	56%	48%	54%
	None	41%	26%	24%	15%	18%	17%
How many of your teachers are interested in you as a person?	All	25%	34%	3%	5%	5%	10%
	Most	34%	35%	32%	32%	38%	36%
	Some	20%	17%	29%	30%	30%	29%
	A few	17%	10%	20%	25%	26%	21%
	None	4%	4%	16%	7%	2%	4%
How many of your teachers show respect for students?	All	57%	59%	27%	20%	15%	20%
	Most	33%	28%	41%	48%	53%	56%
	Some	7%	7%	15%	20%	19%	15%
	A few	2%	5%	12%	11%	11%	7%
	None	2%	1%	5%	1%	3%	1%

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TABLE 5
PERCEPTIONS OF SCHOOL SAFETY
Todd County

<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	52%	41%	53%	45%	59%	53%
	Agree	39%	51%	45%	51%	39%	46%
	Disagree	8%	3%	1%	3%	2%	1%
	Strongly disagree	1%	4%	1%	1%	1%	1%
I feel safe at school	Strongly agree	47%	49%	40%	34%	50%	50%
	Agree	46%	40%	51%	62%	45%	45%
	Disagree	6%	8%	7%	3%	3%	4%
	Strongly disagree	1%	3%	2%	1%	2%	1%
Bathrooms in this school are a safe place to be	Strongly agree	31%	34%	28%	36%	45%	52%
	Agree	44%	45%	52%	55%	44%	39%
	Disagree	18%	15%	15%	7%	8%	7%
	Strongly disagree	7%	5%	5%	2%	3%	1%
Illegal gang activity is a problem at this school	Strongly agree	9%	10%	5%	6%	3%	3%
	Agree	15%	18%	16%	15%	5%	4%
	Disagree	21%	26%	35%	45%	34%	41%
	Strongly disagree	54%	45%	43%	34%	58%	52%
Student use of alcohol or drugs is a problem at this school	Strongly agree	4%	10%	21%	21%	14%	10%
	Agree	10%	18%	31%	48%	47%	48%
	Disagree	42%	31%	33%	23%	26%	32%
	Strongly disagree	43%	41%	16%	7%	12%	9%

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**TABLE 6
VICTIMIZATION AT SCHOOL
Todd County**

		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	1%	3%	6%	10%	21%	9%	
	No	99%	97%	94%	90%	79%	91%	
During the last 12 months, how many times has someone stolen or deliberately damaged your property at school?	0 times	51%	47%	61%	70%	64%	85%	
	1 time	27%	27%	23%	20%	24%	9%	
	2 or 3 times	16%	19%	11%	9%	8%	5%	
	4 or 5 times	5%	1%	5%	0%	3%	0%	
	6 or more times	2%	7%	1%	1%	3%	0%	
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	94%	91%	98%	94%	97%	95%	
	1 day	5%	7%	1%	2%	0%	2%	
	2 or 3 days	1%	2%	1%	3%	1%	2%	
	4 or 5 days	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	
	6 or more days	0%	0%	0%	0%	2%	1%	
During the last 12 months, which of the following has happened to you on school property? Has a student:	Insulted you?	Yes	70%	63%	55%	62%	57%	36%
		No	30%	37%	45%	38%	43%	64%
	Threatened you?	Yes	38%	23%	26%	23%	23%	8%
		No	62%	77%	74%	77%	77%	92%
	Pushed, shoved, or grabbed you?	Yes	69%	50%	45%	42%	32%	12%
		No	31%	50%	55%	58%	68%	88%
	Kicked, bitten, or hit you?	Yes	52%	45%	32%	20%	24%	4%
		No	48%	55%	68%	80%	76%	96%
	Stabbed you or fired a gun at you?	Yes	0%	0%	2%	0%	3%	1%
		No	100%	100%	98%	100%	97%	99%

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**TABLE 7A
ACTIVITIES
Todd County**

<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	10%	3%	14%	6%	35%	15%
	1-2 hours	52%	62%	55%	43%	41%	43%
	3-5 hours	28%	21%	24%	31%	12%	26%
	6-10 hours	6%	9%	7%	14%	9%	12%
	11-20 hours	2%	3%	0%	4%	3%	1%
	21 hours or more	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%
Band, choir, orchestra, music lessons, or practicing voice or an instrument	0 hours	35%	21%	64%	41%	56%	53%
	1-2 hours	41%	43%	17%	24%	13%	11%
	3-5 hours	16%	17%	11%	16%	14%	19%
	6-10 hours	5%	11%	5%	14%	8%	13%
	11-20 hours	1%	6%	1%	3%	7%	2%
	21 hours or more	2%	3%	1%	3%	3%	1%
Activities-Clubs or organizations outside of school	0 hours	55%	57%	58%	47%	53%	47%
	1-2 hours	23%	26%	21%	27%	22%	29%
	3-5 hours	17%	10%	9%	15%	12%	15%
	6-10 hours	3%	3%	7%	7%	10%	5%
	11-20 hours	2%	3%	1%	3%	3%	2%
	21 hours or more	0%	0%	3%	1%	0%	2%
Activities-Playing sports on a school team	0 hours	50%	43%	36%	36%	46%	62%
	1-2 hours	20%	25%	9%	11%	4%	7%
	3-5 hours	12%	20%	10%	17%	4%	4%
	6-10 hours	8%	7%	20%	20%	17%	13%
	11-20 hours	7%	4%	19%	11%	21%	13%
	21 hours or more	3%	2%	7%	7%	8%	2%

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**TABLE 7B
ACTIVITIES
Todd County**

<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	18%	18%	23%	18%	22%	31%
	1-2 hours	31%	42%	21%	38%	18%	33%
	3-5 hours	24%	18%	28%	26%	29%	21%
	6-10 hours	10%	14%	17%	9%	20%	8%
	11-20 hours	11%	5%	4%	4%	6%	2%
	21 hours or more	7%	3%	7%	4%	4%	4%
Attending services, groups, or programs at a church, synagogue, or mosque	0 hours	35%	28%	44%	35%	47%	45%
	1-2 hours	49%	49%	35%	41%	38%	40%
	3-5 hours	10%	16%	18%	16%	9%	9%
	6-10 hours	3%	4%	2%	5%	3%	3%
	11-20 hours	1%	2%	0%	0%	0%	1%
	21 hours or more	2%	2%	2%	3%	3%	1%
Activities-Reading for pleasure	0 hours	30%	17%	58%	28%	50%	34%
	1-2 hours	43%	46%	26%	33%	25%	42%
	3-5 hours	20%	21%	8%	25%	17%	17%
	6-10 hours	3%	8%	5%	9%	6%	5%
	11-20 hours	2%	4%	1%	3%	1%	1%
	21 hours or more	2%	4%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Activities-Watching TV or videos	0 hours	4%	7%	5%	3%	2%	7%
	1-2 hours	27%	36%	19%	26%	26%	32%
	3-5 hours	33%	29%	30%	25%	32%	30%
	6-10 hours	23%	13%	28%	26%	18%	16%
	11-20 hours	6%	10%	9%	12%	9%	7%
	21 hours or more	6%	5%	9%	7%	13%	8%
Activities-Playing computer or video games	0 hours	19%	24%	14%	28%	18%	46%
	1-2 hours	27%	48%	26%	34%	37%	38%
	3-5 hours	25%	17%	26%	16%	15%	8%
	6-10 hours	16%	5%	18%	12%	18%	4%
	11-20 hours	6%	3%	7%	7%	5%	4%
	21 hours or more	7%	3%	9%	3%	8%	1%

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**TABLE 7C
ACTIVITIES
Todd County**

<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	72%	65%	79%	72%	68%	60%
	1-2 hours	21%	25%	16%	21%	24%	28%
	3-5 hours	3%	8%	4%	6%	6%	7%
	6-10 hours	2%	1%	1%	0%	2%	4%
	11-20 hours	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%
	21 hours or more	2%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Chores at home/babysitting for family	0 hours	19%	11%	19%	7%	26%	13%
	1-2 hours	42%	30%	38%	30%	35%	42%
	3-5 hours	21%	26%	22%	32%	18%	26%
	6-10 hours	9%	18%	7%	21%	8%	8%
	11-20 hours	7%	10%	7%	5%	9%	6%
	21 hours or more	2%	5%	7%	5%	5%	6%
Work for pay (including babysitting for others)	0 hours	50%	32%	42%	34%	36%	25%
	1-2 hours	29%	29%	23%	26%	10%	5%
	3-5 hours	14%	18%	14%	23%	7%	12%
	6-10 hours	3%	15%	8%	9%	12%	13%
	11-20 hours	3%	5%	8%	4%	16%	28%
	21 hours or more	1%	1%	5%	3%	19%	18%
Activities-Hanging out	0 hours	13%	13%	13%	4%	5%	6%
	1-2 hours	24%	24%	28%	18%	13%	18%
	3-5 hours	23%	28%	22%	29%	22%	26%
	6-10 hours	21%	13%	18%	24%	21%	23%
	11-20 hours	9%	13%	7%	15%	17%	15%
	21 hours or more	10%	8%	13%	10%	23%	12%

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**TABLE 8
COMPUTER USE AT HOME
Todd County**

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Do you use a computer at home?	Yes	81%	88%	84%	89%	82%	85%
	No	19%	12%	16%	11%	18%	15%

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Do you use the Internet at home?	Yes	62%	75%	75%	84%	77%	74%
	No	38%	25%	25%	16%	23%	26%
What do you use the Internet for at home? (Mark all that apply)	E-mail	33%	55%	55%	78%	69%	68%
	Surfing the web	40%	40%	52%	55%	63%	49%
	Chat rooms	18%	27%	26%	30%	30%	13%
	Listening to or downloading music	22%	31%	42%	56%	50%	30%
	Playing games	50%	58%	58%	46%	42%	22%
	Entertainment or sports	30%	15%	37%	24%	36%	13%
	Homework or other research	38%	58%	53%	71%	53%	60%
Shopping	16%	16%	22%	32%	35%	25%	

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TABLE 9
FAMILY COMPOSITION AND PARENTAL COMMUNICATION
Todd County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Which adults do you live with?	Both biological parents	59%	62%	56%	62%	66%	57%
	Both adoptive parents	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Mother and stepfather	5%	7%	6%	8%	7%	7%
	Father and stepmother	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Mother only	14%	12%	17%	14%	13%	14%
	Father only	5%	3%	5%	3%	6%	4%
	Sometimes with mother, sometimes with father	13%	12%	6%	7%	3%	1%
	Other	4%	1%	5%	4%	4%	12%
	No adults or no answer	0%	2%	3%	1%	0%	2%
Can you talk to your father about problems you are having?	Yes, most of the time	44%	31%	35%	24%	36%	19%
	Yes, some of the time	29%	38%	33%	38%	31%	42%
	No, not very often	13%	17%	16%	20%	21%	20%
	No, not at all	7%	8%	6%	11%	4%	9%
	My father is not around	6%	6%	10%	7%	8%	9%
Can you talk to your mother about problems you are having?	Yes, most of the time	58%	64%	40%	44%	49%	53%
	Yes, some of the time	26%	26%	37%	35%	26%	31%
	No, not very often	12%	4%	17%	15%	18%	11%
	No, not at all	2%	2%	5%	5%	4%	1%
	My mother is not around	3%	3%	1%	2%	3%	4%

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TABLE 10
PERCEPTIONS OF FAMILY CARING
Todd County

<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	0%	1%	1%	3%	1%	1%
	A little	2%	2%	3%	4%	4%	4%
	Some	2%	2%	6%	7%	3%	1%
	Quite a bit	6%	3%	16%	17%	17%	10%
	Very much	91%	93%	75%	70%	75%	84%
... other adult relatives care about you?	Not at all	1%	0%	1%	1%	2%	1%
	A little	7%	2%	1%	5%	4%	5%
	Some	6%	6%	10%	14%	18%	7%
	Quite a bit	20%	23%	38%	24%	33%	29%
	Very much	67%	70%	51%	55%	43%	57%
... your family cares about your feelings?	Not at all	3%	4%	5%	8%	2%	3%
	A little	7%	6%	5%	7%	7%	4%
	Some	10%	9%	21%	19%	27%	13%
	Quite a bit	24%	23%	31%	29%	30%	30%
	Very much	56%	57%	40%	36%	35%	50%
... your family understands you?	Not at all	4%	10%	9%	15%	7%	7%
	A little	14%	8%	13%	19%	16%	12%
	Some	17%	21%	23%	27%	33%	27%
	Quite a bit	28%	19%	30%	26%	26%	28%
	Very much	38%	43%	25%	13%	19%	25%
... your family has lots of fun together?	Not at all	3%	5%	8%	11%	8%	4%
	A little	9%	12%	14%	17%	16%	13%
	Some	14%	14%	22%	26%	34%	25%
	Quite a bit	33%	23%	29%	21%	26%	27%
	Very much	42%	46%	27%	25%	17%	30%
... your family respects your privacy?	Not at all	5%	9%	9%	11%	8%	6%
	A little	11%	11%	13%	15%	11%	14%
	Some	16%	16%	20%	26%	26%	14%
	Quite a bit	22%	24%	27%	27%	30%	38%
	Very much	46%	40%	30%	21%	24%	28%

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TABLE 11
PERCEPTIONS OF OTHERS CARING
Todd County

<i>How much do you feel ...</i>		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
... friends care about you?	Not at all	3%	2%	1%	2%	2%	0%
	A little	11%	8%	12%	6%	11%	4%
	Some	22%	14%	22%	16%	17%	17%
	Quite a bit	38%	32%	47%	33%	39%	37%
	Very much	26%	44%	18%	43%	32%	43%
... teachers or other adults at school care about you? *	Not at all	1%	2%	5%	9%	5%	4%
	A little	8%	12%	21%	17%	24%	19%
	Some	25%	19%	36%	42%	24%	34%
	Quite a bit	37%	33%	31%	26%	41%	34%
	Very much	29%	34%	6%	7%	6%	10%
... church or spiritual leaders care about you? *	Not at all	11%	11%	15%	16%	16%	15%
	A little	16%	14%	12%	9%	12%	17%
	Some	23%	15%	20%	25%	22%	26%
	Quite a bit	22%	25%	26%	33%	30%	19%
	Very much	27%	34%	27%	16%	20%	23%
... police officers care about you?	Not at all	7%	2%	22%	16%	33%	25%
	A little	11%	12%	26%	25%	30%	28%
	Some	20%	15%	22%	32%	22%	27%
	Quite a bit	25%	23%	20%	21%	13%	13%
	Very much	36%	48%	10%	6%	2%	7%
... other adults in your community care about you?	Not at all	8%	5%	10%	16%	14%	13%
	A little	19%	14%	26%	21%	35%	21%
	Some	25%	21%	35%	37%	27%	36%
	Quite a bit	31%	34%	22%	21%	21%	22%
	Very much	16%	26%	8%	5%	3%	9%

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

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TABLE 12
FAMILY SUBSTANCE ABUSE
Todd County

		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	16%	20%	8%	21%	9%	19%
	No	84%	80%	92%	79%	91%	81%
Whose use? (Mark all that apply)	Family alc problems-Parent who lives with me	2%	3%	4%	11%	2%	6%
	Family alc problems-Parent who doesn't live with me	7%	7%	2%	3%	2%	9%
	Family alc problems-Other relative	11%	13%	4%	11%	6%	7%
Has drug use by any family member repeatedly caused family, health, job, or legal problems?	Yes	16%	19%	5%	13%	3%	11%
	No	84%	81%	95%	87%	97%	89%
Whose use? (Mark all that apply)	Family drug problems-Parent who lives with me	1%	4%	1%	3%	0%	3%
	Family drug problems-Parent who doesn't live with me	7%	4%	0%	2%	0%	3%
	Family drug problems-Other relative	11%	14%	4%	9%	3%	5%

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**TABLE 13
FAMILY/DATE VIOLENCE**

Todd County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Have you ever been the victim of violence on a date? *	Yes			1%	3%	3%	4%
	No			99%	97%	97%	96%
Has any adult in your household ever hit you so hard that you had marks or were afraid of that person?	Yes	11%	12%	7%	11%	3%	6%
	No	89%	88%	93%	89%	97%	94%
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	10%	14%	7%	11%	4%	10%
	No	90%	86%	93%	89%	96%	90%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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**TABLE 14
SEXUAL ABUSE**

Todd County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Have you ever been the victim of date rape? *	Yes			1%	5%	2%	4%
	No			99%	95%	98%	96%
Has any older person outside the family touched you sexually against your wishes or forced you to touch them sexually?	Yes	2%	7%	1%	9%	1%	7%
	No	98%	93%	99%	91%	99%	93%
Has any older/stronger member of your family touched you sexually or had you touch them sexually?	Yes	1%	5%	1%	3%	2%	4%
	No	99%	95%	99%	97%	98%	96%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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**TABLE 15
GENERAL HEALTH ISSUES**

Todd County

		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	53%	32%	43%	43%	35%	39%
	1-2 years ago	18%	24%	32%	36%	41%	39%
	3-4 years ago	2%	6%	11%	8%	13%	10%
	More than 4 years ago	6%	13%	5%	5%	5%	3%
	I have never had a physical exam	22%	24%	9%	8%	6%	8%
Have you ever been treated for an alcohol or other drug problem? *	No			97%	97%	97%	97%
	Yes			3%	3%	3%	3%
Do you have a mental or physical health problem that has lasted at least 12 months?	No	89%	91%	91%	82%	95%	86%
	Yes	11%	9%	9%	18%	5%	14%
In the past 12 months, how often have you blacked out because someone hit you in the head?	Never	91%	93%	97%	97%	96%	97%
	Once	7%	5%	3%	3%	2%	2%
	Two times or more	2%	2%	1%	0%	3%	1%
In the past 12 months, how often have you blacked out because you fell or were accidentally hit in the head?	Never	78%	81%	88%	88%	91%	93%
	Once	15%	15%	10%	8%	7%	4%
	Two times or more	7%	4%	1%	4%	2%	2%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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TABLE 16
WEIGHT-RELATED ISSUES
Todd County

		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			13%	28%	15%	23%	
	No			87%	72%	85%	77%	
At the present time, do you think you are...	Underweight	11%	9%	8%	5%	9%	9%	
	About the right weight	69%	61%	74%	68%	78%	69%	
	Overweight	20%	31%	18%	27%	14%	22%	
During the last 12 months, have you done any of the following to lose or control weight? (Mark all that apply) *	Exercise	Yes			73%	80%	57%	73%
		No			27%	20%	43%	27%
	Fast or skip meals	Yes			19%	43%	23%	45%
		No			81%	57%	77%	55%
	Smoke cigarettes	Yes			2%	14%	12%	9%
		No			98%	86%	88%	91%
	Use diet pills or speed	Yes			1%	9%	1%	7%
		No			99%	91%	99%	93%
	Vomit on purpose after eating	Yes			2%	10%	1%	4%
		No			98%	90%	99%	96%
	Use laxatives	Yes			1%	3%	2%	1%
		No			99%	97%	98%	99%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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TABLE 17
EXERCISE
Todd County

		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	16%	14%	15%	17%	16%	26%
	1 day	8%	14%	7%	10%	8%	15%
	2 days	10%	4%	7%	10%	13%	18%
	3 days	8%	11%	11%	16%	8%	10%
	4 days	8%	11%	6%	9%	11%	6%
	5 days	20%	22%	23%	18%	22%	11%
	6 days	9%	3%	13%	9%	8%	6%
	7 days	22%	20%	19%	10%	13%	7%
On how many of the last 7 days were you physically active for a combined total of at least 30 minutes?	0 days	7%	4%	5%	8%	6%	21%
	1 day	10%	7%	5%	5%	8%	13%
	2 days	8%	8%	5%	11%	12%	17%
	3 days	6%	12%	8%	16%	7%	8%
	4 days	7%	12%	9%	12%	11%	8%
	5 days	22%	27%	26%	18%	21%	14%
	6 days	7%	7%	10%	13%	11%	6%
	7 days	33%	23%	31%	18%	25%	14%

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**TABLE 18
NUTRITION
Todd County**

<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	6%	13%	14%	18%	17%	26%
	1-2 glasses	47%	55%	43%	53%	44%	52%
	3-4 glasses	37%	18%	27%	25%	26%	17%
	5 or more glasses	11%	15%	15%	4%	13%	5%
100% fruit juice	0 glasses	43%	40%	49%	60%	43%	53%
	1-2 glasses	40%	42%	38%	29%	47%	39%
	3-4 glasses	8%	8%	11%	7%	6%	6%
	5 or more glasses	8%	10%	2%	5%	4%	2%
Fruit juice drinks	0 glasses	48%	43%	55%	58%	53%	63%
	1-2 glasses	33%	39%	34%	34%	32%	32%
	3-4 glasses	10%	11%	8%	5%	13%	4%
	5 or more glasses	10%	7%	3%	3%	2%	1%
Pop or soda	0 glasses	37%	50%	36%	48%	33%	57%
	1-2 glasses	40%	34%	43%	32%	34%	30%
	3-4 glasses	14%	10%	13%	13%	17%	10%
	5 or more glasses	8%	6%	8%	7%	16%	2%
Sports drinks	0 glasses	52%	59%	69%	84%	63%	83%
	1-2 glasses	26%	25%	23%	11%	21%	12%
	3-4 glasses	12%	7%	5%	3%	7%	3%
	5 or more glasses	10%	9%	3%	1%	9%	2%
Water	0 glasses	6%	4%	10%	12%	8%	14%
	1-2 glasses	19%	26%	22%	26%	24%	30%
	3-4 glasses	29%	20%	24%	28%	26%	26%
	5 or more glasses	47%	50%	44%	34%	43%	29%
How many servings of fruits, fruit juices, or vegetables did you eat yesterday?	0 servings	11%	2%	9%	14%	8%	7%
	1 serving	19%	15%	16%	22%	11%	15%
	2 servings	21%	17%	24%	17%	25%	23%
	3 servings	15%	23%	25%	23%	19%	27%
	4 servings	14%	17%	14%	14%	19%	15%
	5 or more servings	19%	26%	12%	9%	16%	12%

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**TABLE 19
SEAT BELT USE**

Todd County

<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	1%	1%	4%	4%	11%	5%
	Sometimes	24%	14%	32%	25%	33%	20%
	Often	33%	31%	37%	31%	16%	33%
	Always	42%	54%	27%	40%	40%	42%
...drive a car? *	I never do this activity			28%	34%	7%	8%
	Never			5%	2%	11%	5%
	Sometimes			9%	7%	20%	11%
	Often			13%	8%	12%	16%
	Always			45%	48%	50%	60%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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TABLE 20
SOURCES OF INFORMATION ON RISK BEHAVIORS
Todd County

		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	24%	44%	49%	75%	63%	71%
	Alc-drug info: Parents	65%	66%	53%	63%	52%	53%
	Alc-drug info: Brothers or sisters	19%	22%	23%	35%	24%	26%
	Alc-drug info: School, teachers, or counselors	77%	79%	60%	69%	47%	55%
	Alc-drug info: Clinics, doctors, or nurses	24%	22%	16%	13%	8%	10%
	Alc-drug info: Internet	9%	11%	14%	21%	13%	14%
	Alc-drug info: TV, radio, magazines, newspapers, or books	39%	40%	35%	48%	42%	42%
	Alc-drug info: I do not know much about alcohol or drugs	5%	2%	4%	5%	9%	4%
Where have you received most of your information about sex? (Mark all that apply)	Sex info: Friends or peers	36%	37%	49%	74%	72%	79%
	Sex info: Parents	49%	50%	38%	47%	41%	47%
	Sex info: Brothers or sisters	13%	14%	16%	23%	18%	20%
	Sex info: School, teachers, or counselors	41%	37%	46%	56%	34%	45%
	Sex info: Clinics, doctors, or nurses	17%	14%	8%	12%	7%	16%
	Sex info: Internet	11%	11%	18%	16%	34%	9%
	Sex info: TV, radio, magazines, newspapers, or books	33%	31%	30%	38%	50%	41%
	Sex info: I do not know much about sex	15%	16%	2%	4%	5%	4%

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TABLE 21
SELF-ESTEEM *
Todd County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
I usually feel good about myself.	Disagree	4%	7%	7%	13%	6%	4%
	Mostly disagree	3%	12%	5%	13%	7%	10%
	Mostly agree	39%	47%	43%	47%	47%	60%
	Agree	54%	35%	45%	27%	41%	26%
I am able to do things as well as most other people my age.	Disagree	2%	5%	3%	5%	3%	1%
	Mostly disagree	2%	6%	3%	5%	5%	3%
	Mostly agree	35%	47%	39%	50%	36%	51%
	Agree	60%	42%	54%	41%	56%	45%
On the whole, I'm satisfied with myself.	Disagree	7%	7%	5%	10%	3%	4%
	Mostly disagree	6%	8%	10%	13%	8%	7%
	Mostly agree	31%	40%	38%	40%	42%	53%
	Agree	56%	45%	47%	37%	47%	36%
I feel I do not have much to be proud of.	Agree	12%	15%	8%	10%	6%	3%
	Mostly agree	15%	9%	16%	20%	13%	13%
	Mostly disagree	24%	24%	20%	22%	25%	33%
	Disagree	48%	52%	56%	48%	57%	51%
Sometimes I think that I am no good.	Agree	15%	18%	9%	17%	5%	7%
	Mostly agree	14%	15%	12%	18%	15%	20%
	Mostly disagree	26%	30%	25%	32%	26%	34%
	Disagree	45%	37%	55%	33%	53%	39%
I feel that I can't do anything right.	Agree	13%	11%	5%	13%	6%	1%
	Mostly agree	8%	15%	12%	12%	9%	15%
	Mostly disagree	27%	26%	25%	38%	21%	36%
	Disagree	52%	47%	58%	38%	63%	47%
I feel that my life is not very useful.	Agree	9%	10%	7%	9%	5%	4%
	Mostly agree	8%	9%	9%	13%	9%	5%
	Mostly disagree	25%	22%	16%	26%	27%	34%
	Disagree	59%	59%	68%	52%	59%	56%

* 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
Todd County

<i>During the last 30 days ...</i>		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
... how has your mood been?	Very bad	2%	4%	1%	3%	1%	0%
	Bad	4%	1%	3%	5%	3%	4%
	Up and down a lot	49%	55%	35%	49%	34%	55%
	Very good	34%	25%	45%	37%	54%	36%
	Excellent	11%	15%	16%	5%	8%	4%
... have you felt you were under any stress or pressure?	Yes, almost more than I could take	9%	10%	6%	17%	6%	9%
	Yes, quite a bit of pressure	12%	10%	14%	17%	23%	30%
	Yes, more than usual	10%	17%	13%	18%	18%	23%
	Yes, a little	46%	43%	51%	44%	47%	35%
	Not at all	23%	20%	17%	5%	6%	4%
... have you felt sad?	All the time	3%	8%	1%	6%	1%	4%
	Most of the time	9%	13%	7%	20%	7%	8%
	Some of the time	15%	20%	21%	28%	25%	38%
	Little of the time	56%	50%	45%	40%	53%	49%
	None of the time	17%	8%	26%	6%	15%	1%
... 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	5%	4%	2%	10%	3%	3%
	Quite a bit	7%	10%	9%	10%	7%	2%
	Some, enough to bother me	13%	12%	11%	16%	15%	19%
	A little bit	28%	35%	18%	28%	23%	36%
	Not at all	48%	38%	61%	36%	51%	39%
... have you felt nervous, worried, or upset?	All the time	4%	9%	2%	7%	3%	1%
	Most of the time	12%	11%	6%	15%	3%	12%
	Some of the time	24%	28%	25%	36%	29%	40%
	Little of the time	46%	46%	44%	37%	47%	39%
	None of the time	14%	6%	23%	5%	17%	8%
... how satisfied have you been with your personal life?	Very dissatisfied	4%	5%	3%	5%	5%	2%
	Somewhat dissatisfied	14%	13%	9%	21%	12%	14%
	Satisfied	31%	35%	41%	45%	36%	47%
	Very satisfied	27%	28%	29%	24%	32%	26%
	Extremely satisfied	24%	19%	18%	5%	15%	11%

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TABLE 23
SUICIDAL THOUGHTS AND BEHAVIOR
Todd County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Have you ever thought about killing yourself?	No	76%	77%	79%	58%	70%	64%
	Yes, during the last year	12%	11%	9%	23%	16%	10%
	Yes, more than a year ago	11%	12%	13%	20%	15%	25%
Have you ever tried to kill yourself?	No	96%	94%	93%	85%	91%	86%
	Yes, during the last year	2%	2%	3%	10%	6%	4%
	Yes, more than a year ago	2%	4%	5%	5%	3%	10%

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**TABLE 24
GAMBLING BEHAVIOR ***
Todd County

<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	69%	84%	43%	82%
	Less than once a month	21%	14%	19%	12%
	About once a month	8%	0%	17%	5%
	About once a week	1%	1%	17%	1%
	Daily	2%	1%	4%	1%
Bet on games of personal skill like pool, golf, or bowling	Not at all	69%	90%	50%	90%
	Less than once a month	19%	6%	26%	7%
	About once a month	5%	2%	12%	2%
	About once a week	5%	1%	9%	1%
	Daily	2%	1%	3%	0%
Bet money on sports teams	Not at all	75%	92%	63%	94%
	Less than once a month	16%	3%	17%	5%
	About once a month	8%	1%	13%	1%
	About once a week	1%	3%	6%	0%
	Daily	1%	2%	1%	0%
Bought lottery tickets or scratch-offs	Not at all	91%	92%	46%	73%
	Less than once a month	5%	3%	24%	18%
	About once a month	3%	1%	12%	7%
	About once a week	1%	2%	14%	1%
	Daily	1%	2%	4%	1%
Gambled in a casino	Not at all	99%	97%	77%	86%
	Less than once a month	0%	1%	18%	13%
	About once a month	0%	0%	1%	1%
	About once a week	0%	0%	1%	0%
	Daily	1%	1%	3%	0%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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TABLE 25
GAMBLING CONSEQUENCES *
Todd County

<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	2%	0%	7%	2%
	No	42%	23%	67%	31%
	I don't bet for money	56%	77%	26%	67%
... that you would like to stop betting money but didn't think you could?	Yes	1%	1%	3%	1%
	No	43%	21%	70%	34%
	I don't bet for money	56%	78%	26%	66%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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TABLE 26
DESTRUCTIVE AND ANTISOCIAL BEHAVIOR
Todd County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
During the last 12 months, how often have you run away from home?	Never	90%	89%	91%	87%	91%	92%
	Once or twice	8%	8%	6%	11%	8%	7%
	3 to 5 times	2%	1%	2%	1%	0%	1%
	6 to 10 times	0%	2%	1%	1%	0%	0%
	More than 10 times	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%
During the last 12 months, how often have you damaged or destroyed property at school or somewhere else?	Never	78%	85%	77%	83%	77%	91%
	Once or twice	15%	12%	18%	10%	14%	4%
	3 to 5 times	4%	2%	2%	4%	6%	2%
	6 to 10 times	2%	2%	2%	2%	0%	1%
	More than 10 times	1%	0%	1%	1%	3%	1%
During the last 12 months, how often have you hit or beat up another person?	Never	60%	75%	67%	74%	79%	86%
	Once or twice	27%	20%	21%	19%	15%	10%
	3 to 5 times	8%	0%	8%	2%	1%	1%
	6 to 10 times	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%
	More than 10 times	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	2%
During the last 12 months, how often have you taken something from a store without paying for it?	Never	92%	94%	87%	81%	81%	88%
	Once or twice	7%	5%	9%	13%	9%	8%
	3 to 5 times	0%	0%	3%	4%	4%	3%
	6 to 10 times	1%	0%	0%	1%	3%	1%
	More than 10 times	0%	1%	1%	1%	3%	0%
Do you get a real kick out of doing things that are a little dangerous?	Not at all	38%	56%	26%	31%	20%	44%
	A little	35%	32%	40%	50%	46%	41%
	Quite a bit	19%	5%	21%	13%	20%	9%
	Very much	7%	7%	13%	6%	15%	6%
On how many of the last 30 days did you carry a gun on school property?	0 days	100%	100%	99%	98%	94%	100%
	1 day	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
	2 or 3 days	0%	0%	0%	1%	3%	0%
	4 or 5 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	6 or more days	0%	0%	1%	0%	2%	0%
On how many of the last 30 days did you carry a weapon (other than a gun) on school property?	0 days	98%	100%	95%	95%	87%	99%
	1 day	2%	0%	3%	3%	3%	1%
	2 or 3 days	0%	0%	0%	1%	2%	0%
	6 or more days	0%	0%	1%	1%	8%	1%

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TABLE 27
SUMMARY OF SUBSTANCE USE *
Todd County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Use of any tobacco products during the past year	No	94%	98%	77%	70%	51%	63%
	Yes	6%	3%	23%	30%	49%	37%
DAILY use of any tobacco products during the past year	No	99%	100%	94%	87%	77%	82%
	Yes	1%	0%	6%	13%	23%	18%
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%	94%	91%	70%	87%
	Yes	1%	0%	6%	9%	30%	13%
Any alcohol and/or other drug use during the past year (excluding tobacco)	No alcohol or other drug use in the past year	87%	85%	64%	50%	35%	37%
	Used only alcohol in the past year	9%	6%	26%	35%	44%	41%
	Used only other drugs in the past year	0%	3%	1%	0%	0%	0%
	Used both alcohol and other drugs in the past year	4%	6%	9%	15%	21%	22%

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

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**TABLE 28
CIGARETTE USE
Todd County**

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
During the last 12 months, how often have you used cigarettes? *	Not at all	96%	97%	89%	70%	69%	64%
	Less than monthly	3%	3%	5%	9%	7%	13%
	Monthly	0%	0%	0%	3%	3%	2%
	Weekly	1%	0%	3%	5%	3%	4%
	Daily	1%	0%	3%	13%	18%	18%
During the last 30 days, on how many days did you smoke a cigarette?	0 days	97%	98%	90%	75%	70%	73%
	1 or 2 days	2%	1%	3%	3%	6%	7%
	3 to 5 days	0%	1%	1%	5%	3%	2%
	6 to 9 days	1%	0%	1%	2%	1%	2%
	10 to 19 days	0%	0%	1%	2%	4%	0%
	20 to 29 days	1%	0%	1%	4%	3%	4%
	All 30 days	0%	0%	2%	9%	13%	12%
During the last 30 days, how frequently have you smoked cigarettes?	Never	98%	98%	90%	74%	71%	72%
	Less than one cigarette per day	1%	2%	5%	12%	9%	9%
	One to five cigarettes per day	2%	0%	2%	8%	7%	12%
	About one-half pack per day	0%	0%	2%	2%	7%	2%
	About one pack per day	0%	0%	1%	3%	4%	4%
	About one and one-half packs per day	0%	0%	1%	0%	3%	1%
	Two packs or more per day	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
If you have not smoked a cigarette in the last year, do you think you will during the next year?	Definitely yes	3%	0%	5%	5%	6%	9%
	Probably yes	1%	3%	6%	9%	8%	9%
	Probably not	13%	14%	15%	17%	20%	18%
	Definitely not	83%	82%	74%	69%	67%	65%

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

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TABLE 29
CIGAR AND SMOKELESS TOBACCO USE
Todd County

		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	98%	98%	83%	96%	75%	98%
	Less than monthly	2%	2%	8%	3%	11%	2%
	Monthly	0%	0%	3%	0%	2%	0%
	Weekly	0%	0%	3%	0%	5%	0%
	Daily	0%	0%	3%	1%	7%	0%
During the last 12 months, how often have you used cigars, cigarillos, or little cigars?	Not at all	99%	98%	91%	96%	65%	93%
	Less than monthly	1%	2%	8%	2%	17%	5%
	Monthly	0%	0%	0%	1%	14%	2%
	Weekly	0%	0%	1%	0%	2%	0%
	Daily	0%	0%	0%	1%	3%	0%

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

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**TABLE 30
ACCESS TO TOBACCO
Todd County**

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	0%	0%	12%	15%	73%	56%
	Bought it at bars or restaurants	0%	0%	4%	5%	4%	5%
	Bought it at grocery, discount, or drug stores	0%	0%	0%	2%	17%	9%
	Bought it at places like bowling alleys, video arcades, or pool halls	0%	0%	0%	2%	6%	2%
	Bought it from vending machines	0%	0%	0%	5%	0%	5%
	Bought it on the Internet *			0%	7%	0%	0%
	Got it from friends	25%	0%	44%	71%	35%	53%
	Got it from family members	0%	0%	4%	15%	10%	7%
	Got it by getting someone else to buy for me	0%	0%	60%	46%	17%	23%
	Took it from my home	100%	0%	20%	32%	6%	12%
	Took it from a friend's home	25%	0%	0%	20%	6%	5%
	Took it from stores	0%	0%	12%	0%	6%	5%

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%	0%	0%	5%	4%	0%
	No	90%	100%	100%	95%	96%	100%

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

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TABLE 31
ALCOHOL USE FREQUENCY AND QUANTITY
Todd County

		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	88%	89%	64%	49%	37%	37%
	1-2	9%	4%	11%	11%	3%	13%
	3-5	3%	5%	6%	10%	6%	15%
	6-9	0%	0%	8%	11%	15%	13%
	10-19	1%	2%	5%	6%	16%	7%
	20-39	0%	0%	3%	5%	11%	5%
	40+	0%	0%	3%	7%	13%	9%
On how many occasions (if any) have you had alcoholic beverages to drink during the last 30 days?	0	97%	90%	79%	64%	43%	62%
	1-2	3%	8%	12%	18%	24%	19%
	3-5	0%	2%	5%	11%	15%	10%
	6-9	0%	0%	2%	3%	9%	5%
	10-19	0%	0%	1%	3%	3%	3%
	20-39	0%	0%	0%	0%	2%	1%
	40+	0%	0%	1%	1%	3%	0%
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	88%	89%	67%	50%	34%	38%
	1 glass, can, or drink	11%	9%	9%	15%	4%	13%
	2 glasses, cans, or drinks	0%	1%	4%	8%	4%	5%
	3 glasses, cans, or drinks	0%	1%	6%	7%	11%	15%
	4 glasses, cans, or drinks	0%	0%	3%	5%	6%	13%
	5 glasses, cans, or drinks	1%	0%	1%	5%	8%	6%
	6 or more glasses, cans, or drinks	0%	0%	10%	10%	32%	10%
Over the last 2 weeks, how many times (if any) have you had five or more drinks in a row? *	Never			88%	80%	62%	80%
	Once			6%	7%	11%	8%
	Twice			3%	7%	10%	5%
	3 - 5 times			2%	4%	10%	2%
	6 - 9 times			1%	2%	3%	3%
	10 or more times			1%	0%	3%	2%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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**TABLE 32
ACCESS TO ALCOHOL
Todd County**

<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	0%	0%	6%	2%	9%	4%
	Bought it at stores	0%	0%	3%	9%	6%	4%
	Bought it on the Internet **			0%	2%	0%	0%
	Got it from friends	33%	18%	61%	76%	55%	67%
	Got it from family members	33%	27%	23%	22%	18%	26%
	Got it by getting someone else to buy for me	0%	0%	35%	33%	38%	52%
	Got it at parties	33%	18%	45%	50%	51%	61%
	Took it from my home	0%	18%	10%	22%	14%	11%
	Took it from a friend's home	0%	0%	6%	9%	8%	4%
	Took it from stores	0%	0%	0%	2%	5%	0%

<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	0%	0%	5%	8%	10%	0%
	No	100%	100%	95%	92%	90%	100%

* 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 *
Todd County

		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	92%	88%	65%	73%
	Once	3%	5%	8%	10%
	Twice	3%	3%	6%	5%
	3 or more times	2%	4%	21%	12%
Do you ever ride with friends after they have been using alcohol or drugs?	No	76%	58%	51%	60%
	Yes, but rarely	13%	21%	28%	31%
	Yes, often	5%	11%	19%	7%
	None of my friends use alcohol or other drugs	7%	10%	2%	1%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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TABLE 34
MARIJUANA, INHALANTS, AND PRESCRIPTION DRUGS
Todd County

<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	98%	99%	91%	86%	84%	81%
	1-2	0%	0%	3%	3%	5%	6%
	3-5	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	3%
	6-9	1%	1%	1%	3%	2%	4%
	10-19	1%	0%	0%	3%	1%	3%
	20-39	0%	0%	3%	1%	0%	1%
	40+	0%	0%	1%	2%	8%	2%
... used marijuana (grass, pot) or hashish (hash, hash oil) during the last 30 days?	0	99%	100%	96%	91%	88%	91%
	1-2	0%	0%	1%	4%	2%	5%
	3-5	0%	0%	1%	1%	2%	1%
	6-9	0%	0%	1%	2%	1%	2%
	10-19	0%	0%	0%	1%	2%	1%
	20-39	1%	0%	1%	1%	2%	2%
	40+	0%	0%	0%	1%	4%	0%
... sniffed glue or inhaled any other gases or sprays in order to get high during the last 12 months? *	0	96%	93%	98%	92%	93%	99%
	1-2	2%	5%	1%	5%	3%	1%
	3-5	2%	0%	0%	2%	3%	0%
	6-9	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%
	20-39	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	40+	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%
	... taken other people's prescription drugs during the last 12 months? *	0	100%	98%	98%	94%	91%
1-2		0%	1%	1%	2%	6%	4%
3-5		0%	1%	0%	2%	2%	2%
6-9		0%	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%
20-39		0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
40+		0%	0%	0%	1%	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 *
Todd County

<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	96%	92%	94%	91%
	1-2	2%	3%	3%	3%
	3-5	1%	3%	1%	2%
	6-9	0%	2%	1%	2%
	10-19	0%	0%	0%	1%
	20-39	1%	0%	1%	0%
	40+	0%	0%	0%	2%
... used methamphetamine (meth, speed, crank, crystal meth) by any method?	0	98%	93%	93%	94%
	1-2	1%	3%	4%	0%
	3-5	0%	1%	0%	2%
	6-9	1%	1%	1%	2%
	10-19	0%	0%	1%	1%
	20-39	0%	1%	0%	2%
	40+	0%	1%	1%	0%
... used "crack" (cocaine in chunk or rock form), or cocaine in any other form?	0	99%	93%	94%	95%
	1-2	0%	3%	3%	3%
	3-5	0%	1%	1%	1%
	6-9	1%	1%	1%	0%
	10-19	0%	1%	0%	0%
	20-39	0%	1%	0%	1%
	40+	0%	0%	1%	0%
... used MDMA ("ecstasy")?	0	100%	97%	98%	94%
	1-2	0%	1%	1%	5%
	3-5	0%	1%	1%	0%
	6-9	0%	1%	0%	0%
	10-19	0%	0%	0%	1%

* 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 *
Todd County

<i>During the last 12 months, on how many occasions (if any) have you ...</i>		Grade			
		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%
... used LSD ("acid"), PCP, or other psychedelics?	0	99%	97%	97%	97%
	1-2	1%	2%	3%	2%
	3-5	0%	0%	0%	1%
	6-9	0%	1%	0%	0%
	10-19	0%	1%	0%	0%
... used heroin or any other narcotics or opiates?	0	100%	97%	98%	100%
	1-2	0%	1%	1%	0%
	3-5	0%	1%	0%	0%
	10-19	0%	0%	1%	0%
	20-39	0%	1%	0%	0%
... taken barbiturates or tranquilizers without a doctor telling you to take them?	0	99%	96%	97%	99%
	1-2	0%	1%	1%	0%
	3-5	1%	2%	1%	1%
	6-9	0%	1%	0%	0%
	40+	0%	0%	2%	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 *
Todd County

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	83%	81%	63%	59%
	Bought them from people I don't know	0%	25%	5%	18%
	Bought them on the Internet	0%	0%	5%	12%
	Got them from friends	67%	88%	79%	82%
	Got them from family members	0%	31%	5%	24%
	Got them by getting someone else to buy for me	33%	31%	11%	6%
	Got them at parties	50%	75%	47%	29%
	Took them from my home	0%	38%	5%	0%
	Took them from a friend's home	0%	13%	11%	0%

* 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
Todd County

<i>Do you ever use alcohol or other drugs ...</i>		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
...before school?	Yes	3%	0%	5%	14%	13%	7%
	No	97%	100%	95%	86%	87%	93%
...during school?	Yes	3%	0%	3%	5%	5%	5%
	No	97%	100%	97%	95%	95%	95%
...right after school?	Yes	3%	2%	6%	17%	21%	16%
	No	97%	98%	94%	83%	79%	84%

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**TABLE 39
REASONS FOR SUBSTANCE USE ***

Todd County

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	39%	48%	53%	51%
	Reasons to use: To get high or smashed	45%	37%	44%	20%
	Reasons to use: To have fun at parties	59%	63%	73%	72%
	To escape from school, family or personal problems	27%	46%	23%	22%
	Because my parents aren't around	11%	17%	13%	4%
	Because my friends do	23%	40%	26%	23%
	Because my parents do	5%	10%	0%	4%
	Because I like the taste	30%	57%	53%	45%
	Because I'm sad, lonely, or angry	14%	29%	9%	10%
	Because it's illegal	14%	17%	21%	10%
	Because of peer pressure	18%	17%	6%	7%

* 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 *
Todd County

		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	71%	71%
	Reasons not using alc: One or both of my parents would object	70%	60%
	Reasons not using alc: I have no desire to use	87%	80%
	Reasons not using alc: Use is against my principles or religious beliefs	28%	32%
	Reasons not using alc: Alcohol and drugs are dangerous	82%	81%
	Reasons not using alc: Alcohol and drug education at school	56%	48%
	Reasons not using alc: Use could affect my performance in school, sports, or other activities	80%	88%

* 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 *
Todd County

<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	93%	86%	85%	92%
	Yes	7%	14%	15%	8%
...have you tried to cut down on your alcohol or other drug use but couldn't?	No or no use	98%	93%	95%	93%
	Yes	2%	7%	5%	7%
...has alcohol or other drug use hurt your relationships with friends or family?	No or no use	97%	90%	95%	90%
	Yes	3%	10%	5%	10%
...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	91%	74%	76%	82%
	Once	5%	15%	9%	8%
	Twice	1%	5%	3%	5%
	3 or more times	3%	6%	12%	5%
...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	96%	89%	91%	89%
	Once	3%	3%	6%	4%
	Twice	1%	5%	1%	7%
	3 or more times	0%	2%	2%	0%
...how many times has alcohol or other drug use left you feeling depressed, agitated, paranoid, or unable to concentrate?	0 times or no use	95%	83%	91%	90%
	Once	2%	7%	4%	5%
	Twice	2%	5%	4%	3%
	3 or more times	1%	5%	2%	2%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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TABLE 41B
CONSEQUENCES OF SUBSTANCE USE *

Todd County

<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	96%	83%	86%	92%
	Once	3%	10%	9%	6%
	Twice	0%	4%	1%	1%
	3 or more times	1%	3%	4%	2%
...how many times have you missed work or school because of alcohol or other drug use?	0 times or no use	97%	92%	91%	93%
	Once	1%	4%	5%	6%
	Twice	2%	3%	2%	1%
	3 or more times	1%	1%	2%	1%
...how many times has alcohol or other drug use caused you problems with the law?	0 times or no use	97%	94%	93%	94%
	Once	2%	4%	7%	5%
	Twice	1%	1%	0%	0%
	3 or more times	0%	1%	0%	1%
...how many times have you hit someone or become violent while using alcohol or other drugs?	0 times or no use	98%	90%	94%	94%
	Once	1%	5%	5%	5%
	Twice	1%	2%	2%	0%
	3 or more times	0%	2%	0%	1%
...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	90%	73%	74%	78%
	Once	7%	14%	13%	12%
	Twice	2%	8%	6%	6%
	3 or more times	1%	5%	7%	3%
...how many times have you used more alcohol or other drugs than you intended to?	0 times or no use	93%	78%	77%	77%
	Once	3%	8%	9%	12%
	Twice	3%	6%	5%	7%
	3 or more times	1%	7%	9%	4%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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TABLE 42A SEXUAL BEHAVIOR *

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		Grade			
		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%
Have you ever had sexual intercourse ("gone all the way")?	No	84%	77%	56%	49%
	Yes, once or twice	9%	6%	8%	8%
	Yes, 3 times or more	7%	17%	36%	43%
During the last 12 months, with how many different male partners have you had sexual intercourse?	None	96%	77%	97%	51%
	1 person	1%	10%	0%	37%
	2 persons	1%	6%	0%	2%
	3 persons	1%	2%	1%	5%
	4 persons	1%	3%	0%	1%
	6 or more persons	0%	3%	2%	3%
During the last 12 months, with how many different female partners have you had sexual intercourse?	None	87%	97%	59%	98%
	1 person	8%	1%	27%	1%
	2 persons	2%	1%	5%	0%
	3 persons	1%	1%	5%	0%
	4 persons	1%	0%	1%	0%
	6 or more persons	1%	0%	3%	1%
How many times have you been pregnant or gotten someone pregnant?	0 times	99%	98%	96%	95%
	1 time	1%	2%	4%	5%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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**TABLE 42B
SEXUAL BEHAVIOR *
Todd County**

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	36%	27%	35%	38%
	Not with every partner	23%	27%	12%	11%
	At least once with every partner	41%	45%	53%	51%
Have you talked with partner(s) about preventing pregnancy? **	Never	33%	39%	27%	23%
	Not with every partner	14%	21%	14%	12%
	At least once with every partner	52%	39%	59%	65%
If you have sexual intercourse, how often do you and/or your partner use any birth control method?	Never	26%	31%	14%	16%
	Rarely	5%	19%	6%	8%
	Sometimes	16%	6%	8%	11%
	Usually	16%	13%	14%	18%
	Always	37%	31%	57%	47%
If you have sexual intercourse, how often is a condom used?	Never	11%	24%	19%	14%
	Rarely	11%	6%	8%	20%
	Sometimes	11%	12%	8%	19%
	Usually	5%	12%	21%	23%
	Always	63%	45%	44%	23%
The last time you had sexual intercourse, did you or your partner use a condom?	Yes	85%	55%	59%	46%
	No	15%	45%	41%	54%

* 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 ***
Todd County

		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	52%	65%	47%	52%
	Reasons not having sex: I don't want to have sex	28%	68%	25%	54%
	Reasons not having sex: Most students in my school don't have sex	15%	5%	9%	0%
	Reasons not having sex: My friends don't have sex	25%	38%	16%	19%
	I don't think it's right for a person my age to have sex	53%	68%	33%	49%
	I'm afraid of getting caught	25%	25%	16%	25%
	My religious or spiritual beliefs	29%	46%	41%	57%
	Sex education at school has shown me the advantages of waiting until I'm older	36%	38%	19%	22%
	I don't want to get a sexually transmitted disease	49%	65%	34%	52%
	Fear of pregnancy **	36%	65%	50%	64%
	My parents taught me the advantages of waiting until I'm older	33%	45%	36%	52%
I have chosen to wait until I'm married	50%	63%	45%	67%	

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