

2004 Minnesota Student Survey

TABLE 1
SAMPLE DESCRIPTION
Kandiyohi County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		N	%	N	%	N	%
Total number of surveys		416	100%	364	100%	209	100%
Gender	Male	227	55%	195	54%	111	53%
	Female	189	45%	169	46%	98	47%
Age	11 or younger	117	28%	0	0%	0	0%
	12	281	68%	0	0%	0	0%
	13	17	4%	1	0%	0	0%
	14	0	0%	98	27%	0	0%
	15	0	0%	256	70%	0	0%
	16	0	0%	6	2%	0	0%
	17	0	0%	0	0%	62	30%
	18	0	0%	0	0%	144	69%
	19-20	0	0%	0	0%	3	1%
	No answer	1	0%	3	1%	0	0%
Race/ethnicity	American Indian	4	1%	2	1%	1	0%
	Black or African American	3	1%	6	2%	4	2%
	Hispanic or Latino	63	15%	33	9%	7	3%
	Asian American or Pacific Islander	1	0%	2	1%	2	1%
	White	307	74%	297	82%	191	91%
	Mixed race (checked more than one race/ethnicity)	14	3%	11	3%	1	0%
	I don't know / no answer	24	6%	13	4%	3	1%

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

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
How do you feel about going to school?	I like school very much	11%	28%	8%	12%	5%	5%
	I like school quite a bit	31%	39%	28%	39%	20%	33%
	I like school a little	29%	23%	33%	36%	35%	35%
	I don't like school very much	15%	7%	17%	9%	26%	20%
	I hate school	14%	4%	14%	4%	14%	7%
Which of these best describes your school plans?	I would like to quit school as soon as I can	4%	1%	3%	1%	1%	0%
	I plan to finish high school but won't go to college	7%	2%	6%	7%	5%	3%
	I'd like to go to some kind of trade or vocational school	1%	0%	9%	2%	14%	7%
	I'd like to go to college after high school	62%	55%	56%	52%	65%	55%
	I'd like to go to college and then to graduate school	27%	42%	26%	38%	15%	35%
During the last 30 days, how often have you skipped or cut full days of school?	Never	82%	82%	82%	77%	67%	57%
	Once or twice	12%	11%	14%	17%	18%	32%
	3 to 5 times	4%	5%	3%	3%	11%	5%
	6 to 10 times	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%	3%
	More than 10 times	0%	1%	1%	1%	3%	3%

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**TABLE 3
ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE**

Kandiyohi County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Mark the two grades you get the most often.	A only	4%	1%	0%	1%	4%	2%
	A and B only	49%	66%	53%	64%	64%	72%
	B only	4%	3%	2%	3%	3%	3%
	B and C only	22%	17%	25%	18%	15%	16%
	C only	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%
	C and D only	7%	5%	10%	7%	6%	3%
	D only	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%
	D and F only	1%	0%	3%	3%	2%	1%
	F only	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Not applicable or no answer	11%	6%	6%	3%	5%	1%

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**TABLE 4
PERCEPTIONS OF SCHOOL ENVIRONMENT
Kandiyohi County**

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
How many students in your school are friendly?	All	3%	5%	3%	1%	3%	1%
	Most	52%	59%	52%	46%	64%	53%
	Some	36%	31%	41%	46%	25%	37%
	A few	8%	5%	4%	8%	7%	9%
	None	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
How many students in your school behave well in the hallways and lunchroom?	All	4%	4%	5%	3%	7%	3%
	Most	43%	45%	49%	49%	49%	46%
	Some	34%	41%	36%	37%	32%	40%
	A few	18%	10%	8%	10%	10%	11%
	None	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	0%
How many students in your school have made fun of or threatened students of different races or backgrounds?	All	1%	3%	3%	1%	3%	0%
	Most	11%	12%	13%	14%	11%	12%
	Some	22%	21%	33%	31%	34%	26%
	A few	44%	47%	41%	43%	45%	55%
	None	22%	17%	11%	11%	7%	7%
How many of your teachers are interested in you as a person?	All	25%	33%	10%	8%	6%	3%
	Most	36%	42%	31%	31%	39%	43%
	Some	22%	12%	30%	30%	37%	37%
	A few	11%	11%	22%	24%	16%	16%
	None	5%	2%	7%	7%	2%	1%
How many of your teachers show respect for students?	All	48%	63%	25%	32%	18%	17%
	Most	38%	31%	52%	48%	59%	56%
	Some	5%	1%	15%	10%	13%	17%
	A few	7%	5%	5%	10%	6%	9%
	None	1%	0%	3%	0%	4%	0%

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TABLE 5
PERCEPTIONS OF SCHOOL SAFETY
Kandiyohi 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	51%	55%	47%	31%	52%	47%
	Agree	46%	40%	47%	65%	44%	52%
	Disagree	4%	4%	4%	4%	3%	1%
	Strongly disagree	0%	1%	2%	1%	1%	0%
I feel safe at school	Strongly agree	51%	61%	38%	25%	44%	36%
	Agree	44%	35%	53%	68%	50%	59%
	Disagree	4%	3%	7%	7%	5%	5%
	Strongly disagree	1%	1%	3%	1%	1%	0%
Bathrooms in this school are a safe place to be	Strongly agree	27%	26%	28%	17%	39%	31%
	Agree	45%	57%	47%	65%	48%	65%
	Disagree	24%	14%	20%	14%	11%	3%
	Strongly disagree	4%	2%	5%	4%	2%	1%
Illegal gang activity is a problem at this school	Strongly agree	12%	7%	11%	5%	6%	1%
	Agree	12%	15%	22%	23%	21%	12%
	Disagree	35%	38%	43%	52%	37%	47%
	Strongly disagree	42%	41%	25%	21%	36%	39%
Student use of alcohol or drugs is a problem at this school	Strongly agree	7%	9%	22%	29%	29%	37%
	Agree	15%	14%	43%	38%	36%	36%
	Disagree	32%	25%	26%	27%	27%	26%
	Strongly disagree	46%	52%	9%	6%	8%	2%

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TABLE 6
VICTIMIZATION AT SCHOOL
Kandiyohi 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? During the last 12 months, how many times has someone stolen or deliberately damaged your property at school?	Yes		4%	6%	16%	10%	23%	11%
	No		96%	94%	84%	90%	77%	89%
	0 times		61%	59%	54%	75%	70%	76%
	1 time		17%	21%	27%	12%	20%	19%
	2 or 3 times		15%	13%	16%	10%	7%	4%
	4 or 5 times		4%	4%	2%	2%	1%	1%
	6 or more times		4%	3%	1%	1%	2%	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		93%	95%	95%	96%	97%	96%
	1 day		3%	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%
	2 or 3 days		4%	2%	2%	1%	0%	2%
	4 or 5 days		0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	0%
	6 or more days		0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
During the last 12 months, which of the following has happened to you on school property? Has a student:	Insulted you?	Yes	65%	53%	69%	55%	61%	41%
		No	35%	47%	31%	45%	39%	59%
	Threatened you?	Yes	30%	17%	35%	11%	26%	10%
		No	70%	83%	65%	89%	74%	90%
	Pushed, shoved, or grabbed you?	Yes	58%	41%	56%	31%	38%	20%
		No	42%	59%	44%	69%	62%	80%
	Kicked, bitten, or hit you?	Yes	41%	32%	40%	14%	23%	8%
		No	59%	68%	60%	86%	77%	92%
	Stabbed you or fired a gun at you?	Yes	2%	1%	2%	0%	5%	2%
		No	98%	99%	98%	100%	95%	98%

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**TABLE 7A
ACTIVITIES
Kandiyohi 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	7%	4%	16%	3%	29%	3%
	1-2 hours	57%	54%	44%	37%	53%	39%
	3-5 hours	23%	25%	26%	37%	10%	40%
	6-10 hours	8%	11%	10%	16%	6%	13%
	11-20 hours	3%	5%	2%	5%	2%	4%
	21 hours or more	2%	1%	3%	2%	0%	0%
Band, choir, orchestra, music lessons, or practicing voice or an instrument	0 hours	64%	38%	71%	51%	75%	60%
	1-2 hours	22%	41%	16%	26%	7%	15%
	3-5 hours	9%	15%	6%	13%	12%	15%
	6-10 hours	4%	4%	5%	7%	3%	9%
	11-20 hours	0%	2%	2%	3%	4%	1%
	21 hours or more	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%
Activities-Clubs or organizations outside of school	0 hours	63%	43%	54%	44%	56%	56%
	1-2 hours	20%	30%	23%	24%	23%	24%
	3-5 hours	12%	16%	12%	15%	13%	11%
	6-10 hours	4%	10%	7%	9%	5%	5%
	11-20 hours	0%	2%	2%	5%	1%	3%
	21 hours or more	1%	0%	2%	2%	2%	1%
Activities-Playing sports on a school team	0 hours	54%	60%	41%	47%	55%	60%
	1-2 hours	15%	18%	10%	6%	8%	5%
	3-5 hours	18%	12%	12%	10%	7%	6%
	6-10 hours	9%	6%	18%	16%	10%	19%
	11-20 hours	2%	2%	14%	14%	16%	8%
	21 hours or more	2%	2%	6%	7%	3%	1%

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**TABLE 7B
ACTIVITIES
Kandiyohi 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	17%	15%	21%	16%	22%	19%
	1-2 hours	29%	34%	25%	35%	34%	43%
	3-5 hours	30%	34%	25%	28%	22%	27%
	6-10 hours	11%	13%	17%	10%	13%	7%
	11-20 hours	8%	2%	5%	5%	6%	2%
	21 hours or more	5%	2%	7%	7%	3%	2%
Attending services, groups, or programs at a church, synagogue, or mosque	0 hours	32%	17%	26%	18%	50%	45%
	1-2 hours	45%	53%	44%	38%	33%	35%
	3-5 hours	17%	22%	22%	30%	10%	15%
	6-10 hours	2%	5%	4%	9%	4%	5%
	11-20 hours	2%	1%	3%	2%	2%	0%
	21 hours or more	2%	1%	2%	3%	2%	0%
Activities-Reading for pleasure	0 hours	39%	19%	65%	32%	58%	41%
	1-2 hours	41%	52%	24%	40%	27%	41%
	3-5 hours	11%	16%	5%	14%	10%	9%
	6-10 hours	5%	7%	3%	7%	4%	6%
	11-20 hours	2%	3%	2%	5%	0%	2%
	21 hours or more	2%	3%	1%	3%	1%	0%
Activities-Watching TV or videos	0 hours	5%	6%	1%	3%	4%	7%
	1-2 hours	28%	38%	29%	37%	17%	36%
	3-5 hours	29%	31%	27%	31%	40%	34%
	6-10 hours	21%	14%	17%	20%	18%	16%
	11-20 hours	11%	7%	13%	7%	14%	6%
	21 hours or more	7%	3%	13%	2%	7%	0%
Activities-Playing computer or video games	0 hours	10%	24%	11%	29%	21%	47%
	1-2 hours	36%	45%	29%	25%	26%	38%
	3-5 hours	23%	15%	19%	26%	23%	9%
	6-10 hours	16%	10%	15%	10%	17%	3%
	11-20 hours	9%	3%	17%	4%	9%	2%
	21 hours or more	6%	2%	10%	6%	5%	0%

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**TABLE 7C
ACTIVITIES**

Kandiyohi 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	75%	68%	75%	65%	78%	64%
	1-2 hours	21%	23%	18%	23%	16%	27%
	3-5 hours	1%	8%	4%	7%	4%	9%
	6-10 hours	3%	0%	0%	3%	3%	0%
	11-20 hours	0%	0%	2%	2%	0%	0%
	21 hours or more	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%
Chores at home/babysitting for family	0 hours	20%	8%	29%	10%	35%	17%
	1-2 hours	47%	49%	46%	43%	46%	55%
	3-5 hours	21%	26%	16%	26%	14%	21%
	6-10 hours	6%	14%	5%	13%	2%	3%
	11-20 hours	2%	3%	3%	3%	1%	3%
	21 hours or more	3%	1%	2%	5%	3%	1%
Work for pay (including babysitting for others)	0 hours	53%	37%	49%	33%	17%	26%
	1-2 hours	23%	30%	21%	24%	10%	5%
	3-5 hours	14%	24%	10%	23%	8%	8%
	6-10 hours	5%	8%	11%	10%	12%	18%
	11-20 hours	2%	1%	4%	8%	27%	34%
	21 hours or more	4%	0%	5%	2%	26%	8%
Activities-Hanging out	0 hours	7%	7%	5%	5%	5%	2%
	1-2 hours	29%	18%	21%	15%	13%	18%
	3-5 hours	29%	36%	25%	27%	22%	20%
	6-10 hours	17%	21%	21%	22%	19%	30%
	11-20 hours	8%	10%	9%	14%	21%	19%
	21 hours or more	11%	7%	19%	16%	22%	11%

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

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Do you use a computer at home?	Yes	86%	87%	93%	91%	90%	96%
	No	14%	13%	7%	9%	10%	4%

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Do you use the Internet at home?	Yes	78%	74%	85%	86%	83%	91%
	No	22%	26%	15%	14%	17%	9%
What do you use the Internet for at home? (Mark all that apply)	E-mail	52%	66%	70%	81%	63%	84%
	Surfing the web	62%	55%	74%	65%	65%	66%
	Chat rooms	35%	33%	42%	43%	23%	23%
	Listening to or downloading music	36%	38%	66%	63%	63%	53%
	Playing games	67%	63%	66%	49%	55%	29%
	Entertainment or sports	35%	20%	45%	22%	51%	13%
	Homework or other research	55%	66%	56%	66%	59%	80%
	Shopping	20%	26%	37%	42%	37%	42%

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TABLE 9
FAMILY COMPOSITION AND PARENTAL COMMUNICATION
Kandiyohi County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Which adults do you live with?	Both biological parents	59%	67%	67%	63%	66%	60%
	Both adoptive parents	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%
	Mother and stepfather	5%	4%	3%	6%	4%	5%
	Father and stepmother	2%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%
	Mother only	13%	13%	16%	20%	14%	21%
	Father only	1%	1%	4%	2%	6%	3%
	Sometimes with mother, sometimes with father	10%	11%	6%	6%	2%	0%
	Other	6%	2%	2%	1%	4%	6%
	No adults or no answer	2%	2%	1%	1%	3%	1%
Can you talk to your father about problems you are having?	Yes, most of the time	50%	39%	50%	26%	43%	35%
	Yes, some of the time	31%	33%	26%	30%	23%	29%
	No, not very often	6%	13%	11%	21%	20%	20%
	No, not at all	7%	6%	6%	11%	9%	10%
	My father is not around	6%	9%	7%	11%	5%	6%
Can you talk to your mother about problems you are having?	Yes, most of the time	63%	78%	54%	53%	45%	54%
	Yes, some of the time	29%	15%	31%	30%	36%	29%
	No, not very often	6%	3%	8%	10%	12%	12%
	No, not at all	2%	1%	5%	5%	2%	3%
	My mother is not around	0%	2%	3%	2%	5%	2%

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**TABLE 10
PERCEPTIONS OF FAMILY CARING
Kandiyohi 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%	0%	1%	1%	2%	1%
	A little	1%	1%	3%	6%	5%	3%
	Some	2%	1%	6%	5%	12%	2%
	Quite a bit	3%	4%	9%	8%	15%	12%
	Very much	93%	94%	81%	80%	66%	82%
... other adult relatives care about you?	Not at all	0%	1%	1%	2%	3%	3%
	A little	2%	1%	5%	6%	10%	3%
	Some	7%	3%	12%	10%	11%	10%
	Quite a bit	16%	12%	23%	24%	38%	22%
	Very much	74%	84%	59%	58%	38%	61%
... your family cares about your feelings?	Not at all	1%	2%	2%	6%	7%	3%
	A little	2%	3%	11%	3%	10%	7%
	Some	11%	7%	12%	21%	15%	15%
	Quite a bit	24%	18%	24%	26%	30%	25%
	Very much	61%	70%	52%	44%	38%	49%
... your family understands you?	Not at all	2%	5%	8%	11%	14%	7%
	A little	6%	4%	16%	20%	13%	14%
	Some	20%	18%	19%	23%	28%	24%
	Quite a bit	28%	31%	33%	32%	22%	31%
	Very much	44%	42%	24%	14%	22%	24%
... your family has lots of fun together?	Not at all	3%	2%	6%	10%	15%	5%
	A little	8%	6%	16%	19%	17%	18%
	Some	10%	16%	25%	24%	24%	20%
	Quite a bit	27%	24%	28%	27%	28%	33%
	Very much	52%	52%	25%	20%	17%	24%
... your family respects your privacy?	Not at all	5%	5%	7%	10%	16%	5%
	A little	9%	4%	13%	15%	14%	13%
	Some	12%	12%	18%	20%	11%	25%
	Quite a bit	26%	22%	33%	30%	33%	22%
	Very much	47%	57%	29%	25%	25%	35%

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**TABLE 11
PERCEPTIONS OF OTHERS CARING
Kandiyohi 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 A	3%	2%	5%	1%	2%	2%
	little Some	10%	5%	6%	7%	7%	6%
	Quite a bit	20%	11%	24%	20%	22%	18%
	Very much	43%	31%	39%	30%	46%	33%
	Not at all	24%	50%	26%	42%	23%	41%
... teachers or other adults at school care about you? *	A little	6%	2%	8%	4%	6%	4%
	Some	10%	4%	16%	24%	15%	28%
	Quite a bit	21%	15%	34%	40%	41%	30%
	Very much	39%	38%	31%	23%	29%	28%
	Not at all	25%	40%	11%	8%	9%	9%
... church or spiritual leaders care about you? *	A little	6%	6%	9%	6%	14%	11%
	Some	9%	2%	4%	13%	13%	20%
	Quite a bit	18%	14%	22%	17%	17%	26%
	Very much	25%	35%	31%	30%	33%	23%
	Not at all	43%	43%	34%	33%	23%	21%
... police officers care about you?	A little	8%	6%	20%	19%	25%	24%
	Some	16%	7%	22%	24%	31%	35%
	Quite a bit	15%	12%	29%	29%	24%	26%
	Very much	28%	26%	18%	20%	14%	9%
	Not at all	33%	50%	10%	8%	6%	5%
... other adults in your community care about you?	A little	9%	4%	12%	11%	13%	21%
	Some	19%	9%	24%	25%	32%	24%
	Quite a bit	24%	18%	36%	37%	27%	26%
	Very much	34%	42%	17%	18%	19%	21%
		14%	27%	10%	9%	9%	7%

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

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**TABLE 12
FAMILY SUBSTANCE ABUSE
Kandiyohi 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	14%	20%	11%	22%	10%	22%
	No	86%	80%	89%	78%	90%	78%
Whose use? (Mark all that apply)	Family alc problems-Parent who lives with me	5%	8%	5%	7%	5%	7%
	Family alc problems-Parent who doesn't live with me	5%	3%	3%	8%	3%	6%
	Family alc problems-Other relative	8%	12%	6%	11%	5%	10%
Has drug use by any family member repeatedly caused family, health, job, or legal problems?	Yes	11%	12%	8%	13%	7%	17%
	No	89%	88%	92%	87%	93%	83%
Whose use? (Mark all that apply)	Family drug problems-Parent who lives with me	1%	4%	3%	0%	3%	2%
	Family drug problems-Parent who doesn't live with me	5%	2%	2%	3%	1%	5%
	Family drug problems-Other relative	6%	9%	5%	11%	4%	10%

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**TABLE 13
FAMILY/DATE VIOLENCE
Kandiyohi County**

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Have you ever been the victim of violence on a date? *	Yes			3%	4%	7%	6%
	No			97%	96%	93%	94%
Has any adult in your household ever hit you so hard that you had marks or were afraid of that person?	Yes	13%	8%	7%	15%	7%	12%
	No	87%	92%	93%	85%	93%	88%
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%	9%	11%	13%	7%	14%
	No	90%	91%	89%	87%	93%	86%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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**TABLE 14
SEXUAL ABUSE
Kandiyohi County**

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Have you ever been the victim of date rape? *	Yes			3%	1%	4%	4%
	No			97%	99%	96%	96%
Has any older person outside the family touched you sexually against your wishes or forced you to touch them sexually?	Yes	1%	7%	1%	10%	1%	10%
	No	99%	93%	99%	90%	99%	90%
Has any older/stronger member of your family touched you sexually or had you touch them sexually?	Yes	0%	3%	1%	4%	1%	3%
	No	100%	97%	99%	96%	99%	97%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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**TABLE 15
GENERAL HEALTH ISSUES
Kandiyohi 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	46%	52%	38%	41%	30%	49%
	1-2 years ago	24%	21%	49%	48%	44%	26%
	3-4 years ago	6%	3%	7%	5%	18%	15%
	More than 4 years ago	6%	10%	2%	1%	5%	5%
	I have never had a physical exam	17%	13%	3%	6%	4%	4%
Have you ever been treated for an alcohol or other drug problem? *	No			96%	99%	96%	96%
	Yes			4%	1%	4%	4%
Do you have a mental or physical health problem that has lasted at least 12 months?	No	88%	89%	91%	86%	86%	84%
	Yes	13%	11%	9%	14%	14%	16%
In the past 12 months, how often have you blacked out because someone hit you in the head?	Never	93%	94%	91%	98%	95%	96%
	Once	5%	5%	8%	2%	2%	2%
	Two times or more	2%	1%	2%	1%	4%	2%
In the past 12 months, how often have you blacked out because you fell or were accidentally hit in the head?	Never	83%	90%	84%	88%	87%	87%
	Once	14%	7%	15%	12%	13%	9%
	Two times or more	3%	3%	2%	1%	0%	4%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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**TABLE 16
WEIGHT-RELATED ISSUES
Kandiyohi 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				9%	30%	15%	29%
	No				91%	70%	85%	71%
At the present time, do you think you are...	Underweight		11%	8%	10%	6%	17%	6%
	About the right weight		72%	76%	70%	61%	63%	60%
	Overweight		16%	16%	20%	33%	20%	33%
During the last 12 months, have you done any of the following to lose or control weight? (Mark all that apply) *	Exercise	Yes			71%	88%	50%	74%
		No			29%	13%	50%	26%
	Fast or skip meals	Yes			17%	42%	17%	46%
		No			83%	58%	83%	54%
	Smoke cigarettes	Yes			4%	8%	8%	15%
		No			96%	92%	92%	85%
	Use diet pills or speed	Yes			2%	4%	5%	13%
		No			98%	96%	95%	87%
	Vomit on purpose after eating	Yes			1%	10%	1%	8%
		No			99%	90%	99%	92%
	Use laxatives	Yes			2%	1%	1%	3%
		No			98%	99%	99%	97%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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**TABLE 17
EXERCISE**

Kandiyohi 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	9%	7%	9%	12%	23%	25%
	1 day	7%	4%	5%	12%	6%	10%
	2 days	10%	6%	12%	11%	16%	18%
	3 days	14%	18%	12%	17%	15%	13%
	4 days	15%	20%	13%	12%	7%	10%
	5 days	15%	17%	13%	15%	12%	13%
	6 days	9%	12%	9%	9%	14%	5%
	7 days	23%	15%	27%	12%	6%	6%
On how many of the last 7 days were you physically active for a combined total of at least 30 minutes?	0 days	5%	3%	6%	5%	18%	16%
	1 day	7%	4%	5%	15%	5%	19%
	2 days	10%	14%	9%	14%	14%	20%
	3 days	15%	17%	8%	12%	12%	12%
	4 days	16%	18%	15%	15%	14%	8%
	5 days	14%	19%	15%	14%	12%	11%
	6 days	8%	10%	10%	10%	14%	5%
	7 days	24%	16%	34%	15%	13%	8%

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TABLE 18
NUTRITION
Kandiyohi 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	11%	13%	12%	23%	13%	20%
	1-2 glasses	50%	50%	42%	50%	47%	60%
	3-4 glasses	26%	26%	33%	20%	27%	20%
	5 or more glasses	12%	11%	13%	7%	13%	1%
100% fruit juice	0 glasses	46%	40%	46%	43%	44%	42%
	1-2 glasses	44%	44%	40%	48%	41%	51%
	3-4 glasses	8%	10%	8%	7%	13%	5%
	5 or more glasses	2%	6%	6%	2%	3%	2%
Fruit juice drinks	0 glasses	45%	42%	43%	51%	48%	67%
	1-2 glasses	40%	46%	41%	40%	41%	27%
	3-4 glasses	12%	8%	11%	5%	7%	5%
	5 or more glasses	3%	4%	4%	3%	5%	0%
Pop or soda	0 glasses	30%	35%	25%	40%	22%	35%
	1-2 glasses	51%	53%	40%	40%	39%	43%
	3-4 glasses	12%	8%	24%	13%	28%	13%
	5 or more glasses	7%	3%	12%	8%	12%	9%
Sports drinks	0 glasses	67%	67%	63%	86%	72%	86%
	1-2 glasses	22%	25%	26%	9%	17%	12%
	3-4 glasses	9%	5%	7%	4%	7%	2%
	5 or more glasses	3%	3%	4%	2%	4%	0%
Water	0 glasses	6%	5%	9%	8%	12%	12%
	1-2 glasses	24%	21%	22%	28%	35%	39%
	3-4 glasses	30%	26%	33%	29%	28%	30%
	5 or more glasses	39%	48%	37%	34%	25%	19%
How many servings of fruits, fruit juices, or vegetables did you eat yesterday?	0 servings	14%	7%	6%	5%	12%	4%
	1 serving	9%	5%	14%	16%	19%	26%
	2 servings	22%	16%	25%	17%	22%	25%
	3 servings	20%	23%	22%	31%	25%	21%
	4 servings	20%	26%	15%	20%	10%	13%
	5 or more servings	16%	23%	18%	11%	13%	11%

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TABLE 19
SEAT BELT USE
Kandiyohi 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	4%	1%	4%	2%	13%	4%
	Sometimes	15%	6%	20%	11%	22%	13%
	Often	31%	25%	26%	27%	17%	30%
	Always	49%	68%	49%	60%	48%	53%
...drive a car? *	I never do this activity			22%	27%	4%	3%
	Never			4%	1%	16%	2%
	Sometimes			9%	5%	15%	7%
	Often			8%	5%	9%	10%
	Always			57%	62%	56%	77%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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TABLE 20
SOURCES OF INFORMATION ON RISK BEHAVIORS
Kandiyohi 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	32%	44%	51%	71%	74%	80%
	Alc-drug info: Parents	69%	74%	57%	62%	34%	57%
	Alc-drug info: Brothers or sisters	25%	29%	25%	33%	22%	28%
	Alc-drug info: School, teachers, or counselors	85%	84%	65%	75%	50%	52%
	Alc-drug info: Clinics, doctors, or nurses	19%	20%	10%	17%	5%	10%
	Alc-drug info: Internet	12%	10%	19%	17%	16%	20%
	Alc-drug info: TV, radio, magazines, newspapers, or books	39%	39%	48%	41%	29%	47%
	Alc-drug info: I do not know much about alcohol or drugs	2%	2%	5%	1%	8%	2%
Where have you received most of your information about sex? (Mark all that apply)	Sex info: Friends or peers	31%	29%	60%	65%	74%	80%
	Sex info: Parents	50%	58%	39%	52%	24%	43%
	Sex info: Brothers or sisters	15%	15%	14%	22%	15%	10%
	Sex info: School, teachers, or counselors	74%	71%	55%	70%	47%	65%
	Sex info: Clinics, doctors, or nurses	15%	18%	6%	16%	4%	23%
	Sex info: Internet	10%	6%	28%	17%	27%	16%
	Sex info: TV, radio, magazines, newspapers, or books	27%	24%	46%	42%	35%	44%
	Sex info: I do not know much about sex	7%	10%	2%	2%	1%	0%

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TABLE 21
SELF-ESTEEM *
Kandiyohi County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
I usually feel good about myself.	Disagree	2%	6%	2%	10%	4%	10%
	Mostly disagree	3%	3%	8%	14%	9%	12%
	Mostly agree	39%	39%	35%	48%	36%	51%
	Agree	56%	51%	54%	29%	51%	27%
I am able to do things as well as most other people my age.	Disagree	6%	6%	5%	6%	3%	6%
	Mostly disagree	3%	4%	4%	6%	5%	5%
	Mostly agree	38%	34%	28%	42%	36%	40%
	Agree	53%	55%	63%	46%	56%	48%
On the whole, I'm satisfied with myself.	Disagree	3%	4%	4%	10%	6%	6%
	Mostly disagree	3%	4%	8%	14%	9%	19%
	Mostly agree	34%	33%	31%	45%	31%	44%
	Agree	60%	58%	57%	32%	54%	31%
I feel I do not have much to be proud of.	Agree	12%	9%	10%	10%	6%	7%
	Mostly agree	7%	9%	10%	16%	12%	15%
	Mostly disagree	27%	19%	21%	31%	28%	31%
	Disagree	54%	63%	59%	43%	55%	46%
Sometimes I think that I am no good.	Agree	16%	13%	11%	20%	7%	10%
	Mostly agree	10%	13%	12%	22%	14%	19%
	Mostly disagree	27%	24%	21%	25%	21%	31%
	Disagree	47%	50%	57%	34%	58%	40%
I feel that I can't do anything right.	Agree	11%	8%	8%	12%	3%	4%
	Mostly agree	7%	10%	7%	19%	7%	21%
	Mostly disagree	27%	25%	18%	32%	28%	30%
	Disagree	55%	56%	67%	38%	62%	45%
I feel that my life is not very useful.	Agree	5%	7%	7%	8%	6%	3%
	Mostly agree	7%	8%	10%	12%	9%	8%
	Mostly disagree	22%	21%	13%	21%	17%	31%
	Disagree	67%	65%	71%	59%	68%	58%

* 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
Kandiyohi 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	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%
	Bad	3%	3%	3%	4%	7%	3%
	Up and down a lot	44%	42%	29%	54%	29%	52%
	Very good	39%	41%	52%	32%	42%	39%
	Excellent	13%	13%	14%	10%	22%	5%
... have you felt you were under any stress or pressure?	Yes, almost more than I could take	4%	8%	6%	18%	10%	18%
	Yes, quite a bit of pressure	8%	8%	18%	24%	29%	38%
	Yes, more than usual	14%	13%	18%	20%	16%	19%
	Yes, a little	47%	48%	42%	32%	29%	24%
	Not at all	27%	23%	16%	7%	17%	2%
... have you felt sad?	All the time	1%	4%	2%	5%	4%	5%
	Most of the time	2%	9%	6%	14%	7%	14%
	Some of the time	16%	22%	18%	37%	24%	39%
	Little of the time	55%	47%	49%	36%	37%	37%
	None of the time	26%	18%	25%	8%	29%	4%
... 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	1%	3%	2%	5%	4%	4%
	Quite a bit	6%	7%	5%	14%	8%	10%
	Some, enough to bother me	14%	10%	13%	23%	11%	24%
	A little bit	26%	28%	21%	25%	23%	26%
	Not at all	53%	52%	60%	33%	53%	36%
... have you felt nervous, worried, or upset?	All the time	2%	3%	3%	9%	5%	4%
	Most of the time	5%	9%	9%	15%	7%	14%
	Some of the time	23%	20%	20%	35%	31%	36%
	Little of the time	47%	51%	49%	32%	37%	40%
	None of the time	22%	17%	19%	9%	21%	5%
... how satisfied have you been with your personal life?	Very dissatisfied	2%	4%	8%	6%	6%	3%
	Somewhat dissatisfied	4%	10%	12%	31%	18%	20%
	Satisfied	37%	26%	30%	30%	37%	44%
	Very satisfied	36%	35%	34%	26%	21%	25%
	Extremely satisfied	21%	25%	17%	7%	18%	8%

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TABLE 23
SUICIDAL THOUGHTS AND BEHAVIOR
Kandiyohi County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Have you ever thought about killing yourself?	No	83%	82%	77%	56%	71%	57%
	Yes, during the last year	10%	12%	13%	34%	17%	16%
	Yes, more than a year ago	7%	6%	10%	10%	12%	27%
Have you ever tried to kill yourself?	No	97%	94%	93%	84%	90%	85%
	Yes, during the last year	1%	4%	3%	10%	1%	4%
	Yes, more than a year ago	2%	2%	4%	5%	9%	11%

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TABLE 24
GAMBLING BEHAVIOR *
Kandiyohi 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	55%	89%	35%	69%
	Less than once a month	17%	6%	15%	12%
	About once a month	9%	2%	18%	11%
	About once a week	14%	2%	19%	7%
	Daily	6%	1%	14%	0%
Bet on games of personal skill like pool, golf, or bowling	Not at all	57%	92%	43%	79%
	Less than once a month	16%	6%	21%	12%
	About once a month	13%	1%	16%	4%
	About once a week	11%	1%	11%	3%
	Daily	3%	0%	9%	1%
Bet money on sports teams	Not at all	57%	92%	55%	88%
	Less than once a month	23%	7%	20%	7%
	About once a month	10%	0%	13%	3%
	About once a week	8%	1%	7%	1%
	Daily	2%	0%	6%	1%
Bought lottery tickets or scratch-offs	Not at all	86%	95%	52%	69%
	Less than once a month	5%	4%	10%	14%
	About once a month	4%	0%	20%	7%
	About once a week	2%	1%	12%	6%
	Daily	3%	0%	6%	3%
Gambled in a casino	Not at all	94%	98%	60%	56%
	Less than once a month	1%	1%	16%	31%
	About once a month	3%	1%	11%	11%
	About once a week	2%	0%	10%	1%
	Daily	1%	0%	3%	1%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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TABLE 25
GAMBLING CONSEQUENCES *
Kandiyohi 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	3%	3%	18%	8%
	No	57%	18%	56%	40%
	I don't bet for money	40%	79%	26%	52%
... that you would like to stop betting money but didn't think you could?	Yes	4%	2%	6%	2%
	No	56%	19%	69%	46%
	I don't bet for money	40%	80%	26%	52%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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TABLE 26
DESTRUCTIVE AND ANTISOCIAL BEHAVIOR
Kandiyohi 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%	90%	93%	86%	93%	92%
	Once or twice	9%	9%	4%	10%	6%	6%
	3 to 5 times	1%	1%	1%	2%	0%	1%
	6 to 10 times	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%
	More than 10 times	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%
During the last 12 months, how often have you damaged or destroyed property at school or somewhere else?	Never	81%	90%	79%	85%	79%	86%
	Once or twice	14%	8%	12%	13%	15%	13%
	3 to 5 times	4%	2%	5%	2%	5%	0%
	6 to 10 times	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%
	More than 10 times	1%	0%	4%	0%	1%	0%
During the last 12 months, how often have you hit or beat up another person?	Never	69%	81%	69%	85%	83%	81%
	Once or twice	22%	15%	18%	11%	15%	15%
	3 to 5 times	4%	3%	7%	2%	0%	3%
	6 to 10 times	3%	1%	3%	0%	1%	0%
	More than 10 times	2%	2%	3%	2%	1%	0%
During the last 12 months, how often have you taken something from a store without paying for it?	Never	92%	93%	85%	91%	70%	76%
	Once or twice	6%	5%	9%	4%	16%	15%
	3 to 5 times	1%	1%	2%	1%	5%	4%
	6 to 10 times	0%	0%	2%	1%	3%	1%
	More than 10 times	0%	1%	2%	4%	7%	3%
Do you get a real kick out of doing things that are a little dangerous?	Not at all A	38%	66%	27%	38%	18%	38%
	little Quite	34%	23%	34%	49%	47%	47%
	a bit Very	17%	8%	20%	7%	25%	9%
	much	11%	3%	18%	6%	10%	5%
On how many of the last 30 days did you carry a gun on school property?	0 days	99%	100%	97%	100%	98%	99%
	1 day	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%
	2 or 3 days	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
	6 or more days	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
On how many of the last 30 days did you carry a weapon (other than a gun) on school property?	0 days	96%	99%	90%	98%	84%	96%
	1 day	3%	1%	4%	1%	5%	1%
	2 or 3 days	0%	0%	2%	1%	1%	1%
	4 or 5 days	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
	6 or more days	1%	0%	3%	1%	10%	2%

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TABLE 27
SUMMARY OF SUBSTANCE USE *
Kandiyohi County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Use of any tobacco products during the past year	No	97%	93%	77%	79%	51%	56%
	Yes	3%	7%	23%	21%	49%	44%
DAILY use of any tobacco products during the past year	No	100%	99%	92%	95%	75%	81%
	Yes	0%	1%	8%	5%	25%	19%
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	100%	99%	94%	95%	70%	82%
	Yes	0%	1%	6%	5%	30%	18%
Any alcohol and/or other drug use during the past year (excluding tobacco)	No alcohol or other drug use in the past year	88%	89%	62%	54%	49%	36%
	Used only alcohol in the past year	8%	7%	27%	30%	21%	38%
	Used only other drugs in the past year	1%	1%	1%	3%	0%	0%
	Used both alcohol and other drugs in the past year	3%	3%	10%	14%	30%	26%

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

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**TABLE 28
CIGARETTE USE
Kandiyohi 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	98%	93%	81%	79%	60%	57%
	Less than monthly	1%	4%	8%	13%	11%	14%
	Monthly	0%	2%	3%	1%	6%	3%
	Weekly	0%	1%	3%	2%	5%	7%
	Daily	0%	1%	4%	5%	19%	19%
During the last 30 days, on how many days did you smoke a cigarette?	0 days	98%	95%	85%	85%	64%	65%
	1 or 2 days	1%	3%	5%	6%	10%	12%
	3 to 5 days	0%	2%	3%	3%	4%	7%
	6 to 9 days	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	10 to 19 days	0%	0%	2%	1%	8%	2%
	20 to 29 days	0%	0%	0%	2%	8%	3%
	All 30 days	0%	0%	4%	2%	6%	10%
During the last 30 days, how frequently have you smoked cigarettes?	Never	98%	95%	88%	86%	64%	65%
	Less than one cigarette per day	0%	3%	7%	10%	16%	17%
	One to five cigarettes per day	0%	2%	2%	3%	10%	12%
	About one-half pack per day	0%	1%	1%	1%	7%	3%
	About one pack per day	0%	0%	1%	1%	3%	2%
	About one and one-half packs per day	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%
	Two packs or more per day	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
If you have not smoked a cigarette in the last year, do you think you will during the next year?	Definitely yes	0%	1%	8%	2%	13%	7%
	Probably yes	4%	3%	7%	6%	13%	10%
	Probably not	12%	7%	15%	13%	16%	11%
	Definitely not	85%	89%	70%	78%	58%	71%

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

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**TABLE 29
CIGAR AND SMOKELESS TOBACCO USE
*Kandiyohi 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	99%	99%	88%	100%	80%	99%
	Less than monthly	1%	0%	5%	0%	5%	1%
	Monthly	0%	1%	1%	0%	4%	0%
	Weekly	0%	0%	2%	0%	3%	0%
	Daily	0%	0%	4%	0%	9%	0%
During the last 12 months, how often have you used cigars, cigarillos, or little cigars?	Not at all	99%	98%	85%	96%	64%	92%
	Less than monthly	1%	2%	8%	2%	22%	3%
	Monthly	0%	1%	3%	1%	8%	5%
	Weekly	0%	0%	1%	1%	4%	0%
	Daily	0%	0%	4%	0%	3%	0%

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

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TABLE 30
ACCESS TO TOBACCO
Kandiyohi 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%	17%	12%	73%	71%
	Bought it at bars or restaurants	0%	0%	9%	0%	7%	5%
	Bought it at grocery, discount, or drug stores	25%	9%	9%	0%	13%	13%
	Bought it at places like bowling alleys, video arcades, or pool halls	0%	0%	6%	0%	0%	0%
	Bought it from vending machines	0%	0%	6%	0%	0%	3%
	Bought it on the Internet *			9%	0%	0%	3%
	Got it from friends	75%	55%	63%	62%	38%	42%
	Got it from family members	0%	9%	14%	12%	2%	13%
	Got it by getting someone else to buy for me	0%	18%	37%	38%	13%	13%
	Took it from my home	25%	36%	20%	15%	0%	3%
	Took it from a friend's home	0%	27%	14%	12%	0%	8%
	Took it from stores	25%	0%	11%	8%	2%	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	0%	0%	14%	0%	0%	13%
	No	100%	100%	86%	100%	100%	88%

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

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TABLE 31
ALCOHOL USE FREQUENCY AND QUANTITY
Kandiyohi 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	89%	90%	62%	58%	50%	37%
	1-2	6%	7%	15%	19%	4%	12%
	3-5	3%	1%	4%	9%	8%	11%
	6-9	0%	1%	5%	4%	4%	8%
	10-19	0%	0%	8%	7%	11%	19%
	20-39	1%	0%	2%	3%	10%	8%
	40+	0%	1%	3%	1%	13%	5%
On how many occasions (if any) have you had alcoholic beverages to drink during the last 30 days?	0	95%	96%	73%	71%	54%	51%
	1-2	2%	4%	14%	16%	13%	23%
	3-5	2%	0%	5%	6%	14%	17%
	6-9	0%	0%	6%	4%	9%	6%
	10-19	0%	0%	1%	2%	8%	3%
	20-39	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%
	40+	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	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	96%	92%	65%	60%	49%	36%
	1 glass, can, or drink	3%	6%	16%	16%	5%	9%
	2 glasses, cans, or drinks	0%	1%	7%	6%	3%	9%
	3 glasses, cans, or drinks	0%	0%	4%	4%	2%	12%
	4 glasses, cans, or drinks	0%	1%	2%	6%	4%	12%
	5 glasses, cans, or drinks	0%	0%	0%	5%	7%	9%
	6 or more glasses, cans, or drinks	1%	1%	6%	4%	30%	15%
Over the last 2 weeks, how many times (if any) have you had five or more drinks in a row? *	Never			87%	84%	64%	72%
	Once			5%	9%	10%	11%
	Twice			2%	5%	11%	9%
	3 - 5 times			4%	1%	11%	7%
	6 - 9 times			1%	1%	4%	0%
	10 or more times			1%	1%	1%	1%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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TABLE 32
ACCESS TO ALCOHOL
Kandiyohi County

INCLUDES ONLY THOSE WHO USED ALCOHOL IN THE LAST 30 DAYS *		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%	7%	4%
	Bought it at stores	0%	0%	6%	0%	4%	6%
	Bought it on the Internet **			2%	0%	4%	2%
	Got it from friends	9%	57%	55%	64%	69%	70%
	Got it from family members	36%	29%	32%	15%	18%	19%
	Got it by getting someone else to buy for me	9%	0%	21%	21%	53%	49%
	Got it at parties	18%	0%	28%	38%	51%	60%
	Took it from my home	9%	29%	23%	15%	9%	11%
	Took it from a friend's home	9%	14%	13%	13%	4%	9%
	Took it from stores	0%	0%	4%	0%	2%	4%

INCLUDES ONLY THOSE WHO BOUGHT ALCOHOL IN THE LAST 30 DAYS		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%	3%	0%	8%	10%
	No	100%	100%	97%	100%	92%	90%

* 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 *
Kandiyohi 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	95%	97%	70%	76%
	Once	2%	2%	1%	7%
	Twice	1%	1%	5%	8%
	3 or more times	2%	0%	23%	9%
Do you ever ride with friends after they have been using alcohol or drugs?	No	75%	60%	49%	45%
	Yes, but rarely	12%	19%	31%	38%
	Yes, often	5%	7%	18%	8%
	None of my friends use alcohol or other drugs	9%	14%	3%	8%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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TABLE 34
MARIJUANA, INHALANTS, AND PRESCRIPTION DRUGS
Kandiyohi County

On how many occasions (if any) have you ...		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	99%	98%	88%	86%	71%	76%
	1-2	0%	1%	2%	3%	4%	4%
	3-5	0%	1%	2%	2%	7%	6%
	6-9	0%	0%	2%	2%	3%	3%
	10-19	0%	0%	1%	3%	4%	2%
	20-39	0%	0%	3%	1%	1%	2%
	40+	0%	1%	2%	4%	10%	6%
... used marijuana (grass, pot) or hashish (hash, hash oil) during the last 30 days?	0	100%	99%	91%	88%	79%	83%
	1-2	0%	1%	4%	5%	9%	9%
	3-5	0%	1%	0%	2%	2%	2%
	6-9	0%	0%	3%	2%	4%	2%
	10-19	0%	0%	2%	1%	2%	2%
	20-39	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%
	40+	0%	0%	1%	1%	3%	1%
... sniffed glue or inhaled any other gases or sprays in order to get high during the last 12 months? *	0	98%	97%	97%	94%	99%	97%
	1-2	1%	3%	0%	2%	0%	1%
	3-5	0%	0%	1%	2%	0%	0%
	6-9	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%
	10-19	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%
	20-39	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
	40+	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%
... taken other people's prescription drugs during the last 12 months? *	0	99%	100%	96%	91%	95%	89%
	1-2	1%	0%	2%	6%	3%	3%
	3-5	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	3%
	6-9	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	2%
	10-19	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	2%
	20-39	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
	40+	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%

* 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 *
Kandiyohi County

During the last 12 months, on how many occasions (if any) have you ...		Grade			
		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%
... taken amphetamines on your own without a doctor telling you to take them?	0	93%	92%	95%	93%
	1-2	3%	3%	2%	2%
	3-5	2%	3%	0%	2%
	6-9	1%	1%	3%	2%
	10-19	2%	1%	0%	0%
	20-39	0%	0%	0%	1%
... used methamphetamine (meth, speed, crank, crystal meth) by any method?	0	95%	95%	95%	88%
	1-2	1%	2%	1%	4%
	3-5	2%	1%	3%	1%
	6-9	0%	1%	0%	0%
	10-19	2%	1%	1%	2%
	20-39	0%	0%	0%	4%
	40+				
... used "crack" (cocaine in chunk or rock form), or cocaine in any other form?	0	95%	96%	96%	93%
	1-2	1%	1%	1%	4%
	3-5	2%	1%	1%	0%
	6-9	1%	0%	1%	1%
	10-19	0%	1%	1%	0%
	20-39	1%	0%	0%	1%
	40+	0%	1%	0%	1%
... used MDMA ("ecstasy")?	0	95%	98%	99%	97%
	1-2	2%	1%	1%	2%
	3-5	1%	0%	0%	0%
	6-9	0%	1%	0%	1%
	10-19	1%	0%	0%	0%
	20-39	1%	1%	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 36
HALLUCINOGENS, OPIATES, AND TRANQUILIZERS *
Kandiyohi 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	94%	98%	97%	98%
	1-2	2%	1%	2%	2%
	3-5	1%	0%	0%	0%
	6-9	2%	0%	0%	0%
	10-19	1%	1%	1%	0%
	40+	1%	0%	0%	0%
... used heroin or any other narcotics or opiates?	0	94%	97%	98%	97%
	1-2	2%	1%	1%	3%
	3-5	1%	0%	1%	0%
	6-9	0%	1%	0%	0%
	10-19	2%	0%	0%	0%
	20-39	1%	0%	0%	0%
... taken barbiturates or tranquilizers without a doctor telling you to take them?	0	95%	97%	97%	99%
	1-2	1%	1%	1%	0%
	3-5	1%	0%	1%	1%
	6-9	1%	1%	1%	0%
	10-19	1%	1%	0%	0%
	20-39	0%	1%	0%	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 *
Kandiyohi 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	43%	48%	57%	50%
	Bought them from people I don't know	21%	5%	25%	28%
	Bought them on the Internet	14%	0%	0%	0%
	Got them from friends	71%	86%	86%	83%
	Got them from family members	29%	19%	0%	11%
	Got them by getting someone else to buy for me	29%	19%	14%	6%
	Got them at parties	57%	43%	39%	44%
	Took them from my home	29%	10%	11%	17%
	Took them from a friend's home	29%	10%	4%	6%

* 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
Kandiyohi County

<i>Do you ever use alcohol or other drugs ...</i>		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
...before school?	Yes	1%	1%	7%	6%	18%	7%
	No	99%	99%	93%	94%	82%	93%
...during school?	Yes	0%	1%	5%	3%	14%	7%
	No	100%	99%	95%	97%	86%	93%
...right after school?	Yes	1%	3%	11%	11%	28%	19%
	No	99%	97%	89%	89%	72%	81%

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**TABLE 39
REASONS FOR SUBSTANCE USE ***

Kandiyohi 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	48%	53%	62%	63%
	Reasons to use: To get high or smashed	26%	31%	56%	44%
	Reasons to use: To have fun at parties	46%	49%	80%	76%
	To escape from school, family or personal problems	22%	53%	22%	37%
	Because my parents aren't around	6%	15%	8%	10%
	Because my friends do	18%	22%	26%	34%
	Because my parents do	4%	3%	6%	5%
	Because I like the taste	46%	29%	42%	27%
	Because I'm sad, lonely, or angry	18%	29%	10%	17%
	Because it's illegal	6%	8%	16%	8%
	Because of peer pressure	14%	17%	12%	10%

* 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 *
Kandiyohi 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	78%	83%
	Reasons not using alc: One or both of my parents would object	72%	83%
	Reasons not using alc: I have no desire to use	84%	88%
	Reasons not using alc: Use is against my principles or religious beliefs	33%	42%
	Reasons not using alc: Alcohol and drugs are dangerous	80%	88%
	Reasons not using alc: Alcohol and drug education at school	62%	70%
	Reasons not using alc: Use could affect my performance in school, sports, or other activities	79%	89%

* 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 *

Kandiyohi 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%	91%	81%	85%
	Yes	7%	9%	19%	15%
...have you tried to cut down on your alcohol or other drug use but couldn't?	No or no use	94%	87%	94%	91%
	Yes	6%	13%	6%	9%
...has alcohol or other drug use hurt your relationships with friends or family?	No or no use	97%	91%	93%	86%
	Yes	3%	9%	7%	14%
...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	92%	85%	76%	71%
	Once	3%	9%	7%	11%
	Twice	1%	6%	4%	3%
	3 or more times	3%	1%	13%	14%
...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%	93%	94%	91%
	Once	3%	4%	5%	3%
	Twice	0%	2%	0%	3%
	3 or more times	2%	1%	1%	2%
...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%	88%	88%	79%
	Once	2%	7%	5%	11%
	Twice	1%	1%	3%	3%
	3 or more times	1%	4%	3%	7%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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TABLE 41B CONSEQUENCES OF SUBSTANCE USE *

Kandiyohi 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%	88%	89%	82%
	Once	1%	6%	3%	10%
	Twice	1%	1%	3%	3%
	3 or more times	3%	5%	4%	4%
...how many times have you missed work or school because of alcohol or other drug use?	0 times or no use	97%	94%	95%	87%
	Once	1%	4%	2%	6%
	Twice	0%	1%	1%	4%
	3 or more times	2%	1%	2%	3%
...how many times has alcohol or other drug use caused you problems with the law?	0 times or no use	97%	99%	89%	93%
	Once	1%	1%	7%	7%
	Twice	1%	0%	2%	0%
	3 or more times	1%	0%	1%	0%
...how many times have you hit someone or become violent while using alcohol or other drugs?	0 times or no use	96%	97%	91%	93%
	Once	1%	1%	4%	3%
	Twice	1%	1%	2%	1%
	3 or more times	2%	0%	2%	2%
...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	94%	83%	77%	71%
	Once	2%	8%	10%	16%
	Twice	1%	3%	4%	4%
	3 or more times	4%	6%	10%	9%
...how many times have you used more alcohol or other drugs than you intended to?	0 times or no use	95%	84%	78%	74%
	Once	2%	8%	7%	9%
	Twice	0%	5%	1%	8%
	3 or more times	3%	4%	14%	9%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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**TABLE 42A SEXUAL
BEHAVIOR ***

Kandiyohi County

		Grade			
		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%
Have you ever had sexual intercourse ("gone all the way")?	No	87%	86%	61%	46%
	Yes, once or twice	7%	5%	10%	9%
	Yes, 3 times or more	5%	9%	29%	45%
During the last 12 months, with how many different male partners have you had sexual intercourse?	None	98%	87%	94%	46%
	1 person	1%	6%	1%	30%
	2 persons	1%	3%	1%	15%
	3 persons	0%	1%	1%	2%
	4 persons	0%	1%	0%	2%
	5 persons	0%	1%	0%	1%
	6 or more persons	1%	1%	3%	3%
During the last 12 months, with how many different female partners have you had sexual intercourse?	None	88%	98%	63%	97%
	1 person	5%	2%	21%	2%
	2 persons	2%	0%	4%	1%
	3 persons	1%	0%	6%	0%
	4 persons	0%	0%	2%	0%
	5 persons	1%	0%	0%	0%
	6 or more persons	4%	0%	4%	0%
How many times have you been pregnant or gotten someone pregnant?	0 times	98%	99%	94%	95%
	1 time	0%	1%	4%	5%
	2 or more times	0%	0%	1%	0%
	Not sure	2%	0%	1%	0%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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TABLE 42B SEXUAL BEHAVIOR *

Kandiyohi 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	48%	38%	41%	28%
	Not with every partner	24%	24%	15%	16%
	At least once with every partner	29%	38%	44%	56%
Have you talked with partner(s) about preventing pregnancy? **	Never	52%	29%	36%	14%
	Not with every partner	14%	5%	15%	18%
	At least once with every partner	33%	67%	49%	68%
If you have sexual intercourse, how often do you and/or your partner use any birth control method?	Never	21%	19%	24%	14%
	Rarely	26%	19%	8%	8%
	Sometimes	16%	5%	3%	8%
	Usually	11%	10%	8%	8%
	Always	26%	48%	58%	61%
If you have sexual intercourse, how often is a condom used?	Never	26%	5%	29%	16%
	Rarely	0%	5%	16%	18%
	Sometimes	16%	10%	3%	10%
	Usually	11%	10%	11%	27%
	Always	47%	71%	42%	29%
The last time you had sexual intercourse, did you or your partner use a condom?	Yes	68%	71%	55%	49%
	No	32%	29%	45%	51%

* 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 *
Kandiyohi 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	62%	65%	40%	59%
	Reasons not having sex: I don't want to have sex	25%	71%	21%	50%
	Reasons not having sex: Most students in my school don't have sex	16%	6%	9%	0%
	Reasons not having sex: My friends don't have sex	35%	38%	13%	28%
	I don't think it's right for a person my age to have sex	54%	78%	32%	50%
	I'm afraid of getting caught	30%	24%	6%	11%
	My religious or spiritual beliefs	43%	58%	43%	59%
	Sex education at school has shown me the advantages of waiting until I'm older	40%	51%	23%	37%
	I don't want to get a sexually transmitted disease	62%	76%	36%	61%
	Fear of pregnancy **	50%	72%	53%	72%
	My parents taught me the advantages of waiting until I'm older	44%	53%	19%	39%
	I have chosen to wait until I'm married	54%	74%	51%	61%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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