

2004 Minnesota Student Survey

TABLE 1
SAMPLE DESCRIPTION
Sibley County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		N	%	N	%	N	%
Total number of surveys		151	100%	189	100%	143	100%
Gender	Male	78	52%	109	58%	62	43%
	Female	73	48%	80	42%	81	57%
Age	11 or younger	38	25%	0	0%	0	0%
	12	108	72%	0	0%	0	0%
	13	5	3%	0	0%	0	0%
	14	0	0%	45	24%	0	0%
	15	0	0%	138	73%	0	0%
	16	0	0%	6	3%	1	1%
	17	0	0%	0	0%	36	25%
	18	0	0%	0	0%	99	69%
	19-20	0	0%	0	0%	6	4%
	No answer	0	0%	0	0%	1	1%
Race/ethnicity	American Indian	2	1%	4	2%	0	0%
	Black or African American	4	3%	2	1%	0	0%
	Hispanic or Latino	24	16%	14	7%	2	1%
	Asian American or Pacific Islander	1	1%	2	1%	3	2%
	White	98	65%	157	83%	135	94%
	Mixed race (checked more than one race/ethnicity)	9	6%	5	3%	1	1%
	I don't know / no answer	13	9%	5	3%	2	1%

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

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
How do you feel about going to school?	I like school very much	18%	22%	5%	6%	8%	4%
	I like school quite a bit	32%	26%	18%	31%	19%	31%
	I like school a little	24%	39%	46%	40%	29%	47%
	I don't like school very much	13%	7%	18%	16%	29%	10%
	I hate school	13%	6%	13%	6%	15%	9%
Which of these best describes your school plans?	I would like to quit school as soon as I can	5%	3%	4%	0%	5%	0%
	I plan to finish high school but won't go to college	10%	8%	8%	10%	15%	5%
	I'd like to go to some kind of trade or vocational school	3%	1%	10%	5%	23%	9%
	I'd like to go to college after high school	65%	61%	65%	76%	46%	75%
	I'd like to go to college and then to graduate school	17%	26%	13%	9%	11%	11%
During the last 30 days, how often have you skipped or cut full days of school?	Never	82%	70%	73%	79%	54%	57%
	Once or twice	12%	21%	20%	14%	26%	26%
	3 to 5 times	5%	4%	4%	6%	11%	14%
	6 to 10 times	1%	4%	1%	1%	3%	2%
	More than 10 times	0%	0%	2%	0%	5%	1%

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**TABLE 3
ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE**

Sibley County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Mark the two grades you get the most often.	A only	4%	0%	0%	0%	2%	0%
	A and B only	45%	60%	48%	50%	56%	75%
	B only	10%	5%	3%	1%	0%	0%
	B and C only	17%	18%	21%	30%	34%	14%
	C only	5%	1%	2%	1%	0%	1%
	C and D only	8%	11%	11%	6%	5%	5%
	D only	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%
	D and F only	1%	0%	5%	3%	2%	0%
	F only	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
	Not applicable or no answer	9%	3%	10%	8%	2%	5%

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

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
How many students in your school are friendly?	All	8%	3%	0%	0%	6%	0%
	Most	59%	62%	60%	52%	65%	62%
	Some	26%	29%	36%	38%	27%	35%
	A few	8%	7%	4%	10%	2%	4%
	None	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
How many students in your school behave well in the hallways and lunchroom?	All	1%	1%	1%	0%	5%	0%
	Most	44%	38%	42%	39%	47%	42%
	Some	36%	42%	43%	41%	34%	49%
	A few	17%	16%	14%	18%	13%	9%
	None	1%	1%	1%	3%	2%	0%
How many students in your school have made fun of or threatened students of different races or backgrounds?	All	3%	3%	7%	4%	3%	0%
	Most	5%	19%	13%	13%	15%	10%
	Some	12%	22%	34%	22%	26%	30%
	A few	55%	42%	38%	49%	48%	52%
	None	25%	14%	8%	13%	8%	9%
How many of your teachers are interested in you as a person?	All	42%	40%	9%	1%	13%	6%
	Most	27%	25%	26%	32%	43%	30%
	Some	14%	10%	34%	36%	20%	43%
	A few	15%	24%	21%	23%	18%	15%
	None	1%	1%	9%	8%	7%	6%
How many of your teachers show respect for students?	All	57%	57%	19%	28%	33%	17%
	Most	22%	28%	52%	37%	38%	58%
	Some	10%	11%	16%	24%	18%	12%
	A few	6%	4%	12%	10%	7%	11%
	None	4%	0%	2%	1%	5%	1%

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TABLE 5
PERCEPTIONS OF SCHOOL SAFETY
Sibley 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	55%	44%	45%	34%	51%	52%
	Agree	40%	50%	51%	66%	43%	46%
	Disagree	4%	4%	3%	0%	5%	2%
	Strongly disagree	1%	1%	1%	0%	2%	0%
I feel safe at school	Strongly agree	61%	38%	40%	33%	42%	40%
	Agree	26%	47%	50%	59%	48%	58%
	Disagree	12%	15%	9%	8%	10%	3%
	Strongly disagree	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%	0%
Bathrooms in this school are a safe place to be	Strongly agree	25%	26%	29%	31%	40%	25%
	Agree	51%	41%	55%	58%	45%	65%
	Disagree	16%	29%	10%	10%	11%	8%
	Strongly disagree	8%	4%	6%	1%	3%	3%
Illegal gang activity is a problem at this school	Strongly agree	6%	12%	5%	0%	8%	0%
	Agree	10%	9%	7%	4%	3%	3%
	Disagree	32%	35%	44%	59%	28%	43%
	Strongly disagree	53%	44%	44%	38%	60%	55%
Student use of alcohol or drugs is a problem at this school	Strongly agree	5%	9%	8%	15%	18%	20%
	Agree	11%	20%	53%	43%	47%	43%
	Disagree	22%	33%	32%	39%	19%	34%
	Strongly disagree	62%	39%	6%	3%	16%	4%

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TABLE 6
VICTIMIZATION AT SCHOOL
Sibley 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%	3%	9%	5%	19%	11%
	No		96%	97%	91%	95%	81%	89%
	0 times		47%	48%	45%	63%	63%	73%
	1 time		22%	18%	26%	15%	21%	14%
	2 or 3 times		21%	25%	18%	18%	11%	11%
	4 or 5 times		4%	7%	6%	3%	3%	2%
	6 or more times		6%	1%	5%	3%	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		94%	95%	94%	94%	95%	96%
	1 day		5%	4%	3%	0%	2%	0%
	2 or 3 days		0%	1%	2%	5%	0%	4%
	4 or 5 days		1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
	6 or more days		0%	0%	1%	0%	3%	0%
During the last 12 months, which of the following has happened to you on school property? Has a student:	Insulted you?	Yes	64%	71%	81%	66%	65%	49%
		No	36%	29%	19%	34%	35%	51%
	Threatened you?	Yes	25%	37%	39%	23%	32%	14%
		No	75%	63%	61%	78%	68%	86%
	Pushed, shoved, or grabbed you?	Yes	58%	68%	69%	54%	52%	23%
		No	42%	32%	31%	46%	48%	78%
	Kicked, bitten, or hit you?	Yes	59%	60%	56%	35%	31%	11%
		No	41%	40%	44%	65%	69%	89%
	Stabbed you or fired a gun at you?	Yes	1%	1%	3%	0%	5%	0%
		No	99%	99%	97%	100%	95%	100%

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**TABLE 7A
ACTIVITIES
Sibley 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	12%	4%	14%	1%	31%	6%
	1-2 hours	47%	68%	59%	45%	52%	41%
	3-5 hours	21%	14%	20%	34%	8%	32%
	6-10 hours	12%	7%	6%	15%	5%	17%
	11-20 hours	6%	5%	1%	4%	3%	4%
	21 hours or more	3%	1%	0%	1%	2%	0%
Band, choir, orchestra, music lessons, or practicing voice or an instrument	0 hours	38%	27%	62%	40%	77%	60%
	1-2 hours	44%	47%	19%	28%	8%	15%
	3-5 hours	9%	17%	10%	24%	5%	15%
	6-10 hours	5%	3%	10%	4%	10%	6%
	11-20 hours	3%	0%	0%	1%	0%	2%
	21 hours or more	1%	6%	0%	4%	0%	1%
Activities-Clubs or organizations outside of school	0 hours	61%	53%	67%	48%	55%	50%
	1-2 hours	17%	30%	19%	28%	27%	33%
	3-5 hours	16%	11%	8%	14%	10%	13%
	6-10 hours	3%	6%	1%	8%	3%	3%
	11-20 hours	1%	0%	3%	3%	2%	3%
	21 hours or more	3%	0%	2%	1%	3%	0%
Activities-Playing sports on a school team	0 hours	49%	52%	39%	40%	50%	59%
	1-2 hours	18%	21%	8%	10%	16%	4%
	3-5 hours	14%	13%	9%	4%	8%	4%
	6-10 hours	9%	13%	21%	29%	13%	15%
	11-20 hours	6%	1%	10%	15%	11%	14%
	21 hours or more	3%	0%	12%	3%	2%	5%

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**TABLE 7B
ACTIVITIES
Sibley County**

<i>During the school year, how many hours in a typical week do you spend doing the following?</i>		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Activities-Other physical activities	0 hours	18%	14%	20%	24%	30%	30%
	1-2 hours	30%	33%	25%	37%	37%	38%
	3-5 hours	21%	38%	32%	23%	20%	25%
	6-10 hours	17%	6%	11%	8%	8%	3%
	11-20 hours	8%	3%	8%	9%	2%	1%
	21 hours or more	6%	6%	3%	0%	3%	3%
Attending services, groups, or programs at a church, synagogue, or mosque	0 hours	38%	37%	37%	31%	55%	32%
	1-2 hours	46%	41%	43%	38%	38%	53%
	3-5 hours	7%	17%	11%	24%	5%	11%
	6-10 hours	3%	1%	6%	5%	0%	4%
	11-20 hours	4%	1%	1%	1%	2%	0%
	21 hours or more	3%	3%	2%	1%	0%	0%
Activities-Reading for pleasure	0 hours	33%	17%	62%	35%	77%	36%
	1-2 hours	36%	53%	22%	42%	19%	34%
	3-5 hours	16%	13%	9%	10%	2%	13%
	6-10 hours	5%	9%	2%	10%	0%	15%
	11-20 hours	4%	7%	3%	3%	0%	3%
	21 hours or more	5%	1%	2%	0%	2%	0%
Activities-Watching TV or videos	0 hours	4%	4%	1%	0%	3%	1%
	1-2 hours	25%	29%	9%	30%	21%	28%
	3-5 hours	31%	35%	34%	24%	28%	35%
	6-10 hours	14%	17%	24%	24%	28%	21%
	11-20 hours	12%	11%	15%	15%	10%	10%
	21 hours or more	14%	4%	17%	6%	10%	5%
Activities-Playing computer or video games	0 hours	9%	13%	7%	21%	19%	36%
	1-2 hours	33%	34%	29%	30%	26%	43%
	3-5 hours	27%	29%	19%	19%	13%	10%
	6-10 hours	11%	14%	20%	16%	18%	9%
	11-20 hours	8%	7%	12%	11%	13%	1%
	21 hours or more	12%	3%	12%	3%	11%	1%

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**TABLE 7C
ACTIVITIES
Sibley 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	71%	55%	73%	75%	82%	62%
	1-2 hours	20%	35%	23%	20%	13%	31%
	3-5 hours	7%	7%	2%	4%	5%	5%
	6-10 hours	3%	3%	2%	1%	0%	2%
Chores at home/babysitting for family	0 hours	13%	11%	16%	10%	35%	15%
	1-2 hours	38%	34%	35%	44%	39%	38%
	3-5 hours	29%	28%	23%	28%	15%	20%
	6-10 hours	18%	17%	14%	10%	5%	18%
	11-20 hours	1%	7%	4%	4%	3%	10%
	21 hours or more	0%	3%	8%	5%	3%	0%
Work for pay (including babysitting for others)	0 hours	38%	29%	36%	47%	13%	12%
	1-2 hours	28%	36%	24%	16%	5%	3%
	3-5 hours	20%	14%	18%	13%	8%	13%
	6-10 hours	8%	13%	9%	10%	16%	22%
	11-20 hours	5%	7%	8%	6%	18%	34%
	21 hours or more	0%	1%	5%	8%	40%	17%
Activities-Hanging out	0 hours	18%	5%	10%	5%	5%	2%
	1-2 hours	30%	27%	24%	16%	10%	14%
	3-5 hours	25%	21%	23%	28%	27%	26%
	6-10 hours	5%	16%	19%	18%	19%	21%
	11-20 hours	10%	7%	10%	11%	19%	22%
	21 hours or more	12%	23%	13%	22%	19%	15%

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TABLE 8
COMPUTER USE AT HOME
Sibley County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Do you use a computer at home?	Yes	87%	93%	90%	91%	90%	94%
	No	13%	7%	10%	9%	10%	6%

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Do you use the Internet at home?	Yes	78%	78%	84%	81%	84%	88%
	No	22%	22%	16%	19%	16%	12%
What do you use the Internet for at home? (Mark all that apply)	E-mail	55%	67%	72%	81%	71%	81%
	Surfing the web	53%	58%	72%	64%	66%	68%
	Chat rooms	26%	33%	36%	25%	18%	20%
	Listening to or downloading music	29%	26%	56%	54%	53%	56%
	Playing games	72%	60%	64%	49%	56%	51%
	Entertainment or sports	35%	16%	53%	24%	34%	16%
	Homework or other research	65%	70%	68%	79%	56%	83%
	Shopping	17%	15%	23%	16%	23%	23%

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TABLE
FAMILY COMPOSITION AND PARENTAL COMMUNICATION
Sibley County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Which adults do you live with?	Both biological parents	55%	59%	68%	61%	63%	70%
	Both adoptive parents	3%	1%	3%	3%	3%	1%
	Mother and stepfather	5%	5%	5%	9%	3%	5%
	Father and stepmother	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	2%
	Mother only	17%	18%	11%	11%	16%	12%
	Father only	4%	0%	5%	0%	3%	1%
	Sometimes with mother, sometimes with father	10%	10%	6%	9%	6%	1%
	Other	4%	3%	1%	6%	2%	6%
	No adults or no answer	3%	3%	2%	0%	3%	0%
Can you talk to your father about problems you are having?	Yes, most of the time	49%	28%	32%	11%	40%	25%
	Yes, some of the time	19%	38%	34%	42%	27%	36%
	No, not very often	17%	21%	21%	27%	16%	27%
	No, not at all	9%	7%	6%	10%	8%	9%
	My father is not around	6%	7%	6%	10%	8%	4%
Can you talk to your mother about problems you are having?	Yes, most of the time	48%	65%	37%	44%	43%	51%
	Yes, some of the time	34%	25%	40%	41%	43%	38%
	No, not very often	14%	6%	15%	10%	10%	5%
	No, not at all	3%	3%	7%	1%	5%	5%
	My mother is not around	1%	1%	2%	4%	0%	1%

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**TABLE 10
PERCEPTIONS OF FAMILY CARING
Sibley 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%	2%	4%	0%	1%
	A little	4%	3%	5%	3%	5%	4%
	Some	4%	3%	7%	5%	13%	6%
	Quite a bit	1%	14%	21%	19%	21%	18%
	Very much	91%	80%	65%	70%	61%	71%
... other adult relatives care about you?	Not at all	3%	3%	3%	1%	0%	0%
	A little	4%	6%	8%	9%	5%	6%
	Some	5%	4%	17%	16%	21%	17%
	Quite a bit	13%	28%	26%	25%	33%	27%
	Very much	76%	60%	46%	49%	41%	49%
... your family cares about your feelings?	Not at all	1%	11%	5%	4%	2%	1%
	A little	8%	10%	14%	13%	8%	10%
	Some	13%	13%	24%	22%	21%	25%
	Quite a bit	15%	24%	31%	25%	30%	31%
	Very much	63%	43%	27%	37%	39%	33%
... your family understands you?	Not at all	3%	14%	12%	10%	5%	6%
	A little	16%	13%	22%	21%	13%	15%
	Some	14%	15%	23%	36%	36%	36%
	Quite a bit	21%	15%	27%	24%	31%	30%
	Very much	46%	43%	16%	9%	15%	14%
... your family has lots of fun together?	Not at all	3%	13%	10%	10%	5%	7%
	A little	16%	9%	17%	19%	18%	16%
	Some	18%	19%	31%	29%	41%	28%
	Quite a bit	21%	29%	24%	25%	23%	25%
	Very much	43%	30%	19%	16%	13%	23%
... your family respects your privacy?	Not at all	8%	11%	11%	10%	7%	5%
	A little	10%	15%	19%	19%	15%	20%
	Some	8%	10%	22%	29%	25%	25%
	Quite a bit	30%	14%	26%	23%	28%	28%
	Very much	44%	49%	22%	20%	26%	22%

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**TABLE 11
PERCEPTIONS OF OTHERS CARING
Sibley 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%	0%	5%	1%	2%	0%
	little Some	10%	13%	12%	8%	11%	5%
	Quite a bit	19%	24%	31%	18%	25%	23%
	Very much	29%	26%	34%	31%	44%	37%
	Not at all	39%	38%	19%	43%	18%	35%
... teachers or other adults at school care about you? *	A little	4%	1%	11%	11%	11%	2%
	Some	9%	19%	21%	21%	18%	21%
	Quite a bit	21%	25%	37%	35%	28%	40%
	Very much	29%	28%	26%	28%	33%	28%
	Not at all	37%	26%	5%	5%	10%	9%
... church or spiritual leaders care about you? *	A little	9%	14%	13%	14%	15%	9%
	Some	14%	14%	19%	17%	17%	17%
	Quite a bit	18%	12%	23%	27%	28%	26%
	Very much	23%	26%	23%	18%	30%	27%
	Not at all	36%	33%	21%	24%	10%	21%
... police officers care about you?	A little	12%	12%	31%	21%	32%	28%
	Some	8%	13%	20%	21%	25%	28%
	Quite a bit	19%	19%	36%	31%	30%	26%
	Very much	29%	19%	9%	15%	10%	14%
	Not at all	32%	38%	4%	11%	3%	5%
... other adults in your community care about you?	A little	5%	6%	12%	11%	15%	16%
	Some	21%	26%	25%	30%	18%	23%
	Quite a bit	23%	16%	37%	35%	45%	33%
	Very much	28%	25%	19%	20%	17%	20%
		23%	28%	7%	4%	5%	7%

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

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**TABLE 12
FAMILY SUBSTANCE ABUSE
*Sibley 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	24%	21%	14%	21%	15%	20%
	No	76%	79%	86%	79%	85%	80%
Whose use? (Mark all that apply)	Family alc problems-Parent who lives with me	12%	7%	7%	8%	7%	7%
	Family alc problems-Parent who doesn't live with me	4%	1%	1%	8%	5%	6%
	Family alc problems-Other relative	12%	15%	6%	10%	7%	9%
Has drug use by any family member repeatedly caused family, health, job, or legal problems?	Yes	17%	19%	9%	15%	10%	11%
	No	83%	81%	91%	85%	90%	89%
Whose use? (Mark all that apply)	Family drug problems-Parent who lives with me	8%	4%	3%	1%	2%	1%
	Family drug problems-Parent who doesn't live with me	1%	0%	1%	10%	3%	1%
	Family drug problems-Other relative	9%	15%	7%	6%	7%	9%

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**TABLE 13
FAMILY/DATE VIOLENCE**

Sibley County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Have you ever been the victim of violence on a date? *	Yes			5%	5%	8%	6%
	No			95%	95%	92%	94%
Has any adult in your household ever hit you so hard that you had marks or were afraid of that person?	Yes	9%	16%	9%	19%	8%	15%
	No	91%	84%	91%	81%	92%	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	15%	18%	10%	19%	11%	14%
	No	85%	82%	90%	81%	89%	86%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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**TABLE 14
SEXUAL ABUSE
Sibley County**

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Have you ever been the victim of date rape? *	Yes			3%	4%	5%	0%
	No			97%	96%	95%	100%
Has any older person outside the family touched you sexually against your wishes or forced you to touch them sexually?	Yes	3%	5%	6%	13%	0%	10%
	No	97%	95%	94%	88%	100%	90%
Has any older/stronger member of your family touched you sexually or had you touch them sexually?	Yes	3%	4%	3%	8%	0%	4%
	No	97%	96%	97%	93%	100%	96%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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**TABLE 15
GENERAL HEALTH ISSUES
Sibley 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	42%	38%	26%	23%	32%	31%
	1-2 years ago	28%	27%	55%	61%	27%	47%
	3-4 years ago	4%	3%	13%	10%	23%	16%
	More than 4 years ago	1%	8%	2%	3%	8%	5%
	I have never had a physical exam	24%	24%	5%	4%	10%	1%
Have you ever been treated for an alcohol or other drug problem? *	No			92%	100%	90%	95%
	Yes			8%	0%	10%	5%
Do you have a mental or physical health problem that has lasted at least 12 months?	No	86%	82%	88%	85%	87%	93%
	Yes	14%	18%	12%	15%	13%	7%
In the past 12 months, how often have you blacked out because someone hit you in the head?	Never	95%	85%	94%	97%	92%	98%
	Once	3%	14%	6%	1%	3%	2%
	Two times or more	3%	1%	1%	1%	5%	0%
In the past 12 months, how often have you blacked out because you fell or were accidentally hit in the head?	Never	76%	76%	88%	87%	90%	95%
	Once	19%	18%	10%	9%	5%	5%
	Two times or more	5%	6%	2%	4%	5%	0%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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**TABLE 16
WEIGHT-RELATED ISSUES
Sibley 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				17%	26%	21%	23%
	No				83%	74%	79%	77%
At the present time, do you think you are...	Underweight		15%	6%	5%	6%	21%	2%
	About the right weight		65%	61%	70%	62%	62%	57%
	Overweight		19%	33%	25%	32%	16%	41%
During the last 12 months, have you done any of the following to lose or control weight? (Mark all that apply) *	Exercise	Yes			68%	85%	42%	77%
		No			32%	15%	58%	23%
	Fast or skip meals	Yes			18%	46%	21%	37%
		No			82%	54%	79%	63%
	Smoke cigarettes	Yes			6%	10%	16%	14%
		No			94%	90%	84%	86%
	Use diet pills or speed	Yes			6%	3%	5%	10%
		No			94%	98%	95%	90%
	Vomit on purpose after eating	Yes			4%	5%	8%	7%
		No			96%	95%	92%	93%
	Use laxatives	Yes			5%	1%	2%	2%
		No			95%	99%	98%	98%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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**TABLE 17
EXERCISE
Sibley 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%	15%	17%	22%	24%	23%
	1 day	6%	12%	3%	13%	6%	16%
	2 days	9%	12%	16%	14%	21%	22%
	3 days	13%	19%	11%	10%	10%	10%
	4 days	14%	12%	9%	16%	10%	11%
	5 days	12%	9%	24%	15%	19%	10%
	6 days	8%	10%	8%	4%	6%	4%
	7 days	26%	12%	12%	6%	3%	4%
On how many of the last 7 days were you physically active for a combined total of at least 30 minutes?	0 days	11%	3%	8%	13%	27%	15%
	1 day	8%	15%	4%	10%	5%	23%
	2 days	4%	15%	11%	15%	15%	15%
	3 days	12%	14%	12%	6%	6%	9%
	4 days	5%	14%	6%	18%	16%	12%
	5 days	9%	15%	19%	24%	16%	14%
	6 days	12%	4%	10%	3%	5%	6%
	7 days	39%	18%	29%	11%	10%	6%

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TABLE 18
NUTRITION
Sibley 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	9%	15%	11%	21%	27%	35%
	1-2 glasses	44%	55%	43%	40%	42%	44%
	3-4 glasses	31%	18%	29%	29%	19%	16%
	5 or more glasses	16%	11%	18%	10%	11%	5%
100% fruit juice	0 glasses	39%	37%	47%	54%	53%	56%
	1-2 glasses	46%	41%	42%	35%	39%	38%
	3-4 glasses	4%	16%	6%	9%	5%	3%
	5 or more glasses	11%	6%	6%	3%	3%	4%
Fruit juice drinks	0 glasses	42%	35%	50%	43%	56%	63%
	1-2 glasses	38%	43%	31%	49%	32%	28%
	3-4 glasses	12%	15%	11%	6%	8%	8%
	5 or more glasses	8%	6%	8%	1%	3%	1%
Pop or soda	0 glasses	27%	40%	24%	43%	11%	33%
	1-2 glasses	47%	37%	48%	39%	37%	52%
	3-4 glasses	13%	19%	16%	15%	24%	10%
	5 or more glasses	13%	4%	12%	4%	27%	5%
Sports drinks	0 glasses	61%	81%	69%	79%	60%	82%
	1-2 glasses	20%	13%	18%	14%	26%	11%
	3-4 glasses	10%	1%	8%	5%	10%	5%
	5 or more glasses	9%	4%	5%	1%	5%	1%
Water	0 glasses	5%	7%	15%	11%	16%	6%
	1-2 glasses	23%	21%	30%	41%	32%	41%
	3-4 glasses	22%	25%	24%	24%	26%	28%
	5 or more glasses	49%	46%	31%	24%	26%	25%
How many servings of fruits, fruit juices, or vegetables did you eat yesterday?	0 servings	8%	3%	8%	3%	13%	10%
	1 serving	8%	14%	17%	24%	20%	18%
	2 servings	17%	19%	18%	26%	28%	18%
	3 servings	24%	19%	24%	21%	20%	34%
	4 servings	17%	20%	16%	18%	8%	11%
	5 or more servings	27%	26%	17%	9%	11%	10%

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TABLE 19
SEAT BELT USE
Sibley 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	5%	0%	7%	3%	3%	1%
	Sometimes	15%	18%	29%	18%	32%	28%
	Often	33%	34%	39%	40%	25%	27%
	Always	46%	48%	25%	40%	39%	43%
...drive a car? *	I never do this activity			20%	31%	5%	2%
	Never			4%	3%	3%	1%
	Sometimes			9%	6%	21%	14%
	Often			14%	6%	19%	22%
	Always			53%	53%	52%	60%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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TABLE 20
SOURCES OF INFORMATION ON RISK BEHAVIORS
Sibley 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	21%	45%	60%	64%	74%	85%
	Alc-drug info: Parents	49%	62%	44%	56%	55%	47%
	Alc-drug info: Brothers or sisters	13%	22%	28%	34%	26%	38%
	Alc-drug info: School, teachers, or counselors	72%	84%	76%	83%	45%	49%
	Alc-drug info: Clinics, doctors, or nurses	19%	25%	9%	11%	8%	12%
	Alc-drug info: Internet	17%	19%	16%	18%	18%	15%
	Alc-drug info: TV, radio, magazines, newspapers, or books	42%	47%	52%	53%	32%	54%
	Alc-drug info: I do not know much about alcohol or drugs	5%	5%	6%	8%	6%	0%
Where have you received most of your information about sex? (Mark all that apply)	Sex info: Friends or peers	29%	36%	61%	73%	74%	79%
	Sex info: Parents	40%	49%	33%	50%	31%	41%
	Sex info: Brothers or sisters	9%	11%	16%	13%	19%	14%
	Sex info: School, teachers, or counselors	40%	33%	82%	83%	53%	42%
	Sex info: Clinics, doctors, or nurses	15%	18%	7%	10%	6%	17%
	Sex info: Internet	13%	10%	33%	13%	26%	17%
	Sex info: TV, radio, magazines, newspapers, or books	26%	25%	54%	43%	24%	46%
	Sex info: I do not know much about sex	22%	18%	3%	3%	2%	4%

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TABLE 21
SELF-ESTEEM *
Sibley County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
I usually feel good about myself.	Disagree	8%	13%	8%	13%	5%	10%
	Mostly disagree	1%	10%	6%	20%	6%	10%
	Mostly agree	37%	31%	50%	46%	42%	52%
	Agree	54%	47%	36%	21%	47%	28%
I am able to do things as well as most other people my age.	Disagree	10%	16%	6%	14%	2%	4%
	Mostly disagree	4%	4%	8%	8%	8%	10%
	Mostly agree	32%	23%	43%	44%	42%	42%
	Agree	54%	56%	43%	35%	48%	44%
On the whole, I'm satisfied with myself.	Disagree	8%	9%	8%	13%	2%	5%
	Mostly disagree	5%	10%	6%	18%	5%	16%
	Mostly agree	33%	26%	42%	47%	42%	46%
	Agree	54%	56%	44%	23%	52%	33%
I feel I do not have much to be proud of.	Agree	17%	18%	14%	11%	8%	6%
	Mostly agree	8%	16%	9%	20%	8%	11%
	Mostly disagree	30%	19%	28%	24%	23%	38%
	Disagree	45%	47%	49%	45%	61%	44%
Sometimes I think that I am no good.	Agree	29%	31%	17%	25%	8%	17%
	Mostly agree	9%	18%	13%	18%	13%	20%
	Mostly disagree	24%	21%	30%	31%	23%	31%
	Disagree	37%	30%	39%	26%	56%	32%
I feel that I can't do anything right.	Agree	21%	17%	13%	18%	6%	5%
	Mostly agree	10%	15%	6%	16%	6%	20%
	Mostly disagree	27%	28%	28%	29%	26%	35%
	Disagree	42%	40%	53%	38%	61%	41%
I feel that my life is not very useful.	Agree	12%	17%	10%	14%	8%	6%
	Mostly agree	3%	16%	7%	15%	11%	12%
	Mostly disagree	30%	26%	20%	24%	16%	32%
	Disagree	56%	41%	62%	48%	65%	49%

* 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
Sibley 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	3%	4%	3%	1%	2%	2%
	Bad	3%	7%	4%	5%	0%	1%
	Up and down a lot	47%	52%	35%	55%	39%	58%
	Very good	43%	24%	48%	33%	42%	37%
	Excellent	5%	13%	10%	6%	18%	1%
... have you felt you were under any stress or pressure?	Yes, almost more than I could take	6%	10%	11%	18%	13%	20%
	Yes, quite a bit of pressure	10%	15%	14%	19%	24%	35%
	Yes, more than usual	17%	13%	11%	15%	18%	19%
	Yes, a little	46%	49%	55%	45%	32%	26%
	Not at all	21%	14%	9%	4%	13%	1%
... have you felt sad?	All the time	1%	7%	4%	4%	5%	2%
	Most of the time	9%	14%	8%	20%	3%	9%
	Some of the time	22%	23%	18%	31%	36%	44%
	Little of the time	56%	49%	48%	40%	30%	40%
	None of the time	12%	7%	22%	5%	26%	5%
... 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	4%	10%	11%	13%	5%	5%
	Quite a bit	12%	11%	6%	13%	8%	9%
	Some, enough to bother me	12%	7%	8%	15%	13%	17%
	A little bit	28%	29%	27%	21%	29%	36%
	Not at all	45%	43%	48%	39%	45%	33%
... have you felt nervous, worried, or upset?	All the time	7%	7%	5%	3%	5%	4%
	Most of the time	8%	17%	7%	18%	3%	17%
	Some of the time	25%	13%	31%	41%	31%	35%
	Little of the time	50%	55%	44%	36%	48%	41%
	None of the time	11%	8%	13%	3%	13%	4%
... how satisfied have you been with your personal life?	Very dissatisfied	5%	10%	5%	6%	5%	5%
	Somewhat dissatisfied	7%	15%	18%	21%	10%	22%
	Satisfied	39%	34%	39%	45%	43%	46%
	Very satisfied	27%	21%	27%	20%	30%	22%
	Extremely satisfied	22%	19%	12%	8%	13%	5%

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TABLE 23
SUICIDAL THOUGHTS AND BEHAVIOR
Sibley County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Have you ever thought about killing yourself?	No	84%	70%	77%	53%	74%	65%
	Yes, during the last year	12%	24%	14%	30%	15%	15%
	Yes, more than a year ago	4%	6%	9%	18%	11%	20%
Have you ever tried to kill yourself?	No	95%	89%	93%	80%	89%	84%
	Yes, during the last year	4%	8%	3%	10%	6%	4%
	Yes, more than a year ago	1%	3%	5%	10%	5%	12%

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TABLE 24
GAMBLING BEHAVIOR *
Sibley 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	58%	86%	47%	79%
	Less than once a month	20%	9%	16%	15%
	About once a month	9%	4%	6%	4%
	About once a week	9%	1%	24%	2%
	Daily	3%	0%	6%	0%
Bet on games of personal skill like pool, golf, or bowling	Not at all	58%	91%	45%	95%
	Less than once a month	18%	6%	24%	2%
	About once a month	14%	1%	19%	2%
	About once a week	6%	1%	3%	0%
	Daily	4%	0%	8%	0%
Bet money on sports teams	Not at all	64%	93%	71%	94%
	Less than once a month	16%	5%	13%	6%
	About once a month	11%	3%	5%	0%
	About once a week	8%	0%	3%	0%
	Daily	1%	0%	8%	0%
Bought lottery tickets or scratch-offs	Not at all	88%	92%	32%	57%
	Less than once a month	7%	6%	27%	30%
	About once a month	4%	1%	17%	7%
	About once a week	0%	0%	18%	5%
	Daily	1%	0%	7%	1%
Gambled in a casino	Not at all	97%	100%	49%	69%
	Less than once a month	0%	0%	21%	26%
	About once a month	0%	0%	16%	4%
	About once a week	2%	0%	7%	0%
	Daily	1%	0%	7%	1%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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TABLE 25
GAMBLING CONSEQUENCES *
Sibley 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	7%	1%	15%	10%
	No	46%	20%	68%	32%
	I don't bet for money	48%	78%	18%	58%
... that you would like to stop betting money but didn't think you could?	Yes	2%	0%	5%	1%
	No	50%	22%	77%	41%
	I don't bet for money	48%	78%	18%	58%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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**TABLE 26
DESTRUCTIVE AND ANTISOCIAL BEHAVIOR
*Sibley 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	95%	90%	89%	85%	94%	93%
	Once or twice	5%	8%	8%	9%	2%	6%
	3 to 5 times	0%	1%	2%	5%	3%	1%
	More than 10 times	0%	0%	1%	1%	2%	0%
During the last 12 months, how often have you damaged or destroyed property at school or somewhere else?	Never	73%	86%	64%	86%	74%	88%
	Once or twice	24%	7%	19%	10%	16%	11%
	3 to 5 times	1%	4%	9%	3%	3%	0%
	6 to 10 times	1%	1%	4%	0%	2%	0%
	More than 10 times	0%	1%	4%	1%	5%	1%
During the last 12 months, how often have you hit or beat up another person?	Never	65%	69%	54%	64%	67%	83%
	Once or twice	21%	17%	33%	22%	17%	10%
	3 to 5 times	9%	10%	5%	8%	5%	5%
	6 to 10 times	0%	1%	3%	1%	5%	0%
	More than 10 times	4%	3%	6%	5%	7%	2%
During the last 12 months, how often have you taken something from a store without paying for it?	Never	89%	92%	74%	68%	72%	80%
	Once or twice	5%	5%	16%	20%	10%	12%
	3 to 5 times	4%	3%	4%	4%	5%	5%
	6 to 10 times	0%	0%	4%	4%	0%	1%
	More than 10 times	1%	0%	3%	4%	13%	1%
Do you get a real kick out of doing things that are a little dangerous?	Not at all A	40%	51%	28%	33%	18%	43%
	little Quite	28%	31%	41%	51%	42%	46%
	a bit Very	16%	7%	16%	10%	31%	7%
	much	16%	10%	16%	6%	10%	4%
On how many of the last 30 days did you carry a gun on school property?	0 days	99%	100%	97%	99%	97%	99%
	1 day	1%	0%	2%	0%	0%	0%
	2 or 3 days	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
	4 or 5 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%
	6 or more days	0%	0%	0%	1%	3%	0%
On how many of the last 30 days did you carry a weapon (other than a gun) on school property?	0 days	97%	99%	93%	99%	92%	95%
	1 day	1%	1%	4%	0%	3%	0%
	2 or 3 days	1%	0%	2%	0%	0%	1%
	6 or more days	0%	0%	2%	1%	5%	4%

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TABLE 27
SUMMARY OF SUBSTANCE USE *
Sibley County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Use of any tobacco products during the past year	No	97%	92%	79%	69%	44%	51%
	Yes	3%	8%	21%	31%	56%	49%
DAILY use of any tobacco products during the past year	No	100%	100%	90%	90%	65%	78%
	Yes	0%	0%	10%	10%	35%	22%
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%	94%	94%	64%	81%
	Yes	0%	0%	6%	6%	36%	19%
Any alcohol and/or other drug use during the past year (excluding tobacco)	No alcohol or other drug use in the past year	85%	86%	58%	46%	30%	31%
	Used only alcohol in the past year	10%	8%	29%	36%	43%	46%
	Used only other drugs in the past year	3%	3%	2%	3%	0%	1%
	Used both alcohol and other drugs in the past year	3%	3%	11%	15%	27%	22%

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

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TABLE 28
CIGARETTE USE
Sibley 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	97%	92%	82%	69%	45%	52%
	Less than monthly	3%	7%	7%	15%	13%	17%
	Monthly	0%	0%	1%	3%	0%	5%
	Weekly	0%	1%	0%	4%	10%	4%
	Daily	0%	0%	9%	10%	32%	22%
During the last 30 days, on how many days did you smoke a cigarette?	0 days	99%	95%	87%	75%	56%	65%
	1 or 2 days	1%	4%	3%	8%	5%	5%
	3 to 5 days	0%	0%	1%	5%	2%	4%
	6 to 9 days	0%	1%	0%	1%	2%	1%
	10 to 19 days	0%	0%	1%	3%	3%	3%
	20 to 29 days	0%	0%	1%	1%	5%	6%
	All 30 days	0%	0%	7%	8%	27%	16%
During the last 30 days, how frequently have you smoked cigarettes?	Never	99%	96%	87%	75%	58%	65%
	Less than one cigarette per day	0%	3%	5%	11%	6%	13%
	One to five cigarettes per day	1%	1%	3%	8%	18%	11%
	About one-half pack per day	0%	0%	3%	4%	15%	6%
	About one pack per day	0%	0%	2%	3%	3%	3%
	About one and one-half packs per day	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	3%
If you have not smoked a cigarette in the last year, do you think you will during the next year?	Definitely yes	0%	3%	5%	3%	12%	4%
	Probably yes	4%	7%	8%	8%	12%	13%
	Probably not	10%	15%	14%	8%	24%	13%
	Definitely not	86%	75%	73%	81%	52%	69%

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

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TABLE 29
CIGAR AND SMOKELESS TOBACCO USE
Sibley 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%	90%	98%	80%	98%
	Less than monthly	1%	1%	4%	1%	7%	2%
	Monthly	0%	0%	2%	1%	2%	0%
	Weekly	0%	0%	2%	0%	5%	0%
	Daily	0%	0%	3%	0%	7%	0%
During the last 12 months, how often have you used cigars, cigarillos, or little cigars?	Not at all	97%	100%	94%	96%	72%	93%
	Less than monthly	3%	0%	1%	3%	13%	7%
	Monthly	0%	0%	1%	0%	8%	0%
	Weekly	0%	0%	0%	1%	3%	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**

Sibley 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%	18%	14%	84%	73%
	Bought it at bars or restaurants	0%	0%	6%	0%	3%	7%
	Bought it at grocery, discount, or drug stores	0%	0%	6%	0%	10%	7%
	Bought it at places like bowling alleys, video arcades, or pool halls	0%	0%	6%	0%	6%	3%
	Bought it from vending machines	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	3%
	Bought it on the Internet *			6%	0%	0%	0%
	Got it from friends	0%	50%	71%	38%	29%	47%
	Got it from family members	0%	25%	18%	19%	10%	10%
	Got it by getting someone else to buy for me	0%	0%	41%	38%	10%	33%
	Took it from my home	0%	25%	18%	10%	13%	3%
	Took it from a friend's home	0%	25%	35%	5%	6%	0%
	Took it from stores	0%	0%	12%	0%	10%	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	0%	0%	6%	10%	6%	0%
	No	100%	100%	94%	90%	94%	100%

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

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TABLE 33
ALCOHOL USE FREQUENCY AND QUANTITY
Sibley County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
On how many occasions (if any) have you had alcoholic beverages to drink during the last 12 months?	0	88%	85%	60%	47%	28%	33%
	1-2	8%	6%	10%	18%	13%	13%
	3-5	3%	4%	9%	14%	8%	15%
	6-9	0%	3%	11%	10%	11%	8%
	10-19	0%	1%	5%	3%	8%	11%
	20-39	1%	0%	1%	5%	5%	13%
	40+	0%	0%	5%	3%	26%	9%
On how many occasions (if any) have you had alcoholic beverages to drink during the last 30 days?	0	96%	94%	75%	72%	47%	56%
	1-2	3%	3%	13%	14%	10%	17%
	3-5	1%	3%	4%	8%	15%	15%
	6-9	0%	0%	6%	1%	10%	8%
	10-19	0%	0%	1%	3%	12%	4%
	40+	0%	0%	0%	1%	7%	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	92%	89%	61%	49%	32%	33%
	1 glass, can, or drink	7%	10%	13%	20%	8%	15%
	2 glasses, cans, or drinks	1%	1%	6%	9%	5%	4%
	3 glasses, cans, or drinks	0%	0%	5%	5%	2%	6%
	4 glasses, cans, or drinks	0%	0%	2%	3%	3%	15%
	5 glasses, cans, or drinks	0%	0%	7%	5%	5%	9%
	6 or more glasses, cans, or drinks	0%	0%	7%	8%	45%	18%
Over the last 2 weeks, how many times (if any) have you had five or more drinks in a row? *	Never			84%	88%	61%	70%
	Once			7%	4%	8%	10%
	Twice			0%	5%	8%	9%
	3 - 5 times			7%	0%	13%	10%
	6 - 9 times			1%	1%	7%	1%
	10 or more times			2%	1%	3%	0%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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TABLE 32
ACCESS TO ALCOHOL
Sibley 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%	4%	10%	6%	0%
	Bought it at stores	0%	0%	13%	10%	6%	3%
	Bought it on the Internet **			0%	0%	0%	0%
	Got it from friends	33%	50%	38%	52%	50%	59%
	Got it from family members	67%	75%	25%	43%	31%	32%
	Got it by getting someone else to buy for me	0%	0%	21%	19%	25%	50%
	Got it at parties	67%	50%	21%	48%	41%	44%
	Took it from my home	33%	50%	33%	29%	13%	9%
	Took it from a friend's home	33%	25%	17%	29%	6%	0%
	Took it from stores	0%	0%	13%	5%	6%	0%

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%	9%	9%	4%	0%
	No	100%	100%	91%	91%	96%	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 *
Sibley 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	91%	92%	52%	70%
	Once	6%	3%	13%	5%
	Twice	1%	3%	4%	3%
	3 or more times	2%	3%	31%	22%
Do you ever ride with friends after they have been using alcohol or drugs?	No	68%	71%	49%	52%
	Yes, but rarely	16%	18%	20%	27%
	Yes, often	9%	6%	28%	16%
	None of my friends use alcohol or other drugs	7%	5%	3%	5%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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TABLE 34
MARIJUANA, INHALANTS, AND PRESCRIPTION DRUGS
Sibley 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%	97%	88%	86%	75%	77%
	1-2	1%	3%	4%	7%	3%	4%
	3-5	0%	0%	1%	3%	2%	1%
	6-9	0%	0%	1%	0%	5%	5%
	10-19	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	3%
	20-39	0%	0%	1%	1%	2%	3%
	40+	0%	0%	5%	4%	14%	8%
... used marijuana (grass, pot) or hashish (hash, hash oil) during the last 30 days?	0	100%	97%	92%	91%	80%	86%
	1-2	0%	3%	4%	5%	5%	6%
	3-5	0%	0%	2%	0%	3%	1%
	6-9	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%
	10-19	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%
	20-39	0%	0%	1%	1%	5%	3%
	40+	0%	0%	1%	1%	7%	1%
... sniffed glue or inhaled any other gases or sprays in order to get high during the last 12 months? *	0	96%	94%	94%	91%	92%	95%
	1-2	3%	3%	1%	4%	7%	1%
	3-5	1%	2%	4%	0%	0%	3%
	6-9	0%	0%	0%	1%	2%	0%
	10-19	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%
	20-39	0%	2%	0%	1%	0%	0%
	40+	0%	0%	0%	3%	0%	0%
... taken other people's prescription drugs during the last 12 months? *	0	99%	98%	95%	95%	88%	92%
	1-2	0%	0%	2%	3%	5%	1%
	3-5	1%	0%	0%	1%	3%	1%
	6-9	0%	2%	3%	0%	0%	0%
	10-19	0%	0%	0%	1%	3%	3%
	20-39	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	3%

* Questions regarding use of these substances in the past 30 days were dropped due to low prevalence rates.

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TABLE 37
AMPHETAMINES, METHAMPHETAMINE, COCAINE, AND ECSTASY *
Sibley 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%	96%	88%	91%
	1-2	2%	0%	7%	3%
	3-5	1%	1%	2%	3%
	10-19	0%	3%	2%	1%
	20-39	2%	0%	0%	1%
	40+	0%	0%	2%	1%
... used methamphetamine (meth, speed, crank, crystal meth) by any method?	0	94%	93%	88%	90%
	1-2	2%	4%	7%	5%
	3-5	2%	0%	2%	3%
	6-9	1%	0%	0%	0%
	10-19	0%	1%	0%	1%
	20-39	1%	0%	2%	0%
	40+	0%	1%	2%	1%
... used "crack" (cocaine in chunk or rock form), or cocaine in any other form?	0	95%	95%	90%	91%
	1-2	2%	1%	3%	4%
	3-5	1%	4%	2%	1%
	6-9	1%	0%	2%	1%
	10-19	0%	0%	3%	1%
	20-39	0%	0%	0%	1%
	40+	1%	0%	0%	0%
... used MDMA ("ecstasy")?	0	96%	99%	97%	96%
	1-2	1%	0%	2%	3%
	3-5	1%	0%	0%	1%
	6-9	0%	0%	2%	0%
	10-19	1%	0%	0%	0%
	20-39	1%	0%	0%	0%
	40+	0%	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 *
Sibley 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	95%	97%	95%	97%
	1-2	2%	0%	3%	3%
	3-5	1%	0%	0%	0%
	6-9	1%	1%	2%	0%
	10-19	0%	1%	0%	0%
	40+	1%	0%	0%	0%
... used heroin or any other narcotics or opiates?	0	95%	96%	100%	99%
	1-2	2%	1%	0%	1%
	3-5	2%	1%	0%	0%
	6-9	1%	0%	0%	0%
	10-19	0%	1%	0%	0%
... taken barbiturates or tranquilizers without a doctor telling you to take them?	0	96%	97%	97%	96%
	1-2	3%	0%	2%	1%
	3-5	0%	0%	2%	0%
	6-9	1%	0%	0%	0%
	10-19	0%	3%	0%	0%
	20-39	0%	0%	0%	1%
	40+	0%	0%	0%	1%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions. Questions regarding use of these substances in the past 30 days were dropped due to low prevalence rates.

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TABLE 37
ACCESS TO OTHER DRUGS *
Sibley 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	50%	50%	82%	62%
	Bought them from people I don't know	25%	10%	27%	8%
	Bought them on the Internet	8%	0%	0%	0%
	Got them from friends	42%	90%	100%	92%
	Got them from family members	17%	20%	27%	15%
	Got them by getting someone else to buy for me	42%	10%	0%	8%
	Got them at parties	75%	30%	73%	31%
	Took them from my home	25%	30%	0%	15%
	Took them from a friend's home	42%	20%	9%	0%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

** In 1998, percentages were based on recent drug users. This year, as in 2001, because recent use questions were dropped for most substances, the percentages are based on past-year drug users who cited a source, i.e. those who answered this question. Due to this difference, results are comparable only to 2001 results.

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TABLE 38
SUBSTANCE USE PATTERNS
Sibley County

<i>Do you ever use alcohol or other drugs ...</i>		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
...before school?	Yes	0%	0%	7%	7%	25%	10%
	No	100%	100%	93%	93%	75%	90%
...during school?	Yes	0%	0%	8%	4%	18%	7%
	No	100%	100%	92%	96%	82%	93%
...right after school?	Yes	0%	1%	8%	12%	28%	16%
	No	100%	99%	92%	88%	72%	84%

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**TABLE 39
REASONS FOR SUBSTANCE USE ***

Sibley 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	41%	41%	63%	44%
	Reasons to use: To get high or smashed	44%	21%	48%	40%
	Reasons to use: To have fun at parties	53%	62%	68%	79%
	To escape from school, family or personal problems	19%	32%	25%	44%
	Because my parents aren't around	16%	18%	8%	10%
	Because my friends do	44%	38%	23%	35%
	Because my parents do	6%	6%	5%	4%
	Because I like the taste	50%	47%	48%	35%
	Because I'm sad, lonely, or angry	6%	24%	8%	19%
	Because it's illegal	22%	15%	18%	15%
	Because of peer pressure	22%	24%	5%	15%

* 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 *
Sibley 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	83%	65%
	Reasons not using alc: One or both of my parents would object	70%	55%
	Reasons not using alc: I have no desire to use	84%	79%
	Reasons not using alc: Use is against my principles or religious beliefs	34%	24%
	Reasons not using alc: Alcohol and drugs are dangerous	77%	82%
	Reasons not using alc: Alcohol and drug education at school	54%	39%
	Reasons not using alc: Use could affect my performance in school, sports, or other activities	89%	83%

* 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 *

Sibley 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	95%	88%	78%	83%
	Yes	5%	12%	22%	17%
...have you tried to cut down on your alcohol or other drug use but couldn't?	No or no use	94%	93%	89%	95%
	Yes	6%	7%	11%	5%
...has alcohol or other drug use hurt your relationships with friends or family?	No or no use	92%	86%	87%	88%
	Yes	8%	14%	13%	12%
...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	88%	75%	62%	70%
	Once	7%	15%	11%	17%
	Twice	1%	5%	4%	4%
	3 or more times	4%	4%	23%	9%
...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	94%	95%	87%	87%
	Once	2%	1%	2%	5%
	Twice	3%	1%	0%	1%
	3 or more times	1%	3%	11%	7%
...how many times has alcohol or other drug use left you feeling depressed, agitated, paranoid, or unable to concentrate?	0 times or no use	92%	88%	87%	79%
	Once	6%	7%	4%	11%
	Twice	1%	4%	2%	8%
	3 or more times	1%	1%	8%	3%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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TABLE 41B CONSEQUENCES OF
SUBSTANCE USE *

Sibley 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	91%	90%	81%	83%
	Once	5%	3%	10%	7%
	Twice	1%	4%	2%	5%
	3 or more times	3%	3%	8%	5%
...how many times have you missed work or school because of alcohol or other drug use?	0 times or no use	96%	96%	88%	87%
	Once	3%	3%	2%	7%
	Twice	0%	1%	2%	4%
	3 or more times	1%	0%	8%	3%
...how many times has alcohol or other drug use caused you problems with the law?	0 times or no use	92%	97%	83%	88%
	Once	4%	0%	10%	9%
	Twice	3%	0%	2%	1%
	3 or more times	1%	3%	6%	1%
...how many times have you hit someone or become violent while using alcohol or other drugs?	0 times or no use	98%	95%	90%	89%
	Once	0%	1%	2%	9%
	Twice	1%	3%	0%	0%
	3 or more times	1%	1%	8%	1%
...how many times have you used so much alcohol or other drugs that later you couldn't recall what you had said/done?	0 times or no use	89%	82%	67%	61%
	Once	4%	11%	8%	14%
	Twice	3%	3%	6%	8%
	3 or more times	4%	4%	19%	17%
...how many times have you used more alcohol or other drugs than you intended to?	0 times or no use	88%	85%	73%	66%
	Once	4%	11%	2%	9%
	Twice	5%	4%	2%	9%
	3 or more times	3%	0%	23%	16%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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TABLE 42A SEXUAL BEHAVIOR *

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		Grade			
		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%
Have you ever had sexual intercourse ("gone all the way")?	No	85%	80%	49%	50%
	Yes, once or twice	6%	7%	15%	9%
	Yes, 3 times or more	9%	14%	36%	41%
During the last 12 months, with how many different male partners have you had sexual intercourse?	None	95%	83%	88%	51%
	1 person	2%	9%	5%	28%
	2 persons	1%	1%	2%	10%
	3 persons	0%	1%	0%	9%
	4 persons	1%	3%	0%	0%
	6 or more persons	1%	3%	5%	1%
During the last 12 months, with how many different female partners have you had sexual intercourse?	None	87%	99%	55%	97%
	1 person	4%	0%	26%	3%
	2 persons	2%	1%	2%	0%
	3 persons	3%	0%	5%	0%
	4 persons	1%	0%	2%	0%
	6 or more persons	4%	0%	10%	0%
How many times have you been pregnant or gotten someone pregnant?	0 times	94%	100%	91%	93%
	1 time	2%	0%	2%	7%
	2 or more times	3%	0%	2%	0%
	Not sure	1%	0%	5%	0%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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TABLE 42B SEXUAL BEHAVIOR *

Sibley 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	40%	31%	20%	31%
	Not with every partner	13%	23%	23%	15%
	At least once with every partner	47%	46%	57%	54%
Have you talked with partner(s) about preventing pregnancy? **	Never	40%	36%	28%	26%
	Not with every partner	7%	14%	14%	10%
	At least once with every partner	53%	50%	59%	64%
If you have sexual intercourse, how often do you and/or your partner use any birth control method?	Never	40%	21%	17%	16%
	Rarely	0%	29%	3%	0%
	Sometimes	0%	7%	0%	5%
	Usually	20%	14%	14%	5%
	Always	40%	29%	66%	74%
If you have sexual intercourse, how often is a condom used?	Never	27%	7%	25%	23%
	Rarely	7%	21%	0%	10%
	Sometimes	13%	14%	7%	10%
	Usually	20%	14%	14%	13%
	Always	33%	43%	54%	44%
The last time you had sexual intercourse, did you or your partner use a condom?	Yes	57%	71%	67%	51%
	No	43%	29%	33%	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 *
Sibley 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	47%	68%	44%	63%
	Reasons not having sex: I don't want to have sex	36%	60%	26%	59%
	Reasons not having sex: Most students in my school don't have sex	30%	10%	11%	0%
	Reasons not having sex: My friends don't have sex	33%	31%	22%	10%
	I don't think it's right for a person my age to have sex	49%	73%	33%	44%
	I'm afraid of getting caught	32%	37%	19%	17%
	My religious or spiritual beliefs	33%	40%	33%	56%
	Sex education at school has shown me the advantages of waiting until I'm older	55%	55%	33%	27%
	I don't want to get a sexually transmitted disease	67%	76%	37%	61%
	Fear of pregnancy **	54%	73%	59%	78%
	My parents taught me the advantages of waiting until I'm older	36%	47%	26%	34%
	I have chosen to wait until I'm married	54%	69%	48%	54%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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