

2004 Minnesota Student Survey

TABLE 1
SAMPLE DESCRIPTION
Wilkin County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		N	%	N	%	N	%
Total number of surveys		86	100%	128	100%	82	100%
Gender	Male	38	44%	64	50%	34	41%
	Female	48	56%	64	50%	48	59%
Age	11 or younger	18	21%	0	0%	0	0%
	12	56	65%	0	0%	0	0%
	13	11	13%	0	0%	0	0%
	14	0	0%	22	17%	0	0%
	15	0	0%	90	70%	0	0%
	16	0	0%	15	12%	0	0%
	17	0	0%	1	1%	14	17%
	18	0	0%	0	0%	63	77%
	19-20	0	0%	0	0%	4	5%
	No answer	1	1%	0	0%	1	1%
Race/ethnicity	American Indian	2	2%	1	1%	1	1%
	Black or African American	1	1%	1	1%	1	1%
	Hispanic or Latino	2	2%	3	2%	1	1%
	Asian American or Pacific Islander	0	0%	1	1%	1	1%
	White	71	83%	116	91%	70	85%
	Mixed race (checked more than one race/ethnicity)	3	3%	5	4%	5	6%
	I don't know / no answer	7	8%	1	1%	3	4%

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

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
How do you feel about going to school?	I like school very much	21%	21%	8%	11%	9%	2%
	I like school quite a bit	21%	44%	23%	50%	24%	33%
	I like school a little	34%	21%	39%	28%	26%	44%
	I don't like school very much	16%	4%	17%	8%	18%	13%
	I hate school	8%	10%	13%	3%	24%	8%
Which of these best describes your school plans?	I would like to quit school as soon as I can	3%	2%	5%	2%	3%	0%
	I plan to finish high school but won't go to college	22%	13%	6%	6%	6%	2%
	I'd like to go to some kind of trade or vocational school	5%	4%	2%	2%	22%	6%
	I'd like to go to college after high school	59%	65%	65%	64%	41%	69%
	I'd like to go to college and then to graduate school	11%	17%	23%	27%	28%	23%
During the last 30 days, how often have you skipped or cut full days of school?	Never	87%	85%	83%	81%	50%	77%
	Once or twice	13%	8%	13%	13%	35%	21%
	3 to 5 times	0%	6%	3%	2%	12%	0%
	6 to 10 times	0%	0%	0%	3%	3%	2%
	More than 10 times	0%	0%	2%	2%	0%	0%

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**TABLE 3
ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE**

Wilkin County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Mark the two grades you get the most often.	A only	3%	4%	0%	5%	0%	2%
	A and B only	39%	69%	55%	70%	41%	81%
	B only	3%	0%	0%	0%	0%	2%
	B and C only	26%	15%	23%	13%	32%	10%
	C only	3%	0%	0%	3%	3%	0%
	C and D only	5%	4%	9%	5%	12%	0%
	D only	0%	0%	2%	2%	0%	0%
	D and F only	0%	2%	3%	3%	3%	0%
	F only	0%	0%	3%	0%	0%	0%
	Not applicable or no answer	21%	6%	5%	0%	9%	4%

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

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
How many students in your school are friendly?	All	0%	0%	6%	3%	9%	0%
	Most	45%	50%	63%	72%	65%	69%
	Some	42%	40%	23%	20%	18%	19%
	A few	13%	10%	5%	5%	6%	8%
	None	0%	0%	3%	0%	3%	4%
How many students in your school behave well in the hallways and lunchroom?	All	3%	2%	2%	6%	3%	4%
	Most	49%	35%	59%	64%	59%	48%
	Some	34%	42%	22%	19%	26%	40%
	A few	14%	21%	14%	11%	9%	6%
	None	0%	0%	3%	0%	3%	2%
How many students in your school have made fun of or threatened students of different races or backgrounds?	All	0%	0%	3%	2%	6%	2%
	Most	14%	9%	2%	8%	12%	4%
	Some	23%	17%	21%	11%	21%	35%
	A few	43%	53%	41%	55%	38%	35%
	None	20%	21%	33%	25%	24%	23%
How many of your teachers are interested in you as a person?	All	29%	42%	6%	5%	0%	10%
	Most	53%	24%	31%	40%	44%	29%
	Some	11%	20%	30%	31%	24%	42%
	A few	5%	13%	28%	16%	21%	15%
	None	3%	0%	5%	8%	12%	4%
How many of your teachers show respect for students?	All	53%	63%	25%	36%	21%	17%
	Most	39%	24%	39%	52%	50%	44%
	Some	8%	9%	16%	9%	18%	29%
	A few	0%	4%	16%	3%	3%	10%
	None	0%	0%	3%	0%	9%	0%

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TABLE 5
PERCEPTIONS OF SCHOOL SAFETY
Wilkin 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	58%	31%	62%	49%	65%	54%
	Agree	37%	60%	32%	46%	35%	42%
	Disagree	5%	8%	3%	5%	0%	4%
	Strongly disagree	0%	0%	3%	0%	0%	0%
I feel safe at school	Strongly agree	58%	45%	51%	44%	65%	46%
	Agree	34%	53%	40%	46%	24%	46%
	Disagree	8%	2%	8%	8%	9%	6%
	Strongly disagree	0%	0%	2%	2%	3%	2%
Bathrooms in this school are a safe place to be	Strongly agree	29%	33%	39%	25%	53%	42%
	Agree	42%	50%	45%	61%	32%	50%
	Disagree	18%	15%	13%	11%	6%	8%
	Strongly disagree	11%	2%	3%	3%	9%	0%
Illegal gang activity is a problem at this school	Strongly agree	16%	9%	3%	0%	6%	0%
	Agree	19%	15%	11%	11%	6%	10%
	Disagree	30%	37%	38%	46%	24%	38%
	Strongly disagree	35%	39%	48%	43%	64%	52%
Student use of alcohol or drugs is a problem at this school	Strongly agree	11%	13%	26%	30%	27%	50%
	Agree	22%	21%	32%	42%	30%	29%
	Disagree	35%	32%	27%	23%	18%	21%
	Strongly disagree	32%	34%	15%	5%	24%	0%

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TABLE 6
VICTIMIZATION AT SCHOOL
Wilkin 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		3%	2%	10%	6%	18%	6%
	No		97%	98%	90%	94%	82%	94%
	0 times		66%	67%	67%	72%	59%	69%
	1 time		18%	27%	19%	17%	29%	15%
	2 or 3 times		13%	4%	8%	9%	6%	15%
	4 or 5 times		0%	0%	5%	0%	0%	2%
	6 or more times		3%	2%	2%	2%	6%	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		95%	87%	92%	100%	94%	100%
	1 day		0%	11%	5%	0%	0%	0%
	2 or 3 days		3%	0%	2%	0%	0%	0%
	4 or 5 days		0%	2%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	6 or more days		3%	0%	2%	0%	6%	0%
During the last 12 months, which of the following has happened to you on school property? Has a student:	Insulted you?	Yes	73%	67%	63%	50%	45%	42%
		No	27%	33%	37%	50%	55%	58%
	Threatened you?	Yes	40%	17%	19%	13%	21%	13%
		No	60%	83%	81%	88%	79%	88%
	Pushed, shoved, or grabbed you?	Yes	77%	56%	49%	20%	24%	15%
		No	23%	44%	51%	80%	76%	85%
	Kicked, bitten, or hit you?	Yes	57%	38%	24%	14%	27%	8%
		No	43%	63%	76%	86%	73%	92%
	Stabbed you or fired a gun at you?	Yes	0%	0%	2%	0%	9%	0%
		No	100%	100%	98%	100%	91%	100%

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**TABLE 7A
ACTIVITIES
Wilkin 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	0%	2%	18%	11%	29%	10%
	1-2 hours	53%	25%	46%	36%	53%	35%
	3-5 hours	26%	38%	23%	30%	15%	29%
	6-10 hours	13%	21%	10%	17%	3%	15%
	11-20 hours	5%	10%	3%	6%	0%	10%
	21 hours or more	3%	4%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Band, choir, orchestra, music lessons, or practicing voice or an instrument	0 hours	51%	23%	66%	30%	76%	52%
	1-2 hours	32%	48%	7%	20%	9%	19%
	3-5 hours	5%	23%	20%	22%	15%	21%
	6-10 hours	5%	4%	8%	19%	0%	4%
	11-20 hours	5%	0%	0%	6%	0%	4%
	21 hours or more	0%	2%	0%	3%	0%	0%
Activities-Clubs or organizations outside of school	0 hours	61%	39%	44%	44%	56%	43%
	1-2 hours	25%	43%	30%	31%	26%	23%
	3-5 hours	6%	11%	13%	5%	12%	19%
	6-10 hours	6%	4%	8%	15%	3%	9%
	11-20 hours	0%	2%	5%	5%	0%	4%
	21 hours or more	3%	0%	0%	0%	3%	2%
Activities-Playing sports on a school team	0 hours	27%	40%	20%	31%	41%	47%
	1-2 hours	24%	21%	7%	6%	3%	6%
	3-5 hours	27%	28%	21%	14%	6%	9%
	6-10 hours	11%	11%	21%	34%	12%	15%
	11-20 hours	8%	0%	23%	8%	24%	21%
	21 hours or more	3%	0%	8%	6%	15%	2%

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**TABLE 7B
ACTIVITIES
Wilkin 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	14%	13%	14%	17%	15%	33%
	1-2 hours	42%	42%	31%	27%	36%	39%
	3-5 hours	19%	20%	29%	37%	15%	22%
	6-10 hours	8%	18%	14%	10%	21%	2%
	11-20 hours	6%	4%	7%	8%	9%	2%
	21 hours or more	11%	2%	7%	2%	3%	2%
Attending services, groups, or programs at a church, synagogue, or mosque	0 hours	38%	30%	23%	23%	53%	42%
	1-2 hours	51%	53%	52%	45%	41%	48%
	3-5 hours	8%	11%	18%	20%	6%	8%
	6-10 hours	3%	4%	5%	9%	0%	2%
	11-20 hours	0%	0%	2%	2%	0%	0%
	21 hours or more	0%	2%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Activities-Reading for pleasure	0 hours	46%	21%	64%	30%	70%	29%
	1-2 hours	38%	43%	29%	42%	27%	46%
	3-5 hours	11%	21%	5%	14%	3%	19%
	6-10 hours	5%	6%	2%	11%	0%	2%
	11-20 hours	0%	9%	0%	3%	0%	4%
Activities-Watching TV or videos	0 hours	5%	9%	3%	3%	6%	4%
	1-2 hours	21%	26%	25%	27%	24%	31%
	3-5 hours	32%	32%	15%	37%	9%	29%
	6-10 hours	21%	21%	25%	25%	27%	23%
	11-20 hours	16%	9%	20%	8%	18%	10%
	21 hours or more	5%	4%	12%	0%	15%	2%
Activities-Playing computer or video games	0 hours	5%	22%	10%	27%	24%	31%
	1-2 hours	39%	46%	36%	33%	29%	44%
	3-5 hours	24%	22%	25%	27%	12%	17%
	6-10 hours	21%	2%	15%	11%	15%	6%
	11-20 hours	8%	9%	8%	2%	9%	2%
	21 hours or more	3%	0%	7%	0%	12%	0%

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TABLE 7C
ACTIVITIES
Wilkin 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	57%	55%	67%	56%	76%	66%
	1-2 hours	24%	36%	23%	37%	21%	32%
	3-5 hours	14%	6%	7%	5%	3%	2%
	6-10 hours	3%	0%	2%	0%	0%	0%
	11-20 hours	0%	2%	0%	2%	0%	0%
	21 hours or more	3%	0%	2%	0%	0%	0%
Chores at home/babysitting for family	0 hours	27%	18%	18%	16%	34%	15%
	1-2 hours	51%	40%	49%	40%	34%	44%
	3-5 hours	8%	29%	16%	23%	22%	31%
	6-10 hours	5%	7%	10%	13%	3%	10%
	11-20 hours	5%	4%	3%	6%	0%	0%
	21 hours or more	3%	2%	3%	2%	6%	0%
Work for pay (including babysitting for others)	0 hours	39%	44%	43%	34%	29%	23%
	1-2 hours	31%	20%	22%	28%	9%	13%
	3-5 hours	14%	18%	12%	21%	6%	10%
	6-10 hours	11%	13%	9%	5%	15%	17%
	11-20 hours	6%	2%	9%	7%	24%	23%
	21 hours or more	0%	2%	5%	5%	18%	15%
Activities-Hanging out	0 hours	14%	15%	10%	6%	3%	8%
	1-2 hours	32%	28%	23%	9%	6%	6%
	3-5 hours	27%	28%	18%	31%	18%	29%
	6-10 hours	14%	11%	25%	28%	15%	29%
	11-20 hours	3%	11%	8%	9%	29%	6%
	21 hours or more	11%	9%	16%	16%	29%	21%

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TABLE 8
COMPUTER USE AT HOME
Wilkin County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Do you use a computer at home?	Yes	82%	83%	89%	97%	91%	96%
	No	18%	17%	11%	3%	9%	4%

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Do you use the Internet at home?	Yes	68%	73%	80%	88%	88%	92%
	No	32%	27%	20%	13%	12%	8%
What do you use the Internet for at home? (Mark all that apply)	E-mail	37%	52%	69%	80%	71%	90%
	Surfing the web	37%	38%	67%	70%	71%	73%
	Chat rooms	16%	8%	27%	27%	29%	8%
	Listening to or downloading music	21%	29%	59%	52%	59%	48%
	Playing games	50%	56%	69%	48%	62%	38%
	Entertainment or sports	16%	13%	53%	33%	44%	25%
	Homework or other research	50%	60%	52%	75%	71%	79%
	Shopping	11%	13%	31%	36%	38%	46%

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TABLE
FAMILY COMPOSITION AND PARENTAL COMMUNICATION
Wilkin County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Which adults do you live with?	Both biological parents	42%	75%	67%	61%	56%	54%
	Both adoptive parents	3%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Mother and stepfather	11%	6%	5%	8%	9%	13%
	Father and stepmother	0%	0%	2%	2%	0%	0%
	Mother only	11%	6%	13%	14%	24%	17%
	Father only	3%	2%	3%	3%	6%	0%
	Sometimes with mother, sometimes with father	18%	4%	2%	8%	3%	6%
	Other	11%	6%	6%	3%	3%	10%
	No adults or no answer	3%	0%	3%	2%	0%	0%
Can you talk to your father about problems you are having?	Yes, most of the time	34%	33%	37%	30%	29%	25%
	Yes, some of the time	34%	35%	29%	22%	29%	17%
	No, not very often	16%	22%	17%	23%	21%	35%
	No, not at all	8%	4%	6%	13%	6%	10%
	My father is not around	8%	7%	11%	13%	15%	13%
Can you talk to your mother about problems you are having?	Yes, most of the time	58%	65%	41%	48%	29%	50%
	Yes, some of the time	26%	27%	28%	25%	38%	27%
	No, not very often	8%	6%	16%	22%	18%	19%
	No, not at all	8%	2%	9%	3%	9%	4%
	My mother is not around	0%	0%	6%	2%	6%	0%

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**TABLE 10
PERCEPTIONS OF FAMILY CARING
Wilkin 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	0%	2%	3%	2%	6%	2%
	little Some	0%	2%	0%	3%	3%	2%
	Quite a bit	11%	0%	8%	3%	13%	4%
	Very much	5%	4%	8%	6%	9%	8%
	Not at all	84%	91%	80%	85%	69%	83%
... other adult relatives care about you?	A little	0%	2%	3%	0%	3%	2%
	Some	0%	2%	3%	5%	9%	4%
	Quite a bit	3%	4%	8%	5%	18%	11%
	Very much	26%	23%	33%	40%	33%	20%
	Not at all	71%	68%	52%	50%	36%	63%
... your family cares about your feelings?	A little	3%	2%	5%	7%	6%	4%
	Some	8%	4%	5%	5%	12%	9%
	Quite a bit	8%	13%	17%	8%	24%	11%
	Very much	21%	19%	25%	36%	30%	38%
	Not at all	61%	62%	47%	44%	27%	38%
... your family understands you?	A little	3%	9%	13%	13%	12%	13%
	Some	5%	17%	13%	10%	12%	13%
	Quite a bit	11%	17%	15%	20%	33%	30%
	Very much	37%	30%	25%	43%	30%	30%
	Not at all	45%	28%	33%	15%	12%	15%
... your family has lots of fun together?	A little	3%	9%	10%	5%	12%	9%
	Some	3%	9%	7%	11%	21%	15%
	Quite a bit	26%	30%	31%	24%	33%	17%
	Very much	39%	13%	34%	39%	18%	41%
	Not at all	29%	40%	19%	21%	15%	17%
... your family respects your privacy?	A little	3%	11%	10%	8%	9%	9%
	Some	16%	15%	5%	13%	12%	11%
	Quite a bit	13%	17%	23%	16%	36%	15%
	Very much	39%	23%	27%	38%	27%	34%
		29%	34%	35%	25%	15%	32%

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**TABLE 11
PERCEPTIONS OF OTHERS CARING
Wilkin 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	8%	2%	3%	0%	3%	2%
	little Some	11%	8%	2%	5%	15%	6%
	Quite a bit	26%	19%	37%	13%	27%	15%
	Very much	24%	23%	35%	32%	27%	38%
	Not at all	32%	48%	23%	51%	27%	40%
... teachers or other adults at school care about you? *	A little	0%	2%	5%	6%	9%	10%
	Some	5%	15%	20%	6%	21%	13%
	Quite a bit	26%	25%	28%	38%	39%	31%
	Very much	39%	33%	35%	40%	18%	35%
	Not at all	29%	25%	12%	10%	12%	10%
... church or spiritual leaders care about you? *	A little	9%	15%	10%	11%	21%	10%
	Some	11%	11%	5%	6%	12%	19%
	Quite a bit	17%	20%	16%	19%	36%	17%
	Very much	31%	22%	52%	33%	21%	27%
	Not at all	31%	33%	17%	30%	9%	27%
... police officers care about you?	A little	0%	9%	15%	11%	41%	21%
	Some	19%	6%	17%	18%	22%	27%
	Quite a bit	14%	17%	32%	34%	31%	29%
	Very much	22%	23%	27%	19%	3%	17%
	Not at all	44%	45%	10%	18%	3%	6%
... other adults in your community care about you?	A little	5%	4%	7%	8%	24%	17%
	Some	21%	11%	23%	13%	27%	19%
	Quite a bit	5%	17%	28%	40%	24%	33%
	Very much	45%	36%	33%	22%	9%	29%
		24%	32%	8%	17%	15%	2%

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

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**TABLE 12
FAMILY SUBSTANCE ABUSE
Wilkin 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	29%	9%	6%	22%	9%	19%
	No	71%	91%	94%	78%	91%	81%
Whose use? (Mark all that apply)	Family alc problems-Parent who lives with me	18%	4%	0%	13%	3%	13%
	Family alc problems-Parent who doesn't live with me	11%	9%	2%	9%	3%	4%
	Family alc problems-Other relative	8%	7%	5%	11%	9%	10%
Has drug use by any family member repeatedly caused family, health, job, or legal problems?	Yes	18%	11%	3%	12%	9%	8%
	No	82%	89%	97%	88%	91%	92%
Whose use? (Mark all that apply)	Family drug problems-Parent who lives with me	13%	4%	0%	3%	0%	2%
	Family drug problems-Parent who doesn't live with me	8%	4%	0%	2%	0%	2%
	Family drug problems-Other relative	5%	9%	3%	9%	9%	4%

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**TABLE 13
FAMILY/DATE VIOLENCE**

Wilkin County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Have you ever been the victim of violence on a date? *	Yes			3%	6%	6%	15%
	No			97%	94%	94%	85%
Has any adult in your household ever hit you so hard that you had marks or were afraid of that person?	Yes	22%	13%	3%	9%	3%	10%
	No	78%	87%	97%	91%	97%	90%
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	22%	16%	3%	11%	9%	8%
	No	78%	84%	97%	89%	91%	92%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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**TABLE 14
SEXUAL ABUSE
Wilkin County**

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Have you ever been the victim of date rape? *	Yes			3%	2%	6%	8%
	No			97%	98%	94%	92%
Has any older person outside the family touched you sexually against your wishes or forced you to touch them sexually?	Yes	3%	4%	3%	10%	0%	13%
	No	97%	96%	97%	90%	100%	88%
Has any older/stronger member of your family touched you sexually or had you touch them sexually?	Yes	3%	2%	0%	6%	0%	6%
	No	97%	98%	100%	94%	100%	94%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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**TABLE 15
GENERAL HEALTH ISSUES
Wilkin 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	43%	47%	45%	21%	27%	44%
	1-2 years ago	27%	24%	39%	56%	55%	48%
	3-4 years ago	5%	2%	11%	17%	9%	6%
	More than 4 years ago	8%	7%	2%	0%	6%	0%
	I have never had a physical exam	16%	20%	3%	6%	3%	2%
Have you ever been treated for an alcohol or other drug problem? *	No			98%	94%	91%	94%
	Yes			2%	6%	9%	6%
Do you have a mental or physical health problem that has lasted at least 12 months?	No	84%	85%	90%	83%	88%	96%
	Yes	16%	15%	10%	17%	12%	4%
In the past 12 months, how often have you blacked out because someone hit you in the head?	Never	86%	94%	92%	94%	88%	98%
	Once	11%	4%	3%	5%	9%	2%
	Two times or more	3%	2%	5%	2%	3%	0%
In the past 12 months, how often have you blacked out because you fell or were accidentally hit in the head?	Never	68%	83%	81%	89%	88%	100%
	Once	19%	13%	17%	8%	6%	0%
	Two times or more	14%	4%	2%	3%	6%	0%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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**TABLE 16
WEIGHT-RELATED ISSUES
Wilkin 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				18%	30%	21%	21%
	No				82%	70%	79%	79%
At the present time, do you think you are...	Underweight		11%	16%	16%	10%	9%	2%
	About the right weight		58%	60%	67%	60%	67%	69%
	Overweight		32%	24%	17%	30%	24%	29%
During the last 12 months, have you done any of the following to lose or control weight? (Mark all that apply) *	Exercise	Yes			77%	94%	68%	77%
		No			23%	6%	32%	23%
	Fast or skip meals	Yes			22%	48%	26%	42%
		No			78%	52%	74%	58%
	Smoke cigarettes	Yes			5%	9%	15%	10%
		No			95%	91%	85%	90%
	Use diet pills or speed	Yes			2%	8%	12%	8%
		No			98%	92%	88%	92%
	Vomit on purpose after eating	Yes			2%	13%	6%	4%
		No			98%	88%	94%	96%
	Use laxatives	Yes			8%	0%	3%	0%
		No			92%	100%	97%	100%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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**TABLE 17
EXERCISE
Wilkin 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	12%	11%	11%	6%	12%	31%
	1 day	9%	7%	2%	6%	12%	6%
	2 days	9%	15%	3%	11%	12%	15%
	3 days	15%	7%	16%	22%	18%	19%
	4 days	6%	15%	14%	22%	9%	8%
	5 days	24%	17%	17%	17%	21%	13%
	6 days	6%	11%	14%	5%	3%	4%
	7 days	18%	17%	22%	11%	15%	4%
On how many of the last 7 days were you physically active for a combined total of at least 30 minutes?	0 days	9%	9%	2%	3%	9%	17%
	1 day	11%	2%	5%	6%	0%	13%
	2 days	6%	9%	8%	9%	18%	17%
	3 days	20%	15%	10%	22%	15%	8%
	4 days	14%	13%	16%	11%	12%	13%
	5 days	9%	26%	14%	28%	9%	23%
	6 days	6%	4%	16%	9%	6%	6%
	7 days	26%	22%	30%	11%	32%	4%

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TABLE 18
NUTRITION
Wilkin 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	8%	15%	10%	23%	12%	26%
	1-2 glasses	57%	50%	43%	48%	55%	55%
	3-4 glasses	22%	24%	38%	27%	18%	13%
	5 or more glasses	14%	11%	10%	2%	15%	6%
100% fruit juice	0 glasses	42%	55%	48%	61%	73%	57%
	1-2 glasses	32%	36%	39%	38%	21%	36%
	3-4 glasses	8%	6%	8%	2%	3%	6%
	5 or more glasses	18%	2%	5%	0%	3%	0%
Fruit juice drinks	0 glasses	46%	50%	53%	63%	76%	66%
	1-2 glasses	29%	34%	35%	32%	9%	34%
	3-4 glasses	14%	7%	8%	5%	9%	0%
	5 or more glasses	11%	9%	3%	0%	6%	0%
Pop or soda	0 glasses	28%	42%	21%	42%	36%	32%
	1-2 glasses	58%	44%	52%	45%	30%	53%
	3-4 glasses	8%	7%	13%	9%	15%	13%
	5 or more glasses	6%	7%	15%	3%	18%	2%
Sports drinks	0 glasses	67%	89%	49%	70%	75%	77%
	1-2 glasses	19%	5%	33%	27%	13%	21%
	3-4 glasses	8%	0%	7%	3%	9%	2%
	5 or more glasses	6%	7%	11%	0%	3%	0%
Water	0 glasses	8%	4%	10%	8%	18%	11%
	1-2 glasses	5%	30%	24%	36%	27%	34%
	3-4 glasses	37%	20%	24%	33%	27%	32%
	5 or more glasses	50%	46%	43%	23%	27%	23%
How many servings of fruits, fruit juices, or vegetables did you eat yesterday?	0 servings	11%	9%	8%	14%	18%	9%
	1 serving	16%	11%	17%	16%	18%	23%
	2 servings	16%	19%	21%	30%	24%	21%
	3 servings	26%	26%	25%	27%	24%	23%
	4 servings	11%	17%	16%	9%	3%	15%
	5 or more servings	21%	19%	13%	5%	12%	9%

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TABLE 19
SEAT BELT USE
Wilkin 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%	2%	6%	2%	13%	4%
	Sometimes	21%	17%	24%	19%	56%	23%
	Often	37%	25%	40%	37%	22%	35%
	Always	37%	56%	30%	43%	9%	38%
...drive a car? *	I never do this activity			10%	11%	9%	0%
	Never			3%	2%	18%	6%
	Sometimes			8%	13%	36%	15%
	Often			18%	5%	18%	15%
	Always			61%	70%	18%	64%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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TABLE 20
SOURCES OF INFORMATION ON RISK BEHAVIORS
Wilkin 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	24%	27%	55%	77%	71%	83%
	Alc-drug info: Parents	61%	58%	50%	52%	32%	35%
	Alc-drug info: Brothers or sisters	18%	21%	19%	25%	24%	17%
	Alc-drug info: School, teachers, or counselors	84%	79%	72%	83%	47%	50%
	Alc-drug info: Clinics, doctors, or nurses	16%	13%	16%	17%	18%	6%
	Alc-drug info: Internet	8%	0%	31%	16%	29%	8%
	Alc-drug info: TV, radio, magazines, newspapers, or books	37%	33%	52%	55%	38%	46%
	Alc-drug info: I do not know much about alcohol or drugs	0%	0%	6%	0%	6%	6%
Where have you received most of your information about sex? (Mark all that apply)	Sex info: Friends or peers	47%	27%	53%	70%	71%	85%
	Sex info: Parents	47%	56%	34%	34%	26%	35%
	Sex info: Brothers or sisters	8%	10%	11%	23%	9%	6%
	Sex info: School, teachers, or counselors	32%	27%	56%	67%	41%	35%
	Sex info: Clinics, doctors, or nurses	11%	8%	14%	13%	0%	17%
	Sex info: Internet	16%	0%	33%	13%	35%	10%
	Sex info: TV, radio, magazines, newspapers, or books	18%	15%	50%	45%	35%	44%
	Sex info: I do not know much about sex	11%	10%	3%	2%	6%	0%

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TABLE 21
SELF-ESTEEM *
Wilkin County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
I usually feel good about myself.	Disagree	5%	7%	8%	6%	12%	10%
	Mostly disagree	0%	2%	10%	11%	3%	6%
	Mostly agree	37%	39%	38%	48%	38%	52%
	Agree	58%	52%	44%	34%	47%	31%
I am able to do things as well as most other people my age.	Disagree	11%	6%	8%	3%	9%	0%
	Mostly disagree	5%	4%	2%	5%	0%	0%
	Mostly agree	39%	34%	40%	50%	41%	46%
	Agree	45%	55%	51%	42%	50%	54%
On the whole, I'm satisfied with myself.	Disagree	5%	9%	6%	6%	9%	8%
	Mostly disagree	3%	4%	6%	13%	3%	10%
	Mostly agree	32%	23%	37%	45%	30%	42%
	Agree	61%	64%	51%	36%	58%	40%
I feel I do not have much to be proud of.	Agree	22%	6%	3%	6%	15%	0%
	Mostly agree	11%	6%	13%	8%	9%	15%
	Mostly disagree	24%	19%	19%	33%	9%	29%
	Disagree	43%	69%	65%	53%	68%	56%
Sometimes I think that I am no good.	Agree	24%	25%	6%	17%	12%	6%
	Mostly agree	16%	15%	11%	17%	9%	19%
	Mostly disagree	16%	23%	25%	31%	18%	33%
	Disagree	45%	38%	57%	34%	62%	42%
I feel that I can't do anything right.	Agree	13%	9%	3%	9%	6%	2%
	Mostly agree	21%	13%	10%	9%	3%	8%
	Mostly disagree	11%	23%	24%	36%	21%	40%
	Disagree	55%	55%	63%	45%	71%	50%
I feel that my life is not very useful.	Agree	11%	11%	8%	8%	6%	2%
	Mostly agree	5%	4%	10%	11%	9%	6%
	Mostly disagree	26%	30%	13%	27%	15%	15%
	Disagree	58%	54%	70%	54%	71%	77%

* 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
Wilkin 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	0%	2%	3%	2%	0%	0%
	Bad	3%	0%	2%	6%	3%	2%
	Up and down a lot	45%	51%	43%	62%	41%	40%
	Very good	34%	36%	40%	29%	41%	52%
	Excellent	18%	11%	13%	2%	15%	6%
... have you felt you were under any stress or pressure?	Yes, almost more than I could take	3%	9%	6%	11%	12%	6%
	Yes, quite a bit of pressure	8%	11%	16%	17%	12%	33%
	Yes, more than usual	5%	11%	21%	21%	18%	21%
	Yes, a little	55%	48%	48%	48%	56%	33%
	Not at all	29%	22%	10%	3%	3%	6%
... have you felt sad?	All the time	0%	4%	0%	3%	0%	4%
	Most of the time	3%	11%	8%	21%	6%	6%
	Some of the time	37%	28%	32%	42%	21%	33%
	Little of the time	39%	48%	48%	32%	47%	54%
	None of the time	21%	9%	11%	2%	26%	2%
... 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	3%	4%	3%	6%	9%	0%
	Quite a bit	8%	7%	8%	11%	6%	8%
	Some, enough to bother me	18%	13%	8%	21%	3%	8%
	A little bit	18%	30%	21%	25%	18%	29%
	Not at all	53%	46%	59%	37%	65%	54%
... have you felt nervous, worried, or upset?	All the time	0%	0%	2%	6%	6%	0%
	Most of the time	8%	20%	8%	9%	9%	4%
	Some of the time	29%	30%	30%	53%	32%	42%
	Little of the time	37%	43%	54%	28%	41%	46%
	None of the time	26%	7%	7%	3%	12%	8%
... how satisfied have you been with your personal life?	Very dissatisfied	3%	0%	5%	2%	9%	0%
	Somewhat dissatisfied	13%	7%	13%	19%	15%	13%
	Satisfied	29%	41%	43%	52%	32%	38%
	Very satisfied	39%	35%	28%	16%	29%	40%
	Extremely satisfied	16%	17%	11%	11%	15%	10%

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TABLE 23
SUICIDAL THOUGHTS AND BEHAVIOR
Wilkin County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Have you ever thought about killing yourself?	No	76%	76%	81%	65%	76%	69%
	Yes, during the last year	11%	11%	13%	23%	15%	6%
	Yes, more than a year ago	13%	13%	6%	13%	9%	25%
Have you ever tried to kill yourself?	No	89%	100%	97%	84%	100%	96%
	Yes, during the last year	5%	0%	2%	8%	0%	0%
	Yes, more than a year ago	5%	0%	2%	8%	0%	4%

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TABLE 24
GAMBLING BEHAVIOR *
Wilkin 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	60%	87%	48%	81%
	Less than once a month	18%	11%	18%	10%
	About once a month	12%	2%	21%	8%
	About once a week	5%	0%	9%	0%
	Daily	5%	0%	3%	0%
Bet on games of personal skill like pool, golf, or bowling	Not at all	52%	93%	52%	90%
	Less than once a month	25%	5%	33%	10%
	About once a month	12%	2%	6%	0%
	About once a week	5%	0%	9%	0%
	Daily	7%	0%	0%	0%
Bet money on sports teams	Not at all	52%	93%	70%	94%
	Less than once a month	20%	5%	24%	4%
	About once a month	13%	2%	0%	0%
	About once a week	10%	0%	6%	2%
	Daily	5%	0%	0%	0%
Bought lottery tickets or scratch-offs	Not at all	82%	95%	42%	56%
	Less than once a month	12%	2%	33%	27%
	About once a month	3%	2%	12%	13%
	About once a week	0%	2%	12%	4%
	Daily	3%	0%	0%	0%
Gambled in a casino	Not at all	92%	98%	82%	79%
	Less than once a month	3%	0%	15%	15%
	About once a month	2%	2%	3%	6%
	About once a week	2%	0%	0%	0%
	Daily	2%	0%	0%	0%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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TABLE 25
GAMBLING CONSEQUENCES *
Wilkin County

<i>During the last 12 months, have you ever felt ...</i>		Grade			
		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%
... bad about the amount you bet, or about what happens when you bet money?	Yes	3%	2%	9%	4%
	No	61%	19%	64%	34%
	I don't bet for money	35%	79%	27%	62%
... that you would like to stop betting money but didn't think you could?	Yes	5%	0%	6%	0%
	No	60%	21%	67%	38%
	I don't bet for money	35%	79%	27%	62%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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TABLE 26
DESTRUCTIVE AND ANTISOCIAL BEHAVIOR
Wilkin 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	79%	94%	98%	90%	85%	94%
	Once or twice	16%	0%	2%	8%	9%	6%
	3 to 5 times	5%	2%	0%	2%	3%	0%
	6 to 10 times	0%	2%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	More than 10 times	0%	2%	0%	0%	3%	0%
During the last 12 months, how often have you damaged or destroyed property at school or somewhere else?	Never	84%	89%	75%	79%	74%	92%
	Once or twice	13%	9%	18%	18%	9%	8%
	3 to 5 times	3%	0%	5%	2%	12%	0%
	6 to 10 times	0%	2%	0%	0%	6%	0%
	More than 10 times	0%	0%	2%	2%	0%	0%
During the last 12 months, how often have you hit or beat up another person?	Never	68%	72%	68%	76%	76%	83%
	Once or twice	27%	26%	14%	18%	15%	8%
	3 to 5 times	0%	2%	12%	3%	0%	4%
	6 to 10 times	5%	0%	0%	2%	0%	2%
	More than 10 times	0%	0%	7%	2%	9%	2%
During the last 12 months, how often have you taken something from a store without paying for it?	Never	95%	96%	79%	82%	68%	88%
	Once or twice	5%	2%	10%	6%	12%	6%
	3 to 5 times	0%	0%	5%	3%	9%	2%
	6 to 10 times	0%	2%	5%	2%	3%	2%
	More than 10 times	0%	0%	0%	6%	9%	2%
Do you get a real kick out of doing things that are a little dangerous?	Not at all A	46%	72%	27%	45%	18%	42%
	little Quite	30%	22%	43%	40%	56%	50%
	a bit Very	11%	2%	20%	11%	9%	4%
	much	14%	4%	10%	3%	18%	4%
On how many of the last 30 days did you carry a gun on school property?	0 days	100%	100%	97%	100%	94%	100%
	1 day	0%	0%	2%	0%	0%	0%
	4 or 5 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	3%	0%
	6 or more days	0%	0%	2%	0%	3%	0%
On how many of the last 30 days did you carry a weapon (other than a gun) on school property?	0 days	95%	100%	94%	98%	85%	100%
	1 day	3%	0%	5%	0%	6%	0%
	2 or 3 days	3%	0%	0%	2%	0%	0%
	4 or 5 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	3%	0%
	6 or more days	0%	0%	2%	0%	6%	0%

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TABLE 27
SUMMARY OF SUBSTANCE USE *
Wilkin County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Use of any tobacco products during the past year	No	92%	100%	79%	84%	42%	65%
	Yes	8%	0%	21%	16%	58%	35%
DAILY use of any tobacco products during the past year	No	100%	100%	93%	97%	67%	75%
	Yes	0%	0%	7%	3%	33%	25%
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%	93%	91%	70%	83%
	Yes	0%	0%	7%	9%	30%	17%
Any alcohol and/or other drug use during the past year (excluding tobacco)	No alcohol or other drug use in the past year	95%	96%	59%	42%	23%	24%
	Used only alcohol in the past year	3%	2%	33%	35%	30%	46%
	Used only other drugs in the past year	0%	0%	2%	0%	3%	2%
	Used both alcohol and other drugs in the past year	3%	2%	6%	24%	43%	28%

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

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**TABLE 28
CIGARETTE USE
Wilkin 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	92%	100%	85%	84%	55%	67%
	Less than monthly	0%	0%	10%	5%	6%	8%
	Monthly	8%	0%	0%	6%	15%	0%
	Weekly	0%	0%	0%	2%	0%	0%
	Daily	0%	0%	5%	3%	24%	25%
During the last 30 days, on how many days did you smoke a cigarette?	0 days	95%	100%	90%	89%	53%	71%
	1 or 2 days	5%	0%	3%	2%	19%	4%
	3 to 5 days	0%	0%	0%	3%	3%	0%
	6 to 9 days	0%	0%	2%	2%	0%	2%
	10 to 19 days	0%	0%	0%	2%	3%	2%
	20 to 29 days	0%	0%	2%	3%	3%	2%
	All 30 days	0%	0%	3%	0%	19%	19%
During the last 30 days, how frequently have you smoked cigarettes?	Never	97%	100%	88%	89%	56%	71%
	Less than one cigarette per day	3%	0%	3%	7%	22%	4%
	One to five cigarettes per day	0%	0%	3%	5%	13%	13%
	About one-half pack per day	0%	0%	3%	0%	0%	13%
	About one pack per day	0%	0%	2%	0%	3%	0%
	About one and one-half packs per day	0%	0%	0%	0%	3%	0%
	Two packs or more per day	0%	0%	0%	0%	3%	0%
If you have not smoked a cigarette in the last year, do you think you will during the next year?	Definitely yes	0%	0%	4%	4%	16%	13%
	Probably yes	8%	2%	9%	7%	20%	3%
	Probably not	11%	9%	16%	16%	24%	11%
	Definitely not	81%	89%	72%	73%	40%	74%

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

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**TABLE 29
CIGAR AND SMOKELESS TOBACCO USE
*Wilkin 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	100%	100%	92%	98%	78%	98%
	Less than monthly	0%	0%	3%	2%	6%	2%
	Monthly	0%	0%	2%	0%	0%	0%
	Weekly	0%	0%	2%	0%	3%	0%
	Daily	0%	0%	2%	0%	13%	0%
During the last 12 months, how often have you used cigars, cigarillos, or little cigars?	Not at all	97%	100%	92%	94%	61%	94%
	Less than monthly	0%	0%	7%	3%	18%	4%
	Monthly	3%	0%	2%	3%	15%	0%
	Weekly	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	2%
	Daily	0%	0%	0%	0%	6%	0%

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

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TABLE 32
ACCESS TO TOBACCO
Wilkin County

INCLUDES ONLY THOSE WHO USED TOBACCO IN THE LAST 30 DAYS		Grade				
		6th	9th	12th		
		Male	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%	13%	13%	74%	79%
	Bought it at bars or restaurants	0%	0%	13%	21%	0%
	Bought it at grocery, discount, or drug stores	0%	0%	0%	16%	21%
	Bought it at places like bowling alleys, video arcades, or pool halls	0%	0%	0%	5%	0%
	Bought it from vending machines	0%	25%	0%	5%	0%
	Bought it on the Internet *		0%	0%	5%	0%
	Got it from friends	33%	25%	88%	42%	36%
	Got it from family members	0%	13%	13%	5%	21%
	Got it by getting someone else to buy for me	0%	38%	63%	0%	14%
	Took it from my home	0%	25%	25%	11%	21%
	Took it from a friend's home	0%	0%	38%	5%	7%
	Took it from stores	0%	0%	0%	5%	0%

INCLUDES ONLY THOSE WHO BOUGHT TOBACCO IN THE LAST 30 DAYS		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
If you bought tobacco in the last 30 days, did you use a fake ID?	No	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

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

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TABLE 31
ALCOHOL USE FREQUENCY AND QUANTITY
Wilkin 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	94%	96%	61%	43%	24%	26%
	1-2	6%	4%	9%	16%	3%	13%
	3-5	0%	0%	12%	12%	18%	22%
	6-9	0%	0%	5%	16%	18%	11%
	10-19	0%	0%	5%	7%	12%	11%
	20-39	0%	0%	5%	5%	6%	11%
	40+	0%	0%	2%	2%	18%	7%
On how many occasions (if any) have you had alcoholic beverages to drink during the last 30 days?	0	100%	100%	78%	57%	35%	50%
	1-2	0%	0%	11%	28%	23%	22%
	3-5	0%	0%	4%	9%	10%	20%
	6-9	0%	0%	6%	3%	23%	7%
	10-19	0%	0%	0%	2%	6%	2%
	20-39	0%	0%	0%	2%	3%	0%
	40+	0%	0%	2%	0%	0%	0%
If you drink beer/wine/wine coolers/hard liquor, generally, how much (if any) do you drink at one time?	I don't drink beer/wine/wine coolers/hard liquor	95%	98%	63%	47%	24%	28%
	1 glass, can, or drink	5%	2%	7%	7%	3%	11%
	2 glasses, cans, or drinks	0%	0%	2%	15%	12%	13%
	3 glasses, cans, or drinks	0%	0%	9%	14%	6%	2%
	4 glasses, cans, or drinks	0%	0%	4%	7%	6%	20%
	5 glasses, cans, or drinks	0%	0%	5%	7%	3%	15%
	6 or more glasses, cans, or drinks	0%	0%	11%	3%	45%	11%
Over the last 2 weeks, how many times (if any) have you had five or more drinks in a row? *	Never			87%	76%	47%	67%
	Once			0%	15%	13%	20%
	Twice			7%	8%	16%	9%
	3 - 5 times			0%	0%	16%	4%
	6 - 9 times			4%	0%	9%	0%
	10 or more times			2%	0%	0%	0%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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TABLE 32
ACCESS TO ALCOHOL
Wilkin County

INCLUDES ONLY THOSE WHO USED ALCOHOL IN THE LAST 30 DAYS *		Grade			
		9th		12th	
		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	8%	0%	10%	0%
	Bought it at stores	8%	4%	10%	9%
	Bought it on the Internet **	8%	0%	5%	0%
	Got it from friends	50%	72%	60%	70%
	Got it from family members	17%	20%	20%	9%
	Got it by getting someone else to buy for me	8%	44%	35%	57%
	Got it at parties	25%	48%	60%	43%
	Took it from my home	33%	12%	10%	9%
	Took it from a friend's home	17%	8%	5%	9%
	Took it from stores	8%	0%	0%	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%	20%	0%	0%	0%
	No	100%	100%	80%	100%	100%	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 *
Wilkin 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%	91%	60%	69%
	Once	5%	2%	4%	14%
	Twice	2%	2%	8%	5%
	3 or more times	2%	4%	28%	12%
Do you ever ride with friends after they have been using alcohol or drugs?	No	75%	55%	38%	46%
	Yes, but rarely	13%	29%	38%	33%
	Yes, often	3%	8%	21%	19%
	None of my friends use alcohol or other drugs	8%	8%	3%	2%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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TABLE 34
MARIJUANA, INHALANTS, AND PRESCRIPTION DRUGS
Wilkin 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	97%	100%	98%	80%	55%	70%
	1-2	3%	0%	2%	9%	0%	2%
	3-5	0%	0%	0%	2%	0%	7%
	6-9	0%	0%	0%	2%	3%	7%
	10-19	0%	0%	0%	0%	6%	2%
	20-39	0%	0%	0%	0%	6%	7%
	40+	0%	0%	0%	7%	29%	7%
... used marijuana (grass, pot) or hashish (hash, hash oil) during the last 30 days?	0	100%	100%	98%	91%	65%	74%
	1-2	0%	0%	2%	2%	6%	11%
	3-5	0%	0%	0%	2%	3%	0%
	6-9	0%	0%	0%	2%	6%	7%
	10-19	0%	0%	0%	0%	10%	4%
	20-39	0%	0%	0%	0%	3%	0%
	40+	0%	0%	0%	4%	6%	4%
... sniffed glue or inhaled any other gases or sprays in order to get high during the last 12 months? *	0	100%	98%	96%	91%	97%	98%
	1-2	0%	0%	4%	6%	3%	0%
	3-5	0%	2%	0%	2%	0%	2%
	6-9	0%	0%	0%	2%	0%	0%
... taken other people's prescription drugs during the last 12 months? *	0	100%	98%	100%	87%	93%	93%
	1-2	0%	0%	0%	9%	3%	4%
	3-5	0%	0%	0%	2%	0%	0%
	6-9	0%	2%	0%	0%	3%	2%
	20-39	0%	0%	0%	2%	0%	0%

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

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TABLE 35
AMPHETAMINES, METHAMPHETAMINE, COCAINE, AND ECSTASY *
Wilkin 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	100%	87%	93%	98%
	1-2	0%	7%	0%	2%
	3-5	0%	4%	3%	0%
	6-9	0%	2%	0%	0%
	10-19	0%	0%	3%	0%
... used methamphetamine (meth, speed, crank, crystal meth) by any method?	0	100%	95%	97%	98%
	1-2	0%	2%	3%	0%
	6-9	0%	4%	0%	0%
	40+	0%	0%	0%	2%
... used "crack" (cocaine in chunk or rock form), or cocaine in any other form?	0	98%	95%	93%	98%
	1-2	0%	2%	3%	0%
	3-5	0%	4%	3%	2%
	6-9	2%	0%	0%	0%
... used MDMA ("ecstasy")?	0	100%	100%	97%	100%
	3-5	0%	0%	3%	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 *
Wilkin 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	100%	98%	93%	100%
	1-2	0%	0%	3%	0%
	3-5	0%	0%	3%	0%
	40+	0%	2%	0%	0%
... used heroin or any other narcotics or opiates?	0	100%	96%	100%	100%
	6-9	0%	2%	0%	0%
	10-19	0%	2%	0%	0%
... taken barbiturates or tranquilizers without a doctor telling you to take them?	0	100%	96%	97%	98%
	3-5	0%	2%	0%	2%
	40+	0%	2%	3%	0%

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

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TABLE 37
ACCESS TO OTHER DRUGS *
Wilkin 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%	56%	75%	17%
	Bought them from people I don't know	0%	22%	0%	0%
	Bought them on the Internet	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Got them from friends	50%	56%	92%	100%
	Got them from family members	0%	33%	8%	0%
	Got them by getting someone else to buy for me	0%	22%	17%	0%
	Got them at parties	0%	67%	50%	25%
	Took them from my home	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Took them from a friend's home	0%	0%	0%	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
Wilkin 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%	6%	7%	17%	4%
	No	100%	100%	94%	93%	83%	96%
...during school?	Yes	0%	0%	0%	7%	17%	4%
	No	100%	100%	100%	93%	83%	96%
...right after school?	Yes	0%	0%	11%	11%	29%	6%
	No	100%	100%	89%	89%	71%	94%

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TABLE 39
REASONS FOR SUBSTANCE USE *
Wilkin 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	57%	50%	50%	37%
	Reasons to use: To get high or smashed	57%	42%	65%	30%
	Reasons to use: To have fun at parties	71%	71%	60%	87%
	To escape from school, family or personal problems	29%	46%	15%	23%
	Because my parents aren't around	14%	8%	10%	7%
	Because my friends do	14%	42%	15%	17%
	Because my parents do	0%	4%	0%	3%
	Because I like the taste	36%	42%	30%	37%
	Because I'm sad, lonely, or angry	21%	38%	10%	7%
	Because it's illegal	14%	4%	5%	3%
	Because of peer pressure	14%	21%	20%	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 *
Wilkin 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	68%	68%
	Reasons not using alc: One or both of my parents would object	53%	73%
	Reasons not using alc: I have no desire to use	79%	86%
	Reasons not using alc: Use is against my principles or religious beliefs	26%	45%
	Reasons not using alc: Alcohol and drugs are dangerous	71%	89%
	Reasons not using alc: Alcohol and drug education at school	71%	66%
	Reasons not using alc: Use could affect my performance in school, sports, or other activities	74%	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 ***

Wilkin County

<i>During the last 12 months ...</i>		Grade			
		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%
...have you found that you had to use a lot more alcohol or other drugs than before to get the same effect?	No or no use	93%	90%	85%	86%
	Yes	7%	10%	15%	14%
...have you tried to cut down on your alcohol or other drug use but couldn't?	No or no use	98%	88%	100%	95%
	Yes	2%	13%	0%	5%
...has alcohol or other drug use hurt your relationships with friends or family?	No or no use	100%	85%	100%	88%
	Yes	0%	15%	0%	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	90%	77%	50%	79%
	Once	5%	17%	15%	5%
	Twice	0%	0%	8%	7%
	3 or more times	5%	6%	27%	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	100%	94%	81%	93%
	Once	0%	4%	8%	5%
	Twice	0%	0%	4%	0%
	3 or more times	0%	2%	8%	2%
...how many times has alcohol or other drug use left you feeling depressed, agitated, paranoid, or unable to concentrate?	0 times or no use	95%	79%	81%	71%
	Once	2%	11%	8%	17%
	Twice	2%	2%	0%	2%
	3 or more times	0%	9%	12%	10%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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TABLE 41B CONSEQUENCES OF SUBSTANCE USE *

Wilkin 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	95%	83%	88%	93%
	Once	0%	11%	0%	2%
	Twice	5%	4%	4%	0%
	3 or more times	0%	2%	8%	5%
...how many times have you missed work or school because of alcohol or other drug use?	0 times or no use	98%	96%	81%	90%
	Once	0%	0%	12%	5%
	Twice	0%	2%	0%	2%
	3 or more times	2%	2%	8%	2%
...how many times has alcohol or other drug use caused you problems with the law?	0 times or no use	98%	89%	88%	93%
	Once	0%	9%	8%	7%
	Twice	2%	2%	0%	0%
	3 or more times	0%	0%	4%	0%
...how many times have you hit someone or become violent while using alcohol or other drugs?	0 times or no use	95%	91%	81%	100%
	Once	2%	4%	12%	0%
	Twice	2%	2%	4%	0%
	3 or more times	0%	2%	4%	0%
...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	90%	70%	58%	64%
	Once	7%	13%	8%	19%
	Twice	2%	9%	12%	2%
	3 or more times	0%	9%	23%	14%
...how many times have you used more alcohol or other drugs than you intended to?	0 times or no use	93%	68%	69%	67%
	Once	5%	17%	8%	17%
	Twice	2%	2%	0%	2%
	3 or more times	0%	13%	23%	14%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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**TABLE 42A SEXUAL
BEHAVIOR ***

Wilkin County

		Grade			
		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%
Have you ever had sexual intercourse ("gone all the way")?	No	81%	81%	42%	41%
	Yes, once or twice	9%	8%	16%	7%
	Yes, 3 times or more	11%	11%	42%	52%
During the last 12 months, with how many different male partners have you had sexual intercourse?	None	98%	81%	97%	43%
	1 person	0%	2%	0%	39%
	2 persons	0%	13%	0%	11%
	3 persons	0%	2%	3%	0%
	4 persons	0%	0%	0%	2%
	5 persons	0%	2%	0%	0%
	6 or more persons	2%	0%	0%	5%
During the last 12 months, with how many different female partners have you had sexual intercourse?	None	79%	96%	55%	93%
	1 person	13%	4%	23%	5%
	2 persons	2%	0%	16%	2%
	5 persons	0%	0%	3%	0%
	6 or more persons	6%	0%	3%	0%
How many times have you been pregnant or gotten someone pregnant?	0 times	98%	98%	97%	93%
	1 time	0%	0%	0%	7%
	2 or more times	2%	2%	0%	0%
	Not sure	0%	0%	3%	0%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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TABLE 42B SEXUAL BEHAVIOR *

Wilkin 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	63%	20%	35%	15%
	Not with every partner	0%	20%	6%	8%
	At least once with every partner	38%	60%	59%	77%
Have you talked with partner(s) about preventing pregnancy? **	Never	44%	30%	41%	8%
	Not with every partner	0%	10%	12%	15%
	At least once with every partner	56%	60%	47%	77%
If you have sexual intercourse, how often do you and/or your partner use any birth control method?	Never	22%	60%	6%	12%
	Rarely	22%	0%	18%	15%
	Sometimes	0%	10%	18%	0%
	Usually	11%	0%	6%	19%
	Always	44%	30%	53%	54%
If you have sexual intercourse, how often is a condom used?	Never	25%	30%	6%	15%
	Rarely	25%	10%	11%	15%
	Sometimes	0%	10%	11%	8%
	Usually	0%	20%	17%	31%
	Always	50%	30%	56%	31%
The last time you had sexual intercourse, did you or your partner use a condom?	Yes	63%	30%	56%	58%
	No	38%	70%	44%	42%

* 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 *
Wilkin 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	52%	62%	38%	57%
	Reasons not having sex: I don't want to have sex	18%	57%	15%	62%
	Reasons not having sex: Most students in my school don't have sex	15%	5%	8%	0%
	Reasons not having sex: My friends don't have sex	18%	26%	8%	10%
	I don't think it's right for a person my age to have sex	45%	64%	15%	43%
	I'm afraid of getting caught	21%	17%	15%	19%
	My religious or spiritual beliefs	36%	48%	23%	62%
	Sex education at school has shown me the advantages of waiting until I'm older	24%	29%	31%	10%
	I don't want to get a sexually transmitted disease	55%	67%	31%	52%
	Fear of pregnancy **	33%	71%	23%	52%
	My parents taught me the advantages of waiting until I'm older	24%	38%	23%	19%
	I have chosen to wait until I'm married	36%	57%	46%	57%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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