

***Health Interests and Practices Survey – Tobacco Summary Data***

<b><i>Item</i></b>	<b><i>2006</i></b>	<b><i>2004</i></b>	<b><i>2002</i></b>	<b><i>2001</i></b>	<b><i>1999</i></b>	<b><i>1997</i></b>	<b><i>1995</i></b>	<b><i>1993</i></b>	<b><i>1991</i></b>
30 day prevalence of cigarettes	29.8 95% CI (27-33%)	24.4 95% CI (21-28%)	25.3 95% CI (22-29%)	28.3 95% CI (24-33%)	38.8 95% CI (34-44%)	41.1 95% CI (38-44%)	38.1 95% CI (35-41%)	29.3 95% CI (26-32%)	24.1 95% CI (21-27%)
Lifetime prevalence		41.5	46.8	44.8	58.8				
Average age of starting smoking	17	16.5	16.5	17.5	17.9				
% of “heavy” smokers – ½ pack daily or more	12.5	7.4	11.1	22.5	20.6				
% of smokers smoking less than 1 cigarette per day	74.3	70.4	65.9	23.0	45.0				
Smokeless tobacco – 30 day prevalence	8.8	8.2	20.2	15.5					
% at least one quit attempt in past 12 months	46.0	48.0	53	46.0	48.2				
Average yearly quit attempts	2.2	1.59	1.81	1.71	1.66				
% daily smokers	5.9	8.9	9.5	12.3	10.4				
% using Hookah in last 12 months	46.2								
N and Response Rate	N=875	N=752, Response rate: 97%	N=656; Response rate: 97%	N=424; Response rate: 96%	N=428; Response rate: 98%	N=962; Resp. rate: 98%	N=978; Resp. rate: 97%	N=860; Resp. rate: 96%	N=860; Resp. rate: 96%

*Results weighted by gender and grade level of participants.*

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*Survey is anonymous and conducted in classrooms at the eight-week point in the fall semester.*