

2004 Minnesota Student Survey

TABLE 1
SAMPLE DESCRIPTION
Brown County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		N	%	N	%	N	%
Total number of surveys		246	100%	305	100%	238	100%
Gender	Male	125	51%	153	50%	108	45%
	Female	121	49%	152	50%	130	55%
Age	11 or younger	70	28%	0	0%	0	0%
	12	166	67%	0	0%	0	0%
	13	8	3%	1	0%	0	0%
	14	1	0%	98	32%	0	0%
	15	0	0%	195	64%	0	0%
	16	0	0%	9	3%	3	1%
	17	0	0%	0	0%	81	34%
	18	0	0%	0	0%	149	63%
	19-20	0	0%	0	0%	3	1%
	No answer	1	0%	2	1%	2	1%
Race/ethnicity	American Indian	3	1%	1	0%	1	0%
	Black or African American	2	1%	4	1%	1	0%
	Hispanic or Latino	7	3%	13	4%	7	3%
	Asian American or Pacific Islander	1	0%	3	1%	2	1%
	White	196	80%	268	88%	221	93%
	Mixed race (checked more than one race/ethnicity)	12	5%	14	5%	4	2%
	I don't know / no answer	25	10%	2	1%	2	1%

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

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
How do you feel about going to school?	I like school very much	10%	21%	7%	7%	4%	5%
	I like school quite a bit	27%	40%	26%	25%	27%	37%
	I like school a little	35%	25%	37%	37%	30%	35%
	I don't like school very much	12%	11%	20%	22%	21%	17%
	I hate school	17%	3%	10%	9%	19%	7%
Which of these best describes your school plans?	I would like to quit school as soon as I can	4%	1%	3%	1%	2%	0%
	I plan to finish high school but won't go to college	9%	2%	8%	5%	8%	7%
	I'd like to go to some kind of trade or vocational school	2%	0%	17%	7%	29%	14%
	I'd like to go to college after high school	61%	69%	62%	69%	50%	56%
	I'd like to go to college and then to graduate school	24%	28%	10%	18%	10%	23%
During the last 30 days, how often have you skipped or cut full days of school?	Never	90%	88%	90%	79%	61%	71%
	Once or twice	7%	9%	7%	16%	27%	22%
	3 to 5 times	2%	2%	2%	4%	8%	5%
	6 to 10 times	0%	1%	1%	0%	2%	2%
	More than 10 times	1%	0%	1%	1%	2%	0%

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**TABLE 3
ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE**

Brown County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Mark the two grades you get the most often.	A only	7%	1%	1%	1%	3%	2%
	A and B only	51%	64%	52%	53%	40%	71%
	B only	2%	2%	1%	2%	0%	1%
	B and C only	23%	20%	33%	29%	31%	21%
	C only	5%	3%	1%	1%	0%	2%
	C and D only	6%	3%	6%	9%	11%	4%
	D only	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	D and F only	2%	1%	3%	4%	11%	0%
	F only	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
	Not applicable or no answer	2%	5%	2%	2%	4%	1%

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

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
How many students in your school are friendly?	All	4%	3%	2%	1%	3%	1%
	Most	55%	46%	66%	55%	69%	56%
	Some	33%	44%	25%	37%	23%	35%
	A few	8%	7%	7%	6%	4%	8%
	None	0%	0%	1%	1%	2%	0%
How many students in your school behave well in the hallways and lunchroom?	All	4%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Most	32%	28%	49%	43%	55%	42%
	Some	44%	47%	39%	43%	36%	45%
	A few	19%	24%	8%	11%	6%	12%
	None	2%	1%	2%	1%	3%	0%
How many students in your school have made fun of or threatened students of different races or backgrounds?	All	2%	0%	1%	1%	3%	0%
	Most	9%	10%	5%	4%	14%	5%
	Some	20%	21%	28%	25%	23%	33%
	A few	43%	42%	52%	55%	50%	52%
	None	26%	27%	14%	15%	10%	10%
How many of your teachers are interested in you as a person?	All	30%	39%	5%	1%	5%	5%
	Most	38%	36%	29%	25%	41%	36%
	Some	18%	14%	37%	31%	28%	30%
	A few	7%	9%	22%	31%	21%	23%
	None	8%	3%	7%	11%	6%	6%
How many of your teachers show respect for students?	All	52%	64%	24%	17%	17%	18%
	Most	32%	25%	58%	54%	53%	55%
	Some	10%	8%	10%	17%	12%	15%
	A few	2%	3%	6%	9%	14%	10%
	None	3%	0%	3%	2%	5%	2%

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TABLE 5
PERCEPTIONS OF SCHOOL SAFETY
Brown 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	48%	52%	49%	36%	63%	54%
	Agree	45%	47%	47%	60%	30%	44%
	Disagree	6%	1%	3%	3%	5%	2%
	Strongly disagree	2%	0%	1%	0%	3%	1%
I feel safe at school	Strongly agree	41%	49%	46%	30%	61%	45%
	Agree	48%	47%	48%	63%	31%	52%
	Disagree	9%	3%	5%	6%	6%	2%
	Strongly disagree	2%	0%	1%	1%	3%	1%
Bathrooms in this school are a safe place to be	Strongly agree	27%	36%	29%	28%	51%	49%
	Agree	42%	53%	55%	58%	37%	45%
	Disagree	22%	8%	15%	13%	7%	5%
	Strongly disagree	9%	3%	1%	2%	5%	1%
Illegal gang activity is a problem at this school	Strongly agree	4%	2%	4%	2%	3%	2%
	Agree	10%	4%	7%	6%	7%	5%
	Disagree	32%	35%	41%	53%	32%	42%
	Strongly disagree	54%	59%	47%	39%	58%	52%
Student use of alcohol or drugs is a problem at this school	Strongly agree	5%	3%	11%	19%	23%	28%
	Agree	18%	16%	37%	39%	33%	43%
	Disagree	25%	32%	42%	37%	32%	25%
	Strongly disagree	52%	50%	9%	5%	12%	5%

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TABLE 6
VICTIMIZATION AT SCHOOL
Brown 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		1%	1%	13%	15%	20%	14%
	No		99%	99%	88%	85%	80%	86%
	0 times		52%	55%	62%	63%	68%	68%
	1 time		25%	26%	16%	23%	18%	20%
	2 or 3 times		14%	11%	16%	7%	11%	9%
	4 or 5 times		5%	5%	3%	1%	2%	2%
	6 or more times		3%	2%	3%	6%	2%	1%
During the last 30 days, how many days did you not go to school because you felt unsafe at school or going to/from school?	0 days		97%	95%	97%	98%	94%	98%
	1 day		1%	4%	2%	0%	2%	1%
	2 or 3 days		1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%
	4 or 5 days		0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%
	6 or more days		1%	0%	0%	1%	2%	0%
During the last 12 months, which of the following has happened to you on school property? Has a student:	Insulted you?	Yes	71%	66%	66%	54%	56%	47%
		No	29%	34%	34%	46%	44%	53%
	Threatened you?	Yes	40%	18%	28%	14%	24%	12%
		No	60%	82%	72%	86%	76%	88%
	Pushed, shoved, or grabbed you?	Yes	79%	53%	64%	32%	40%	16%
		No	21%	47%	36%	68%	60%	84%
	Kicked, bitten, or hit you?	Yes	55%	44%	35%	21%	22%	6%
		No	45%	56%	65%	79%	78%	94%
	Stabbed you or fired a gun at you?	Yes	3%	0%	1%	1%	6%	1%
		No	98%	100%	99%	99%	94%	99%

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**TABLE 7A
ACTIVITIES
Brown 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	15%	2%	16%	8%	32%	6%
	1-2 hours	41%	44%	49%	38%	39%	37%
	3-5 hours	30%	34%	24%	32%	19%	31%
	6-10 hours	8%	12%	8%	13%	7%	14%
	11-20 hours	5%	7%	2%	7%	2%	11%
	21 hours or more	1%	2%	1%	3%	2%	1%
Band, choir, orchestra, music lessons, or practicing voice or an instrument	0 hours	62%	27%	74%	62%	64%	59%
	1-2 hours	23%	36%	11%	15%	13%	14%
	3-5 hours	9%	22%	6%	9%	11%	15%
	6-10 hours	2%	9%	6%	8%	6%	8%
	11-20 hours	3%	2%	1%	4%	3%	2%
	21 hours or more	2%	4%	1%	2%	3%	3%
Activities-Clubs or organizations outside of school	0 hours	62%	41%	61%	61%	56%	42%
	1-2 hours	25%	40%	22%	21%	25%	26%
	3-5 hours	6%	14%	11%	9%	8%	17%
	6-10 hours	4%	4%	5%	5%	2%	12%
	11-20 hours	1%	2%	1%	3%	6%	2%
	21 hours or more	2%	0%	0%	1%	3%	2%
Activities-Playing sports on a school team	0 hours	52%	49%	38%	46%	45%	64%
	1-2 hours	13%	16%	7%	8%	8%	4%
	3-5 hours	17%	22%	13%	5%	9%	3%
	6-10 hours	6%	8%	18%	22%	11%	9%
	11-20 hours	7%	4%	15%	13%	20%	17%
	21 hours or more	5%	2%	9%	6%	7%	2%

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**TABLE 7B
ACTIVITIES
Brown 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	13%	16%	16%	19%	19%	27%
	1-2 hours	30%	36%	28%	40%	25%	29%
	3-5 hours	22%	23%	27%	25%	25%	28%
	6-10 hours	13%	17%	16%	9%	13%	10%
	11-20 hours	13%	4%	5%	3%	11%	5%
	21 hours or more	10%	4%	8%	4%	7%	2%
Attending services, groups, or programs at a church, synagogue, or mosque	0 hours	46%	33%	39%	38%	53%	48%
	1-2 hours	43%	42%	49%	47%	33%	46%
	3-5 hours	6%	21%	9%	11%	9%	5%
	6-10 hours	3%	4%	2%	1%	2%	1%
	11-20 hours	0%	0%	2%	1%	1%	0%
	21 hours or more	2%	0%	0%	2%	2%	0%
Activities-Reading for pleasure	0 hours	37%	18%	69%	40%	54%	36%
	1-2 hours	41%	46%	21%	39%	23%	39%
	3-5 hours	16%	25%	7%	12%	10%	13%
	6-10 hours	3%	6%	1%	4%	7%	8%
	11-20 hours	1%	3%	2%	3%	4%	3%
	21 hours or more	3%	3%	0%	2%	2%	2%
Activities-Watching TV or videos	0 hours	4%	4%	1%	3%	3%	3%
	1-2 hours	18%	31%	13%	25%	20%	29%
	3-5 hours	33%	34%	30%	36%	29%	40%
	6-10 hours	18%	19%	27%	21%	28%	18%
	11-20 hours	11%	8%	16%	10%	11%	6%
	21 hours or more	17%	3%	13%	5%	8%	4%
Activities-Playing computer or video games	0 hours	14%	18%	7%	22%	14%	43%
	1-2 hours	30%	31%	23%	36%	26%	33%
	3-5 hours	28%	29%	29%	19%	30%	16%
	6-10 hours	15%	14%	15%	14%	11%	5%
	11-20 hours	6%	3%	13%	4%	11%	3%
	21 hours or more	6%	6%	13%	5%	7%	0%

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**TABLE 7C
ACTIVITIES
Brown 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	73%	68%	81%	74%	71%	48%
	1-2 hours	18%	23%	14%	17%	22%	36%
	3-5 hours	6%	8%	3%	6%	2%	13%
	6-10 hours	1%	2%	1%	1%	3%	2%
	11-20 hours	2%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%
	21 hours or more	0%	0%	0%	1%	2%	0%
Chores at home/babysitting for family	0 hours	16%	5%	20%	11%	31%	23%
	1-2 hours	48%	39%	40%	43%	40%	43%
	3-5 hours	21%	29%	24%	27%	19%	22%
	6-10 hours	13%	15%	9%	8%	6%	6%
	11-20 hours	2%	7%	3%	5%	1%	5%
	21 hours or more	1%	4%	4%	6%	3%	1%
Work for pay (including babysitting for others)	0 hours	48%	23%	37%	31%	25%	11%
	1-2 hours	33%	43%	19%	20%	8%	7%
	3-5 hours	9%	21%	15%	25%	12%	7%
	6-10 hours	6%	10%	14%	16%	13%	21%
	11-20 hours	2%	3%	9%	2%	20%	31%
	21 hours or more	2%	0%	6%	6%	21%	24%
Activities-Hanging out	0 hours	13%	4%	4%	4%	0%	1%
	1-2 hours	17%	21%	16%	12%	11%	12%
	3-5 hours	21%	29%	25%	25%	21%	20%
	6-10 hours	19%	25%	19%	23%	23%	34%
	11-20 hours	14%	11%	11%	17%	18%	17%
	21 hours or more	16%	9%	24%	20%	27%	16%

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TABLE 8
COMPUTER USE AT HOME
Brown County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Do you use a computer at home?	Yes	92%	92%	92%	95%	91%	91%
	No	8%	8%	8%	5%	9%	9%

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Do you use the Internet at home?	Yes	88%	84%	90%	92%	86%	88%
	No	12%	16%	10%	8%	14%	12%
What do you use the Internet for at home? (Mark all that apply)	E-mail	60%	68%	76%	85%	76%	80%
	Surfing the web	54%	48%	76%	59%	70%	57%
	Chat rooms	25%	14%	30%	30%	23%	17%
	Listening to or downloading music	46%	45%	63%	72%	62%	55%
	Playing games	75%	71%	65%	51%	56%	31%
	Entertainment or sports	39%	23%	45%	21%	48%	17%
	Homework or other research	67%	80%	59%	76%	59%	81%
	Shopping	16%	11%	24%	30%	33%	36%

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TABLE 9
FAMILY COMPOSITION AND PARENTAL COMMUNICATION
Brown County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Which adults do you live with?	Both biological parents	66%	61%	57%	64%	62%	66%
	Both adoptive parents	0%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%
	Mother and stepfather	4%	7%	5%	6%	6%	5%
	Father and stepmother	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%
	Mother only	6%	8%	14%	9%	6%	14%
	Father only	3%	3%	5%	4%	5%	5%
	Sometimes with mother, sometimes with father	16%	15%	14%	12%	7%	2%
	Other	3%	3%	3%	1%	5%	3%
	No adults or no answer	2%	2%	1%	1%	7%	2%
Can you talk to your father about problems you are having?	Yes, most of the time	45%	31%	31%	19%	35%	23%
	Yes, some of the time	38%	36%	35%	32%	33%	31%
	No, not very often	11%	19%	19%	29%	19%	20%
	No, not at all	5%	4%	9%	17%	6%	17%
	My father is not around	2%	8%	7%	4%	6%	9%
Can you talk to your mother about problems you are having?	Yes, most of the time	54%	67%	45%	48%	40%	45%
	Yes, some of the time	32%	22%	35%	31%	38%	38%
	No, not very often	11%	5%	15%	15%	13%	12%
	No, not at all	3%	2%	3%	5%	6%	4%
	My mother is not around	0%	3%	3%	1%	3%	2%

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**TABLE 10
PERCEPTIONS OF FAMILY CARING
*Brown 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 A	1%	1%	0%	1%	4%	1%
	little Some	1%	2%	4%	4%	6%	4%
	Quite a bit	2%	1%	7%	7%	8%	8%
	Very much	6%	7%	14%	15%	25%	19%
	Not at all	90%	90%	75%	73%	57%	69%
... other adult relatives care about you?	A little	1%	0%	1%	3%	4%	2%
	Some	5%	3%	5%	6%	8%	5%
	Quite a bit	2%	5%	12%	9%	19%	19%
	Very much	19%	14%	29%	23%	31%	26%
	Not at all	73%	78%	53%	59%	38%	48%
... your family cares about your feelings?	A little	2%	3%	5%	7%	4%	5%
	Some	6%	6%	9%	11%	12%	7%
	Quite a bit	9%	10%	20%	16%	30%	20%
	Very much	27%	27%	31%	26%	26%	26%
	Not at all	55%	54%	35%	40%	29%	41%
... your family understands you?	A little	1%	7%	13%	17%	9%	14%
	Some	14%	9%	12%	16%	24%	20%
	Quite a bit	14%	18%	23%	26%	28%	29%
	Very much	32%	31%	33%	24%	21%	19%
	Not at all	38%	36%	18%	18%	18%	18%
... your family has lots of fun together?	A little	3%	5%	7%	8%	9%	11%
	Some	11%	10%	21%	18%	16%	19%
	Quite a bit	18%	22%	28%	22%	32%	33%
	Very much	28%	21%	26%	30%	28%	21%
	Not at all	41%	42%	18%	21%	15%	16%
... your family respects your privacy?	A little	8%	6%	7%	11%	9%	9%
	Some	8%	9%	15%	14%	22%	19%
	Quite a bit	17%	8%	19%	29%	22%	24%
	Very much	28%	31%	36%	27%	21%	24%
		39%	46%	23%	20%	27%	24%

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TABLE 11
PERCEPTIONS OF OTHERS CARING
Brown 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	1%	4%	4%	0%	2%	0%
	little Some	10%	7%	8%	3%	10%	7%
	Quite a bit	15%	18%	27%	10%	24%	18%
	Very much	47%	27%	40%	33%	35%	39%
	Not at all	27%	44%	21%	54%	30%	36%
... teachers or other adults at school care about you? *	A little	7%	3%	5%	8%	7%	3%
	Some	9%	15%	22%	21%	20%	27%
	Quite a bit	21%	14%	36%	38%	37%	42%
	Very much	41%	38%	29%	23%	26%	19%
	Not at all	21%	30%	8%	9%	10%	9%
... church or spiritual leaders care about you? *	A little	10%	9%	12%	14%	13%	12%
	Some	13%	11%	16%	19%	20%	30%
	Quite a bit	22%	22%	24%	23%	30%	29%
	Very much	29%	31%	29%	28%	21%	19%
	Not at all	26%	27%	19%	16%	17%	11%
... police officers care about you?	A little	9%	7%	22%	19%	24%	20%
	Some	14%	12%	27%	31%	32%	41%
	Quite a bit	22%	14%	24%	25%	29%	29%
	Very much	32%	28%	19%	19%	9%	5%
	Not at all	22%	39%	7%	6%	6%	5%
... other adults in your community care about you?	A little	8%	7%	12%	14%	9%	12%
	Some	16%	11%	24%	24%	32%	32%
	Quite a bit	32%	26%	41%	30%	36%	35%
	Very much	30%	28%	17%	23%	18%	16%
		14%	27%	7%	9%	6%	5%

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

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**TABLE 12
FAMILY SUBSTANCE ABUSE
*Brown 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	13%	15%	15%	16%	17%	26%
	No	87%	85%	85%	84%	83%	74%
Whose use? (Mark all that apply)	Family alc problems-Parent who lives with me	7%	8%	7%	5%	7%	6%
	Family alc problems-Parent who doesn't live with me	1%	3%	4%	4%	5%	6%
	Family alc problems-Other relative	7%	11%	9%	9%	10%	17%
Has drug use by any family member repeatedly caused family, health, job, or legal problems?	Yes	8%	15%	9%	9%	10%	10%
	No	92%	85%	91%	91%	90%	90%
Whose use? (Mark all that apply)	Family drug problems-Parent who lives with me	2%	8%	1%	2%	3%	1%
	Family drug problems-Parent who doesn't live with me	0%	2%	1%	4%	2%	2%
	Family drug problems-Other relative	8%	8%	9%	5%	4%	8%

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**TABLE 13
FAMILY/DATE VIOLENCE**

Brown County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Have you ever been the victim of violence on a date? *	Yes			4%	4%	6%	15%
	No			96%	96%	94%	85%
Has any adult in your household ever hit you so hard that you had marks or were afraid of that person?	Yes	13%	7%	7%	12%	11%	15%
	No	87%	93%	93%	88%	89%	85%
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	12%	8%	12%	12%	10%	16%
	No	88%	92%	88%	88%	90%	84%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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**TABLE 14
SEXUAL ABUSE
Brown County**

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Have you ever been the victim of date rape? *	Yes			3%	4%	5%	6%
	No			97%	96%	95%	94%
Has any older person outside the family touched you sexually against your wishes or forced you to touch them sexually?	Yes	5%	3%	1%	12%	5%	11%
	No	95%	97%	99%	88%	95%	89%
Has any older/stronger member of your family touched you sexually or had you touch them sexually?	Yes	1%	3%	3%	4%	3%	6%
	No	99%	97%	97%	96%	97%	94%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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**TABLE 15
GENERAL HEALTH ISSUES
Brown 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	47%	48%	13%	25%	35%	42%
	1-2 years ago	25%	25%	68%	57%	38%	33%
	3-4 years ago	5%	10%	9%	9%	18%	16%
	More than 4 years ago	6%	7%	2%	2%	5%	5%
	I have never had a physical exam	18%	10%	7%	7%	5%	4%
Have you ever been treated for an alcohol or other drug problem? *	No			97%	96%	88%	91%
	Yes			3%	4%	12%	9%
Do you have a mental or physical health problem that has lasted at least 12 months?	No	90%	89%	92%	87%	83%	80%
	Yes	10%	11%	8%	13%	17%	20%
In the past 12 months, how often have you blacked out because someone hit you in the head?	Never	89%	93%	91%	96%	85%	98%
	Once	8%	7%	6%	3%	9%	2%
	Two times or more	3%	0%	3%	1%	6%	0%
In the past 12 months, how often have you blacked out because you fell or were accidentally hit in the head?	Never	79%	81%	86%	87%	80%	91%
	Once	14%	15%	11%	12%	12%	9%
	Two times or more	6%	4%	3%	1%	7%	0%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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**TABLE 16
WEIGHT-RELATED ISSUES
Brown 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				14%	29%	18%	34%
	No				86%	71%	82%	66%
At the present time, do you think you are...	Underweight		14%	9%	8%	6%	17%	6%
	About the right weight		75%	70%	75%	66%	65%	57%
	Overweight		11%	22%	17%	28%	18%	36%
During the last 12 months, have you done any of the following to lose or control weight? (Mark all that apply) *	Exercise	Yes			66%	87%	58%	76%
		No			34%	13%	42%	24%
	Fast or skip meals	Yes			13%	35%	16%	47%
		No			87%	65%	84%	53%
	Smoke cigarettes	Yes			6%	15%	11%	22%
		No			94%	85%	89%	78%
	Use diet pills or speed	Yes			3%	5%	6%	9%
		No			97%	95%	94%	91%
	Vomit on purpose after eating	Yes			2%	3%	3%	5%
		No			98%	97%	97%	95%
	Use laxatives	Yes			1%	1%	3%	2%
		No			99%	99%	97%	98%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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**TABLE 17
EXERCISE
Brown 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	13%	8%	20%	15%	19%	26%
	1 day	6%	9%	5%	9%	11%	10%
	2 days	7%	9%	7%	10%	11%	16%
	3 days	8%	13%	9%	10%	9%	17%
	4 days	11%	10%	9%	14%	15%	9%
	5 days	18%	22%	20%	15%	11%	10%
	6 days	7%	10%	11%	14%	9%	8%
	7 days	29%	18%	19%	14%	14%	5%
On how many of the last 7 days were you physically active for a combined total of at least 30 minutes?	0 days	3%	7%	8%	5%	10%	15%
	1 day	9%	4%	7%	11%	12%	11%
	2 days	10%	13%	5%	11%	10%	19%
	3 days	6%	13%	9%	13%	10%	19%
	4 days	14%	11%	9%	8%	14%	7%
	5 days	14%	17%	17%	16%	14%	13%
	6 days	8%	10%	15%	14%	8%	10%
	7 days	36%	26%	29%	21%	21%	6%

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TABLE 18
NUTRITION
Brown 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	13%	13%	12%	23%	12%	23%
	1-2 glasses	43%	44%	43%	53%	50%	55%
	3-4 glasses	35%	32%	29%	19%	31%	17%
	5 or more glasses	10%	10%	16%	5%	7%	5%
100% fruit juice	0 glasses	43%	42%	46%	60%	43%	52%
	1-2 glasses	36%	38%	45%	35%	46%	38%
	3-4 glasses	15%	16%	5%	4%	8%	6%
	5 or more glasses	6%	4%	5%	1%	3%	4%
Fruit juice drinks	0 glasses	33%	40%	46%	57%	52%	60%
	1-2 glasses	45%	46%	38%	36%	36%	35%
	3-4 glasses	14%	13%	12%	6%	6%	3%
	5 or more glasses	7%	2%	4%	1%	7%	2%
Pop or soda	0 glasses	30%	40%	26%	41%	18%	44%
	1-2 glasses	45%	46%	44%	40%	43%	35%
	3-4 glasses	15%	11%	17%	12%	21%	14%
	5 or more glasses	9%	2%	13%	6%	18%	6%
Sports drinks	0 glasses	56%	61%	65%	80%	63%	83%
	1-2 glasses	26%	32%	21%	15%	24%	14%
	3-4 glasses	6%	5%	8%	4%	8%	2%
	5 or more glasses	13%	3%	6%	1%	6%	1%
Water	0 glasses	6%	4%	11%	8%	15%	6%
	1-2 glasses	26%	15%	26%	28%	30%	32%
	3-4 glasses	29%	28%	20%	26%	28%	35%
	5 or more glasses	39%	53%	43%	38%	26%	27%
How many servings of fruits, fruit juices, or vegetables did you eat yesterday?	0 servings	4%	4%	5%	5%	7%	6%
	1 serving	19%	13%	18%	18%	14%	18%
	2 servings	22%	17%	32%	23%	33%	21%
	3 servings	19%	19%	23%	25%	24%	25%
	4 servings	21%	31%	16%	15%	10%	12%
	5 or more servings	15%	16%	7%	13%	12%	19%

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TABLE 19
SEAT BELT USE
Brown 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%	2%	2%	4%	11%	3%
	Sometimes	16%	13%	29%	20%	32%	37%
	Often	33%	29%	34%	37%	27%	27%
	Always	48%	57%	35%	39%	31%	33%
...drive a car? *	I never do this activity			23%	29%	9%	2%
	Never			1%	6%	10%	2%
	Sometimes			11%	4%	21%	20%
	Often			14%	5%	14%	24%
	Always			52%	56%	45%	52%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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TABLE 20
SOURCES OF INFORMATION ON RISK BEHAVIORS
Brown 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	29%	33%	58%	74%	77%	87%
	Alc-drug info: Parents	50%	66%	47%	52%	38%	46%
	Alc-drug info: Brothers or sisters	16%	27%	30%	34%	15%	38%
	Alc-drug info: School, teachers, or counselors	68%	81%	68%	67%	57%	61%
	Alc-drug info: Clinics, doctors, or nurses	26%	19%	13%	15%	12%	12%
	Alc-drug info: Internet	12%	8%	18%	16%	23%	12%
	Alc-drug info: TV, radio, magazines, newspapers, or books	39%	32%	51%	52%	41%	47%
	Alc-drug info: I do not know much about alcohol or drugs	4%	7%	3%	3%	4%	2%
Where have you received most of your information about sex? (Mark all that apply)	Sex info: Friends or peers	36%	35%	63%	76%	79%	80%
	Sex info: Parents	36%	52%	36%	48%	31%	34%
	Sex info: Brothers or sisters	13%	9%	24%	17%	12%	19%
	Sex info: School, teachers, or counselors	60%	47%	64%	61%	50%	54%
	Sex info: Clinics, doctors, or nurses	34%	42%	8%	15%	8%	20%
	Sex info: Internet	18%	3%	28%	15%	39%	9%
	Sex info: TV, radio, magazines, newspapers, or books	32%	19%	49%	44%	41%	52%
	Sex info: I do not know much about sex	10%	10%	1%	2%	5%	1%

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TABLE 21
SELF-ESTEEM *
Brown County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
I usually feel good about myself.	Disagree	3%	8%	5%	5%	7%	10%
	Mostly disagree	8%	5%	4%	13%	9%	7%
	Mostly agree	46%	42%	46%	53%	51%	57%
	Agree	44%	45%	46%	28%	33%	26%
I am able to do things as well as most other people my age.	Disagree	3%	6%	2%	4%	6%	2%
	Mostly disagree	6%	3%	7%	5%	4%	6%
	Mostly agree	27%	39%	34%	46%	43%	48%
	Agree	65%	51%	57%	45%	48%	44%
On the whole, I'm satisfied with myself.	Disagree	3%	11%	3%	6%	4%	9%
	Mostly disagree	4%	4%	9%	16%	6%	7%
	Mostly agree	37%	42%	37%	39%	46%	50%
	Agree	56%	44%	51%	39%	45%	34%
I feel I do not have much to be proud of.	Agree	8%	14%	5%	7%	8%	7%
	Mostly agree	15%	10%	11%	17%	14%	15%
	Mostly disagree	24%	26%	23%	28%	30%	32%
	Disagree	53%	50%	61%	49%	47%	46%
Sometimes I think that I am no good.	Agree	23%	19%	12%	21%	8%	12%
	Mostly agree	15%	12%	11%	20%	20%	18%
	Mostly disagree	22%	31%	30%	28%	31%	35%
	Disagree	41%	37%	47%	31%	41%	35%
I feel that I can't do anything right.	Agree	11%	16%	5%	9%	10%	5%
	Mostly agree	9%	11%	11%	16%	10%	12%
	Mostly disagree	27%	25%	32%	28%	31%	34%
	Disagree	53%	48%	53%	47%	50%	48%
I feel that my life is not very useful.	Agree	8%	13%	5%	5%	5%	5%
	Mostly agree	9%	5%	5%	10%	9%	8%
	Mostly disagree	29%	28%	24%	24%	36%	33%
	Disagree	53%	53%	66%	61%	50%	54%

* 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
Brown 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%	2%	2%	0%
	Bad	4%	1%	3%	2%	2%	1%
	Up and down a lot	50%	53%	29%	54%	39%	59%
	Very good	36%	34%	54%	33%	45%	35%
	Excellent	9%	8%	13%	9%	13%	5%
... have you felt you were under any stress or pressure?	Yes, almost more than I could take	6%	10%	4%	11%	13%	16%
	Yes, quite a bit of pressure	13%	11%	13%	16%	20%	35%
	Yes, more than usual	13%	13%	15%	17%	18%	18%
	Yes, a little	49%	56%	49%	49%	40%	30%
	Not at all	20%	10%	19%	7%	8%	2%
... have you felt sad?	All the time	3%	5%	3%	2%	3%	0%
	Most of the time	7%	10%	5%	11%	11%	15%
	Some of the time	19%	28%	23%	43%	27%	36%
	Little of the time	54%	48%	53%	38%	43%	46%
	None of the time	17%	8%	17%	6%	17%	3%
... 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	2%	5%	1%	4%	4%	3%
	Quite a bit	5%	6%	6%	9%	10%	11%
	Some, enough to bother me	19%	14%	15%	20%	20%	21%
	A little bit	27%	32%	22%	27%	29%	30%
	Not at all	47%	42%	55%	40%	37%	35%
... have you felt nervous, worried, or upset?	All the time	1%	7%	2%	3%	4%	3%
	Most of the time	7%	9%	8%	12%	9%	16%
	Some of the time	25%	29%	30%	41%	37%	44%
	Little of the time	53%	47%	49%	40%	40%	37%
	None of the time	14%	7%	11%	4%	11%	1%
... how satisfied have you been with your personal life?	Very dissatisfied	5%	4%	3%	1%	2%	3%
	Somewhat dissatisfied	11%	18%	11%	18%	15%	20%
	Satisfied	38%	36%	47%	47%	42%	46%
	Very satisfied	28%	29%	27%	24%	31%	25%
	Extremely satisfied	19%	13%	11%	9%	10%	6%

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TABLE 23
SUICIDAL THOUGHTS AND BEHAVIOR
Brown County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Have you ever thought about killing yourself?	No	78%	73%	77%	56%	69%	59%
	Yes, during the last year	14%	16%	13%	33%	14%	19%
	Yes, more than a year ago	8%	11%	10%	12%	17%	22%
Have you ever tried to kill yourself?	No	95%	95%	93%	82%	85%	82%
	Yes, during the last year	3%	3%	5%	10%	9%	5%
	Yes, more than a year ago	2%	3%	3%	8%	6%	13%

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TABLE 24
GAMBLING BEHAVIOR *
Brown 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%	77%	29%	69%
	Less than once a month	23%	15%	24%	20%
	About once a month	14%	5%	10%	7%
	About once a week	5%	3%	28%	4%
	Daily	3%	0%	9%	0%
Bet on games of personal skill like pool, golf, or bowling	Not at all	54%	86%	41%	83%
	Less than once a month	21%	10%	25%	10%
	About once a month	15%	2%	21%	7%
	About once a week	9%	1%	11%	1%
	Daily	1%	0%	2%	0%
Bet money on sports teams	Not at all	62%	94%	58%	91%
	Less than once a month	22%	4%	24%	7%
	About once a month	12%	2%	12%	2%
	About once a week	3%	0%	4%	1%
	Daily	1%	0%	3%	0%
Bought lottery tickets or scratch-offs	Not at all	87%	90%	45%	59%
	Less than once a month	6%	5%	20%	24%
	About once a month	4%	3%	22%	11%
	About once a week	1%	1%	11%	5%
	Daily	2%	1%	3%	2%
Gambled in a casino	Not at all	94%	98%	48%	60%
	Less than once a month	2%	1%	18%	27%
	About once a month	2%	0%	24%	13%
	About once a week	1%	0%	9%	0%
	Daily	1%	1%	2%	0%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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TABLE 25
GAMBLING CONSEQUENCES *
Brown 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	6%	2%	24%	8%
	No	53%	30%	64%	44%
	I don't bet for money	40%	68%	13%	48%
... that you would like to stop betting money but didn't think you could?	Yes	4%	0%	8%	2%
	No	55%	31%	79%	50%
	I don't bet for money	41%	69%	13%	48%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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TABLE 26
DESTRUCTIVE AND ANTISOCIAL BEHAVIOR
Brown 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	88%	96%	90%	87%	89%	86%
	Once or twice	11%	4%	8%	9%	4%	13%
	3 to 5 times	1%	0%	1%	3%	4%	2%
	6 to 10 times	0%	0%	0%	1%	2%	0%
	More than 10 times	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%
During the last 12 months, how often have you damaged or destroyed property at school or somewhere else?	Never	76%	90%	68%	79%	64%	82%
	Once or twice	16%	8%	20%	15%	22%	10%
	3 to 5 times	5%	2%	8%	5%	8%	8%
	6 to 10 times	1%	0%	1%	1%	3%	0%
	More than 10 times	3%	1%	2%	1%	4%	0%
During the last 12 months, how often have you hit or beat up another person?	Never	50%	82%	60%	75%	61%	80%
	Once or twice	32%	16%	25%	19%	25%	13%
	3 to 5 times	9%	2%	7%	3%	9%	5%
	6 to 10 times	3%	1%	1%	0%	5%	1%
	More than 10 times	6%	0%	7%	3%	1%	1%
During the last 12 months, how often have you taken something from a store without paying for it?	Never	91%	95%	71%	78%	61%	75%
	Once or twice	6%	4%	13%	15%	18%	14%
	3 to 5 times	3%	1%	9%	3%	5%	4%
	6 to 10 times	0%	0%	3%	1%	4%	2%
	More than 10 times	1%	0%	4%	3%	12%	6%
Do you get a real kick out of doing things that are a little dangerous?	Not at all A	28%	54%	21%	24%	12%	29%
	little Quite	34%	36%	43%	58%	46%	52%
	a bit Very	24%	6%	25%	12%	27%	12%
	much	14%	4%	11%	5%	16%	7%
On how many of the last 30 days did you carry a gun on school property?	0 days	100%	99%	96%	99%	91%	99%
	1 day	0%	1%	2%	1%	4%	0%
	2 or 3 days	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%
	4 or 5 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	6 or more days	0%	0%	1%	1%	5%	0%
On how many of the last 30 days did you carry a weapon (other than a gun) on school property?	0 days	97%	100%	92%	95%	85%	98%
	1 day	2%	0%	2%	2%	7%	1%
	2 or 3 days	0%	0%	3%	0%	1%	0%
	4 or 5 days	0%	0%	1%	1%	2%	1%
	6 or more days	2%	0%	3%	3%	6%	0%

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TABLE 27
SUMMARY OF SUBSTANCE USE *
Brown County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Use of any tobacco products during the past year	No	94%	99%	74%	70%	37%	58%
	Yes	6%	1%	26%	30%	63%	42%
DAILY use of any tobacco products during the past year	No	99%	100%	90%	92%	78%	72%
	Yes	1%	0%	10%	8%	22%	28%
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%	100%	90%	91%	65%	80%
	Yes	0%	0%	10%	9%	35%	20%
Any alcohol and/or other drug use during the past year (excluding tobacco)	No alcohol or other drug use in the past year	77%	88%	43%	41%	24%	25%
	Used only alcohol in the past year	16%	9%	37%	38%	49%	50%
	Used only other drugs in the past year	3%	1%	1%	0%	0%	2%
	Used both alcohol and other drugs in the past year	5%	2%	18%	21%	27%	23%

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

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TABLE 28
CIGARETTE USE
Brown 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	95%	99%	80%	71%	52%	59%
	Less than monthly	4%	1%	5%	10%	18%	7%
	Monthly	0%	0%	3%	3%	8%	4%
	Weekly	0%	0%	3%	8%	6%	2%
	Daily	1%	0%	8%	8%	16%	28%
During the last 30 days, on how many days did you smoke a cigarette?	0 days	95%	99%	83%	72%	67%	65%
	1 or 2 days	4%	1%	5%	6%	5%	5%
	3 to 5 days	0%	0%	3%	4%	6%	1%
	6 to 9 days	0%	0%	1%	3%	3%	1%
	10 to 19 days	0%	0%	1%	5%	3%	2%
	20 to 29 days	1%	0%	6%	4%	4%	8%
	All 30 days	0%	0%	1%	5%	11%	19%
During the last 30 days, how frequently have you smoked cigarettes?	Never	96%	99%	81%	73%	66%	65%
	Less than one cigarette per day	2%	1%	8%	16%	12%	7%
	One to five cigarettes per day	2%	0%	6%	9%	12%	16%
	About one-half pack per day	0%	0%	1%	2%	6%	9%
	About one pack per day	0%	0%	3%	0%	3%	3%
	About one and one-half packs per day	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
	Two packs or more per day	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
If you have not smoked a cigarette in the last year, do you think you will during the next year?	Definitely yes	1%	0%	5%	5%	12%	5%
	Probably yes	6%	1%	5%	4%	12%	9%
	Probably not	11%	6%	17%	16%	21%	17%
	Definitely not	82%	93%	73%	75%	55%	69%

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

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TABLE 29
CIGAR AND SMOKELESS TOBACCO USE
Brown 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%	100%	90%	99%	69%	100%
	Less than monthly	1%	0%	4%	1%	21%	0%
	Monthly	0%	0%	2%	0%	0%	0%
	Weekly	0%	0%	2%	0%	4%	0%
	Daily	0%	0%	1%	1%	6%	0%
During the last 12 months, how often have you used cigars, cigarillos, or little cigars?	Not at all	97%	100%	84%	95%	56%	90%
	Less than monthly	3%	0%	7%	1%	20%	9%
	Monthly	0%	0%	3%	3%	13%	1%
	Weekly	0%	0%	3%	1%	9%	0%
	Daily	0%	0%	2%	0%	2%	0%

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

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**TABLE 30
ACCESS TO TOBACCO**

Brown County

<i>INCLUDES ONLY THOSE WHO USED TOBACCO IN THE LAST 30 DAYS</i>		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%	19%	12%	65%	78%
	Bought it at bars or restaurants	20%	0%	3%	5%	8%	9%
	Bought it at grocery, discount, or drug stores	0%	0%	8%	2%	13%	18%
	Bought it at places like bowling alleys, video arcades, or pool halls	0%	0%	3%	2%	6%	0%
	Bought it from vending machines	0%	0%	6%	0%	10%	0%
	Bought it on the Internet *			3%	2%	2%	0%
	Got it from friends	80%	0%	58%	72%	35%	31%
	Got it from family members	0%	0%	22%	14%	8%	9%
	Got it by getting someone else to buy for me	20%	0%	36%	37%	13%	33%
	Took it from my home	20%	0%	19%	23%	2%	9%
	Took it from a friend's home	0%	0%	6%	9%	4%	0%
	Took it from stores	0%	0%	3%	5%	4%	0%

<i>INCLUDES ONLY THOSE WHO BOUGHT TOBACCO IN THE LAST 30 DAYS</i>		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	15%	0%	14%	6%	5%	0%
	No	85%	100%	86%	94%	95%	100%

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

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TABLE 31
ALCOHOL USE FREQUENCY AND QUANTITY
Brown 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	81%	91%	45%	40%	24%	27%
	1-2	14%	6%	14%	14%	9%	13%
	3-5	1%	2%	11%	12%	13%	16%
	6-9	5%	1%	8%	13%	9%	8%
	10-19	0%	0%	10%	8%	8%	8%
	20-39	0%	0%	5%	7%	10%	11%
	40+	0%	0%	7%	6%	27%	18%
On how many occasions (if any) have you had alcoholic beverages to drink during the last 30 days?	0	94%	97%	62%	55%	38%	46%
	1-2	6%	3%	21%	19%	21%	18%
	3-5	0%	0%	11%	14%	18%	17%
	6-9	0%	0%	1%	8%	10%	10%
	10-19	0%	0%	3%	2%	7%	8%
	20-39	0%	0%	1%	1%	3%	1%
	40+	0%	0%	1%	1%	2%	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	87%	94%	47%	43%	25%	30%
	1 glass, can, or drink	10%	6%	19%	19%	7%	10%
	2 glasses, cans, or drinks	3%	0%	8%	8%	6%	11%
	3 glasses, cans, or drinks	0%	0%	9%	9%	9%	9%
	4 glasses, cans, or drinks	0%	0%	5%	9%	8%	15%
	5 glasses, cans, or drinks	0%	0%	3%	3%	6%	9%
	6 or more glasses, cans, or drinks	0%	0%	9%	10%	38%	16%
Over the last 2 weeks, how many times (if any) have you had five or more drinks in a row? *	Never			79%	76%	55%	69%
	Once			8%	8%	15%	13%
	Twice			5%	7%	10%	10%
	3 - 5 times			5%	8%	15%	7%
	6 - 9 times			2%	1%	1%	2%
	10 or more times			1%	0%	3%	0%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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TABLE 32
ACCESS TO ALCOHOL
Brown 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	17%	0%	2%	0%	5%	2%
	Bought it at stores	0%	0%	7%	3%	16%	2%
	Bought it on the Internet **			0%	0%	0%	0%
	Got it from friends	33%	0%	49%	68%	70%	69%
	Got it from family members	50%	33%	25%	37%	21%	18%
	Got it by getting someone else to buy for me	0%	0%	31%	30%	44%	52%
	Got it at parties	17%	0%	40%	56%	51%	59%
	Took it from my home	17%	0%	27%	30%	21%	13%
	Took it from a friend's home	0%	0%	7%	17%	0%	3%
	Took it from stores	0%	0%	4%	0%	5%	3%

<i>INCLUDES ONLY THOSE WHO BOUGHT ALCOHOL IN THE LAST 30 DAYS</i>		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
If you bought alcohol in the last 30 days, did you use a fake ID?	Yes	10%	0%	11%	5%	9%	0%
	No	90%	100%	89%	95%	91%	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 ***

Brown 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	90%	92%	58%	61%
	Once	4%	4%	11%	12%
	Twice	3%	2%	9%	8%
	3 or more times	2%	2%	23%	19%
Do you ever ride with friends after they have been using alcohol or drugs?	No	67%	59%	47%	40%
	Yes, but rarely	19%	22%	32%	44%
	Yes, often	8%	11%	22%	11%
	None of my friends use alcohol or other drugs	6%	8%	0%	5%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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TABLE 34
MARIJUANA, INHALANTS, AND PRESCRIPTION DRUGS
Brown 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	98%	100%	82%	82%	74%	76%
	1-2	1%	0%	6%	5%	4%	8%
	3-5	0%	0%	4%	1%	4%	4%
	6-9	0%	0%	1%	3%	6%	1%
	10-19	1%	0%	2%	4%	3%	2%
	20-39	0%	0%	1%	3%	1%	5%
	40+	0%	0%	4%	3%	7%	4%
... used marijuana (grass, pot) or hashish (hash, hash oil) during the last 30 days?	0	99%	100%	88%	86%	82%	88%
	1-2	1%	0%	5%	5%	7%	3%
	3-5	0%	0%	3%	5%	4%	3%
	6-9	0%	0%	1%	1%	3%	3%
	10-19	0%	0%	0%	2%	1%	3%
	20-39	0%	0%	2%	0%	1%	0%
	40+	0%	0%	1%	1%	2%	1%
... sniffed glue or inhaled any other gases or sprays in order to get high during the last 12 months? *	0	93%	97%	95%	95%	98%	97%
	1-2	5%	3%	3%	2%	1%	3%
	3-5	1%	0%	1%	2%	0%	0%
	6-9	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
	10-19	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
... taken other people's prescription drugs during the last 12 months? *	0	98%	98%	94%	91%	89%	88%
	1-2	0%	2%	3%	6%	5%	3%
	3-5	1%	0%	1%	0%	3%	5%
	6-9	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	2%
	10-19	0%	0%	1%	0%	2%	0%
	20-39	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	2%
	40+	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%	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 *
Brown 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	95%	91%	92%	89%
	1-2	1%	4%	1%	5%
	3-5	1%	2%	3%	3%
	6-9	1%	1%	0%	1%
	10-19	1%	1%	2%	0%
	20-39	1%	0%	0%	2%
	40+	0%	0%	2%	1%
... used methamphetamine (meth, speed, crank, crystal meth) by any method?	0	96%	96%	96%	96%
	1-2	1%	2%	1%	3%
	3-5	0%	1%	0%	0%
	6-9	1%	0%	2%	0%
	10-19	0%	0%	1%	1%
	20-39	1%	0%	0%	0%
	40+	0%	0%	0%	1%
... used "crack" (cocaine in chunk or rock form), or cocaine in any other form?	0	95%	94%	94%	93%
	1-2	4%	2%	2%	4%
	3-5	1%	3%	1%	0%
	6-9	1%	0%	0%	1%
	10-19	0%	0%	3%	1%
	40+	0%	1%	0%	1%
... used MDMA ("ecstasy")?	0	99%	97%	99%	99%
	1-2	0%	2%	1%	0%
	3-5	1%	1%	0%	0%
	6-9	0%	0%	0%	1%
	10-19	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 36
HALLUCINOGENS, OPIATES, AND TRANQUILIZERS *
Brown 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	98%	96%	94%	98%
	1-2	1%	2%	3%	1%
	3-5	1%	1%	2%	0%
	6-9	1%	1%	1%	0%
	40+	0%	0%	0%	1%
... used heroin or any other narcotics or opiates?	0	96%	96%	97%	99%
	1-2	1%	1%	2%	1%
	3-5	0%	1%	0%	0%
	6-9	1%	1%	1%	0%
	10-19	1%	1%	0%	0%
	40+	1%	0%	0%	0%
... taken barbiturates or tranquilizers without a doctor telling you to take them?	0	96%	98%	95%	94%
	1-2	2%	1%	3%	2%
	3-5	0%	1%	1%	3%
	6-9	0%	0%	1%	0%
	10-19	1%	0%	0%	2%

* 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 *
Brown 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	56%	45%	70%	55%
	Bought them from people I don't know	17%	0%	25%	20%
	Bought them on the Internet	6%	5%	0%	0%
	Got them from friends	78%	82%	70%	85%
	Got them from family members	0%	18%	0%	15%
	Got them by getting someone else to buy for me	17%	27%	15%	15%
	Got them at parties	50%	59%	30%	45%
	Took them from my home	6%	9%	5%	5%
	Took them from a friend's home	11%	14%	0%	5%

* 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

Brown County

<i>Do you ever use alcohol or other drugs ...</i>		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
...before school?	Yes	2%	0%	8%	6%	20%	12%
	No	98%	100%	92%	94%	80%	88%
...during school?	Yes	1%	0%	6%	4%	13%	11%
	No	99%	100%	94%	96%	87%	89%
...right after school?	Yes	2%	0%	15%	15%	28%	17%
	No	98%	100%	85%	85%	72%	83%

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**TABLE 39
REASONS FOR SUBSTANCE USE ***

Brown 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	35%	30%	58%	47%
	Reasons to use: To get high or smashed	35%	30%	46%	46%
	Reasons to use: To have fun at parties	63%	65%	79%	78%
	To escape from school, family or personal problems	22%	24%	25%	27%
	Because my parents aren't around	20%	21%	7%	11%
	Because my friends do	37%	24%	24%	28%
	Because my parents do	7%	8%	3%	4%
	Because I like the taste	32%	62%	44%	42%
	Because I'm sad, lonely, or angry	12%	11%	13%	9%
	Because it's illegal	18%	10%	20%	11%
	Because of peer pressure	17%	8%	11%	13%

* 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 *
Brown 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	76%	75%
	Reasons not using alc: One or both of my parents would object	67%	64%
	Reasons not using alc: I have no desire to use	84%	86%
	Reasons not using alc: Use is against my principles or religious beliefs	27%	26%
	Reasons not using alc: Alcohol and drugs are dangerous	77%	85%
	Reasons not using alc: Alcohol and drug education at school	51%	47%
	Reasons not using alc: Use could affect my performance in school, sports, or other activities	82%	80%

* 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 *

Brown 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	88%	86%	75%	89%
	Yes	12%	14%	25%	11%
...have you tried to cut down on your alcohol or other drug use but couldn't?	No or no use	94%	88%	91%	94%
	Yes	6%	12%	9%	6%
...has alcohol or other drug use hurt your relationships with friends or family?	No or no use	93%	88%	85%	91%
	Yes	7%	12%	15%	9%
...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	82%	76%	65%	68%
	Once	10%	12%	16%	13%
	Twice	3%	7%	8%	8%
	3 or more times	5%	6%	11%	10%
...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	90%	90%	87%	87%
	Once	4%	4%	7%	7%
	Twice	3%	3%	1%	3%
	3 or more times	2%	2%	5%	3%
...how many times has alcohol or other drug use left you feeling depressed, agitated, paranoid, or unable to concentrate?	0 times or no use	90%	84%	83%	79%
	Once	5%	12%	7%	13%
	Twice	2%	1%	5%	2%
	3 or more times	4%	3%	5%	6%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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**TABLE 41B CONSEQUENCES OF
SUBSTANCE USE ***

Brown 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	94%	86%	87%	89%
	Once	5%	8%	4%	4%
	Twice	0%	5%	1%	4%
	3 or more times	2%	1%	8%	4%
...how many times have you missed work or school because of alcohol or other drug use?	0 times or no use	94%	94%	91%	84%
	Once	4%	2%	4%	9%
	Twice	1%	1%	2%	3%
	3 or more times	1%	2%	2%	4%
...how many times has alcohol or other drug use caused you problems with the law?	0 times or no use	94%	94%	86%	88%
	Once	3%	4%	7%	8%
	Twice	2%	0%	4%	3%
	3 or more times	2%	2%	3%	1%
...how many times have you hit someone or become violent while using alcohol or other drugs?	0 times or no use	90%	93%	86%	89%
	Once	2%	3%	5%	3%
	Twice	3%	1%	7%	4%
	3 or more times	5%	3%	2%	5%
...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	82%	70%	61%	58%
	Once	6%	14%	14%	20%
	Twice	5%	7%	11%	8%
	3 or more times	7%	9%	14%	14%
...how many times have you used more alcohol or other drugs than you intended to?	0 times or no use	84%	78%	70%	64%
	Once	7%	9%	13%	9%
	Twice	6%	5%	4%	8%
	3 or more times	2%	8%	13%	18%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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**TABLE 42A SEXUAL
BEHAVIOR ***

Brown County

		Grade			
		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%
Have you ever had sexual intercourse ("gone all the way")?	No	82%	85%	48%	35%
	Yes, once or twice	8%	7%	9%	3%
	Yes, 3 times or more	9%	8%	42%	62%
During the last 12 months, with how many different male partners have you had sexual intercourse?	None	99%	85%	95%	36%
	1 person	0%	10%	1%	42%
	2 persons	0%	3%	1%	13%
	3 persons	1%	1%	0%	3%
	4 persons	0%	0%	0%	3%
	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	85%	97%	49%	99%
	1 person	4%	0%	26%	1%
	2 persons	2%	0%	11%	0%
	3 persons	2%	1%	3%	0%
	4 persons	1%	1%	2%	0%
	5 persons	1%	0%	1%	0%
	6 or more persons	4%	1%	7%	0%
How many times have you been pregnant or gotten someone pregnant?	0 times	96%	97%	94%	90%
	1 time	2%	3%	2%	10%
	2 or more times	0%	1%	0%	0%
	Not sure	1%	0%	4%	0%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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TABLE 42B SEXUAL BEHAVIOR *

Brown 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%	52%	41%	24%
	Not with every partner	13%	19%	6%	18%
	At least once with every partner	39%	29%	53%	58%
Have you talked with partner(s) about preventing pregnancy? **	Never	48%	50%	31%	11%
	Not with every partner	17%	5%	8%	18%
	At least once with every partner	35%	45%	61%	71%
If you have sexual intercourse, how often do you and/or your partner use any birth control method?	Never	35%	32%	6%	15%
	Rarely	5%	0%	10%	5%
	Sometimes	5%	5%	4%	3%
	Usually	10%	14%	17%	13%
	Always	45%	50%	63%	64%
If you have sexual intercourse, how often is a condom used?	Never	18%	18%	14%	18%
	Rarely	0%	5%	6%	16%
	Sometimes	23%	9%	10%	12%
	Usually	0%	14%	20%	26%
	Always	59%	55%	49%	28%
The last time you had sexual intercourse, did you or your partner use a condom?	Yes	82%	67%	65%	51%
	No	18%	33%	35%	49%

* 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 *
Brown 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	42%	61%	38%	57%
	Reasons not having sex: I don't want to have sex	13%	59%	15%	45%
	Reasons not having sex: Most students in my school don't have sex	15%	6%	6%	0%
	Reasons not having sex: My friends don't have sex	27%	28%	9%	5%
	I don't think it's right for a person my age to have sex	44%	70%	15%	55%
	I'm afraid of getting caught	24%	25%	21%	5%
	My religious or spiritual beliefs	21%	31%	18%	45%
	Sex education at school has shown me the advantages of waiting until I'm older	31%	34%	6%	24%
	I don't want to get a sexually transmitted disease	54%	72%	44%	62%
	Fear of pregnancy **	46%	78%	68%	71%
	My parents taught me the advantages of waiting until I'm older	22%	39%	12%	33%
	I have chosen to wait until I'm married	30%	46%	29%	52%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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