LAW & ORDER SQL

THE TEAM

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RESEARCH QUESTIONS

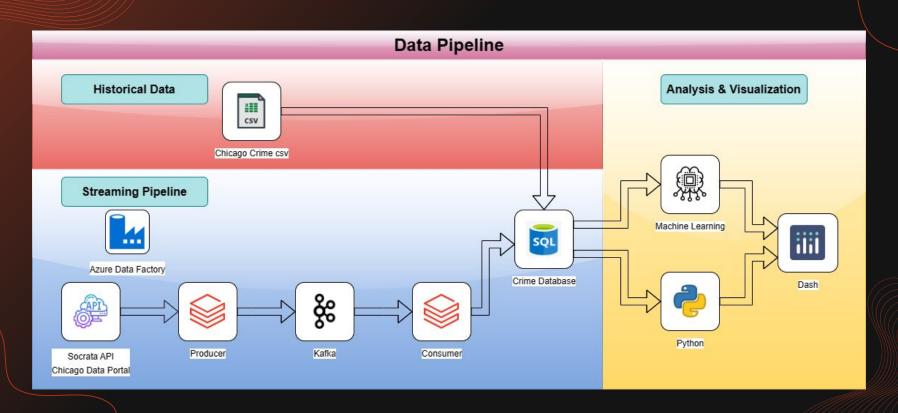
- 1. Has crime in Chicago increased or decreased over the last decade?
 - 2. How has crime in Chicago affected education and students?
 - 3. Do students feel safe in Chicago public schools?
- 4. Is there a correlation between reported crime in Chicago and behavioral issues (i.e., misconduct, suspensions, etc.) within the Chicago public schools?
- 5. What effect has crime in Chicago had on the safety, academic performance, and behavior of students?
 - 6. Are graduation rates at Chicago schools affected by crime in those areas?
- 7. Are there any connections between students' demographics and the reported misconducts?

DATA

Data we used:

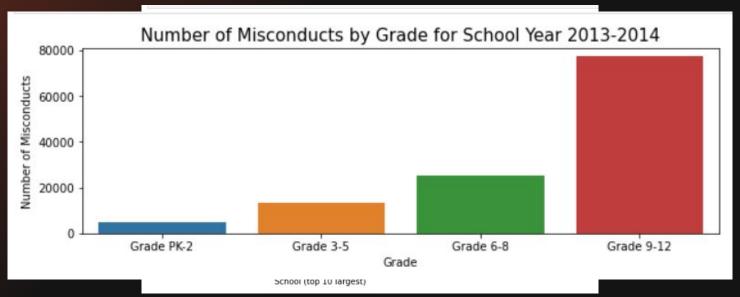
- Chicago Public Schools Profile Information School Year 2022-2023
- Chicago Public Schools Progress Report Cards (2011-2012, 2022-2023)
- Chicago Public Schools Metrics (cps.net)
- Crimes (2013-2023) CIty of Chicago Data Portal

DATA PIPELINE



EXPLORATORY DATA ANALYSIS

- Visualizations within Chicago Data Portal
- Cleaning remove columns, create aggregate columns, subsets, check for nulls
- Merging



TIME TO LOOKAT THE EVIDENCE

MACHINE LEARNING

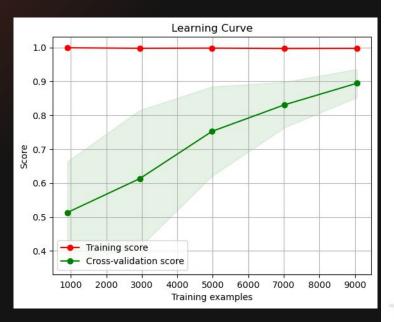
Full data set shape: 15,093,883 rows and 37 columns

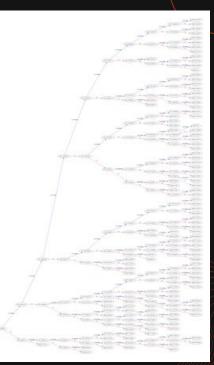
Test data set shape: 15,093 rows and 37 columns

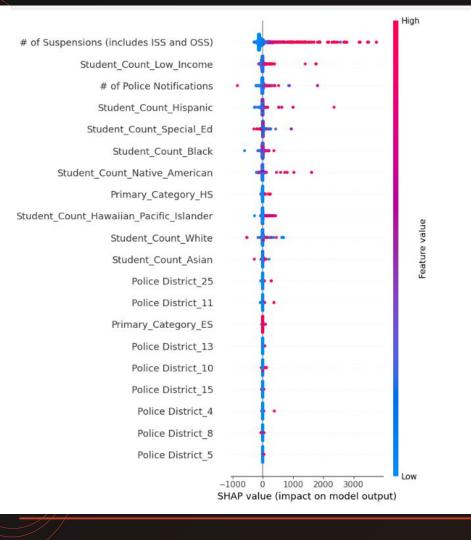
Initial Model: Linear Regression
Training Accuracy: 0.472
Testing Accuracy: 0.453
Mean Cross-Val Score: 0.45
Root Mean Square Error: 409.99

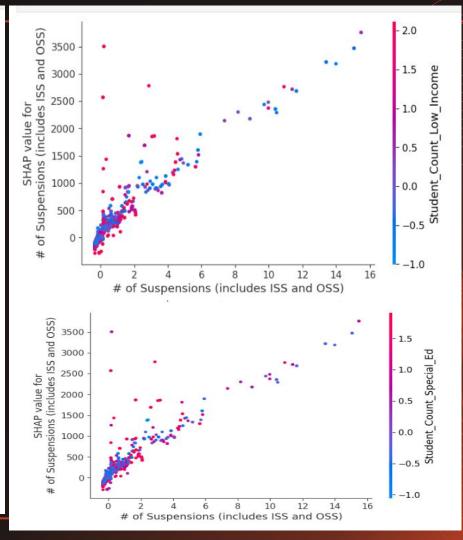
Final Model: XGBRegressor Training Accuracy: 0.997 Testing Accuracy: 0.978 R-Squared: 0.978

Mean Cross-Val Score: 0.89 Root-Mean Square Error: 82.32









CONCLUSIONS

- Crime in Chicago is generally decreasing in frequency in Chicago.
- Certain crimes like motor vehicle theft and assault are experiencing increases in frequency.
- Homicide rates are high but still on a downward trend.
- Students overwhelmingly do not feel safe in Chicago public schools.
- There is a small, negative correlation between number of crimes and graduation rates.
- There is a moderate, positive correlation between number of crimes and number of misconducts and suspensions in schools.
- The data suggests that crime in Chicago does have some effect on the safety, performance, and behavior of students in Chicago public schools.

QUESTIONS?

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Feel free to check out the full project at: https://github.com/CMatador/capstone

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Examining Crime and its Possible Effects on Education and Students in Chicago Public Schools.

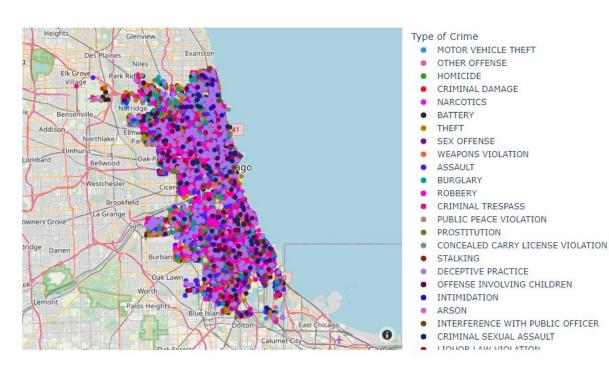
Infamously known as 'Chiraq', Chicago's reputation as a violent, crime-infested city precedes it. But is crime in Chicago truly that concerning? This project explores crime in Chicago by analyzing crime statistics to understand crime trends in Chicago. Concurrently, we explore any effects that crime rates and violence in Chicago can have on the state of education and the behaviors of students in Chicago Public Schools.

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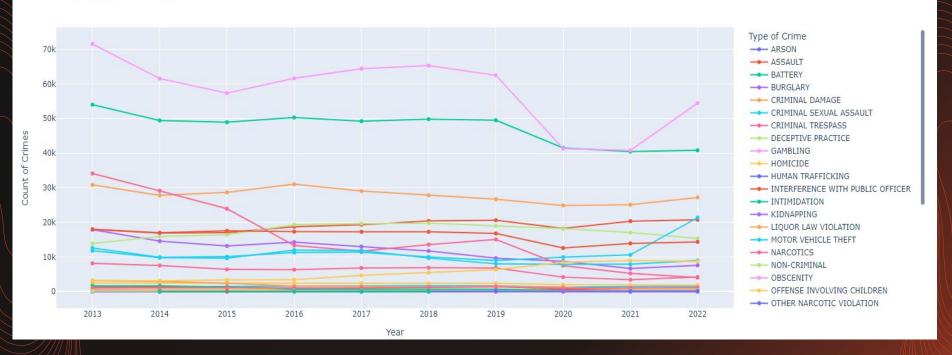


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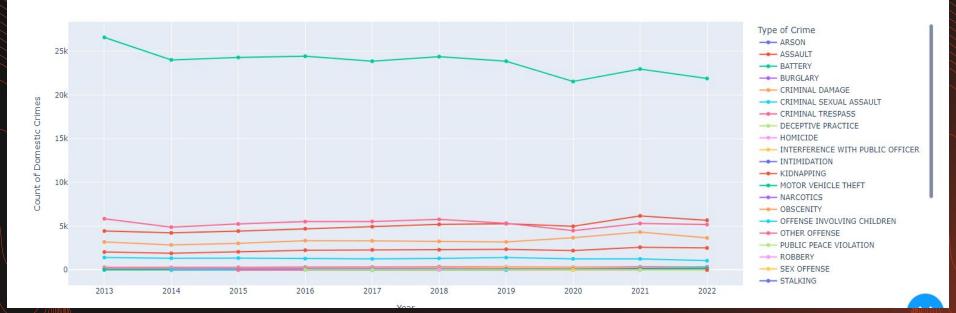
Crimes in Chicago (2023)



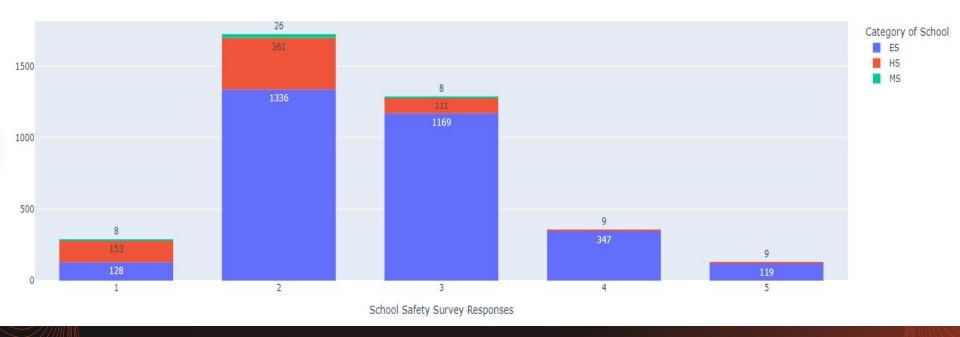
Crime in Chicago From 2013 to 2022



Domestic Crimes in Chicago From 2013 to 2022



Count of Student Responses to Safety Survey



Graduation Rates vs. Number of Crimes in Ward Area (2022)

