

2020 Florida Youth Substance Abuse Survey

St. Johns County Data Tables

Table 1. Major demographic characteristics of surveyed St. Johns County and Florida Statewide youth, 2020

	St. Johns County		Florida Statewide	
	N	%	N	%
Sex				
Female	789	50.7	25,191	48.4
Male	738	47.4	26,328	50.5
Race/Ethnic group				
African American	67	4.3	11,284	21.7
American Indian	32	2.1	491	0.9
Asian	72	4.6	671	1.3
Hispanic/Latino	104	6.7	11,091	21.3
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	3	0.2	68	0.1
Other/Multiple	309	19.9	7,227	13.9
White, non-Hispanic	950	61.1	20,904	40.1
Age				
10	0	0.0	44	0.1
11	126	8.1	3,151	6.0
12	256	16.5	7,124	13.7
13	288	18.5	7,698	14.8
14	220	14.1	7,616	14.6
15	228	14.7	7,582	14.6
16	208	13.4	7,502	14.4
17	176	11.3	7,073	13.6
18	51	3.3	3,807	7.3
19 or older	1	0.1	394	0.8
Grade				
6th	264	17.0	7,718	14.8
7th	290	18.6	7,555	14.5
8th	229	14.7	7,632	14.6
9th	205	13.2	7,668	14.7
10th	240	15.4	7,481	14.4
11th	216	13.9	7,117	13.7
12th	112	7.2	6,923	13.3
Overall Middle School	783	50.3	22,904	44.0
Overall High School	773	49.7	29,189	56.0
Total	1,556	100.0	52,093	100.0

Note: Some categories do not sum to 100% of the total due to missing values (e.g., not all survey questions were answered). In addition, rounding can produce totals that do not equal 100%. "N" represents the number of valid cases. In this table, county data are unweighted while statewide data are weighted.

Table 2. Percentages of St. Johns County and Florida Statewide youth who reported having used various drugs in their lifetimes, 2020

	St. Johns County							Florida Statewide						
	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total
Alcohol	23.9	54.7	44.2	38.7	25.9	56.3	41.3	23.0	44.9	38.3	32.5	24.4	44.8	35.3
Blacking Out	--	23.4	23.5	22.6	--	21.3	--	--	13.8	14.2	13.3	--	13.4	--
Cigarettes	3.8	13.3	9.1	9.1	4.2	13.5	9.2	6.1	11.3	8.5	9.6	6.2	11.1	9.0
Vaping Nicotine	11.2	42.1	32.0	26.2	13.7	42.6	28.8	13.5	30.0	24.9	20.8	14.8	30.1	22.8
Vaping Marijuana	4.7	27.6	18.6	16.8	7.1	27.4	17.8	6.8	22.2	16.6	14.5	7.5	22.3	15.5
Marijuana or Hashish	5.4	34.5	22.7	21.4	8.0	35.0	22.0	8.2	29.2	21.0	19.2	9.3	29.2	20.1
Synthetic Marijuana	--	4.4	4.9	4.0	--	4.5	--	--	2.9	2.9	2.9	--	2.8	--
Inhalants	8.8	6.1	8.2	5.9	8.8	6.0	7.2	8.3	5.1	7.7	5.2	8.1	5.0	6.5
Club Drugs	0.7	2.5	2.1	1.4	1.3	2.5	1.7	0.7	2.1	1.3	1.8	0.7	2.1	1.5
LSD, PCP or Mushrooms	0.7	7.0	4.1	4.5	1.3	7.3	4.2	1.1	4.3	2.5	3.4	1.1	4.3	2.9
Methamphetamine	0.4	0.9	0.6	0.8	0.6	0.9	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.6	0.9	0.6	0.9	0.8
Cocaine or Crack Cocaine	0.4	1.6	1.1	1.1	0.6	1.5	1.1	0.9	1.7	1.3	1.4	0.8	1.6	1.3
Heroin	0.3	0.9	0.2	0.8	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.4	0.6	0.4	0.6	0.5
Prescription Depressants	1.4	7.3	5.2	4.2	2.5	7.2	4.7	2.2	4.9	4.2	3.2	2.4	4.9	3.7
Prescription Pain Relievers	2.3	5.3	3.8	4.3	2.7	5.4	4.0	2.9	3.2	3.7	2.5	2.9	3.1	3.1
Prescription Amphetamines	1.9	9.7	6.2	6.4	2.8	9.1	6.2	2.1	4.5	3.7	3.2	2.3	4.4	3.4
Over-the-Counter Drugs	2.3	5.9	3.8	4.8	3.0	6.2	4.3	3.0	4.3	3.9	3.5	3.0	4.3	3.7
Needle to Inject Illegal Drugs	--	1.1	0.4	1.3	--	0.9	--	--	0.7	0.6	0.9	--	0.8	--
Any illicit drug	15.6	40.7	32.3	27.3	18.1	41.4	29.8	18.7	35.7	31.0	25.6	19.7	35.5	28.3
Any illicit drug other than marijuana	12.5	21.5	19.5	15.4	13.7	21.0	17.6	13.2	15.2	15.9	12.7	13.2	15.0	14.3
Alcohol only	13.7	19.1	16.8	16.7	13.8	19.7	16.7	11.9	17.1	15.3	14.3	12.5	17.1	14.8
Alcohol or any illicit drug	29.2	59.5	49.1	43.6	31.7	61.0	46.4	30.4	52.4	46.1	39.6	32.0	52.2	42.8
Any illicit drug, but no alcohol	5.2	5.1	5.0	5.0	5.8	5.1	5.2	7.5	7.7	7.9	7.3	7.7	7.5	7.6

Note: The first 18 data rows show results for alcohol, cigarettes, and other drugs. The last five data rows show results for various combinations of drugs. For "Blacking Out," respondents were asked on how many occasions in their lifetime they woke up after a night of drinking and did not remember the things they did or the places they went. Ecstasy, Rohypnol, GHB and ketamine are provided as examples in the question about club drugs. The symbol "--" indicates that data are not available.

Table 3. Percentages of St. Johns County and Florida Statewide youth who reported having used various drugs in the past 30 days, 2020

	St. Johns County							Florida Statewide						
	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total
Alcohol	7.6	30.6	22.2	18.9	10.6	28.9	20.6	8.2	19.9	15.9	13.7	8.7	19.7	14.8
Binge Drinking	2.5	15.2	10.7	8.7	3.5	15.3	9.7	3.4	9.2	6.8	6.4	3.6	8.9	6.7
Cigarettes	0.7	3.3	1.7	2.3	0.9	3.3	2.2	1.1	2.4	1.4	2.1	1.1	2.3	1.8
Vaping Nicotine	6.2	24.8	18.8	14.9	8.3	24.3	16.9	5.8	15.6	12.3	10.4	6.5	15.6	11.4
Vaping Marijuana	2.8	13.5	9.6	8.0	4.5	12.8	8.9	3.0	10.6	7.3	7.3	3.4	10.6	7.3
Marijuana or Hashish	2.5	18.3	11.8	11.2	4.6	17.9	11.5	3.8	15.9	10.6	10.7	4.4	15.8	10.7
Synthetic Marijuana	--	1.4	0.8	1.9	--	1.7	--	--	0.9	0.8	1.0	--	0.9	--
Inhalants	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.7	2.3	1.1	1.6	2.8	1.2	2.4	1.4	2.6	1.2	1.9
Club Drugs	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.6	0.4	0.6	0.3	0.7	0.5
LSD, PCP or Mushrooms	0.3	1.9	1.7	0.7	0.5	2.2	1.2	0.4	1.3	0.7	1.2	0.4	1.4	0.9
Methamphetamine	0.1	0.4	0.0	0.6	0.1	0.6	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.5	0.4
Cocaine or Crack Cocaine	0.3	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.0	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.6	0.4
Heroin	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.2
Prescription Depressants	0.7	1.9	1.6	1.1	1.1	1.5	1.3	0.8	1.2	1.0	1.0	0.8	1.3	1.0
Prescription Pain Relievers	1.4	1.4	1.2	1.7	1.6	1.1	1.4	1.2	1.0	1.3	0.8	1.2	1.0	1.1
Prescription Amphetamines	0.7	3.3	2.4	2.0	1.4	2.9	2.1	0.8	1.3	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.2	1.1
Over-the-Counter Drugs	1.0	0.9	1.0	0.9	1.0	1.0	0.9	1.4	1.3	1.4	1.2	1.4	1.3	1.3
Any illicit drug	6.1	23.1	16.5	15.0	8.4	22.7	15.7	8.8	19.5	15.5	14.1	9.2	19.4	14.8
Any illicit drug other than marijuana	4.1	8.5	7.7	5.7	5.1	8.4	6.6	5.7	5.4	6.0	5.0	5.5	5.5	5.5
Alcohol only	4.4	14.8	11.3	9.1	6.2	13.8	10.3	4.9	10.0	8.6	7.0	5.1	9.9	7.7
Alcohol or any illicit drug	10.3	37.6	27.6	23.8	14.3	36.3	25.7	13.6	29.1	23.9	20.8	14.2	29.0	22.3
Any illicit drug, but no alcohol	2.7	7.3	5.5	5.1	3.7	7.7	5.3	5.5	9.4	8.1	7.2	5.6	9.5	7.7

Note: The first 17 data rows show results for alcohol, cigarettes, and other drugs. The last five data rows show results for various combinations of drugs. Binge drinking is defined as having had five or more alcoholic drinks in a row in the past two weeks. Ecstasy, Rohypnol, GHB and ketamine are provided as examples in the question about club drugs. The symbol "--" indicates that data are not available.

Table 4. Lifetime trend in alcohol, tobacco and other drug use for St. Johns County, 2010 to 2020

	2010			2012			2014			2016			2018			2020		
	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total
Alcohol	29.3	64.8	49.7	26.2	63.0	47.3	21.9	57.4	42.2	19.0	54.2	39.2	19.5	53.9	38.7	23.9	54.7	41.3
Blacking Out	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	18.9	--	--	20.2	--	--	19.7	--	--	23.4	--
Cigarettes	12.6	33.4	24.5	9.8	30.8	21.8	6.2	21.3	14.9	5.2	18.0	12.5	3.5	13.4	9.0	3.8	13.3	9.2
Vaping Nicotine	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	11.2	42.1	28.8
Vaping Marijuana	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	4.7	27.6	17.8
Vaporizer / E-Cigarette	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	10.8	35.5	24.8	15.0	44.8	31.7	--	--	--
Marijuana or Hashish	8.3	37.6	25.2	7.2	35.6	23.6	6.5	29.6	19.7	5.4	31.6	20.3	5.8	30.8	19.7	5.4	34.5	22.0
Synthetic Marijuana	--	--	--	--	16.6	--	--	8.8	--	--	4.0	--	--	3.0	--	--	4.4	--
Inhalants	9.3	8.5	8.8	10.7	5.5	7.7	7.1	5.3	6.1	6.0	3.5	4.6	7.3	2.0	4.3	8.8	6.1	7.2
Club Drugs	1.2	4.8	3.3	0.8	4.7	3.1	1.6	3.2	2.5	0.3	3.1	1.9	0.6	2.3	1.6	0.7	2.5	1.7
LSD, PCP or Mushrooms	1.9	8.2	5.5	1.6	6.4	4.4	1.7	4.8	3.5	0.8	5.0	3.2	0.8	6.7	4.1	0.7	7.0	4.2
Methamphetamine	1.2	2.4	1.9	1.3	1.2	1.2	0.4	1.4	1.0	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.9	0.7
Cocaine or Crack	1.9	3.9	3.1	1.2	2.7	2.1	0.6	2.7	1.8	0.9	2.0	1.5	0.6	1.7	1.2	0.4	1.6	1.1
Heroin	0.8	1.8	1.3	0.4	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.9	0.6
Prescription Depressants	2.6	10.2	7.0	2.5	9.7	6.7	1.9	5.9	4.2	1.4	5.4	3.7	1.8	6.5	4.4	1.4	7.3	4.7
Prescription Pain Relievers	3.9	12.7	9.0	5.2	11.1	8.6	3.7	6.6	5.3	3.3	5.8	4.7	1.9	3.7	2.9	2.3	5.3	4.0
Prescription Amphetamines	0.8	9.4	5.7	0.7	10.3	6.2	1.2	5.8	3.9	1.1	6.6	4.2	1.3	6.3	4.1	1.9	9.7	6.2
Over-the-Counter Drugs	2.9	9.0	6.4	4.0	6.4	5.4	3.4	6.4	5.1	3.4	4.9	4.3	3.3	4.9	4.2	2.3	5.9	4.3
Needle to Inject Drugs	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	0.5	--	--	0.4	--	--	1.1	--
Any illicit drug	17.4	43.6	32.4	19.3	41.6	32.1	15.4	36.2	27.3	13.5	34.7	25.6	14.3	34.1	25.4	15.6	40.7	29.8
Any illicit drug other than marijuana	13.6	26.8	21.2	16.7	23.9	20.8	12.3	19.1	16.2	10.6	16.5	14.0	11.3	16.7	14.3	12.5	21.5	17.6
Alcohol only	16.4	23.8	20.7	13.6	23.9	19.5	13.4	25.2	20.1	10.6	23.8	18.2	11.4	23.0	17.9	13.7	19.1	16.7
Alcohol or any illicit drug	33.8	67.4	53.1	32.9	65.5	51.6	28.7	61.2	47.3	23.9	58.5	43.6	25.6	56.9	43.1	29.2	59.5	46.4
Any illicit drug, but no alcohol	4.8	2.7	3.6	6.8	2.5	4.3	6.8	3.7	5.0	5.3	4.3	4.7	6.3	3.3	4.6	5.2	5.1	5.2

Note: The first 19 data rows show results for alcohol, cigarettes, and other drugs. The last five data rows show results for various combinations of drugs. For "Blacking Out," respondents were asked on how many occasions in their lifetime they woke up after a night of drinking and did not remember the things they did or the places they went. Ecstasy, Rohypnol, GHB and ketamine are provided as examples in the question about club drugs. In 2020, the vaping/e-cigarette item was replaced with separate questions about vaping nicotine and vaping marijuana. The symbol "--" indicates that data are not available.

Table 5. Past-30-day trend in alcohol, tobacco and other drug use for St. Johns County, 2010 to 2020

	2010			2012			2014			2016			2018			2020		
	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total
Alcohol	13.7	40.9	29.4	10.4	36.9	25.6	7.7	27.9	19.2	8.1	28.3	19.7	7.2	26.2	17.8	7.6	30.6	20.6
Binge Drinking	4.4	23.2	15.2	3.6	18.3	12.1	2.3	9.5	6.4	2.1	10.5	6.9	2.2	12.2	7.9	2.5	15.2	9.7
Cigarettes	5.1	14.2	10.3	2.3	11.2	7.4	1.1	5.4	3.5	1.8	4.6	3.4	0.6	2.7	1.8	0.7	3.3	2.2
Vaping Nicotine	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	6.2	24.8	16.9
Vaping Marijuana	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2.8	13.5	8.9
Vaporizer / E-Cigarette	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	4.2	17.6	11.8	7.0	31.7	20.8	--	--	--
Marijuana or Hashish	4.9	21.8	14.6	3.0	19.4	12.5	2.8	15.2	9.9	2.5	18.7	11.7	3.4	18.5	11.8	2.5	18.3	11.5
Synthetic Marijuana	--	--	--	--	3.5	--	--	1.3	--	--	0.8	--	--	0.6	--	--	1.4	--
Inhalants	3.1	1.2	2.0	4.9	1.1	2.7	1.5	1.4	1.4	2.3	0.1	1.1	2.2	0.7	1.4	1.7	1.6	1.6
Club Drugs	0.4	2.3	1.5	0.1	1.2	0.7	0.3	0.8	0.6	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.4	0.3
LSD, PCP or Mushrooms	0.7	3.2	2.2	0.5	2.2	1.5	0.6	1.6	1.2	0.4	0.7	0.6	0.3	1.2	0.8	0.3	1.9	1.2
Methamphetamine	0.7	1.2	1.0	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.1	0.6	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.4	0.3
Cocaine or Crack	0.6	1.3	1.0	0.5	0.9	0.8	0.1	1.2	0.7	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.6	0.4	0.3	0.0	0.2
Heroin	0.3	1.1	0.8	0.1	0.5	0.3	0.1	0.4	0.3	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.1
Prescription Depressants	0.9	3.1	2.2	0.9	4.2	2.8	0.3	2.1	1.3	0.6	1.7	1.2	0.6	1.2	0.9	0.7	1.9	1.3
Prescription Pain Relievers	1.2	4.6	3.2	1.1	4.1	2.8	1.5	2.2	1.9	0.9	1.4	1.2	0.8	0.6	0.7	1.4	1.4	1.4
Prescription Amphetamines	0.4	3.7	2.3	0.0	3.8	2.2	0.3	1.2	0.8	0.5	2.1	1.4	0.2	1.3	0.8	0.7	3.3	2.1
Over-the-Counter Drugs	1.5	3.5	2.6	1.3	2.0	1.7	1.1	2.1	1.7	1.2	1.5	1.4	1.3	1.5	1.4	1.0	0.9	0.9
Any illicit drug	9.0	24.7	18.0	8.8	24.0	17.6	6.2	18.8	13.4	6.2	20.1	14.1	6.8	21.1	14.8	6.1	23.1	15.7
Any illicit drug other than marijuana	6.5	11.4	9.3	7.3	11.8	9.9	3.9	7.3	5.9	4.6	5.7	5.2	4.9	5.7	5.4	4.1	8.5	6.6
Alcohol only	8.5	19.8	15.0	5.9	18.2	13.0	5.0	17.0	11.9	5.1	14.1	10.3	4.1	12.5	8.8	4.4	14.8	10.3
Alcohol or any illicit drug	17.4	44.3	32.8	14.7	42.1	30.4	11.1	35.5	25.1	11.3	34.2	24.3	10.9	33.4	23.5	10.3	37.6	25.7
Any illicit drug, but no alcohol	4.0	3.6	3.7	4.5	5.6	5.1	3.2	7.6	5.7	3.4	5.9	4.8	3.8	7.3	5.7	2.7	7.3	5.3

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Table 6. Percentages of St. Johns County and Florida Statewide youth who reported early ATOD use, perceived risk of harm, personal disapproval, and peer disapproval, 2020

	St. Johns County							Florida Statewide						
	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total
Early ATOD use														
More than a sip of alcohol	--	17.0	15.4	18.3	--	16.6	--	--	15.9	16.4	15.4	--	15.3	--
Drinking at least once a month	--	2.8	2.0	3.2	--	2.4	--	--	2.7	2.9	2.5	--	2.5	--
Smoke cigarettes	--	6.5	5.7	6.8	--	6.4	--	--	5.9	5.6	6.2	--	5.8	--
Smoke marijuana	--	11.5	9.8	12.8	--	10.6	--	--	8.2	7.6	8.8	--	7.9	--
Great risk of harm														
1 or 2 drinks nearly every day	58.7	41.1	50.1	46.3	56.3	40.3	48.5	49.1	43.1	48.4	43.1	48.3	43.7	45.7
5+ drinks once or twice a week	71.9	55.1	63.7	60.8	71.5	53.9	62.3	61.1	54.2	60.4	54.1	60.6	54.6	57.2
1+ packs of cigarettes per day	78.0	68.2	73.4	72.0	76.3	69.0	72.4	65.4	66.3	67.3	64.5	65.6	66.5	65.9
Vaping nicotine	58.7	35.6	48.9	41.9	55.9	36.0	45.5	50.4	40.5	46.7	43.1	49.3	40.7	44.8
Vaping marijuana	62.9	35.6	48.7	45.6	59.5	34.4	47.1	52.6	35.1	44.1	41.5	50.8	35.5	42.8
Marijuana once or twice a week	61.7	24.1	40.0	39.9	56.9	23.0	40.1	46.8	22.9	34.1	32.8	44.7	23.2	33.4
Try marijuana once or twice	34.9	12.7	22.2	22.4	32.1	12.0	22.2	32.3	16.0	22.7	23.6	30.7	16.2	23.1
Use prescription drugs	76.8	70.6	74.0	72.3	75.2	71.8	73.2	68.5	66.8	69.4	65.8	68.6	66.9	67.6
Think it would be wrong to...														
Smoke cigarettes	98.1	88.8	92.0	93.6	97.0	90.2	92.8	96.1	91.6	93.8	93.3	95.9	92.3	93.5
Drink alcohol regularly	89.9	59.8	71.4	74.0	87.2	58.8	72.7	88.7	70.3	77.4	79.2	87.6	70.7	78.3
Smoke marijuana	94.2	58.9	73.2	74.9	90.6	57.8	74.1	89.4	63.2	73.9	75.4	87.6	63.6	74.6
Vape nicotine	93.4	71.1	78.8	82.4	91.1	71.2	80.7	90.2	79.9	83.7	85.0	89.5	80.5	84.4
Vape marijuana	94.9	68.9	78.8	81.3	91.6	68.7	80.1	91.6	75.0	81.7	82.8	90.6	75.3	82.2
Use other illicit drugs	98.9	94.7	95.4	97.8	98.6	94.8	96.5	97.5	93.5	95.9	94.6	97.4	93.6	95.3
Friends think it would be wrong to...														
1 or 2 drinks nearly every day	94.8	80.5	87.9	85.5	92.6	81.0	86.8	91.3	82.8	87.6	85.7	90.9	82.7	86.6
Smoke tobacco	96.0	84.1	89.4	89.3	95.5	83.2	89.3	94.4	88.8	92.1	90.6	94.1	89.2	91.3
Smoke marijuana	92.5	53.8	70.9	70.2	88.6	51.6	70.7	87.9	61.8	73.0	73.6	86.2	61.5	73.3
Vape nicotine	90.2	59.7	72.3	73.5	87.7	57.8	73.0	87.8	72.7	78.3	80.3	86.4	72.8	79.3
Vape marijuana	93.6	61.6	75.6	75.5	90.7	59.7	75.6	90.0	70.7	78.9	79.5	88.6	70.6	79.2
Use prescription drugs	96.1	90.9	93.7	92.7	95.4	90.5	93.2	95.2	91.5	93.7	92.6	94.9	91.3	93.1

Note: Early ATOD use is defined as the percentage of high school students who started using at age 13 or younger. The symbol "--" indicates that data are not available.

Table 7. Trends in early ATOD use and attitudes toward substance use for St. Johns County, 2010 to 2020

	2010			2012			2014			2016			2018			2020		
	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total
Early ATOD use																		
Try alcohol	--	25.7	--	--	19.7	--	--	14.9	--	--	16.9	--	--	15.5	--	--	17.0	--
Drink monthly	--	5.7	--	--	3.0	--	--	2.4	--	--	2.5	--	--	1.7	--	--	2.8	--
Smoke cigarettes	--	14.9	--	--	13.0	--	--	9.5	--	--	7.5	--	--	4.9	--	--	6.5	--
Smoke marijuana	--	12.6	--	--	8.8	--	--	8.5	--	--	8.4	--	--	6.9	--	--	11.5	--
Great risk of harm																		
Daily alcohol use	49.3	45.1	46.9	45.1	33.2	38.3	47.6	40.6	43.5	47.1	36.7	41.2	54.1	45.1	49.1	58.7	41.1	48.5
5+ drinks daily	--	--	--	--	--	--	63.9	52.2	57.2	62.7	49.7	55.3	67.9	56.8	61.7	71.9	55.1	62.3
Daily cigarette use	74.3	69.4	71.5	77.8	73.7	75.5	74.2	76.0	75.2	77.9	71.7	74.4	75.8	73.6	74.6	78.0	68.2	72.4
Vaping nicotine	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	58.7	35.6	45.5
Vaping marijuana	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	62.9	35.6	47.1
Marijuana weekly*	--	--	--	--	--	--	62.9	29.9	44.0	64.5	27.0	43.4	60.8	25.6	41.1	61.7	24.1	40.1
Try marijuana	41.6	17.7	27.8	44.7	17.6	29.2	40.4	14.6	25.6	44.0	15.7	27.9	37.0	12.2	23.1	34.9	12.7	22.2
Prescription drugs	--	--	--	--	69.7	69.7	75.7	76.0	75.9	76.2	69.2	72.2	74.4	71.0	72.5	76.8	70.6	73.2
Think it wrong																		
Smoke cigarettes	91.2	74.4	81.6	94.6	78.5	85.3	95.6	86.6	90.5	97.2	88.0	92.0	96.5	89.2	92.4	98.1	88.8	92.8
Drink regularly	86.5	55.6	68.8	90.4	56.0	70.6	93.2	64.7	77.0	92.5	63.6	76.1	91.8	61.5	74.8	89.9	59.8	72.7
Smoke marijuana	91.3	66.7	77.2	91.7	65.3	76.6	92.6	68.5	78.8	93.2	64.0	76.6	91.0	61.3	74.4	94.2	58.9	74.1
Vape nicotine	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	93.4	71.1	80.7
Vape marijuana	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	94.9	68.9	80.1
Other illicit drugs	97.0	92.8	94.6	96.9	94.5	95.5	98.0	94.5	96.0	98.3	94.0	95.9	98.9	93.4	95.8	98.9	94.7	96.5
Friends think it wrong																		
Daily alcohol use	--	--	--	--	--	--	92.5	80.9	85.9	93.6	81.7	86.9	92.5	81.7	86.4	94.8	80.5	86.8
Smoke tobacco	--	--	--	--	--	--	94.7	84.6	88.9	96.6	86.3	90.7	94.6	84.7	89.0	96.0	84.1	89.3
Smoke marijuana	--	--	--	--	--	--	92.0	63.8	75.8	91.3	60.6	73.9	89.2	57.1	71.2	92.5	53.8	70.7
Vape nicotine	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	90.2	59.7	73.0
Vape marijuana	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	93.6	61.6	75.6
Prescription drugs	--	--	--	--	--	--	97.1	94.1	95.4	96.2	90.8	93.1	96.9	90.4	93.3	96.1	90.9	93.2

Note: Early ATOD use is defined as the percentage of high school students who started using at age 13 or younger. The symbol "--" indicates that data are not available.

* In 2014, the description of marijuana use in the risk of harm question was changed from "regularly" to "once or twice a week." For these items, care should be exercised when comparing 2014 data to previous years.

Table 8. Among high school drinkers, usual source of alcohol within the past 30 days, St. Johns County and Florida Statewide youth, 2020

	St. Johns County							Florida Statewide						
	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>
Bought in a store	--	2.0	1.4	2.9	--	2.8	--	--	6.5	4.6	8.9	--	5.9	--
Bought in a restaurant, bar, or club	--	2.4	4.2	0.0	--	0.0	--	--	1.9	1.9	2.0	--	1.5	--
Bought at a public event	--	1.1	0.0	2.7	--	0.0	--	--	1.2	0.7	1.7	--	1.1	--
Someone bought it for me	--	22.8	24.8	19.1	--	20.5	--	--	13.8	12.9	15.0	--	13.5	--
Someone gave it to me	--	37.3	42.2	30.9	--	43.4	--	--	40.2	42.9	36.9	--	41.1	--
Took it from a store	--	0.3	0.0	0.6	--	0.4	--	--	1.6	0.8	2.5	--	1.7	--
Took it from a family member	--	16.1	17.1	15.5	--	12.6	--	--	15.8	17.6	13.7	--	16.3	--
Some other way	--	18.1	10.3	28.3	--	20.3	--	--	19.0	18.7	19.3	--	18.8	--

Note: The symbol "--" indicates that data are not available.

Table 9. Among high school drinkers, usual drinking location within the past 30 days, St. Johns County and Florida Statewide youth, 2020

	St. Johns County							Florida Statewide						
	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>
My home	--	35.1	32.4	40.3	--	27.2	--	--	42.7	44.1	40.8	--	43.3	--
Another person's home	--	53.4	58.5	46.5	--	62.1	--	--	35.2	37.2	33.0	--	35.4	--
Car or other vehicle	--	0.9	1.7	0.0	--	0.6	--	--	2.4	1.9	3.0	--	2.5	--
Restaurant, bar, or club	--	3.2	5.7	0.0	--	1.1	--	--	3.0	3.5	2.6	--	2.2	--
Public place	--	0.9	0.0	2.2	--	0.8	--	--	3.8	2.5	5.5	--	4.2	--
Public event	--	0.0	0.0	0.0	--	0.0	--	--	1.6	1.3	1.9	--	1.4	--
School property	--	0.0	0.0	0.0	--	0.0	--	--	1.2	1.0	1.4	--	1.2	--
Some other place	--	6.5	1.8	10.9	--	8.1	--	--	10.2	8.7	11.8	--	9.9	--

Note: The symbol "--" indicates that data are not available.

Table 10. Among high school drinkers, number of drinks usually consumed per day, on the days students drank in the past 30 days, St. Johns County and Florida Statewide youth, 2020

	St. Johns County							Florida Statewide						
	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>
1	--	23.5	26.9	20.3	--	23.6	--	--	31.9	34.7	28.6	--	32.9	--
2	--	20.1	18.4	20.2	--	17.7	--	--	21.8	24.0	19.2	--	21.1	--
3	--	15.2	14.6	15.0	--	14.8	--	--	16.1	15.5	16.7	--	16.2	--
4	--	13.0	15.0	11.0	--	14.5	--	--	9.5	9.5	9.3	--	9.2	--
5 or more	--	28.2	25.1	33.7	--	29.4	--	--	20.7	16.3	26.2	--	20.5	--

Note: The symbol "--" indicates that data are not available.

Table 11. Percentages of St. Johns County and Florida Statewide youth who reported drinking alcohol, smoking marijuana, or using another drug to get high before or during school in the past 12 months, 2020

	St. Johns County							Florida Statewide						
	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>
Drinking alcohol	2.0	6.0	5.6	3.1	3.2	5.6	4.3	4.0	6.1	5.9	4.4	4.2	6.1	5.2
Smoking marijuana	1.8	16.0	10.9	9.0	3.1	16.5	10.0	4.0	13.6	9.9	9.1	4.5	13.9	9.5
Using another drug to get high	1.5	5.4	4.1	3.2	2.6	4.9	3.8	2.6	4.2	3.8	3.2	2.8	4.2	3.5

Table 12. Percentages of St. Johns County and Florida Statewide youth who reported engaging in delinquent behavior within the past 12 months, 2020

	St. Johns County							Florida Statewide						
	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total
Carrying a handgun	5.4	5.1	2.3	8.1	5.4	5.3	5.2	6.2	6.0	3.6	8.6	6.0	5.9	6.1
Selling drugs	1.4	6.9	4.2	4.9	2.5	6.2	4.6	1.6	4.5	2.3	4.2	1.6	4.5	3.3
Attempting to steal a vehicle	0.4	0.9	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.9	0.7	1.3	1.6	1.1	1.8	1.3	1.5	1.5
Being arrested	0.7	1.0	0.8	1.0	0.9	1.0	0.9	2.2	2.3	1.8	2.7	2.1	2.3	2.3
Taking a handgun to school	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.4	0.7	0.4	0.8	0.5	0.6	0.6
Getting suspended	5.7	6.8	4.6	8.0	6.0	6.7	6.3	13.7	10.0	9.2	14.1	13.0	10.3	11.6
Attacking someone with intent to harm	5.6	3.8	3.2	5.9	5.4	4.0	4.5	8.3	5.5	5.8	7.6	7.8	5.6	6.7

Table 13. Trends in delinquent behaviors for St. Johns County, 2010 to 2020

	2010			2012			2014			2016			2018			2020		
	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Total</i>
Carrying a handgun	4.1	3.7	3.9	5.2	4.5	4.8	8.6	4.1	6.0	4.7	5.1	5.0	6.0	4.5	5.1	5.4	5.1	5.2
Selling drugs	1.6	9.9	6.4	2.4	8.7	6.0	1.2	5.1	3.4	1.5	5.8	3.9	0.9	6.2	3.9	1.4	6.9	4.6
Attempting to steal a vehicle	0.4	2.3	1.5	1.2	1.5	1.4	1.1	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.4	0.6	0.7	1.2	1.0	0.4	0.9	0.7
Being arrested	1.9	3.4	2.8	2.4	3.0	2.7	1.8	1.8	1.8	0.8	1.4	1.1	0.4	1.3	0.9	0.7	1.0	0.9
Taking a handgun to school	0.5	1.4	1.0	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.3	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.1
Getting suspended	9.8	10.4	10.2	7.1	7.9	7.6	7.0	6.4	6.6	7.7	4.8	6.0	6.3	6.1	6.2	5.7	6.8	6.3
Attacking someone with intent to harm	5.8	9.1	7.7	5.4	4.6	5.0	5.5	4.7	5.1	3.5	3.4	3.5	3.3	3.4	3.3	5.6	3.8	4.5

Table 14. Percentages of St. Johns County and Florida Statewide youth who reported symptoms of depression, 2020

	St. Johns County							Florida Statewide						
	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>
Sometimes I think that life is not worth it	23.8	33.1	37.5	20.2	25.0	34.1	29.1	29.9	31.4	39.5	21.9	29.9	31.7	30.7
At times I think I am no good at all	40.6	51.3	57.8	35.7	42.7	52.3	46.7	44.7	44.6	55.8	33.5	44.8	45.2	44.7
All in all, I am inclined to think that I am a failure	24.6	28.9	33.8	20.1	24.8	30.2	27.1	28.8	28.6	36.6	20.8	28.5	29.0	28.7
In the past year, have you felt depressed or sad MOST days, even if you felt OK sometimes?	33.7	46.3	51.9	29.7	35.3	47.5	40.9	44.5	47.6	57.0	35.5	44.6	48.0	46.2

Table 15. Percentages of St. Johns County and Florida Statewide youth who reported involvement in bullying behavior, 2020

	St. Johns County							Florida Statewide						
	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>
Skipped school because of bullying	7.0	11.3	14.3	4.7	7.9	10.5	9.4	8.8	9.7	13.3	5.4	8.8	9.8	9.3
Was ever kicked or shoved	40.3	26.7	29.2	35.6	39.1	26.9	32.6	39.8	24.8	30.7	31.9	38.8	24.8	31.4
Was ever taunted or teased	67.8	59.1	66.3	58.9	67.5	60.5	62.9	64.1	51.4	61.4	52.6	63.5	51.9	57.0
Was ever a victim of cyber bullying	26.0	35.7	41.7	21.2	27.4	36.0	31.5	25.7	29.0	35.0	20.4	26.1	29.2	27.5
Ever physically bullied others	19.0	10.6	11.9	16.4	17.3	10.7	14.1	22.4	12.5	14.2	19.3	21.3	12.6	16.8
Ever verbally bullied others	30.0	26.9	25.1	31.2	30.1	26.9	28.2	33.4	25.8	26.8	31.3	32.9	26.1	29.1
Ever cyber bullied others	10.8	13.2	13.7	10.8	10.7	13.6	12.2	11.2	12.4	12.3	11.5	11.4	12.4	11.9

Table 16. Percentages of St. Johns County and Florida Statewide high school youth who reported adverse childhood experiences (ACEs), 2020

	St. Johns County							Florida Statewide						
	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>
Emotional abuse	--	15.9	20.0	11.6	--	17.7	--	--	15.7	20.8	10.6	--	15.7	--
Physical abuse	--	9.8	9.0	10.6	--	10.3	--	--	10.5	11.9	9.1	--	10.5	--
Sexual abuse	--	5.1	7.5	2.5	--	5.6	--	--	5.5	8.7	2.2	--	5.7	--
Parents separated or divorced	--	29.0	31.9	25.8	--	29.2	--	--	40.1	43.1	37.1	--	40.6	--
Physical abuse in household	--	7.4	8.4	5.8	--	7.5	--	--	8.8	11.0	6.6	--	8.6	--
Substance abuse in household	--	25.4	31.4	19.3	--	24.7	--	--	26.8	30.3	23.1	--	26.5	--
Mental illness in household	--	37.4	47.6	27.5	--	38.3	--	--	30.5	38.0	22.8	--	30.6	--
Incarcerated household member	--	15.6	15.6	15.3	--	16.5	--	--	26.8	29.3	24.3	--	26.6	--
Emotional neglect	--	24.4	30.7	18.3	--	25.3	--	--	29.2	36.6	21.7	--	29.1	--
Physical neglect	--	7.4	7.8	7.0	--	8.5	--	--	7.4	8.7	6.1	--	7.2	--

Table 17. Number of adverse childhood experiences (ACEs) reported by St. Johns County and Florida Statewide high school youth, 2020

	St. Johns County							Florida Statewide						
	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total
No ACEs reported	--	38.1	30.6	45.3	--	37.8	--	--	32.1	25.8	38.4	--	31.7	--
1 ACE	--	20.6	19.0	22.3	--	19.3	--	--	21.0	20.0	22.1	--	21.4	--
2 ACEs	--	14.7	16.9	12.9	--	14.4	--	--	14.3	14.5	14.0	--	14.4	--
3 ACEs	--	8.1	10.7	5.6	--	9.3	--	--	10.9	12.1	9.8	--	10.8	--
4 ACEs	--	7.0	8.3	5.8	--	6.9	--	--	8.1	9.9	6.3	--	7.9	--
5 ACEs	--	4.0	5.9	2.0	--	4.6	--	--	5.7	6.9	4.5	--	5.8	--
6 ACEs	--	3.7	4.5	3.0	--	3.8	--	--	3.7	5.0	2.4	--	3.8	--
7 ACEs	--	1.4	1.1	1.2	--	1.4	--	--	2.1	2.8	1.2	--	2.0	--
8 ACEs	--	1.1	1.5	0.9	--	1.0	--	--	1.3	1.7	0.8	--	1.2	--
9 ACEs	--	0.9	1.2	0.7	--	1.0	--	--	0.6	0.9	0.2	--	0.6	--
10 ACEs	--	0.3	0.3	0.2	--	0.4	--	--	0.3	0.4	0.2	--	0.3	--

Note: Each respondent receives an ACEs score, which is the number of adverse childhood experiences he or she reported. This table shows the frequency distribution of the ACEs score across the sample. Percentages total to 100% down each column. Rounding can produce totals that do not equal 100%.

Table 18. Percentages of St. Johns County and Florida Statewide youth who “agree” or “strongly agree” with statements indicating impulsiveness or a lack of self-control, 2020

	St. Johns County							Florida Statewide						
	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>
I often do what brings me pleasure now	27.7	29.0	30.5	26.6	27.7	29.4	28.5	32.0	28.8	30.9	29.4	31.5	29.2	30.2
I'm more concerned with the short run	25.3	19.9	21.9	23.0	24.9	20.7	22.2	28.1	23.1	26.8	23.8	27.6	23.1	25.3
Getting in trouble is exciting	21.2	32.3	28.6	26.2	21.8	34.1	27.6	27.5	28.2	29.1	26.6	27.6	28.8	27.9
Excitement is more important than security	21.4	26.6	23.3	25.8	21.1	28.2	24.4	25.1	23.9	23.3	25.5	25.0	24.3	24.4
People better stay away from me when I'm really angry	23.4	24.9	25.5	23.1	23.2	24.7	24.2	35.7	29.7	35.1	29.6	34.8	30.0	32.3
I get upset when I have a disagreement with someone	45.6	36.6	45.7	35.9	42.9	37.9	40.4	48.7	37.9	49.9	35.3	47.9	38.3	42.6

Note: The symbol “-” indicates that data are not available.

Table 19. Percentages of St. Johns County and Florida Statewide youth who reported participation in extracurricular activities, 2020

	St. Johns County							Florida Statewide						
	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>
School Sports	37.9	40.6	39.4	39.7	38.8	39.4	39.4	36.6	38.4	34.5	40.8	37.0	38.7	37.6
Organized Sports Outside of School	55.8	30.6	41.8	41.5	53.8	27.7	41.6	39.4	22.7	27.9	32.4	38.1	23.1	30.1
School Band	16.3	6.3	10.4	10.7	14.9	6.9	10.7	15.6	7.8	11.1	11.3	14.9	7.6	11.2
School Club(s)	25.4	41.4	40.4	28.7	26.8	42.4	34.4	22.7	31.5	35.3	20.2	23.0	31.8	27.6
Community Club(s)	10.9	13.7	15.6	9.7	10.5	14.5	12.5	8.6	12.8	13.8	8.3	8.7	12.5	11.0

Table 20. Percentages of high school students who reported *riding in* a vehicle within the past 30 days driven by someone who had been drinking alcohol or using marijuana, or *driving* a vehicle within the past 30 days after drinking alcohol or using marijuana, among St. Johns County and Florida Statewide youth, 2020

	St. Johns County							Florida Statewide						
	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total
<i>Riding in a vehicle</i>														
Alcohol	--	15.2	17.9	12.2	--	14.7	--	--	14.7	16.2	13.3	--	14.8	--
Marijuana	--	21.5	21.6	21.4	--	21.6	--	--	22.1	24.0	20.2	--	21.8	--
<i>Driving a vehicle</i>														
Alcohol	--	4.5	4.3	4.0	--	4.3	--	--	4.1	3.6	4.6	--	3.8	--
Marijuana	--	8.9	8.0	9.6	--	9.2	--	--	9.0	8.2	9.8	--	8.8	--

Note: The symbol "--" indicates that data are not available.

Table 21. Trends for high school students *riding in* a vehicle within the past 30 days driven by someone who had been drinking alcohol or using marijuana, or *driving* a vehicle within the past 30 days after drinking alcohol or using marijuana, for St. Johns County, 2012 and 2020

	2010			2012			2014			2016			2018			2020		
	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>Riding in a vehicle</i>																		
Alcohol	--	--	--	--	20.7	--	--	14.9	--	--	18.5	--	--	13.7	--	--	15.2	--
Marijuana	--	--	--	--	24.1	--	--	19.4	--	--	21.6	--	--	21.9	--	--	21.5	--
<i>Driving a vehicle</i>																		
Alcohol	--	--	--	--	10.2	--	--	4.8	--	--	4.7	--	--	5.0	--	--	4.5	--
Marijuana	--	--	--	--	12.4	--	--	7.9	--	--	8.7	--	--	9.7	--	--	8.9	--

Note: The symbol "--" indicates that data are not available.

Table 22. Protective factor prevalence rates for St. Johns County, Florida Statewide youth and the national normative database, 2020

Domain	Scale	St. Johns County		Florida Statewide		National Norms	
		<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>
Family	Family Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement	64	58	57	57	59	54
	Family Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	57	55	50	53	54	55
School	School Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement	58	65	51	60	57	60
	School Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	52	58	44	54	53	58
Peer and Individual	Religiosity	49	56	42	52	56	62
Average Prevalence Rate		56	58	49	55	56	58

Note: Because risk is associated with negative behavioral outcomes, it is better to have lower risk factor scale scores, not higher. Conversely, because protective factors are associated with better student behavioral outcomes, it is better to have protective factor scale scores with high values.

Table 23. Risk factor prevalence rates for St. Johns County, Florida Statewide youth and the national normative database, 2020

Domain	Scale	St. Johns County		Florida Statewide		National Norms	
		<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>
Community	Laws and Norms Favorable to Drug Use	29	32	41	32	42	42
	Perceived Availability of Drugs	31	27	34	20	45	45
	Perceived Availability of Handguns	22	31	23	31	25	42
Family	Poor Family Management	34	30	43	35	44	45
	Family Conflict	37	35	42	34	42	37
School	Poor Academic Performance	33	40	46	46	45	48
	Lack of Commitment to School	61	61	69	63	47	46
Peer and Individual	Favorable Attitudes toward Antisocial Behavior	49	43	49	38	40	46
	Favorable Attitudes toward ATOD Use	30	42	35	32	39	45
	Early Initiation of Drug Use	21	22	24	17	41	46
Average Prevalence Rate		35	36	41	35	41	44

Note: Because risk is associated with negative behavioral outcomes, it is better to have lower risk factor scale scores, not higher. Conversely, because protective factors are associated with better student behavioral outcomes, it is better to have protective factor scale scores with high values.

Table 24. Protective factor prevalence rate trends among middle school students for St. Johns County, 2010 to 2020

Domain	Scale	St. Johns County					
		2010	2012	2014	2016	2018	2020
Family	Family Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement	60	60	61	66	64	64
	Family Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	55	59	57	63	56	57
School	School Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement	42	57	57	60	58	58
	School Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	44	58	51	53	51	52
Peer and Individual	Religiosity	59	64	56	56	53	49
Average Prevalence Rate		52	60	56	60	56	56

Note: Because risk is associated with negative behavioral outcomes, it is better to have lower risk factor scale scores, not higher. Conversely, because protective factors are associated with better student behavioral outcomes, it is better to have protective factor scale scores with high values.

Table 25. Risk factor prevalence rate trends among middle school students for St. Johns County, 2010 to 2020

Domain	Scale	St. Johns County					
		2010	2012	2014	2016	2018	2020
Community	Laws and Norms Favorable to Drug Use	34	34	30	25	28	29
	Perceived Availability of Drugs	48	43	41	36	37	31
	Perceived Availability of Handguns	26	25	28	23	23	22
Family	Poor Family Management	41	39	39	34	36	34
	Family Conflict	36	32	36	33	34	37
School	Poor Academic Performance	34	34	35	37	34	33
	Lack of Commitment to School	58	48	58	55	61	61
Peer and Individual	Favorable Attitudes toward Antisocial Behavior	44	41	35	33	39	49
	Favorable Attitudes toward ATOD Use	33	27	27	25	31	30
	Early Initiation of Drug Use	27	24	19	17	20	21
Average Prevalence Rate		38	35	35	32	34	35

Note: Because risk is associated with negative behavioral outcomes, it is better to have lower risk factor scale scores, not higher. Conversely, because protective factors are associated with better student behavioral outcomes, it is better to have protective factor scale scores with high values.

Table 26. Protective factor prevalence rate trends among high school students for St. Johns County, 2010 to 2020

Domain	Scale	St. Johns County					
		2010	2012	2014	2016	2018	2020
Family	Family Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement	62	60	64	64	66	58
	Family Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	59	59	63	65	63	55
School	School Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement	58	62	65	67	70	65
	School Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	63	66	66	66	62	58
Peer and Individual	Religiosity	67	62	66	60	56	56
Average Prevalence Rate		62	62	65	64	63	58

Note: Because risk is associated with negative behavioral outcomes, it is better to have lower risk factor scale scores, not higher. Conversely, because protective factors are associated with better student behavioral outcomes, it is better to have protective factor scale scores with high values.

Table 27. Risk factor prevalence rate trends among high school students for St. Johns County, 2010 to 2020

Domain	Scale	St. Johns County					
		2010	2012	2014	2016	2018	2020
Community	Laws and Norms Favorable to Drug Use	34	30	29	27	26	32
	Perceived Availability of Drugs	36	36	27	24	31	27
	Perceived Availability of Handguns	32	30	37	35	36	31
Family	Poor Family Management	42	40	34	30	30	30
	Family Conflict	28	34	28	33	29	35
School	Poor Academic Performance	43	42	38	38	39	40
	Lack of Commitment to School	56	52	55	54	57	61
Peer and Individual	Favorable Attitudes toward Antisocial Behavior	42	39	34	39	37	43
	Favorable Attitudes toward ATOD Use	41	41	34	37	36	42
	Early Initiation of Drug Use	31	29	19	20	17	22
Average Prevalence Rate		39	37	34	34	34	36

Note: Because risk is associated with negative behavioral outcomes, it is better to have lower risk factor scale scores, not higher. Conversely, because protective factors are associated with better student behavioral outcomes, it is better to have protective factor scale scores with high values.