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**TABLE 1
SAMPLE DESCRIPTION**

Clay County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		N	%	N	%	N	%
Total number of surveys		586	100%	575	100%	380	100%
Gender	Male	299	51%	312	54%	192	51%
	Female	287	49%	263	46%	188	49%
Age	11 or younger	145	25%	0	0%	0	0%
	12	407	69%	0	0%	0	0%
	13	34	6%	0	0%	0	0%
	14	0	0%	146	25%	0	0%
	15	0	0%	394	69%	0	0%
	16	0	0%	34	6%	2	1%
	17	0	0%	1	0%	94	25%
	18	0	0%	0	0%	268	71%
	19-20	0	0%	0	0%	16	4%
Race/ethnicity	American Indian	16	3%	5	1%	3	1%
	Black or African American	4	1%	4	1%	2	1%
	Mexican American or Chicano/Chicana	34	6%	11	2%	5	1%
	Puerto Rican or other Latin American	5	1%	0	0%	1	0%
	Asian American or Pacific Islander	7	1%	7	1%	1	0%
	White	445	76%	518	90%	345	91%
	Mixed race (checked more than one race/ethnicity)	25	4%	18	3%	15	4%
	I don't know / no answer	50	9%	12	2%	8	2%

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

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
How do you feel about going to school?	I like school very much	14%	23%	8%	10%	7%	6%
	I like school quite a bit	30%	41%	26%	33%	18%	27%
	I like school a little	31%	27%	38%	41%	45%	45%
	I don't like school very much	12%	5%	19%	11%	17%	16%
	I hate school	13%	4%	9%	5%	13%	5%
Which of these best describes your school plans?	I would like to quit school as soon as I can	3%	0%	2%	1%	2%	1%
	I plan to finish high school but won't go to college	5%	7%	8%	5%	8%	3%
	I'd like to go to some kind of trade or vocational school	2%	0%	7%	4%	18%	13%
	I'd like to go to college after high school	66%	64%	65%	67%	55%	60%
	I'd like to go to college and then to graduate school	24%	28%	19%	23%	17%	24%
During the last 30 days, how often have you skipped or cut full days of school?	Never	82%	85%	82%	83%	50%	64%
	Once or twice	14%	12%	13%	14%	29%	18%
	3 to 5 times	2%	3%	4%	3%	13%	13%
	6 to 10 times	1%	0%	0%	0%	5%	3%
	More than 10 times	0%	0%	1%	0%	3%	2%

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TABLE 3
ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE
Clay County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Mark the two grades you get the most often.	A only	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	3%
	A and B only	28%	29%	50%	59%	44%	64%
	B only	3%	1%	1%	0%	3%	1%
	B and C only	11%	8%	28%	24%	31%	22%
	C only	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%
	C and D only	3%	0%	8%	6%	13%	5%
	D only	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
	D and F only	1%	0%	3%	3%	3%	2%
	F only	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
	Not applicable or no answer	50%	59%	6%	3%	4%	3%

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

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
How many students in your school are friendly?	All	5%	2%	2%	2%	4%	2%
	Most	54%	54%	66%	58%	62%	65%
	Some	30%	36%	28%	36%	26%	27%
	A few	9%	8%	4%	4%	6%	5%
	None	2%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%
How many students in your school behave well in the hallways and lunchroom?	All	4%	3%	4%	1%	3%	1%
	Most	38%	39%	45%	46%	55%	55%
	Some	41%	44%	38%	40%	28%	35%
	A few	14%	12%	12%	13%	12%	9%
	None	3%	1%	2%	0%	2%	1%
How many students in your school have made fun of or threatened students of different races or backgrounds?	All	4%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%
	Most	7%	7%	11%	5%	6%	4%
	Some	15%	20%	19%	24%	21%	24%
	A few	46%	47%	50%	59%	49%	52%
	None	28%	25%	18%	11%	22%	19%
How many of your teachers are interested in you as a person?	All	25%	29%	8%	5%	6%	9%
	Most	36%	41%	30%	33%	37%	44%
	Some	18%	16%	30%	30%	37%	28%
	A few	16%	11%	21%	27%	17%	17%
	None	6%	3%	10%	5%	3%	3%
How many of your teachers show respect for students?	All	49%	55%	25%	17%	18%	21%
	Most	30%	29%	44%	54%	50%	58%
	Some	7%	10%	16%	16%	18%	15%
	A few	10%	4%	10%	12%	12%	6%
	None	4%	1%	4%	1%	2%	0%

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TABLE 5
PERCEPTIONS OF SCHOOL SAFETY
Clay 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	47%	37%	54%	40%	63%	63%
	Agree	47%	57%	41%	56%	34%	36%
	Disagree	5%	5%	3%	3%	3%	1%
	Strongly disagree	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	0%
I feel safe at school	Strongly agree	43%	43%	39%	31%	55%	56%
	Agree	47%	50%	53%	62%	40%	41%
	Disagree	7%	6%	6%	5%	4%	2%
	Strongly disagree	3%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%
Bathrooms in this school are a safe place to be	Strongly agree	23%	27%	35%	29%	49%	53%
	Agree	46%	53%	50%	60%	39%	38%
	Disagree	21%	18%	12%	9%	9%	7%
	Strongly disagree	9%	3%	4%	2%	2%	2%
Illegal gang activity is a problem at this school	Strongly agree	5%	7%	3%	3%	4%	1%
	Agree	7%	5%	7%	8%	7%	2%
	Disagree	18%	27%	50%	58%	35%	33%
	Strongly disagree	70%	61%	40%	32%	54%	65%
Student use of alcohol or drugs is a problem at this school	Strongly agree	6%	7%	18%	20%	18%	18%
	Agree	9%	5%	35%	39%	36%	43%
	Disagree	16%	21%	35%	36%	32%	35%
	Strongly disagree	69%	66%	12%	6%	14%	5%

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TABLE 6
VICTIMIZATION AT SCHOOL
Clay 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?	Yes		3%	1%	22%	19%	25%	15%
	No		97%	99%	78%	81%	75%	85%
During the last 12 months, how many times has someone stolen or deliberately damaged your property at school?	0 times		57%	65%	49%	57%	65%	84%
	1 time		20%	18%	25%	26%	21%	11%
	2 or 3 times		15%	13%	17%	15%	11%	4%
	4 or 5 times		4%	2%	5%	2%	3%	1%
	6 or more times		4%	2%	5%	1%	1%	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%	94%	96%	94%	97%	97%
	1 day		4%	1%	2%	4%	1%	1%
	2 or 3 days		0%	4%	1%	1%	1%	2%
	4 or 5 days		1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	6 or more days		1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%
During the last 12 months, which of the following has happened to you on school property? Has a student:	Insulted you?	Yes	67%	62%	70%	66%	59%	41%
		No	33%	38%	30%	34%	41%	59%
	Threatened you?	Yes	35%	21%	35%	18%	25%	4%
		No	65%	79%	65%	82%	75%	96%
	Pushed, shoved, or grabbed you?	Yes	71%	47%	62%	35%	39%	15%
		No	29%	53%	38%	65%	61%	85%
	Kicked, bitten, or hit you?	Yes	56%	30%	41%	18%	21%	6%
		No	44%	70%	59%	82%	79%	94%
	Stabbed you or fired a gun at you?	Yes	3%	0%	3%	0%	5%	0%
		No	97%	100%	97%	100%	95%	100%

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**TABLE 7A
ACTIVITIES
Clay County**

<i>During the school year, how many hours in a typical week do you spend doing the following?</i>		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Homework or study	0 hours	7%	4%	10%	3%	23%	5%
	1-2 hours	43%	47%	41%	30%	50%	43%
	3-5 hours	27%	23%	32%	32%	19%	34%
	6-10 hours	10%	15%	11%	27%	5%	14%
	11-20 hours	8%	5%	4%	7%	1%	4%
	21 hours or more	5%	6%	2%	2%	2%	0%
Band, choir, orchestra, music lessons, or practicing voice or an instrument	0 hours	54%	31%	67%	51%	80%	64%
	1-2 hours	23%	29%	11%	18%	4%	16%
	3-5 hours	17%	21%	12%	18%	7%	7%
	6-10 hours	3%	10%	5%	5%	4%	10%
	11-20 hours	2%	5%	3%	4%	2%	1%
	21 hours or more	1%	4%	2%	2%	3%	2%
Clubs or organizations outside of school	0 hours	51%	45%	53%	46%	60%	50%
	1-2 hours	27%	27%	25%	27%	19%	23%
	3-5 hours	11%	16%	10%	14%	12%	16%
	6-10 hours	6%	7%	6%	9%	6%	8%
	11-20 hours	1%	1%	4%	3%	3%	3%
	21 hours or more	3%	3%	2%	1%	1%	1%
Playing sports on a school team	0 hours	61%	63%	37%	48%	53%	63%
	1-2 hours	11%	14%	11%	9%	5%	4%
	3-5 hours	12%	15%	9%	7%	6%	3%
	6-10 hours	7%	4%	21%	16%	11%	14%
	11-20 hours	5%	2%	14%	15%	19%	11%
	21 hours or more	4%	2%	7%	5%	5%	5%

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**TABLE 7B
ACTIVITIES
Clay 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
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Other physical activities	0 hours	17%	19%	10%	16%	14%	25%
	1-2 hours	27%	36%	28%	36%	30%	28%
	3-5 hours	24%	23%	32%	29%	30%	29%
	6-10 hours	13%	14%	15%	11%	14%	11%
	11-20 hours	11%	5%	6%	4%	7%	6%
	21 hours or more	8%	3%	8%	4%	4%	1%
Attending services, groups, or programs at a church, synagogue, or mosque	0 hours	37%	31%	30%	23%	57%	42%
	1-2 hours	43%	43%	52%	49%	32%	41%
	3-5 hours	12%	16%	13%	22%	7%	14%
	6-10 hours	3%	5%	2%	5%	2%	2%
	11-20 hours	3%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	21 hours or more	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%	0%
Reading for pleasure	0 hours	34%	21%	56%	44%	55%	36%
	1-2 hours	39%	42%	26%	36%	30%	42%
	3-5 hours	16%	18%	10%	11%	11%	15%
	6-10 hours	4%	10%	5%	5%	3%	4%
	11-20 hours	4%	4%	2%	2%	0%	2%
	21 hours or more	2%	4%	1%	2%	1%	1%
Watching TV or videos	0 hours	3%	2%	2%	2%	2%	7%
	1-2 hours	19%	30%	19%	32%	18%	26%
	3-5 hours	24%	28%	28%	30%	31%	34%
	6-10 hours	28%	22%	23%	23%	25%	25%
	11-20 hours	12%	10%	17%	8%	13%	7%
	21 hours or more	14%	9%	11%	6%	11%	2%
Playing computer or video games	0 hours	12%	20%	9%	26%	18%	38%
	1-2 hours	26%	42%	30%	33%	30%	33%
	3-5 hours	24%	24%	28%	22%	22%	20%
	6-10 hours	20%	8%	20%	12%	15%	6%
	11-20 hours	5%	4%	5%	5%	9%	1%
	21 hours or more	13%	2%	8%	2%	7%	3%

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**TABLE 7C
ACTIVITIES
Clay 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
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Volunteer work or community service	0 hours	75%	71%	76%	70%	73%	63%
	1-2 hours	17%	23%	19%	23%	21%	24%
	3-5 hours	7%	3%	3%	4%	5%	9%
	6-10 hours	1%	2%	0%	1%	2%	4%
	11-20 hours	1%	1%	2%	1%	0%	1%
	21 hours or more	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	0%
Chores at home/babysitting for family	0 hours	24%	7%	24%	12%	37%	19%
	1-2 hours	39%	43%	47%	46%	40%	45%
	3-5 hours	21%	27%	21%	23%	14%	25%
	6-10 hours	9%	11%	4%	9%	6%	7%
	11-20 hours	4%	8%	1%	6%	2%	3%
	21 hours or more	3%	3%	2%	4%	1%	2%
Work for pay (including babysitting for others)	0 hours	41%	30%	47%	34%	30%	23%
	1-2 hours	29%	31%	22%	24%	10%	7%
	3-5 hours	14%	22%	12%	17%	10%	7%
	6-10 hours	10%	11%	11%	13%	10%	17%
	11-20 hours	3%	4%	4%	8%	17%	30%
	21 hours or more	2%	2%	4%	4%	23%	17%
Hanging out	0 hours	10%	6%	5%	3%	4%	3%
	1-2 hours	19%	24%	16%	15%	8%	8%
	3-5 hours	26%	28%	25%	26%	19%	27%
	6-10 hours	22%	18%	24%	22%	24%	24%
	11-20 hours	9%	13%	12%	15%	16%	21%
	21 hours or more	14%	10%	17%	20%	28%	18%

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TABLE 8
COMPUTER USE AT HOME
Clay County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Do you use a computer at home?	Yes	81%	88%	90%	89%	88%	91%
	No	19%	12%	10%	11%	12%	9%

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Do you use the Internet at home?	Yes	72%	74%	84%	82%	82%	83%
	No	28%	26%	16%	18%	18%	17%
What do you use the Internet for at home? (Mark all that apply)	E-mail	54%	65%	75%	79%	71%	79%
	Surfing the web	53%	46%	70%	52%	66%	54%
	Chat rooms	33%	27%	40%	36%	28%	23%
	Listening to or downloading music	40%	38%	65%	59%	58%	40%
	Playing games	61%	55%	57%	35%	44%	30%
	Entertainment or sports	38%	16%	50%	24%	47%	21%
	Homework or other research	45%	60%	61%	72%	56%	76%
	Shopping	16%	14%	22%	24%	16%	17%

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TABLE 9
FAMILY COMPOSITION AND PARENTAL COMMUNICATION
Clay County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Which adults do you live with?	Both biological parents	55%	62%	68%	68%	65%	68%
	Both adoptive parents	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%
	Mother and stepfather	5%	3%	5%	8%	4%	6%
	Father and stepmother	2%	1%	0%	1%	3%	3%
	Mother only	14%	15%	15%	14%	13%	14%
	Father only	2%	2%	3%	0%	6%	3%
	Sometimes with mother, sometimes with father	15%	11%	5%	6%	2%	2%
	Other	3%	3%	2%	2%	4%	6%
	No adults or no answer	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	0%
Can you talk to your father about problems you are having?	Yes, most of the time	39%	28%	34%	21%	32%	23%
	Yes, some of the time	31%	32%	35%	34%	39%	34%
	No, not very often	15%	22%	16%	26%	17%	25%
	No, not at all	5%	6%	7%	13%	6%	9%
	My father is not around	10%	12%	7%	6%	5%	9%
Can you talk to your mother about problems you are having?	Yes, most of the time	54%	66%	44%	57%	36%	47%
	Yes, some of the time	31%	23%	38%	25%	43%	38%
	No, not very often	9%	6%	12%	13%	13%	12%
	No, not at all	3%	2%	5%	5%	6%	2%
	My mother is not around	3%	3%	1%	0%	3%	2%

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**TABLE 12
PERCEPTIONS OF FAMILY CARING
Clay 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	2%	1%	2%	3%	3%	0%
	A little	1%	0%	3%	4%	4%	5%
	Some	3%	3%	6%	5%	6%	3%
	Quite a bit	9%	3%	16%	11%	17%	13%
	Very much	86%	92%	73%	77%	70%	79%
... other adult relatives care about you?	Not at all	3%	1%	3%	2%	5%	2%
	A little	2%	3%	2%	3%	4%	3%
	Some	6%	4%	10%	8%	13%	12%
	Quite a bit	18%	19%	33%	31%	33%	26%
	Very much	70%	73%	52%	56%	45%	58%
... your family cares about your feelings?	Not at all	3%	2%	4%	6%	5%	2%
	A little	4%	4%	7%	8%	8%	7%
	Some	12%	11%	19%	18%	20%	17%
	Quite a bit	24%	22%	32%	26%	35%	27%
	Very much	56%	61%	37%	41%	31%	47%
... your family understands you?	Not at all	6%	6%	10%	16%	13%	13%
	A little	10%	8%	17%	16%	12%	16%
	Some	18%	18%	27%	26%	24%	25%
	Quite a bit	28%	37%	21%	27%	35%	27%
	Very much	38%	31%	24%	15%	16%	20%
... your family has lots of fun together?	Not at all	6%	5%	9%	10%	11%	7%
	A little	13%	10%	18%	19%	16%	18%
	Some	18%	20%	27%	22%	33%	27%
	Quite a bit	32%	28%	25%	31%	28%	30%
	Very much	32%	37%	22%	18%	12%	18%
... your family respects your privacy?	Not at all	8%	6%	10%	12%	10%	9%
	A little	8%	9%	15%	18%	12%	11%
	Some	17%	17%	18%	17%	21%	18%
	Quite a bit	26%	30%	29%	30%	34%	32%
	Very much	41%	37%	28%	24%	24%	30%

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**TABLE 11
PERCEPTIONS OF OTHERS CARING
Clay 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	5%	3%	2%	1%	4%	1%
	A little	14%	11%	10%	3%	7%	4%
	Some	23%	13%	28%	13%	21%	14%
	Quite a bit	37%	34%	41%	34%	44%	45%
	Very much	21%	39%	19%	49%	24%	38%
... teachers or other adults at school care about you? *	Not at all	5%	2%	9%	6%	6%	4%
	A little	11%	10%	19%	21%	19%	17%
	Some	24%	26%	35%	37%	43%	36%
	Quite a bit	34%	38%	26%	26%	22%	34%
	Very much	25%	24%	11%	10%	11%	9%
... church or spiritual leaders care about you? *	Not at all	13%	10%	11%	11%	17%	18%
	A little	12%	12%	11%	9%	13%	15%
	Some	19%	17%	20%	22%	27%	19%
	Quite a bit	26%	30%	31%	30%	24%	27%
	Very much	30%	31%	26%	29%	18%	21%
... police officers care about you?	Not at all	13%	5%	20%	17%	36%	27%
	A little	15%	14%	26%	23%	27%	27%
	Some	19%	19%	25%	27%	23%	32%
	Quite a bit	23%	31%	19%	23%	10%	8%
	Very much	31%	31%	10%	10%	4%	6%
... other adults in your community care about you?	Not at all	9%	5%	14%	13%	14%	15%
	A little	18%	16%	23%	24%	27%	25%
	Some	29%	29%	37%	33%	37%	32%
	Quite a bit	25%	32%	18%	23%	17%	19%
	Very much	19%	18%	8%	6%	5%	9%

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

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TABLE 12
FAMILY SUBSTANCE ABUSE
Clay 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	12%	14%	12%	22%	16%	24%
	No	88%	86%	88%	78%	84%	76%
If yes, whose use? (Mark all that apply)	Parent who lives with me	6%	5%	6%	7%	7%	9%
	Parent who doesn't live with me	5%	4%	4%	7%	8%	5%
	Other relative	6%	10%	5%	12%	5%	14%
Has drug use by any family member repeatedly caused family, health, job, or legal problems?	Yes	9%	12%	8%	10%	9%	9%
	No	91%	88%	92%	90%	91%	91%
If yes, whose use? (Mark all that apply)	Parent who lives with me	4%	2%	2%	0%	1%	1%
	Parent who doesn't live with me	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%
	Other relative	6%	8%	6%	9%	7%	6%

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

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Have you ever been the victim of violence on a date? *	Yes			3%	7%	6%	10%
	No			97%	93%	94%	90%
Has any adult in your household ever hit you so hard that you had marks or were afraid of that person?	Yes	13%	8%	7%	10%	8%	9%
	No	87%	92%	93%	90%	92%	91%
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%	13%	6%	16%	9%	10%
	No	85%	87%	94%	84%	91%	90%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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TABLE 14
SEXUAL ABUSE
Clay County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Have you ever been the victim of date rape? *	Yes			3%	4%	5%	5%
	No			97%	96%	95%	95%
Has any older person outside the family touched you sexually against your wishes or forced you to touch them sexually?	Yes	2%	6%	3%	11%	4%	5%
	No	98%	94%	97%	89%	96%	95%
Has any older/stronger member of your family touched you sexually or had you touch them sexually?	Yes	1%	3%	1%	5%	2%	4%
	No	99%	97%	99%	95%	98%	96%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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TABLE 15
GENERAL HEALTH ISSUES
Clay 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	58%	53%	48%	55%	49%	45%
	1-2 years ago	17%	25%	34%	28%	29%	35%
	3-4 years ago	6%	6%	9%	7%	10%	13%
	More than 4 years ago	7%	6%	5%	5%	7%	4%
	I have never had a physical exam	12%	9%	4%	5%	4%	2%
Have you ever been treated for an alcohol or other drug problem? *	No			98%	95%	94%	95%
	Yes			2%	5%	6%	5%
Do you have a mental or physical health problem that has lasted at least 12 months?	No	88%	90%	91%	83%	91%	83%
	Yes	12%	10%	9%	17%	9%	17%
In the past 12 months, how often have you blacked out because someone hit you in the head?	Never	90%	97%	93%	98%	92%	99%
	Once	8%	2%	6%	2%	7%	0%
	Two times or more	2%	1%	2%	0%	1%	1%
In the past 12 months, how often have you blacked out because you fell or were accidentally hit in the head?	Never	83%	84%	88%	90%	89%	95%
	Once	14%	14%	8%	9%	9%	4%
	Two times or more	3%	3%	4%	2%	2%	1%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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TABLE 16
WEIGHT-RELATED ISSUES
Clay 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				13%	28%	10%	30%
	No				87%	72%	90%	70%
At the present time, do you think you are...	Underweight		14%	9%	13%	8%	12%	3%
	About the right weight		66%	71%	68%	62%	72%	61%
	Overweight		20%	19%	20%	30%	16%	35%
During the last 12 months, have you done any of the following to lose or control weight? (Mark all that apply) *	Exercise	Yes			73%	83%	55%	76%
		No			27%	17%	45%	24%
	Fast or skip meals	Yes			15%	47%	17%	50%
		No			85%	53%	83%	50%
	Smoke cigarettes	Yes			5%	14%	7%	20%
		No			95%	86%	93%	80%
	Use diet pills or speed	Yes			2%	10%	4%	12%
		No			98%	90%	96%	88%
	Vomit on purpose after eating	Yes			1%	10%	1%	9%
		No			99%	90%	99%	91%
	Use laxatives	Yes			2%	2%	0%	4%
		No			98%	98%	100%	96%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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**TABLE 17
EXERCISE**

Clay County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
On how many of the last 7 days did you exercise or play sports that made you sweat or breathe hard for at least 20 minutes?	0 days	9%	9%	10%	15%	16%	30%
	1 day	6%	7%	6%	10%	11%	11%
	2 days	11%	8%	9%	10%	13%	12%
	3 days	12%	17%	9%	15%	10%	12%
	4 days	10%	15%	9%	9%	8%	8%
	5 days	14%	20%	22%	20%	18%	16%
	6 days	10%	10%	13%	10%	8%	4%
	7 days	29%	14%	22%	11%	15%	8%
On how many of the last 7 days were you physically active for a combined total of at least 30 minutes?	0 days	7%	8%	4%	9%	7%	19%
	1 day	7%	5%	4%	10%	9%	10%
	2 days	7%	14%	7%	15%	9%	15%
	3 days	9%	17%	9%	8%	8%	15%
	4 days	13%	17%	9%	11%	12%	9%
	5 days	14%	16%	20%	21%	22%	16%
	6 days	9%	9%	13%	11%	9%	5%
	7 days	34%	15%	34%	15%	24%	11%

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TABLE 18
NUTRITION
Clay County

<i>How many glasses of each of the following did you drink yesterday?</i>		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Milk	0 glasses	11%	14%	16%	29%	16%	34%
	1-2 glasses	44%	51%	47%	49%	57%	50%
	3-4 glasses	33%	28%	27%	17%	19%	11%
	5 or more glasses	12%	8%	10%	5%	8%	5%
100% fruit juice	0 glasses	33%	38%	37%	44%	38%	38%
	1-2 glasses	49%	45%	43%	44%	48%	52%
	3-4 glasses	9%	12%	14%	8%	11%	10%
	5 or more glasses	9%	5%	6%	4%	3%	0%
Fruit juice drinks	0 glasses	40%	40%	40%	40%	43%	53%
	1-2 glasses	40%	44%	43%	48%	49%	38%
	3-4 glasses	12%	11%	13%	9%	7%	8%
	5 or more glasses	8%	6%	5%	3%	2%	1%
Pop or soda	0 glasses	28%	32%	23%	39%	19%	43%
	1-2 glasses	45%	46%	46%	43%	47%	42%
	3-4 glasses	16%	14%	18%	12%	22%	11%
	5 or more glasses	11%	8%	13%	6%	12%	4%
Sports drinks	0 glasses	61%	73%	60%	83%	70%	91%
	1-2 glasses	22%	18%	28%	12%	20%	7%
	3-4 glasses	9%	6%	7%	3%	6%	1%
	5 or more glasses	8%	3%	6%	2%	4%	1%
Water	0 glasses	5%	3%	7%	11%	7%	10%
	1-2 glasses	23%	23%	30%	30%	37%	38%
	3-4 glasses	22%	30%	25%	29%	25%	27%
	5 or more glasses	50%	43%	38%	30%	31%	25%
How many servings of fruits, fruit juices, or vegetables did you eat yesterday?	0 servings	7%	4%	8%	6%	11%	6%
	1 serving	12%	12%	16%	17%	18%	18%
	2 servings	18%	20%	22%	28%	34%	28%
	3 servings	24%	22%	26%	26%	18%	24%
	4 servings	21%	23%	13%	11%	6%	14%
	5 or more servings	17%	19%	16%	11%	14%	10%

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TABLE 19
SEAT BELT USE
Clay 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%	3%	5%	3%	12%	3%
	Sometimes	20%	15%	28%	23%	38%	29%
	Often	33%	31%	33%	31%	21%	30%
	Always	42%	51%	35%	42%	29%	39%
...drive a car? *	I never do this activity			25%	44%	10%	6%
	Never			2%	3%	12%	2%
	Sometimes			11%	7%	26%	16%
	Often			11%	8%	14%	17%
	Always			52%	39%	39%	59%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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**TABLE 20
SOURCES OF INFORMATION ON RISK BEHAVIORS
Clay 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)	Friends or peers	29%	34%	64%	81%	75%	84%
	Parents	56%	62%	47%	50%	45%	49%
	Brothers or sisters	20%	19%	22%	34%	26%	22%
	School, teachers, or counselors	71%	89%	60%	61%	52%	54%
	Clinics, doctors, or nurses	17%	17%	12%	11%	9%	10%
	Internet	10%	6%	18%	12%	16%	8%
	TV, radio, magazines, newspapers, or books	39%	37%	53%	56%	52%	51%
	I do not know much about alcohol or drugs	6%	1%	3%	5%	2%	3%
Where have you received most of your information about sex? (Mark all that apply)	Friends or peers	37%	34%	70%	77%	78%	84%
	Parents	39%	48%	34%	46%	22%	37%
	Brothers or sisters	14%	15%	15%	22%	18%	13%
	School, teachers, or counselors	35%	37%	48%	47%	36%	50%
	Clinics, doctors, or nurses	16%	12%	10%	13%	7%	22%
	Internet	13%	8%	29%	12%	27%	8%
	TV, radio, magazines, newspapers, or books	26%	23%	46%	50%	46%	52%
	I do not know much about sex	13%	18%	2%	3%	2%	1%

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TABLE 21
SELF-ESTEEM *
Clay County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
I usually feel good about myself.	Disagree	5%	8%	5%	7%	7%	5%
	Mostly disagree	3%	5%	4%	13%	4%	11%
	Mostly agree	38%	37%	44%	49%	44%	57%
	Agree	54%	51%	47%	31%	45%	26%
I am able to do things as well as most other people my age.	Disagree	6%	6%	3%	4%	2%	2%
	Mostly disagree	5%	5%	4%	5%	4%	5%
	Mostly agree	35%	39%	40%	40%	29%	43%
	Agree	54%	51%	53%	51%	65%	50%
On the whole, I'm satisfied with myself.	Disagree	4%	9%	6%	8%	4%	5%
	Mostly disagree	4%	7%	5%	10%	8%	11%
	Mostly agree	32%	33%	35%	44%	35%	47%
	Agree	60%	51%	54%	39%	52%	37%
I feel I do not have much to be proud of.	Agree	14%	11%	7%	8%	7%	6%
	Mostly agree	8%	7%	11%	12%	9%	15%
	Mostly disagree	19%	29%	26%	26%	24%	35%
	Disagree	59%	53%	55%	54%	60%	44%
Sometimes I think that I am no good.	Agree	17%	19%	9%	18%	10%	15%
	Mostly agree	7%	12%	12%	19%	7%	14%
	Mostly disagree	27%	26%	24%	29%	26%	31%
	Disagree	49%	43%	55%	34%	57%	40%
I feel that I can't do anything right.	Agree	8%	11%	6%	8%	6%	5%
	Mostly agree	7%	11%	10%	15%	8%	13%
	Mostly disagree	29%	29%	24%	30%	20%	32%
	Disagree	56%	48%	60%	47%	66%	50%
I feel that my life is not very useful.	Agree	7%	8%	7%	4%	8%	4%
	Mostly agree	7%	8%	8%	13%	7%	11%
	Mostly disagree	23%	24%	20%	21%	16%	25%
	Disagree	63%	61%	65%	61%	69%	60%

* 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
Clay County

During the last 30 days ...		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
... how has your mood been?	Very bad	3%	1%	1%	2%	2%	3%
	Bad	3%	1%	2%	2%	5%	5%
	Up and down a lot	44%	50%	30%	53%	34%	43%
	Very good	39%	36%	54%	37%	48%	42%
	Excellent	11%	12%	14%	6%	10%	7%
... have you felt you were under any stress or pressure?	Yes, almost more than I could take	8%	8%	6%	16%	9%	12%
	Yes, quite a bit of pressure	9%	14%	17%	16%	20%	34%
	Yes, more than usual	13%	11%	15%	21%	20%	25%
	Yes, a little	51%	50%	48%	43%	42%	26%
	Not at all	19%	17%	14%	3%	8%	3%
... have you felt sad?	All the time	2%	4%	2%	2%	1%	1%
	Most of the time	4%	9%	5%	13%	5%	12%
	Some of the time	20%	23%	14%	31%	27%	35%
	Little of the time	47%	52%	52%	45%	48%	46%
	None of the time	26%	13%	28%	8%	18%	6%
... 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%	6%	4%	5%	5%	4%
	Quite a bit	4%	5%	4%	10%	7%	9%
	Some, enough to bother me	11%	12%	11%	17%	15%	20%
	A little bit	30%	30%	25%	32%	18%	22%
	Not at all	51%	47%	57%	37%	55%	44%
... have you felt nervous, worried, or upset?	All the time	5%	5%	3%	4%	3%	1%
	Most of the time	6%	9%	6%	13%	8%	17%
	Some of the time	26%	33%	22%	37%	31%	36%
	Little of the time	43%	38%	53%	37%	43%	42%
	None of the time	20%	14%	16%	8%	14%	4%
... how satisfied have you been with your personal life?	Very dissatisfied	4%	3%	4%	6%	7%	4%
	Somewhat dissatisfied	6%	11%	12%	20%	12%	19%
	Satisfied	33%	40%	33%	44%	36%	41%
	Very satisfied	35%	29%	35%	23%	31%	28%
	Extremely satisfied	22%	17%	16%	7%	14%	9%

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TABLE 23
SUICIDAL THOUGHTS AND BEHAVIOR
Clay County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Have you ever thought about killing yourself?	No	80%	84%	80%	54%	74%	59%
	Yes, during the last year	13%	12%	12%	29%	14%	21%
	Yes, more than a year ago	7%	4%	8%	17%	12%	20%
Have you ever tried to kill yourself?	No	92%	97%	95%	79%	93%	81%
	Yes, during the last year	3%	2%	3%	11%	4%	5%
	Yes, more than a year ago	4%	1%	2%	9%	3%	14%

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**TABLE 24
GAMBLING BEHAVIOR *
Clay 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	51%	81%	43%	77%
	Less than once a month	26%	12%	25%	14%
	About once a month	13%	4%	17%	8%
	About once a week	7%	1%	12%	1%
	Daily	4%	2%	3%	0%
Bet on games of personal skill like pool, golf, or bowling	Not at all	45%	78%	41%	83%
	Less than once a month	21%	15%	22%	13%
	About once a month	18%	3%	21%	3%
	About once a week	11%	2%	10%	1%
	Daily	5%	2%	5%	0%
Bet money on sports teams	Not at all	56%	86%	53%	89%
	Less than once a month	21%	9%	23%	8%
	About once a month	12%	2%	15%	2%
	About once a week	7%	2%	6%	1%
	Daily	4%	1%	3%	0%
Bought lottery tickets or scratch-offs	Not at all	85%	89%	38%	61%
	Less than once a month	8%	6%	29%	26%
	About once a month	4%	3%	19%	10%
	About once a week	3%	1%	10%	3%
	Daily	1%	1%	5%	1%
Gambled in a casino	Not at all	97%	98%	54%	72%
	Less than once a month	1%	1%	26%	22%
	About once a month	0%	0%	13%	5%
	About once a week	1%	0%	4%	1%
	Daily	1%	1%	3%	0%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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TABLE 25
GAMBLING CONSEQUENCES *
Clay 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	8%	1%	12%	3%
	No	58%	29%	65%	40%
	I don't bet for money	34%	70%	23%	57%
... that you would like to stop betting money but didn't think you could?	Yes	3%	2%	5%	0%
	No	64%	29%	72%	43%
	I don't bet for money	34%	70%	23%	57%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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**TABLE 26
DESTRUCTIVE AND ANTISOCIAL BEHAVIOR
Clay 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	91%	94%	94%	89%	91%	94%
	Once or twice	6%	6%	4%	8%	5%	5%
	3 to 5 times	2%	0%	1%	3%	2%	0%
	6 to 10 times	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%
	More than 10 times	1%	0%	1%	0%	2%	0%
During the last 12 months, how often have you damaged or destroyed property at school or somewhere else?	Never	78%	91%	74%	84%	68%	88%
	Once or twice	15%	8%	17%	10%	20%	10%
	3 to 5 times	4%	1%	6%	3%	6%	2%
	6 to 10 times	1%	0%	2%	1%	2%	0%
	More than 10 times	2%	0%	2%	1%	4%	0%
During the last 12 months, how often have you hit or beat up another person?	Never	54%	79%	60%	75%	66%	87%
	Once or twice	30%	15%	30%	18%	23%	12%
	3 to 5 times	9%	2%	5%	3%	3%	1%
	6 to 10 times	1%	1%	2%	0%	1%	0%
	More than 10 times	5%	3%	4%	3%	7%	1%
During the last 12 months, how often have you taken something from a store without paying for it?	Never	92%	97%	79%	78%	66%	78%
	Once or twice	6%	2%	14%	10%	16%	14%
	3 to 5 times	0%	0%	3%	5%	7%	2%
	6 to 10 times	0%	0%	1%	2%	3%	1%
	More than 10 times	1%	0%	3%	5%	8%	5%
Do you get a real kick out of doing things that are a little dangerous?	Not at all	27%	58%	22%	33%	14%	38%
	A little	40%	31%	42%	48%	48%	51%
	Quite a bit	17%	8%	18%	13%	19%	6%
	Very much	16%	3%	18%	6%	19%	4%
On how many of the last 30 days did you carry a gun on school property?	0 days	97%	100%	97%	99%	95%	100%
	1 day	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	2 or 3 days	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
	4 or 5 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	2%	0%
	6 or more days	1%	0%	1%	0%	2%	0%
On how many of the last 30 days did you carry a weapon (other than a gun) on school property?	0 days	96%	99%	92%	98%	90%	98%
	1 day	2%	1%	3%	1%	2%	2%
	2 or 3 days	0%	0%	2%	0%	3%	0%
	4 or 5 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	2%	0%
	6 or more days	2%	0%	4%	1%	4%	0%

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TABLE 27
SUMMARY OF SUBSTANCE USE *
Clay County

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Use of any tobacco products during the past year	No	95%	98%	76%	68%	39%	49%
	Yes	5%	2%	24%	32%	61%	51%
DAILY use of any tobacco products during the past year	No	99%	99%	95%	87%	75%	79%
	Yes	1%	1%	5%	13%	25%	21%
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%	91%	92%	56%	79%
	Yes	0%	0%	9%	8%	44%	21%
Any alcohol and/or other drug use during the past year (excluding tobacco)	No alcohol or other drug use in the past year	81%	87%	47%	43%	21%	26%
	Used only alcohol in the past year	14%	11%	29%	33%	27%	35%
	Used only other drugs in the past year	2%	1%	3%	1%	2%	0%
	Used both alcohol and other drugs in the past year	3%	0%	21%	22%	49%	39%

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

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**TABLE 28
CIGARETTE USE
Clay County**

		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
During the last 12 months, how often have you used cigarettes? *	Not at all	95%	98%	81%	68%	55%	51%
	Less than monthly	2%	1%	10%	13%	11%	14%
	Monthly	1%	0%	2%	3%	6%	4%
	Weekly	0%	0%	2%	3%	10%	10%
	Daily	1%	1%	5%	13%	19%	21%
During the last 30 days, on how many days did you smoke a cigarette?	0 days	97%	99%	87%	77%	59%	58%
	1 or 2 days	1%	1%	5%	6%	9%	9%
	3 to 5 days	1%	0%	0%	2%	6%	4%
	6 to 9 days	0%	0%	1%	1%	3%	3%
	10 to 19 days	0%	0%	1%	1%	4%	5%
	20 to 29 days	0%	1%	2%	4%	7%	7%
	All 30 days	1%	0%	3%	8%	13%	14%
During the last 30 days, how frequently have you smoked cigarettes?	Never	97%	99%	88%	76%	58%	58%
	Less than one cigarette per day	1%	1%	6%	11%	19%	16%
	One to five cigarettes per day	1%	1%	3%	8%	13%	16%
	About one-half pack per day	0%	0%	1%	2%	6%	8%
	About one pack per day	0%	0%	1%	2%	3%	2%
	About one and one-half packs per day	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%
	Two packs or more per day	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%
If you have not smoked a cigarette in the last year, do you think you will during the next year?	Definitely yes	1%	1%	4%	5%	13%	7%
	Probably yes	3%	2%	8%	9%	12%	8%
	Probably not	14%	11%	22%	20%	19%	8%
	Definitely not	82%	86%	66%	67%	57%	77%

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

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**TABLE 29
CIGAR AND SMOKELESS TOBACCO USE
Clay 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	98%	100%	92%	99%	75%	98%
	Less than monthly	0%	0%	4%	1%	10%	2%
	Monthly	1%	0%	1%	0%	5%	0%
	Weekly	0%	0%	1%	0%	2%	0%
	Daily	1%	0%	2%	0%	7%	1%
During the last 12 months, how often have you used cigars, cigarillos, or little cigars?	Not at all	97%	100%	89%	97%	61%	91%
	Less than monthly	1%	0%	7%	2%	22%	7%
	Monthly	1%	0%	2%	0%	12%	2%
	Weekly	0%	0%	0%	0%	3%	0%
	Daily	1%	0%	2%	0%	2%	0%

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

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**TABLE 30
ACCESS TO TOBACCO**

Clay County

INCLUDES ONLY THOSE WHO USED TOBACCO IN THE LAST 30 DAYS		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
If you used tobacco, how did you get it in the last 30 days? (Mark all that apply)	Bought it at gas stations or convenience stores	15%	0%	19%	12%	75%	61%
	Bought it at bars or restaurants	8%	0%	4%	3%	6%	7%
	Bought it at grocery, discount, or drug stores	8%	0%	2%	3%	23%	23%
	Bought it at places like bowling alleys, video arcades, or pool halls	15%	0%	4%	3%	6%	4%
	Bought it from vending machines	15%	0%	8%	3%	1%	0%
	Bought it on the Internet *			2%	0%	1%	0%
	Got it from friends	31%	20%	54%	73%	42%	50%
	Got it from family members	15%	20%	10%	14%	3%	9%
	Got it by getting someone else to buy for me	23%	20%	33%	52%	15%	28%
	Took it from my home	8%	20%	27%	24%	8%	4%
	Took it from a friend's home	15%	0%	8%	5%	4%	2%
	Took it from stores	23%	0%	15%	8%	10%	6%

INCLUDES ONLY THOSE WHO BOUGHT TOBACCO IN THE LAST 30 DAYS		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
If you bought tobacco in the last 30 days, did you use a fake ID?	Yes	11%	0%	9%	10%	8%	3%
	No	89%	100%	91%	90%	92%	97%

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

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TABLE 31
ALCOHOL USE FREQUENCY AND QUANTITY
Clay 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	83%	89%	50%	43%	24%	26%
	1-2	11%	8%	16%	18%	7%	11%
	3-5	3%	1%	12%	14%	11%	13%
	6-9	1%	1%	7%	7%	6%	15%
	10-19	0%	1%	9%	9%	20%	14%
	20-39	0%	0%	4%	5%	10%	11%
	40+	1%	0%	3%	4%	21%	11%
On how many occasions (if any) have you had alcoholic beverages to drink during the last 30 days?	0	93%	97%	71%	62%	34%	43%
	1-2	4%	3%	16%	21%	26%	25%
	3-5	0%	0%	7%	10%	17%	15%
	6-9	1%	0%	2%	4%	13%	11%
	10-19	1%	0%	2%	2%	7%	6%
	20-39	0%	0%	1%	1%	3%	0%
	40+	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	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	89%	93%	55%	47%	23%	27%
	1 glass, can, or drink	8%	7%	21%	20%	8%	10%
	2 glasses, cans, or drinks	0%	0%	6%	8%	5%	8%
	3 glasses, cans, or drinks	0%	0%	5%	7%	6%	12%
	4 glasses, cans, or drinks	1%	0%	3%	7%	8%	13%
	5 glasses, cans, or drinks	0%	0%	2%	2%	9%	15%
	6 or more glasses, cans, or drinks	2%	0%	9%	8%	42%	15%
Over the last 2 weeks, how many times (if any) have you had five or more drinks in a row? *	Never			86%	80%	51%	69%
	Once			5%	9%	13%	17%
	Twice			5%	5%	18%	4%
	3 - 5 times			3%	4%	11%	9%
	6 - 9 times			2%	0%	4%	2%
	10 or more times			0%	2%	3%	0%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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TABLE 32
ACCESS TO ALCOHOL
Clay 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	6%	0%	2%	3%	4%	7%
	Bought it at stores	12%	0%	2%	5%	10%	10%
	Bought it on the Internet **			0%	1%	2%	0%
	Got it from friends	24%	13%	49%	65%	61%	69%
	Got it from family members	59%	50%	28%	19%	10%	5%
	Got it by getting someone else to buy for me	24%	13%	16%	31%	53%	51%
	Got it at parties	12%	13%	32%	53%	34%	52%
	Took it from my home	18%	13%	21%	32%	10%	5%
	Took it from a friend's home	18%	25%	14%	19%	11%	7%
	Took it from stores	6%	0%	4%	4%	6%	1%

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	4%	0%	2%	3%	10%	2%
	No	96%	100%	98%	97%	90%	98%

* In 1998, percentages were based on only recent alcohol users who cited a source. This year, percentages are based on all recent alcohol users, even if they skipped this question. This results in small decreases in many of the 2001 results. Therefore, these percentages are not comparable to previous survey results.

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

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TABLE 33
DRINKING AND DRIVING *
Clay 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	93%	90%	54%	59%
	Once	5%	6%	8%	13%
	Twice	2%	2%	9%	10%
	3 or more times	1%	2%	29%	18%
Do you ever ride with friends after they have been using alcohol or drugs?	No	71%	60%	41%	44%
	Yes, but rarely	16%	25%	28%	37%
	Yes, often	7%	6%	29%	17%
	None of my friends use alcohol or other drugs	6%	9%	2%	1%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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TABLE 34
MARIJUANA, INHALANTS, AND PRESCRIPTION DRUGS
Clay County

<i>On how many occasions (if any) have you ...</i>		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	96%	100%	80%	79%	50%	62%
	1-2	1%	0%	5%	4%	8%	10%
	3-5	0%	0%	2%	2%	7%	6%
	6-9	0%	0%	1%	4%	7%	3%
	10-19	0%	0%	2%	3%	3%	6%
	20-39	1%	0%	4%	4%	3%	4%
	40+	1%	0%	6%	5%	23%	10%
... used marijuana (grass, pot) or hashish (hash, hash oil) during the last 30 days?	0	98%	99%	85%	83%	59%	74%
	1-2	0%	0%	6%	6%	11%	10%
	3-5	0%	0%	2%	4%	4%	6%
	6-9	0%	0%	3%	2%	4%	3%
	10-19	0%	0%	2%	2%	9%	3%
	20-39	0%	0%	1%	2%	4%	3%
	40+	1%	0%	1%	0%	8%	1%
... sniffed glue or inhaled any other gases or sprays in order to get high during the last 12 months? *	0	97%	99%	95%	93%	96%	97%
	1-2	1%	1%	2%	4%	3%	3%
	3-5	0%	0%	1%	2%	1%	0%
	6-9	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%
	10-19	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
	20-39	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	40+	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
... taken other people's prescription drugs during the last 12 months? *	0	98%	100%	95%	88%	89%	92%
	1-2	0%	0%	3%	6%	6%	4%
	3-5	0%	0%	0%	3%	3%	3%
	6-9	0%	0%	1%	2%	0%	1%
	10-19	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%
	20-39	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
	40+	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	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 *
Clay 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	97%	88%	91%	91%
	1-2	2%	5%	3%	5%
	3-5	1%	4%	4%	2%
	6-9	0%	1%	1%	2%
	10-19	0%	2%	0%	1%
	20-39	0%	1%	1%	0%
	40+	0%	0%	1%	1%
... used methamphetamine (meth, speed, crank, crystal meth) by any method?	0	96%	96%	95%	95%
	1-2	2%	2%	1%	2%
	3-5	1%	1%	1%	1%
	6-9	1%	0%	1%	0%
	10-19	0%	0%	1%	1%
	20-39	0%	0%	0%	1%
	40+	0%	0%	1%	2%
... used "crack" (cocaine in chunk or rock form), or cocaine in any other form?	0	97%	96%	95%	94%
	1-2	1%	2%	3%	3%
	3-5	1%	1%	1%	2%
	6-9	0%	0%	1%	0%
	10-19	0%	0%	1%	1%
	20-39	0%	0%	1%	1%
	40+	0%	0%	0%	1%
... used MDMA ("ecstasy")?	0	97%	96%	93%	96%
	1-2	2%	3%	4%	2%
	3-5	0%	0%	1%	0%
	6-9	0%	1%	1%	1%
	10-19	0%	0%	1%	1%
	20-39	0%	0%	0%	0%
	40+	0%	0%	0%	0%

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

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TABLE 36
HALLUCINOGENS, OPIATES, AND TRANQUILIZERS *
Clay 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	97%	98%	92%	98%
	1-2	1%	1%	3%	2%
	3-5	0%	0%	3%	0%
	6-9	2%	0%	2%	0%
	10-19	0%	0%	0%	1%
... used heroin or any other narcotics or opiates?	0	98%	98%	95%	99%
	1-2	1%	1%	1%	1%
	3-5	0%	0%	3%	0%
	6-9	0%	0%	1%	0%
	10-19	0%	0%	0%	0%
	20-39	0%	0%	0%	0%
	40+	0%	0%	0%	0%
... taken barbiturates or tranquilizers without a doctor telling you to take them?	0	98%	96%	96%	96%
	1-2	2%	2%	3%	2%
	3-5	0%	0%	1%	1%
	6-9	0%	1%	0%	1%
	10-19	0%	0%	1%	1%
	20-39	0%	0%	1%	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 *
Clay 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	69%	52%	69%	51%
	Bought them from people I don't know	18%	10%	12%	7%
	Bought them on the Internet	2%	2%	5%	2%
	Got them from friends	73%	83%	77%	89%
	Got them from family members	16%	10%	7%	5%
	Got them by getting someone else to buy for me	24%	19%	12%	25%
	Got them at parties	47%	58%	30%	52%
	Took them from my home	4%	8%	6%	2%
	Took them from a friend's home	10%	6%	10%	2%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

** In 1998, percentages were based on recent drug users. This year, 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 not directly comparable to 1998 results.

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TABLE 38
SUBSTANCE USE PATTERNS
Clay County

<i>Do you ever use alcohol or other drugs ...</i>		Grade					
		6th		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
...before school?	Yes	2%	0%	10%	9%	26%	12%
	No	98%	100%	90%	91%	74%	88%
...during school?	Yes	1%	0%	7%	9%	27%	12%
	No	99%	100%	93%	91%	73%	88%
...right after school?	Yes	3%	0%	12%	19%	40%	23%
	No	97%	100%	88%	81%	60%	77%

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TABLE 39
REASONS FOR SUBSTANCE USE *
Clay 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)	To relax	15%	14%	52%	28%
	To get high or smashed	17%	22%	45%	26%
	To have fun at parties	21%	29%	56%	54%
	To escape from school, family or personal problems	6%	14%	19%	20%
	Because my parents aren't around	5%	8%	12%	7%
	Because my friends do	8%	14%	23%	21%
	Because my parents do	2%	3%	3%	1%
	Because I like the taste	12%	20%	32%	24%
	Because I'm sad, lonely, or angry	3%	8%	8%	7%
	Because it's illegal	5%	9%	17%	9%
	Because of peer pressure	5%	9%	9%	6%

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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TABLE 40
REASONS FOR SUBSTANCE NON-USE *
Clay 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)	My friends don't use	68%	68%
	One or both of my parents would object	63%	67%
	I have no desire to use	72%	83%
	Use is against my principles or religious beliefs	29%	25%
	Alcohol and drugs are dangerous	68%	81%
	Alcohol and drug education at school	57%	60%
	Use could affect my performance in school, sports, or other activities	70%	81%

* 9th-12th grade survey did not ask this question.

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TABLE 41A
CONSEQUENCES OF SUBSTANCE USE *
Clay 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	90%	87%	77%	86%
	Yes	10%	13%	23%	14%
...have you tried to cut down on your alcohol or other drug use but couldn't?	No or no use	92%	90%	91%	92%
	Yes	8%	10%	9%	8%
...has alcohol or other drug use hurt your relationships with friends or family?	No or no use	94%	87%	86%	91%
	Yes	6%	13%	14%	9%
...how many times have you spent all or most of the day using alcohol or other drugs, or getting over their effects?	0 times or no use	82%	74%	60%	70%
	Once	9%	14%	12%	14%
	Twice	4%	3%	9%	7%
	3 or more times	5%	9%	18%	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	93%	88%	80%	88%
	Once	4%	4%	11%	5%
	Twice	2%	3%	2%	4%
	3 or more times	1%	5%	7%	4%
...how many times has alcohol or other drug use left you feeling depressed, agitated, paranoid, or unable to concentrate?	0 times or no use	93%	81%	81%	79%
	Once	4%	10%	7%	11%
	Twice	2%	3%	4%	3%
	3 or more times	2%	7%	8%	6%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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

Clay 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	93%	84%	81%	89%
	Once	3%	6%	7%	4%
	Twice	1%	2%	3%	2%
	3 or more times	3%	8%	9%	5%
...how many times have you missed work or school because of alcohol or other drug use?	0 times or no use	97%	91%	83%	88%
	Once	2%	4%	5%	6%
	Twice	2%	2%	4%	3%
	3 or more times	0%	3%	7%	3%
...how many times has alcohol or other drug use caused you problems with the law?	0 times or no use	95%	92%	85%	92%
	Once	4%	4%	8%	7%
	Twice	2%	2%	5%	1%
	3 or more times	0%	2%	2%	1%
...how many times have you hit someone or become violent while using alcohol or other drugs?	0 times or no use	96%	95%	86%	96%
	Once	2%	2%	6%	3%
	Twice	2%	2%	2%	0%
	3 or more times	0%	2%	6%	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	84%	75%	65%	69%
	Once	7%	13%	12%	16%
	Twice	4%	5%	10%	8%
	3 or more times	5%	8%	13%	8%
...how many times have you used more alcohol or other drugs than you intended to?	0 times or no use	89%	73%	69%	67%
	Once	6%	11%	12%	14%
	Twice	2%	6%	9%	10%
	3 or more times	3%	10%	10%	9%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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**TABLE 42A
SEXUAL BEHAVIOR ***

Clay County

		Grade			
		9th		12th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%
Have you ever had sexual intercourse ("gone all the way")?	No	77%	79%	47%	46%
	Yes, once or twice	13%	9%	12%	4%
	Yes, 3 times or more	10%	12%	42%	50%
During the last 12 months, with how many different male partners have you had sexual intercourse?	None	96%	80%	97%	48%
	1 person	1%	9%	1%	28%
	2 persons	0%	5%	1%	9%
	3 persons	0%	3%	1%	8%
	4 persons	0%	0%	0%	4%
	5 persons	0%	0%	1%	1%
	6 or more persons	2%	2%	1%	3%
During the last 12 months, with how many different female partners have you had sexual intercourse?	None	79%	98%	48%	98%
	1 person	9%	1%	25%	1%
	2 persons	4%	0%	11%	0%
	3 persons	0%	0%	6%	1%
	4 persons	2%	0%	4%	0%
	5 persons	1%	0%	2%	0%
	6 or more persons	5%	0%	4%	1%
How many times have you been pregnant or gotten someone pregnant?	0 times	94%	99%	97%	96%
	1 time	2%	1%	1%	2%
	2 or more times	2%	0%	2%	1%
	Not sure	2%	0%	1%	1%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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**TABLE 42B
SEXUAL BEHAVIOR ***

Clay 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	52%	23%	40%	27%
	Not with every partner	14%	17%	13%	13%
	At least once with every partner	35%	60%	48%	60%
Have you talked with partner(s) about preventing pregnancy? **	Never	53%	13%	31%	18%
	Not with every partner	12%	27%	14%	14%
	At least once with every partner	35%	60%	55%	68%
If you have sexual intercourse, how often do you and/or your partner use any birth control method?	Never	32%	32%	8%	6%
	Rarely	12%	6%	4%	2%
	Sometimes	11%	8%	11%	3%
	Usually	16%	10%	14%	18%
	Always	30%	44%	63%	71%
If you have sexual intercourse, how often is a condom used?	Never	22%	20%	14%	22%
	Rarely	13%	4%	9%	9%
	Sometimes	8%	4%	19%	13%
	Usually	5%	18%	17%	21%
	Always	52%	55%	41%	35%
The last time you had sexual intercourse, did you or your partner use a condom?	Yes	58%	70%	53%	49%
	No	42%	30%	47%	51%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

** In 1998, the percentages for these questions included sexually inactive students who responded to the question. This year, the percentages include only sexually active students. Accordingly, the results for these questions are not directly comparable to previous survey results.

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TABLE 43
REASONS FOR SEXUAL ABSTINENCE *
Clay 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)	One or both of my parents would object	51%	61%	31%	42%
	I don't want to have sex	16%	49%	19%	50%
	Most students in my school don't have sex	17%	7%	3%	2%
	My friends don't have sex	27%	33%	8%	11%
	I don't think it's right for a person my age to have sex	40%	68%	28%	38%
	I'm afraid of getting caught	25%	27%	5%	14%
	My religious or spiritual beliefs	29%	37%	32%	47%
	Sex education at school has shown me the advantages of waiting until I'm older	23%	33%	17%	25%
	I don't want to get a sexually transmitted disease	53%	72%	53%	56%
	Fear of pregnancy **	42%	75%	49%	68%
	My parents taught me the advantages of waiting until I'm older	28%	49%	23%	40%
	I have chosen to wait until I'm married	32%	52%	39%	44%

* 6th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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