

YOUTH & PARENTS NEEDS ASSESSMENT 2022



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White Plains

White Plains, known for its parks, restaurants, and shopping sits in the heart of Westchester County. With a 2021 population of approximately 59,526, the City of White Plains is the 11th largest city in New York and the 672nd largest city in the United States. White Plains is the hub of recreation and business for Westchester County with the population swelling to 150,000 during the day as workers, shoppers, and visitors arrive by car, rail, bus, and plane.

According to the 2020 census, there are 12,000 school age children in White Plains. The demographic makeup of White Plains is: White: 59.95%, Hispanic: 17.33%, Black or African American: 11.85%, Asian: 8.02%, Other: 2.85%. Approximately 30.42% are high school graduates or less, 20.07% have attained some college, and 49.51% have an undergraduate or higher college degree. The poverty rate in White Plains is 8.4% with a wide range of 5.7% for Whites to 15% and 22% for African Americans and Hispanics respectively. In White Plains more than 57% of school age youth are on free and reduced lunch program. The City of White Plains is a city that invests in youth. Approximately, eight percent (8%) of the city's budget serves White Plains youth. Along with funding youth services through the City's Parks & Recreation, Library, and Community Center, this budget also supports a Youth Bureau. Community priority is also evidenced by the fact that the White Plains School District invests \$29,135 per student each year to provide quality education to all its youth. The City's voting public has adopted and passed the budget to support such investment by an overwhelming majority for the past ten years. Both the City and School District's commitment to youth is also demonstrated by the unique working relationship both entities have established to create and provide a seamless array of services and programs that give youth the opportunity to stay safe, learn and grow to become productive citizens of tomorrow. Youth priority is further evidenced by the establishment of new initiatives like, a) the Youth Court; b) the funding of a Community Education Facility with a cost of \$5,000,000; c) approval of a \$1.15 million capital project to create a dedicated teen center in the public library; and d) recognition as 100 Best Communities for Youth by the National League of Cities. White Plains is rich in, service organizations, groups, and religious organizations which work collaboratively within and across sectors to ensure the well-being of its most vulnerable youth. Youth organizations in White Plains provide more than 250,000 hours of positive youth development programming during the year. Additionally, White Plains High School offers more than 40 clubs, literary publications and performing arts groups, and 58 athletic teams to keep youth positively engaged after school. The City's Parks & Recreation Department has a wide array of programming for youth of all ages serving more than 11,000 youth annually with 660 acres of dedicated parks and playground space. The White Plains Public Library provides workshops, tutoring, reading, and computer activities for youth of all

ages and reaches out to the community to keep youth engaged. Youth in White Plains have several options available for safe spaces during after school hours.

Rapidly growing rates of new immigrants and pockets of low-income residents compounded by uncertain economic conditions and unemployment caused by the pandemic all have contributed to extreme trauma and stress.

White Plains Youth Bureau

Along with funding youth services through the City's Parks & Recreation, Library, and Community Center, The City of White Plains budget also supports a Youth Bureau. The Youth Bureau was established 53 years ago by the City to provide programs and services for all youth in White Plains. Today the Youth Bureau boasts a highly trained cadre of 16 full time staff and more than 100 part-time staff that work together to offer a comprehensive array of youth development programs. Under the guidance of the Mayor, Common Council, and the Youth Bureau's Executive Director and staff, the Youth Bureau has become the one-stop-shop for youth services in White Plains.

Starting out as a small agency focused on providing young people with jobs to a vibrant organization that provides cutting edge programming, the Youth Bureau has become known for its consistent positive outcomes for youth. The Youth Bureau is determined to represent, support and advocate for the young people of White Plains. Today the Youth Bureau is open 6 days a week – Monday through Saturday – from 9:00am to 8:00pm and provides a seamless transition for youth from home to school to after-school and back home with more than 40+ programs.

Youth & Parents Needs Assessment:

In 2022, the Westchester County Youth Bureau charged all Youth Bureaus in Westchester County with the task of conducting a Youth Needs Assessment to drive data informed programming. The White Plains Youth Bureau contracted Pahwa, LLC to conduct the needs assessment. Pahwa, LLC is operated by Dr. Bhavana Pahwa, PhD, who recently retired as the Deputy Director of the Youth Bureau after 18 years of service. Dr. Pahwa has extensive experience in research and evaluation, has published articles in peer reviewed journals, presented at National, State, and local conferences, and was also the recipient of the SAMHSA Service to Science Award.

It was decided that the needs assessment would focus on collecting data around the risk and protective factors impacting youth in White Plains. Similar needs assessments had been conducted in the past to fulfill grant requirements as well. Youth survey items covered basic demographic information, health & wellness, ATAOD use and attitudes, and out of school time activities. Youth surveys were formatted for online administration and were

administered during school hours to 8th, 10th, and 12th graders. The surveys were voluntary. In addition to surveys, 3 focus groups were held with youth from the Youth Bureau after school programs with a total of 45 youth in 8th – 12th grades.

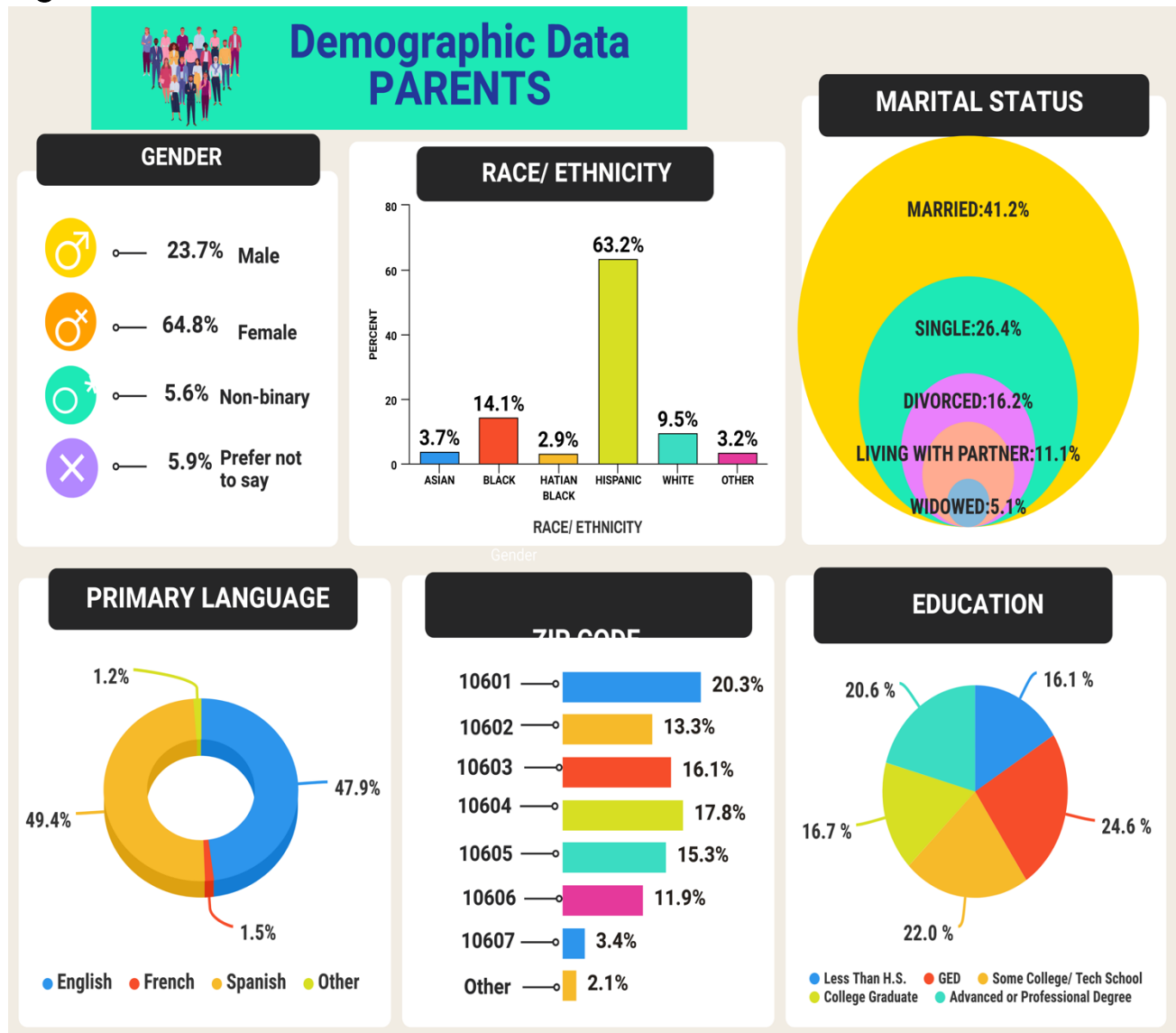
It was further decided that in addition to surveying youth, parents would also be surveyed to gain their perspective on youth needs in White Plains. The parent survey covered the same domains as the youth survey in addition to questions related to COVID, transportation, housing, technology. Two part-time staff were hired to distribute and administer the parent surveys at various locations in White Plains where adults would congregate – churches, health fairs, community fairs & events, community centers and after-school programs. The parent surveys were translated into Spanish to capture the data from the large Spanish speaking population in White Plains. Parent surveys were administered using printed paper surveys. The surveys were submitted for data processing to Bach-Harrison, Inc. Data was input and analyzed using the *Statistical Package for Social Sciences (SPSS)* software. Customized tables, analysis and report was prepared by Dr. Pahwa.

RESULTS: PARENT SURVEY

A total of 386 surveys were collected. Parents did not answer all questions in some instances rendering 30 surveys unusable. Finally, 356 surveys were analyzed. Data was analyzed only for those parents who answered the specific question seen as “valid response” in the frequency tables attached in Appendix 3.

Demographics:

Fig. 1



Parents with special needs children find it somewhat to very difficult finding services for their children (70.2% - Table 1). Forty six percent (46%) said their children participate in the school free and reduced lunch program.

Table 1

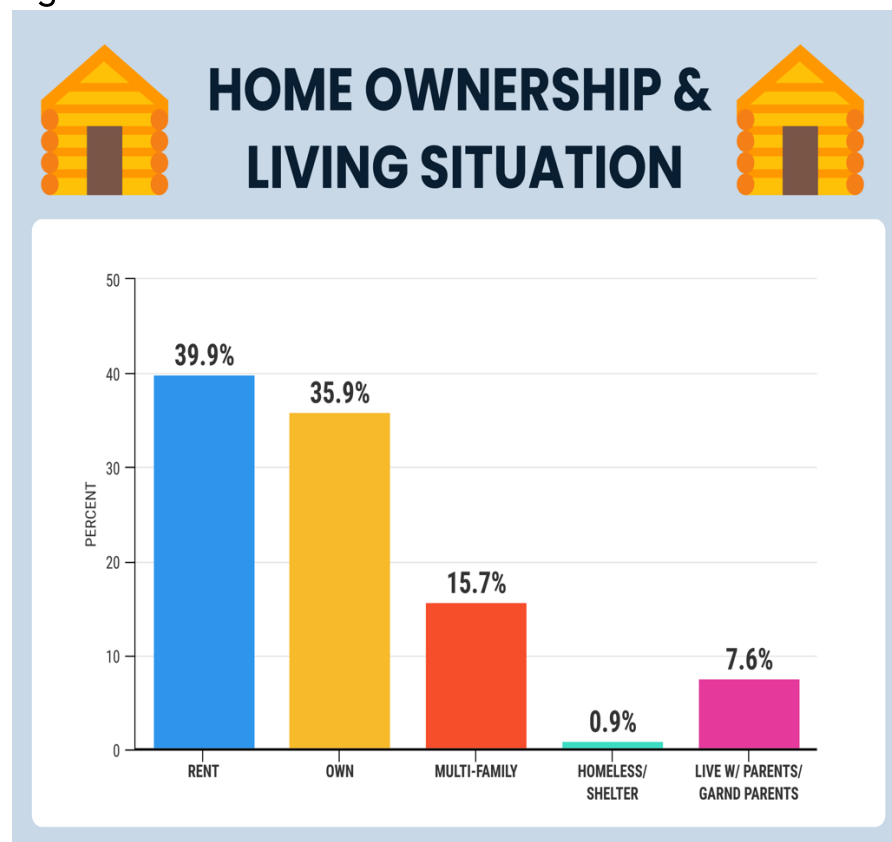
Difficulty Finding Services for Special Needs Child...

(Parents who responded as having a special needs child)

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Very difficult	14	29.8	29.8	29.8
	Somewhat difficult	19	40.4	40.4	70.2
	Not very difficult	10	21.3	21.3	91.5
	Not difficult at all	2	4.3	4.3	95.7
	I do not have a special needs child.	2	4.3	4.3	100.0
	Total	47	100.0	100.0	

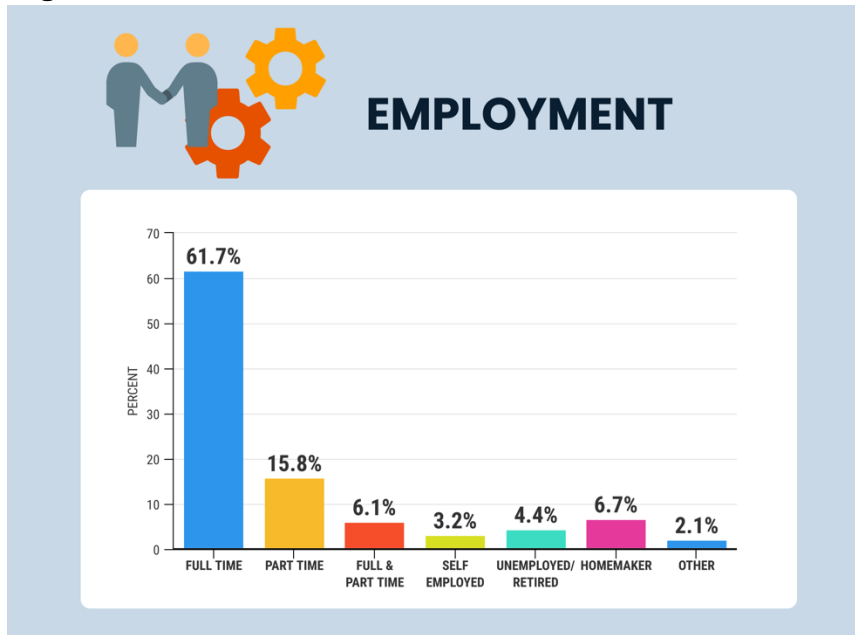
Forty five percent (45%) had tested positive for COVID-19 and 33.3% had been vaccinated, 20.2% had been vaccinated and had also received a booster shot.

Fig. 2



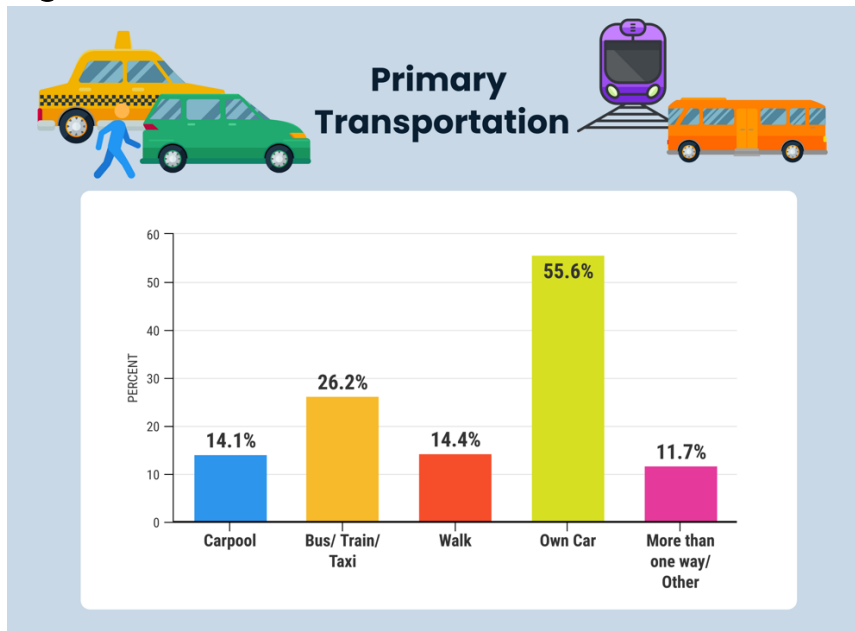
When asked about home ownership, almost 36% said they owned their home/ apartment, almost 40% said they rented their apartment/ home, and 23.3% said they lived in multifamily homes or with their parents/ grandparents. The majority parents surveyed had up to 4 people living the home – 71% and 29% had more than 5 people in the home.

Fig 3.



Majority of parents reported being employed full time – 61.7%. However, 6.1% of the parents reported having more than one job and 15.1% said they were employed only part-time.

Fig. 4



Own car was still the primary mode of transportation for the majority of parents - 55.6%. Carpool was used by 14.1% and public transportation by 26.2%. Approximately 11.7% said they used more than one way of get around.

When asked about mental health, 33.9% of the parents surveyed reported experiencing some level of anxiety and depression.

Children of parents who responded to the survey were as follows:

Fig. 5

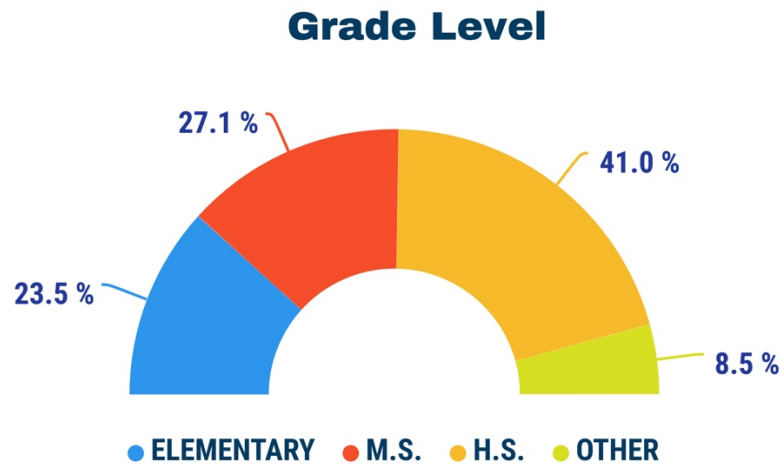
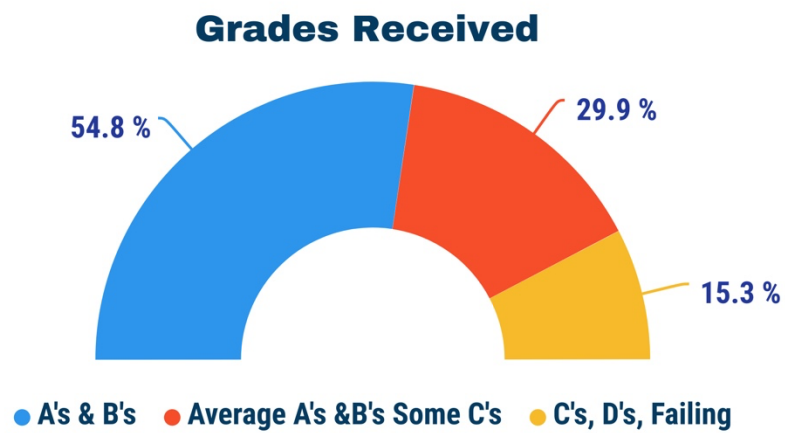


Fig. 6



45.3% of parents said they did not need after school care for their children. Of these parents, 57.7% had children in high school, 23.6% had children in middle school and 7.6% had children in elementary grades.

Fig. 7

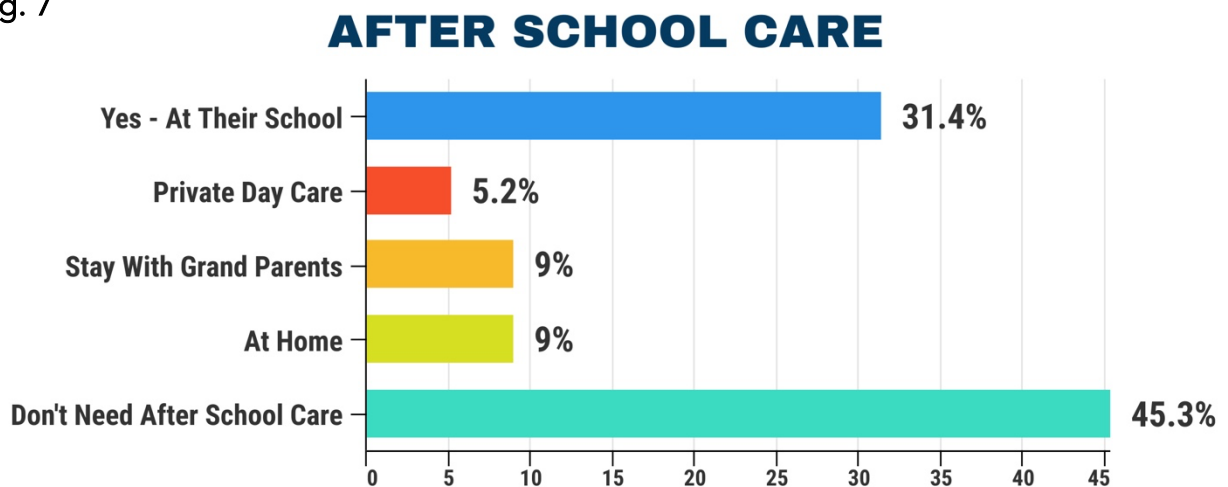
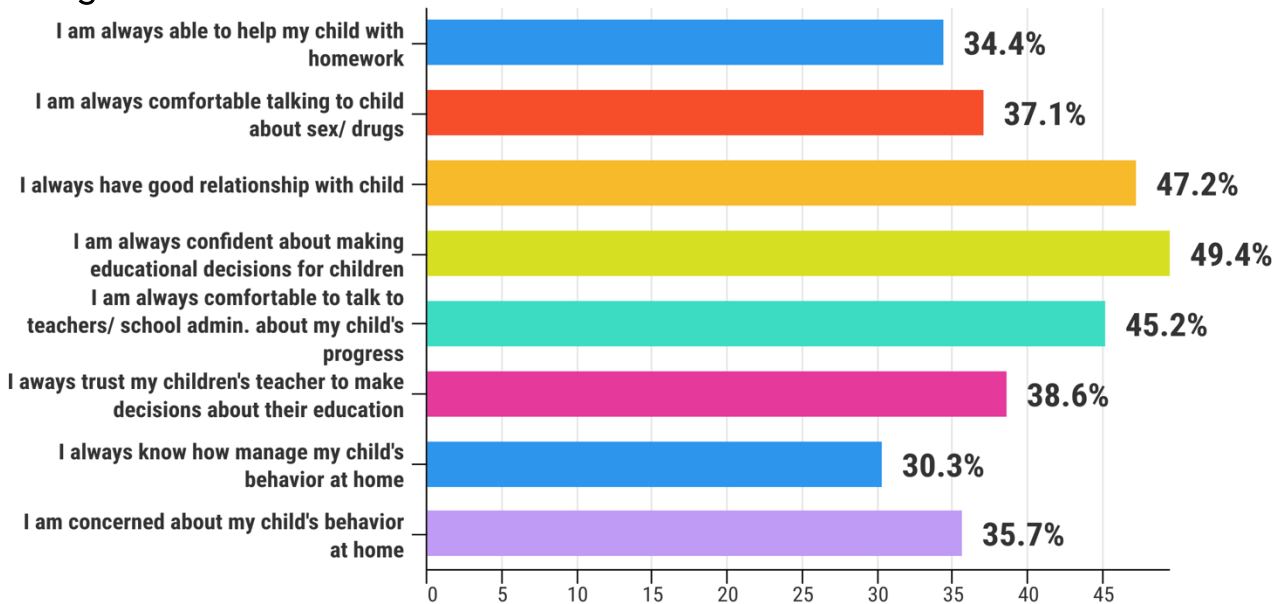


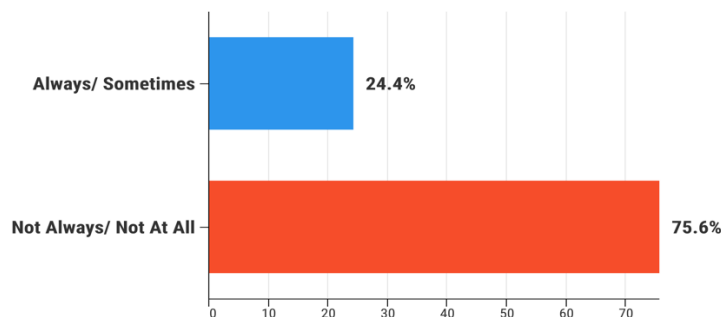
Fig. 8



Approximately 24% of parents reported that their children always / sometimes get into a lot of trouble at school while 69.7% said they did not always know how to manage their child's behavior at home.

Fig. 9

Children get into lot of trouble at school...



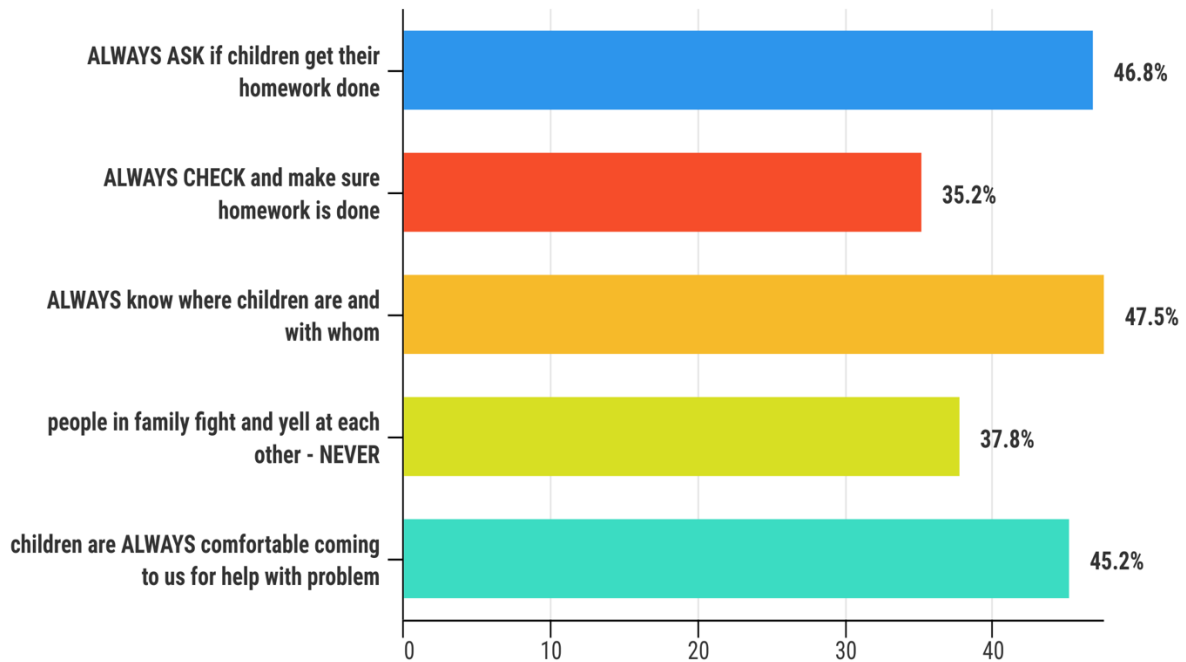
Only 43.3% of parents report having at least one meal everyday all together as a family. The National Center on Addiction and Substance Abuse (CASA) at Columbia University says that the more often children eat dinner with their parents, the less likely they are to smoke, drink, or use illicit drugs. The center compared teens who dined with families five or seven times a week with those who did so twice or less. Those who ate together more often were four times less likely to smoke, 2.5 times less likely to use marijuana, and half as likely to drink alcohol:

<https://www.stanfordchildrens.org/en/topic/default?id=family-meals-more-than-good-nutrition-1-2152>

Level of parental supervision is another factor linked with youth delinquency and youth risk for illicit substance use. When parents were asked about their level of parental supervision less than 50% parents stated they always supervised their children for...

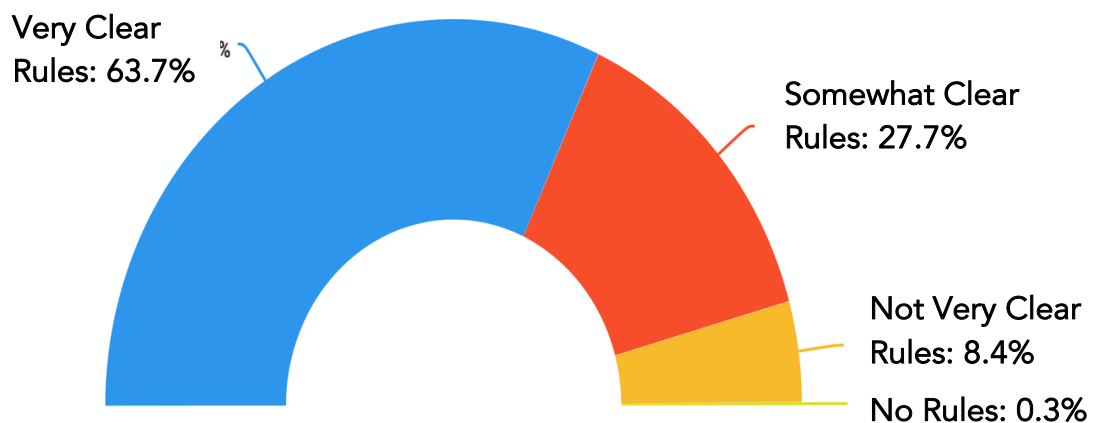
Fig. 10

PARENTAL SUPERVISION



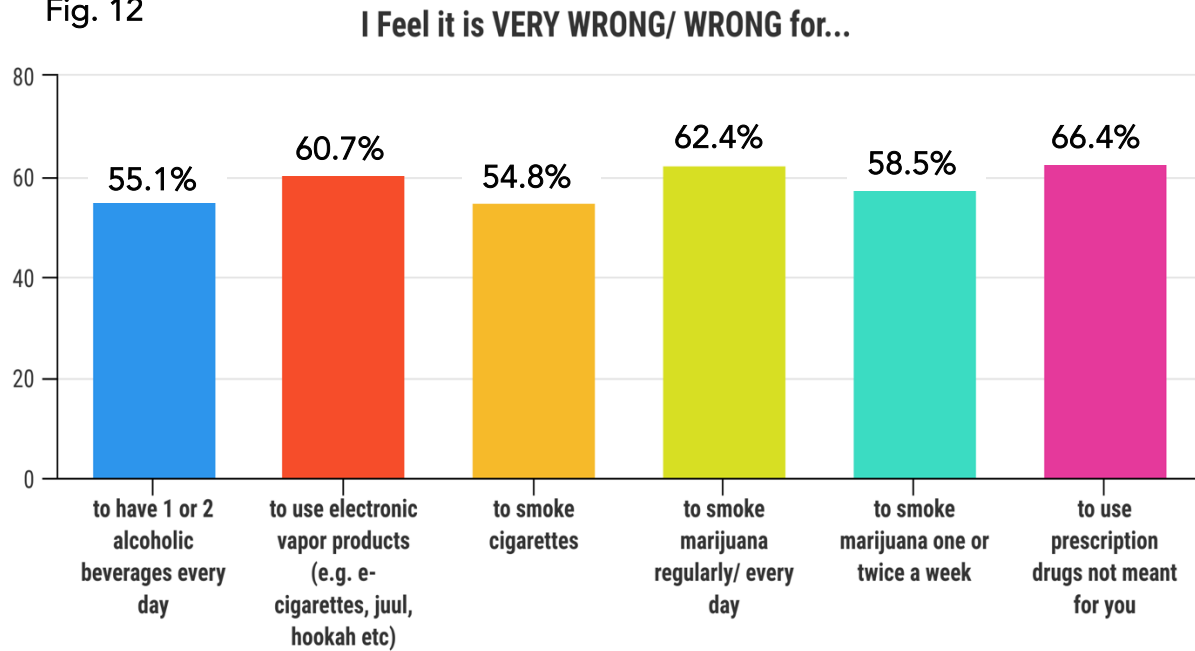
Having clear rules in the family about substance use and talking to their children about the dangers of illicit substance use is another factor that is predictive of underage substance abuse. Only 63.7% of parents stated that their family had "Very Clear Rules" about alcohol and drug use...

Fig. 11 Our Family has Clear Rules About Alcohol & Drug Use....



When asked about their perception of how harmful various substances were, only about 50% - 60% of parents thought it would be wrong or very wrong for them to use. Even fewer parents – about 35% - 45% thought it was very wrong.

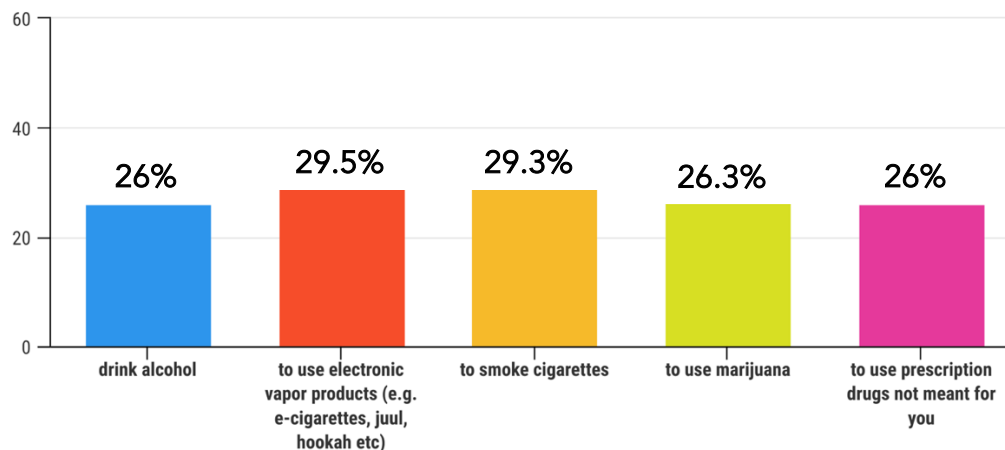
Fig. 12



When asked about how harmful these illicit substances were for THEIR CHILDREN to use, the percentages were even lower with only about 26% - 29% parents saying their children would be at “great risk” if the used the following substances...

Fig. 13

Perception of risk FOR CHILDREN to use... Great Risk for children to use....



Good nutrition habits are linked with both physical, emotional health as well as academic outcomes and risk for substance abuse. The CDC recommends that children eat a nutritious breakfast every morning and consume the recommended servings of fruits and vegetables every day. Only 52% of parents surveyed said their children ate breakfast every day, even less responded that their children got the recommended servings of fruits and vegetables every day.

Fig. 14

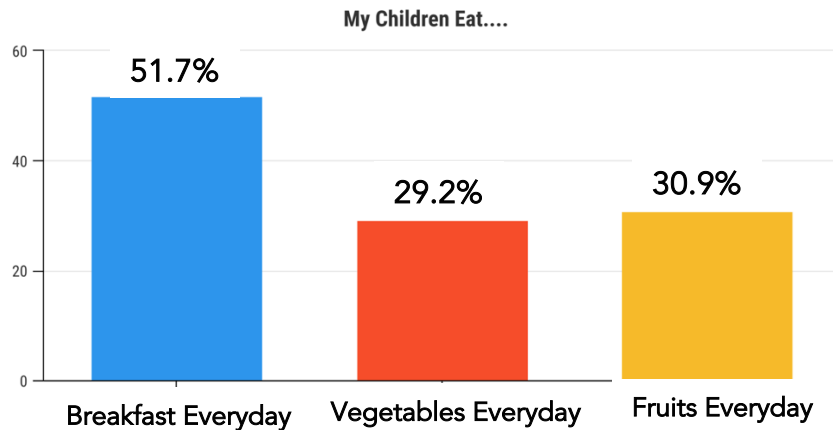
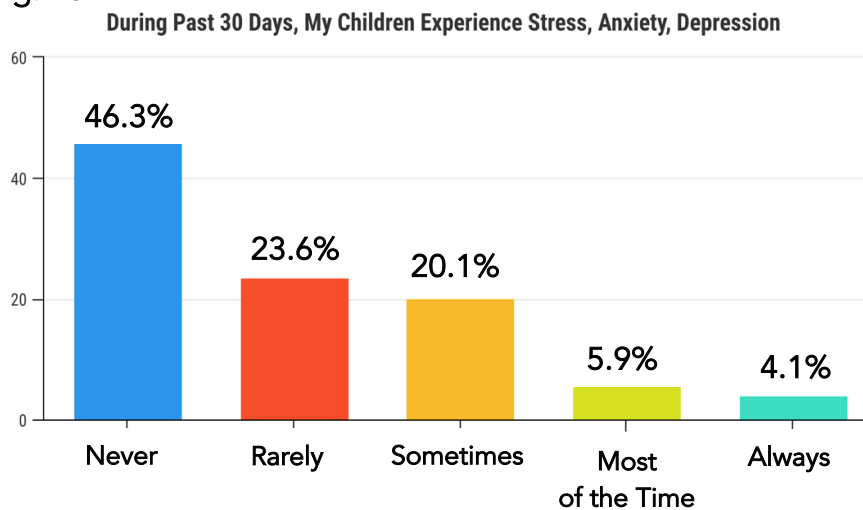
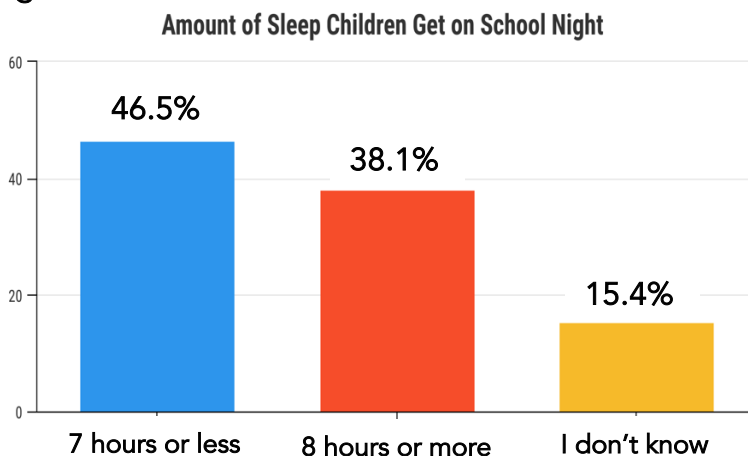


Fig. 15



Only 46.3% of parents reported that their children had not experienced stress, anxiety and depression in the past 30 days while 53.7% reported that their children had experienced some level of stress, anxiety and depression.

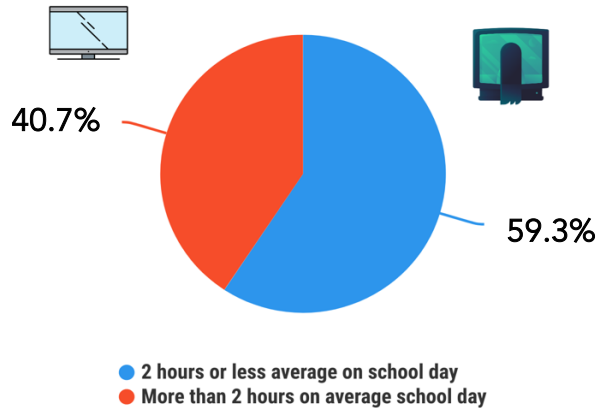
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The American Academy of Sleep Medicine has recommended that:

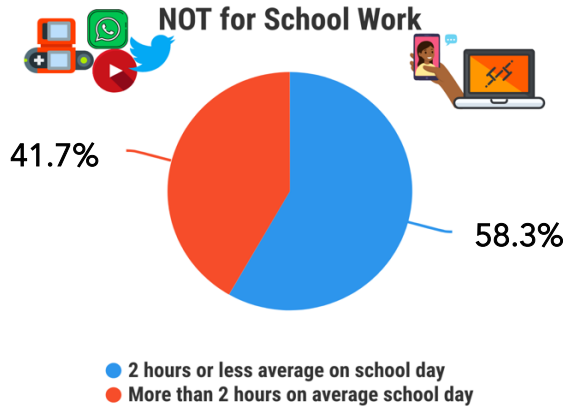
- children aged 6–12 years should regularly sleep 9–12 hours per 24 hours;
- teenagers aged 13–18 years should sleep 8–10 hours per 24 hours.

Fig. 17
Average Time Children Spend Watching TV...



"Screen time" is a term used for activities done in front of a screen, such as watching TV, working on a computer, or playing video games. Screen time is sedentary activity, meaning you are being physically inactive while sitting down. Very little energy is used during screen time. Most American children spend about 3 hours a day watching TV. Added together, all types of screen time can total 5 to 7 hours a day.

Fig. 18
Average Time Children Spend on Computer
NOT for School Work



Current Screen Time Guidelines

- Children under age 2 should have no screen time.
- Limit screen time to 1 to 2 hours a day for children over age 2.
- Despite what ads may say, videos that are aimed at very young children do not improve their development.

<https://medlineplus.gov/ency/patientinstructions/000355.htm>

Of the parents surveyed, 5.3% reported that their family did not own a computer. Of the ones who did own a computer 44.5% said each family member did not have their own.



Access to Technology



5.3% Reported Not Owning A Computer / Device...

Fig. 19

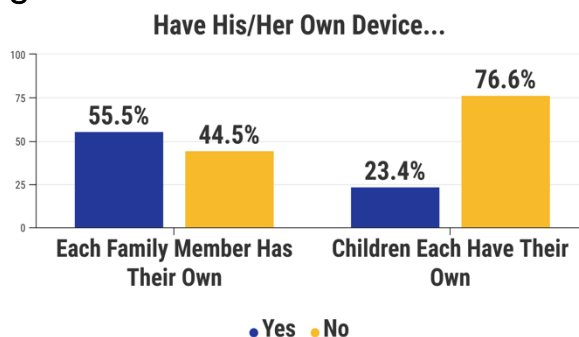
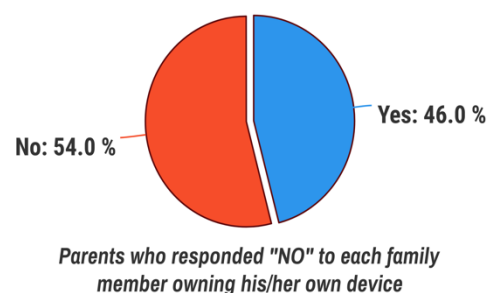
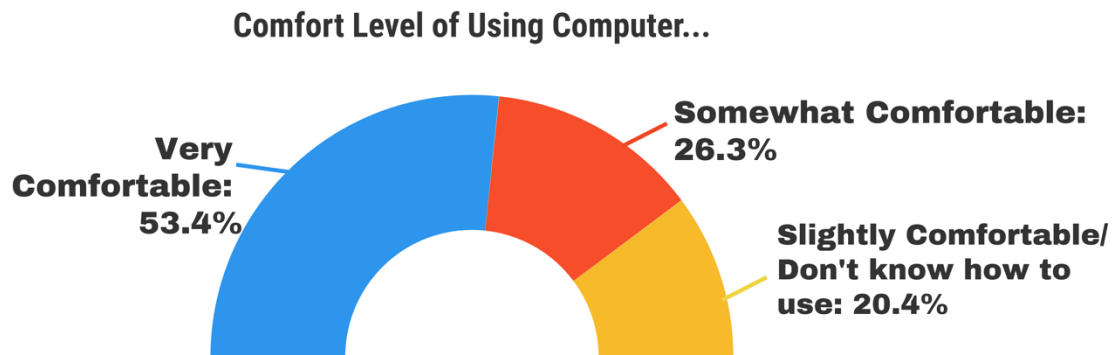


Fig. 20 Share Devices...



Only half of the parents surveyed said they felt comfortable using their computer – 54.5% while 20.4% reported not being comfortable at all or only slightly comfortable using a computer.

Fig. 21



Just as access to a computer device is important, equally important is access to reliable wi-fi / internet service. Of the parents surveyed, the majority had access to high speed wi-fi / internet service and of these only 1.4% said their service was weak or unreliable. Of the 16.9% of parents who did not have access to high speed wi-fi service, 82.5% said their service was weak / unreliable, while 17.5% were satisfied with the service.

RESULTS: YOUTH SURVEY

A total of 657 surveys were completed by White Plains youth in 8th, 10th, and 12th grades combined. The response rate for the 12th grade was low (102 students - 19% of enrolled) and so data may not be generalizable to entire grade/ school population. To compensate for the low response rate, 3 focus groups were held with high school youth groups at the Youth Bureau. A total of 45 youth participated in these groups.

Results:

Demographics:

The demographic composition of the youth responding to the survey is provided below:

Fig. 22

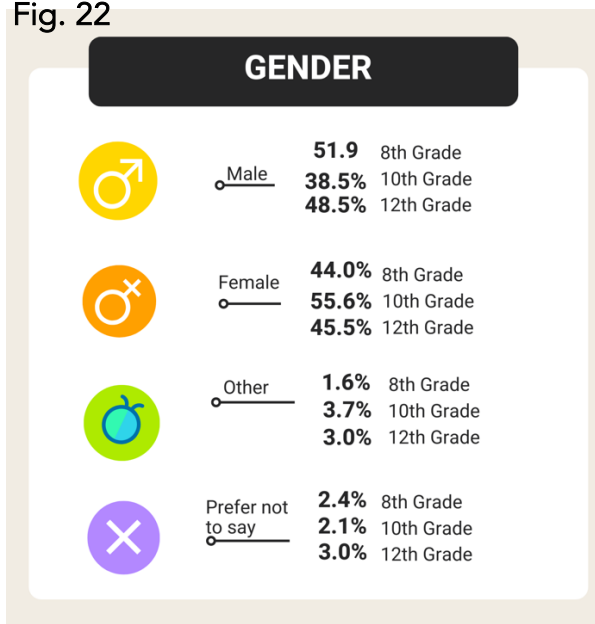


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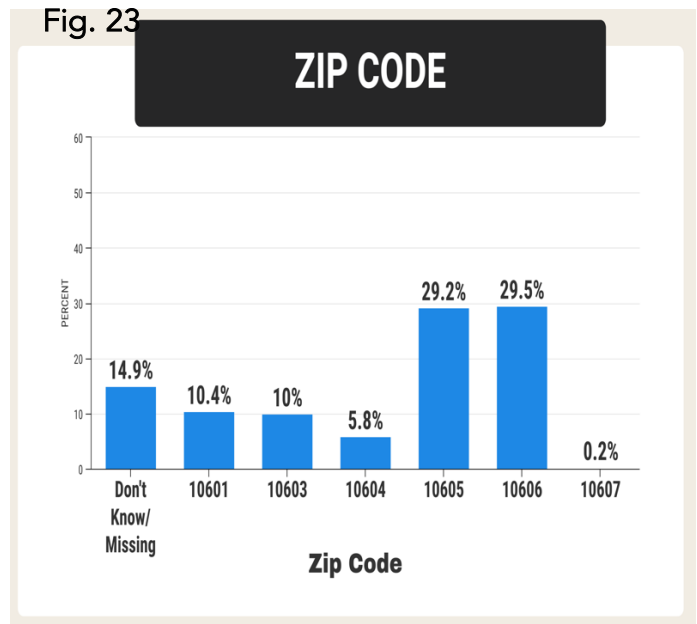


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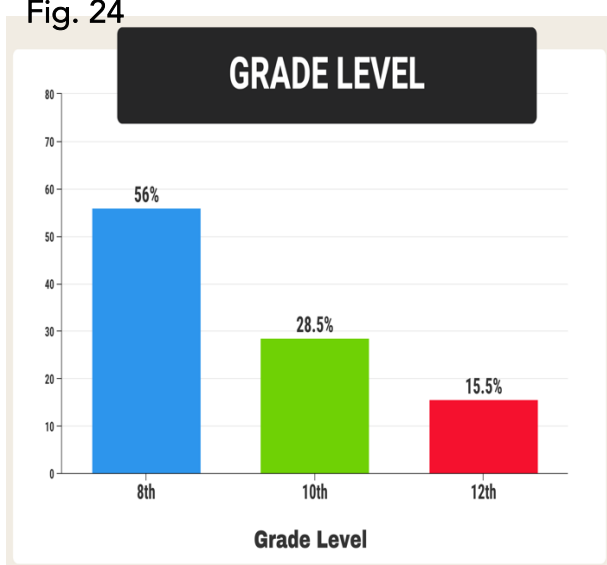


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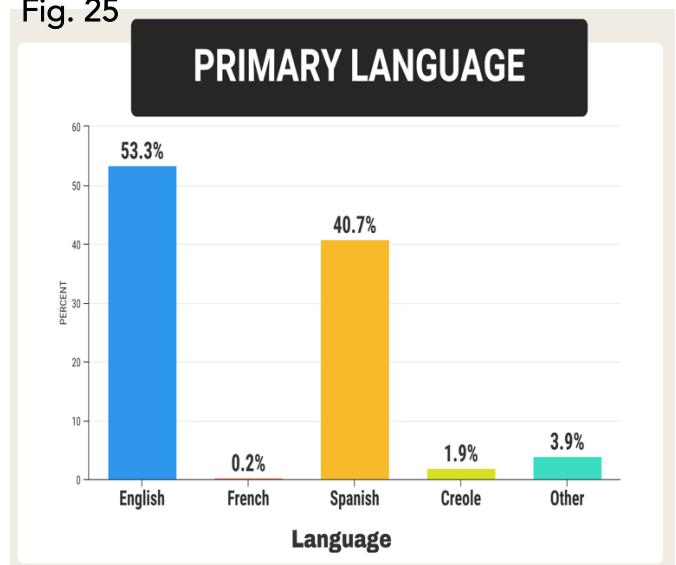
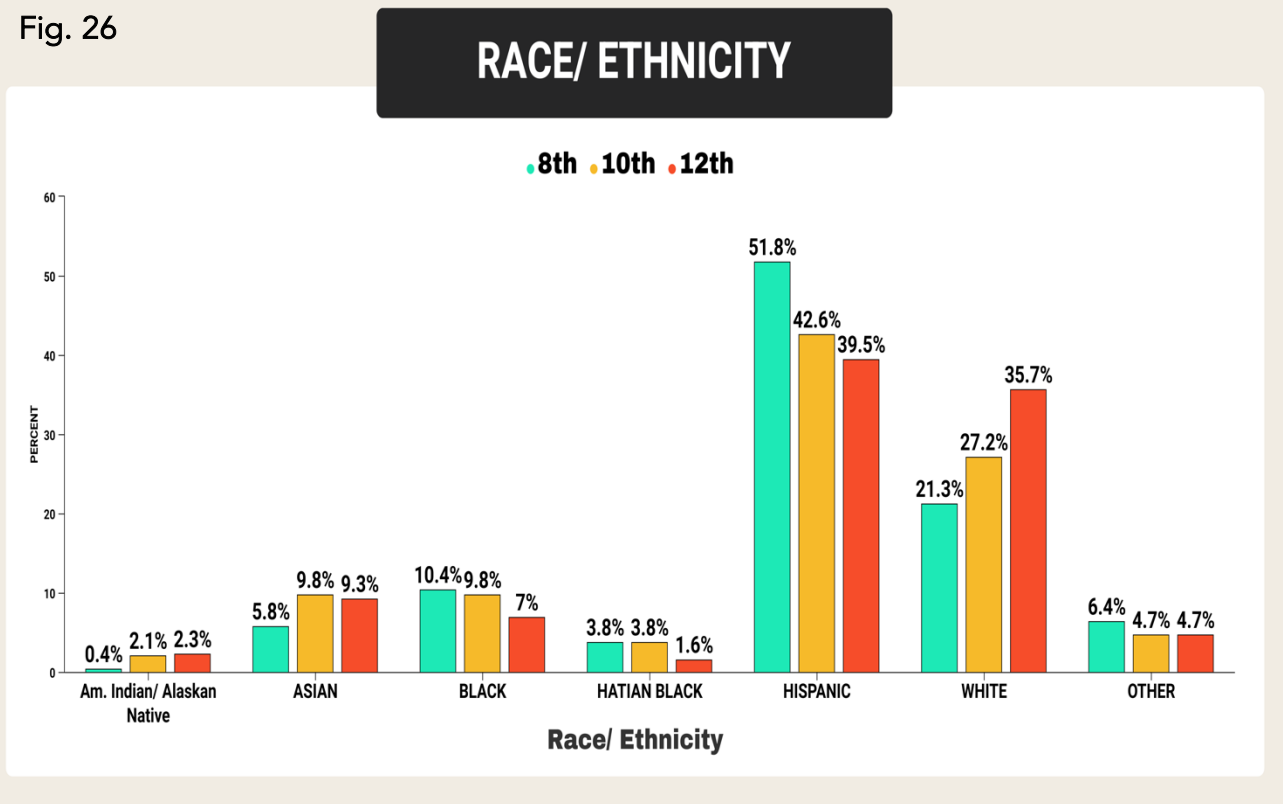


Fig. 26



The majority of students who responded to the survey represented those receiving A's & B's (80.3%). Only 19.7% represented those receiving C's, D's, & F's. This was true when data was disaggregated by grade level as well.

Fig. 27

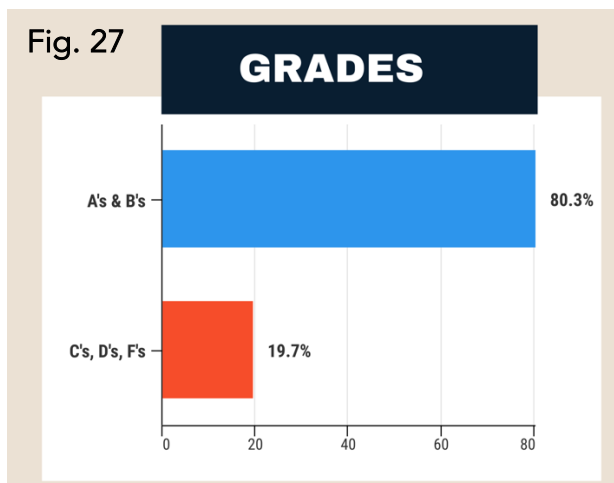


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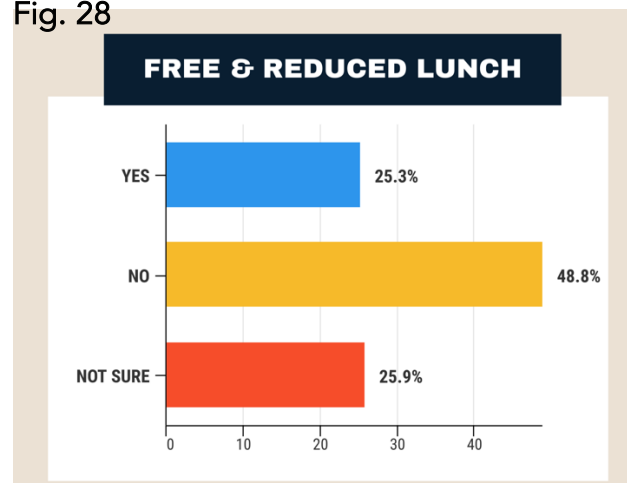
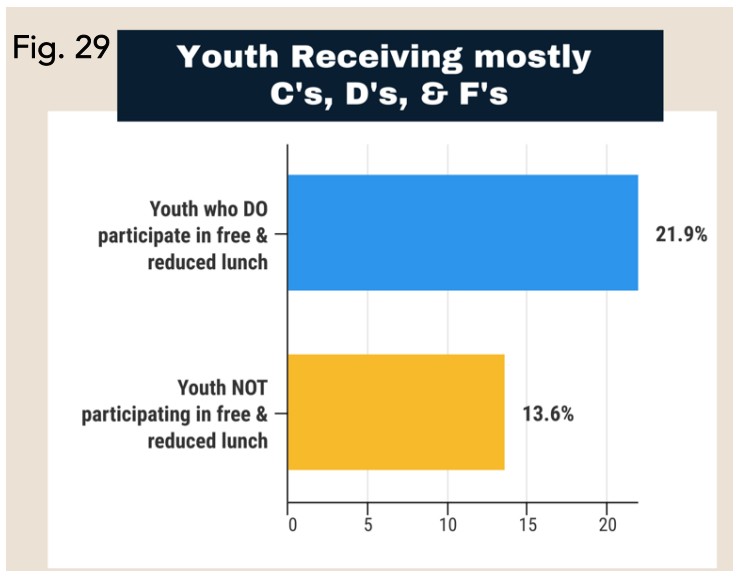


Fig. 29



When data was disaggregated by those who participate in the free and reduced lunch program, the data shows that of those who DO participate, more youth report receiving C's, D's, & F's – 21.9% vs 13.6% (although numbers are small and may not be generalizable to the population).

Relationship With Adults:

Fig. 30

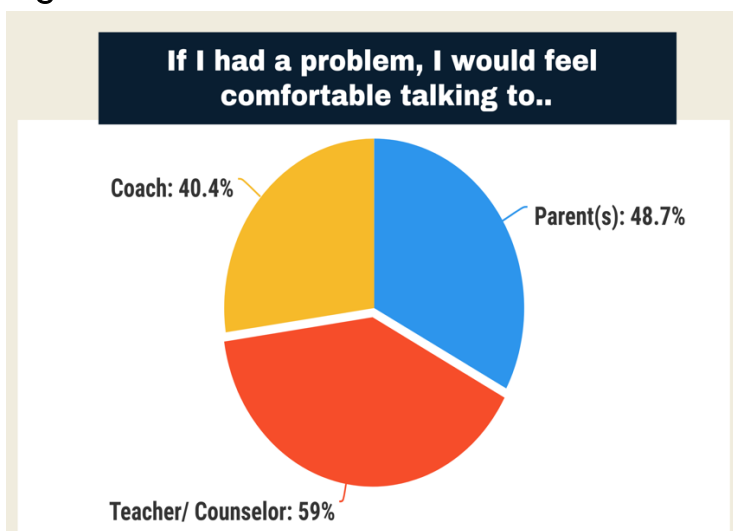
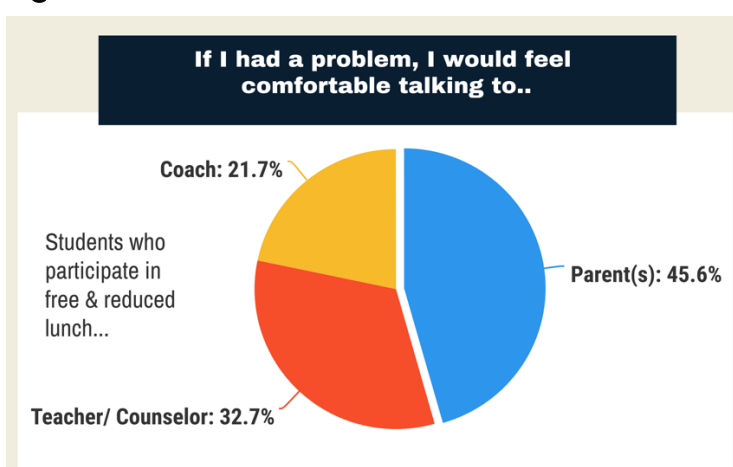


Fig. 31



When data was disaggregated by those who participate in the free and reduced lunch program, the data shows that of those who DO participate in the free & reduced lunch program, more youth say they would feel more comfortable talking with their parents than their teacher / counselor or coach (numbers are small and may not be generalizable to the population).

Bullying:

Similarly, students participating in the free and reduced lunch program report higher levels of bullying both on school property as well as electronically (social media etc.) than students who do NOT participate in the free & reduced lunch programs. (Numbers are small and may not be generalizable to the population). Youth in middle school report higher levels of bullying on school property (14.3%) versus youth in high school (10th grade – 8.7% & 12th grade 13.4%).

Fig. 32

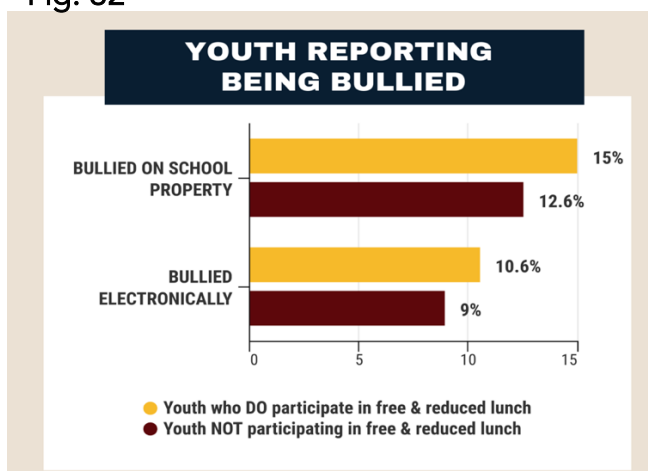


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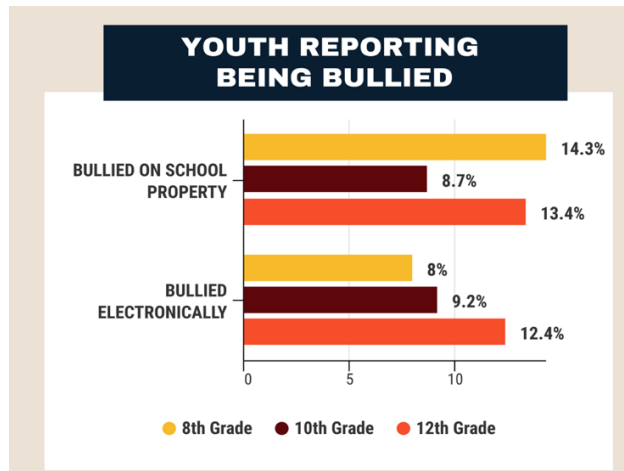


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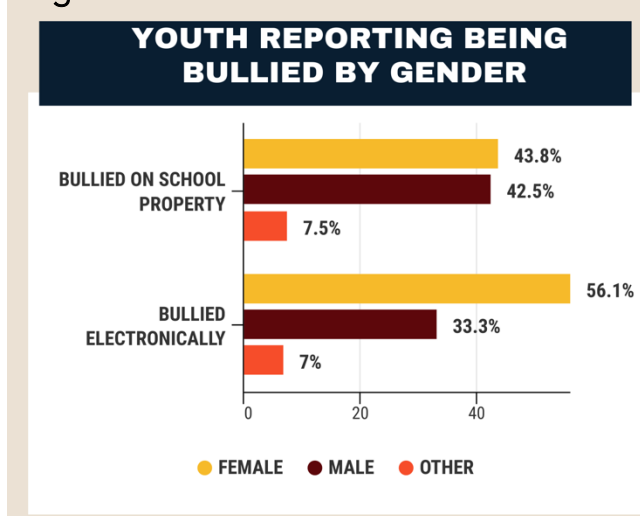
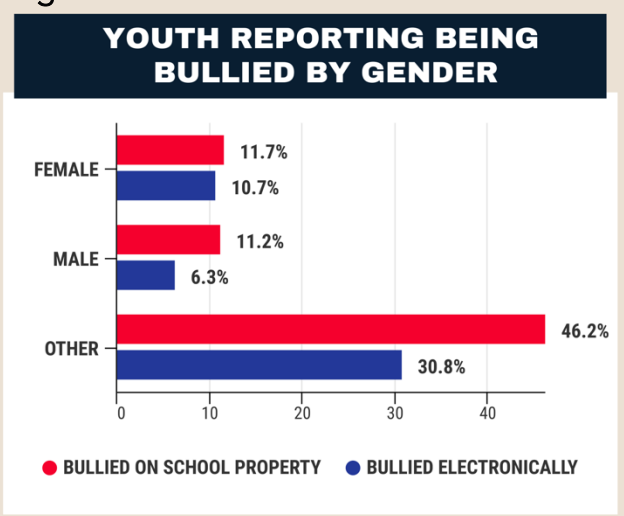


Fig. 35



When data is disaggregated by gender, 11.7% of girls report being bullied on school property and 11.2% of boys report being bullied. These are lower than the national reports where 17% female and 13% males report being bullied on school property (*Youth Risk Behavior Survey, YRBS, 2021*) More youth who identify themselves as “other” report being bullied both on school property as well as electronically (46.2% and 30.8% respectively).

When data is further disaggregated by race, Hispanic/ Latino and White youth report higher rates of being bullied both on school property and electronically. Of the youth who

identified their race as “Other”, a greater percentage report being bullied on school property (28.9%).

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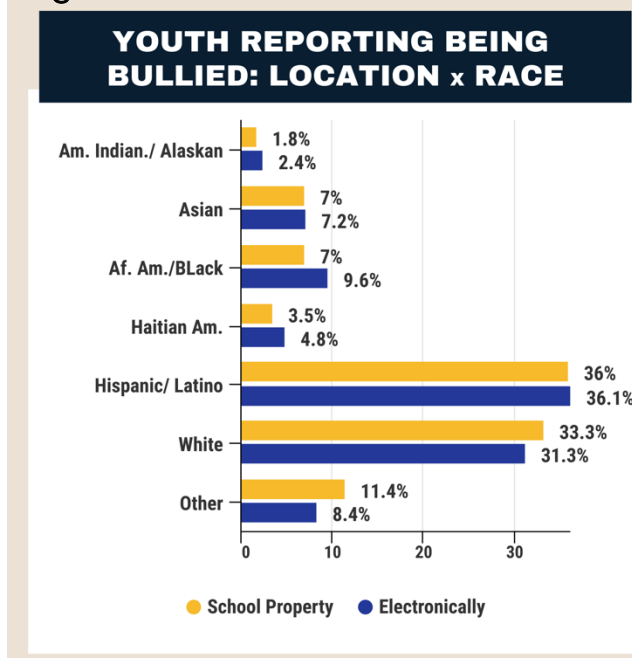


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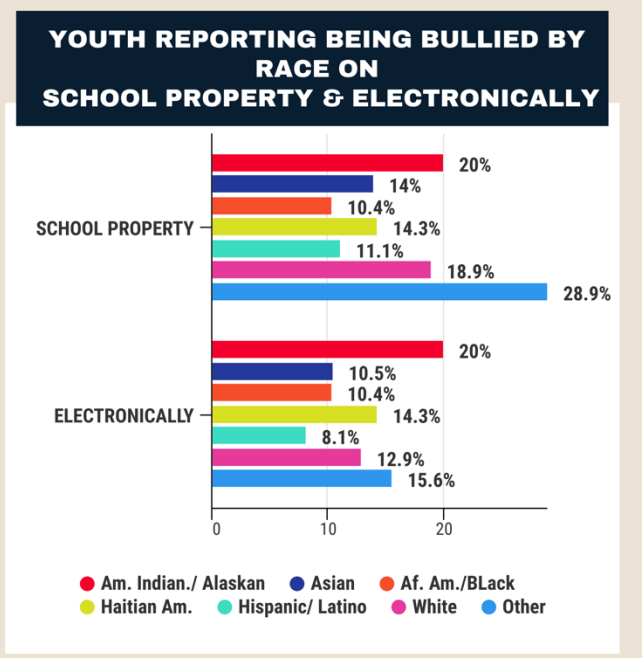
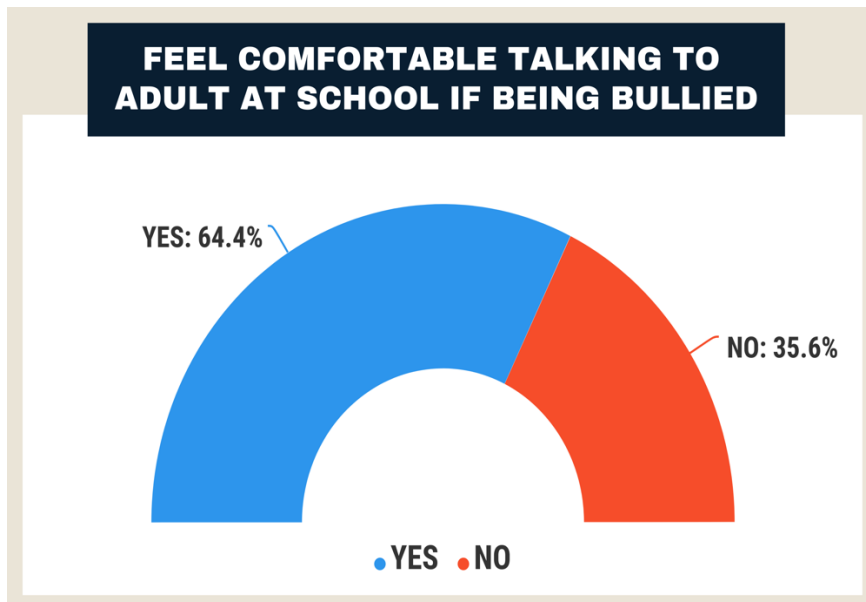


Fig. 38



Almost 37% of youth said would not feel comfortable talking to an adult at school if they were experiencing bullying.

Health & Wellness:

The CDC recommends that children eat a nutritious breakfast every morning and consume the recommended servings of fruits and vegetables every day. Nearly 57% of youth surveyed said they do not eat breakfast every day. When asked in focus group discussion, youth responded that they had to wake up too early to go to school and did not have time

to eat breakfast. Nearly half of the youth surveyed (46.6%) eat the required servings of fruits every day and 36.9% get only 1 serving of vegetables each day.

Fig. 39

In White Plains, 79.8% of youth who responded to the survey report rarely eating at fast food restaurants. As children get older, they get more self-conscious about their appearance and weight. Only 52.5% of the youth reported feeling good about their weight with 45.3% describing their weight as underweight or over-weight.

BMI for youth was calculated using the reported height and weight for each student. On average the youth fall within the healthy category are not obese. According to the CDC (Centers for Disease Control), healthy BMI for teens falls between the 5th and 85th percentile: Girls: 18 - 26.6; Boys: 19.4 - 27.8. The disaggregated BMI averages are as follows:

Fig. 40

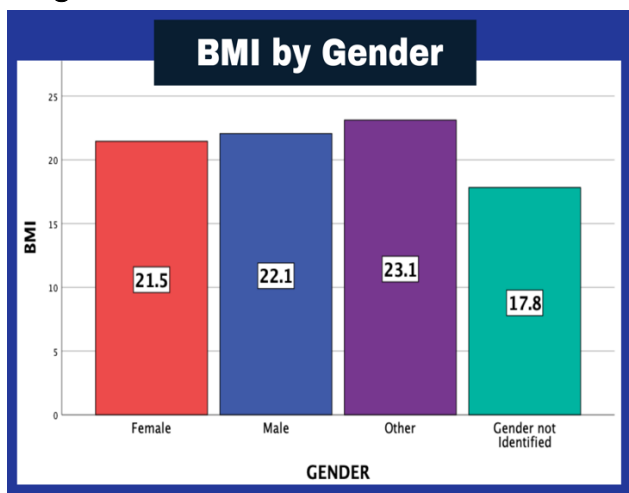


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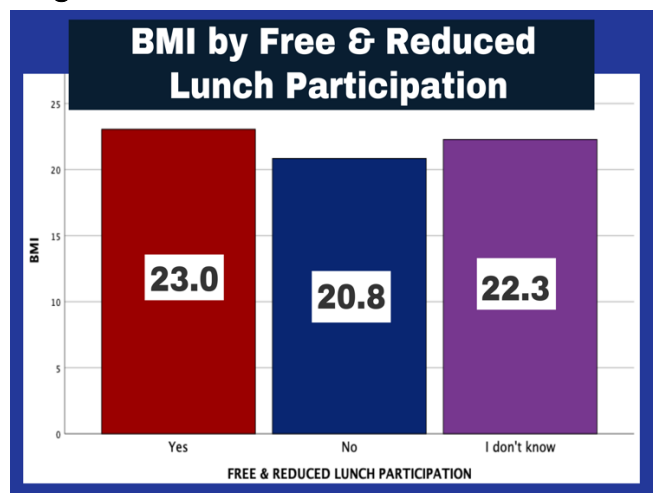
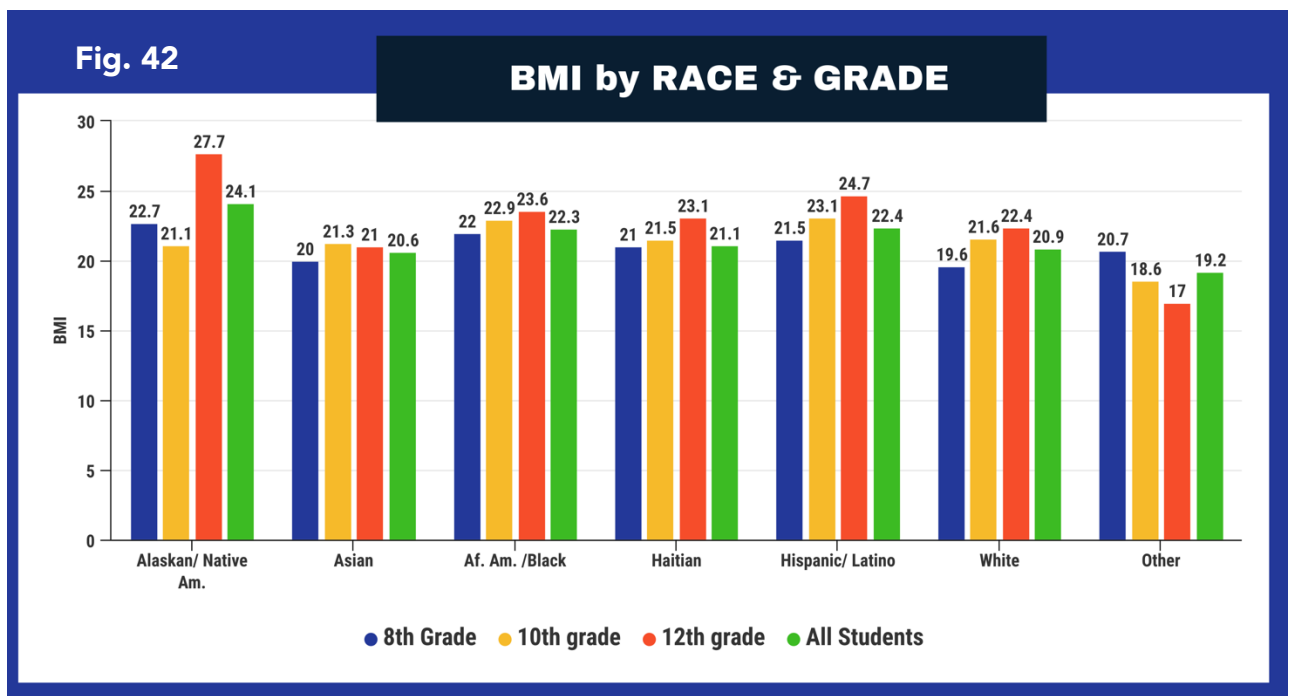


Fig. 42



According to the NCCP*, national rates of obese kids ages 12 yrs. - 19 yrs. are:

	Boys	Girls		Boys	Girls		Boys	Girls
Hispanic	25.5%	17.5%	White	16.7%	14.5%	Black	19.8%	29.2%

*NCCP: National Center for Children in Poverty

HEALTH & WELLNESS



NUTRITION....



56.5%
DON'T eat
breakfast everyday

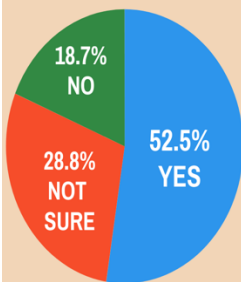


46.6%
EAT THE
REQUIRED
2-3 SERVINGS A
DAY OF FRUITS

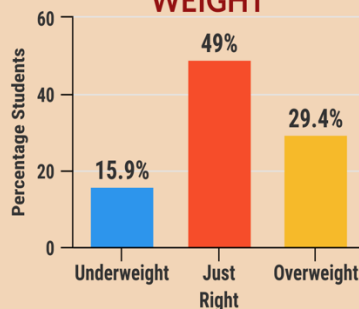


36.9% GET ONLY 1 SERVING OF
VEGETABLES A DAY

FEEL GOOD ABOUT WEIGHT



HOW YOUTH DESCRIBE THEIR WEIGHT



PHYSICAL ACTIVITY

61.8% ARE PHYSICALLY ACTIVE FOR
60 MINUTES PER DAY AT
LEAST 4 DAYS A WEEK

78.9% ARE **NOT** ACTIVE **EVERYDAY**
FOR THE RECOMMENDED 60
MINUTES A DAY.

FAST FOOD



20.2% EAT FAST FOOD ONE
OR MORE TIMES
A WEEK

79.8% EAT FAST FOOD
RARELY OR FEW
TIMES A MONTH

The CDC* recommends all teens ages 13 yrs. – 18 yrs. eat at least 1-1/2 servings of fruits and at least 2-3 servings of vegetables every day.

The CDC* recommends that children and adolescents ages 6 through 17 get at least 60 minutes of moderate to vigorous physical activity every day.

*CDC: Centers for Disease Control

Almost forty percent, (74.6%), of youth report not getting the recommended 8-10 hours of sleep each night; 57% report playing video games for 2 hours or more on a school day and 34.1% report watching 2 hours or more of TV on a average school day.

Fig. 43

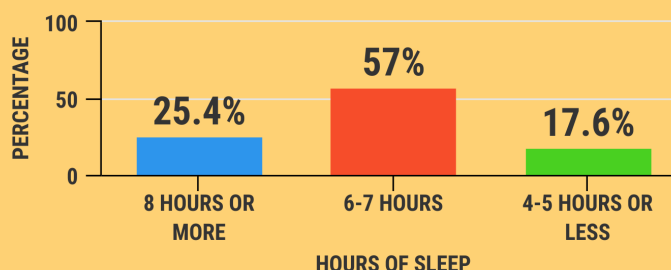


SLEEP AND SCREEN TIME

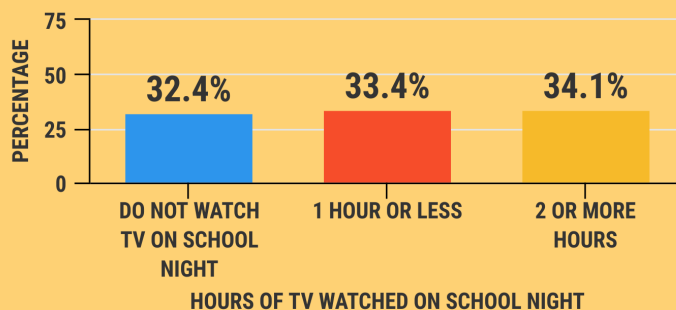
The American Academy of Sleep Medicine has recommended that

- * children aged 6–12 years should regularly sleep 9–12 hours per 24 hours and,
- * teenagers aged 13–18 years should sleep 8–10 hours per 24 hours.

WHITE PLAINS YOUTH HOW MANY HOURS OF SLEEP



HOW MANY HOURS OF TV WATCHED



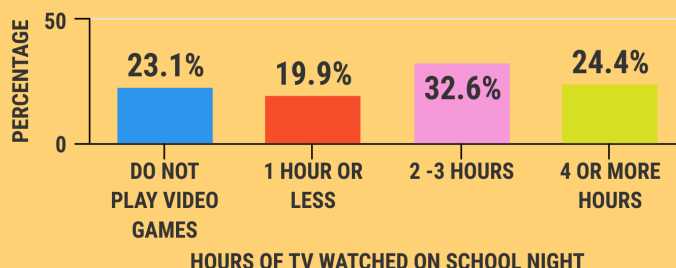
Pediatricians generally recommend the following guidelines for screen time:

* Under 2 years old: Zero screen time, except for video chatting with family or friends

* 2-5 years old: No more than one hour per day co-viewing with a parent or sibling

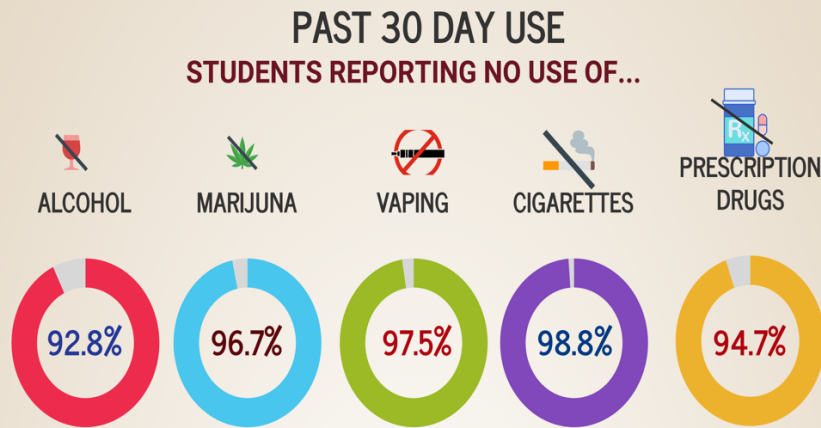
* 5-17 years old: Generally no more than two hours per day, except for homework

HOW MANY HOURS OF COMPUTER GAMES OR COMPUTER (not for homework or school work)

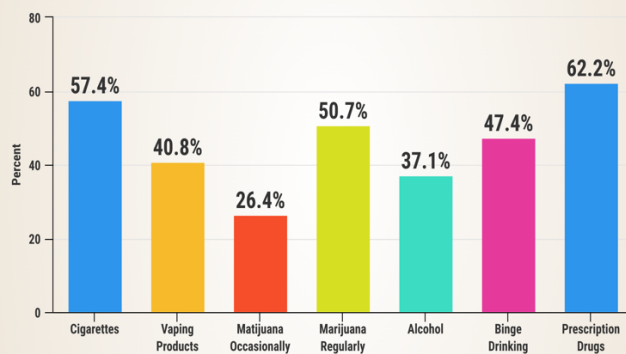


Substance Abuse:

Fig. 44 **SUBSTANCE ABUSE TRENDS...**

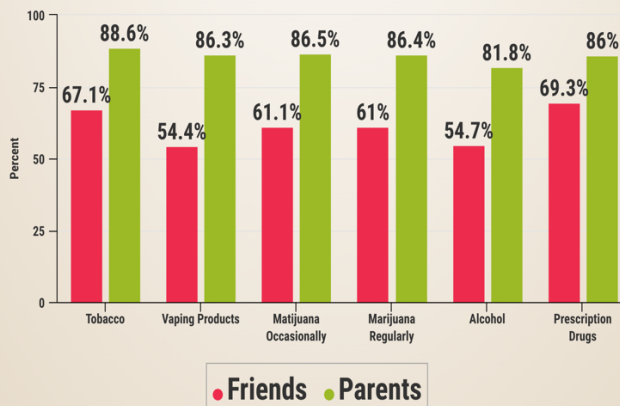


YOUTH PERCEPTION OF HARM **GREAT RISK OF HARM IF THEY USED...**



PARENTAL & PEER DISAPPROVAL

Youth perception:
Parents & Friends think VERY WRONG to use...



Although youth report low past 30-day use of illicit substances, the risk factors appear to be high. Perception of harm of these substances has been linked directly with risk of substance use experimentation and addiction. National rates reported for past 30-day use are higher as per the 2021 Youth Risk Behavior Survey.

White Plains youth report low perception of harm. They also report low perception of disapproval from peers and parents.

Perception of disapproval from peers and parents has also been linked directly with increased risk of experimentation and chronic use.

Another factor that puts youth at risk for developing substance abuse problems is the ease of access to alcohol, tobacco, and other illicit substances. White Plains youth report that alcohol is “somewhat easy - easy to get” – 48.4%. Reported availability and ease of access increases as the youth get older.

Fig. 45

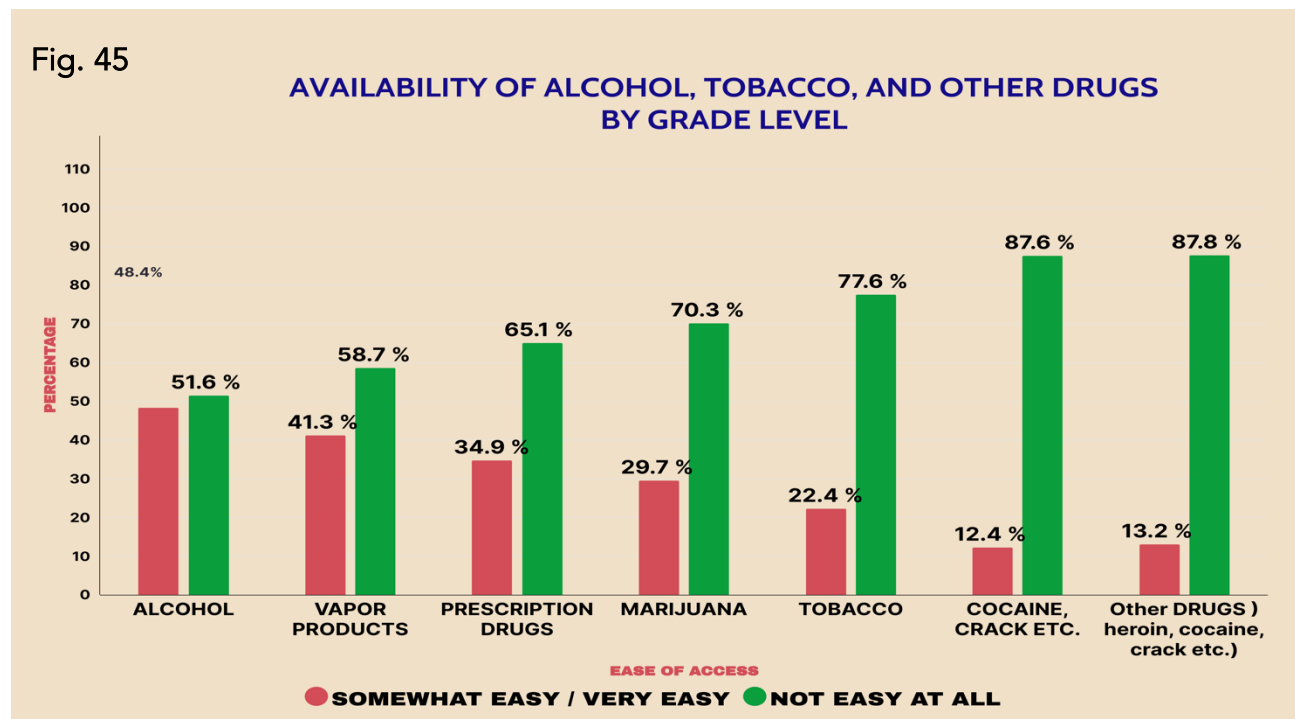
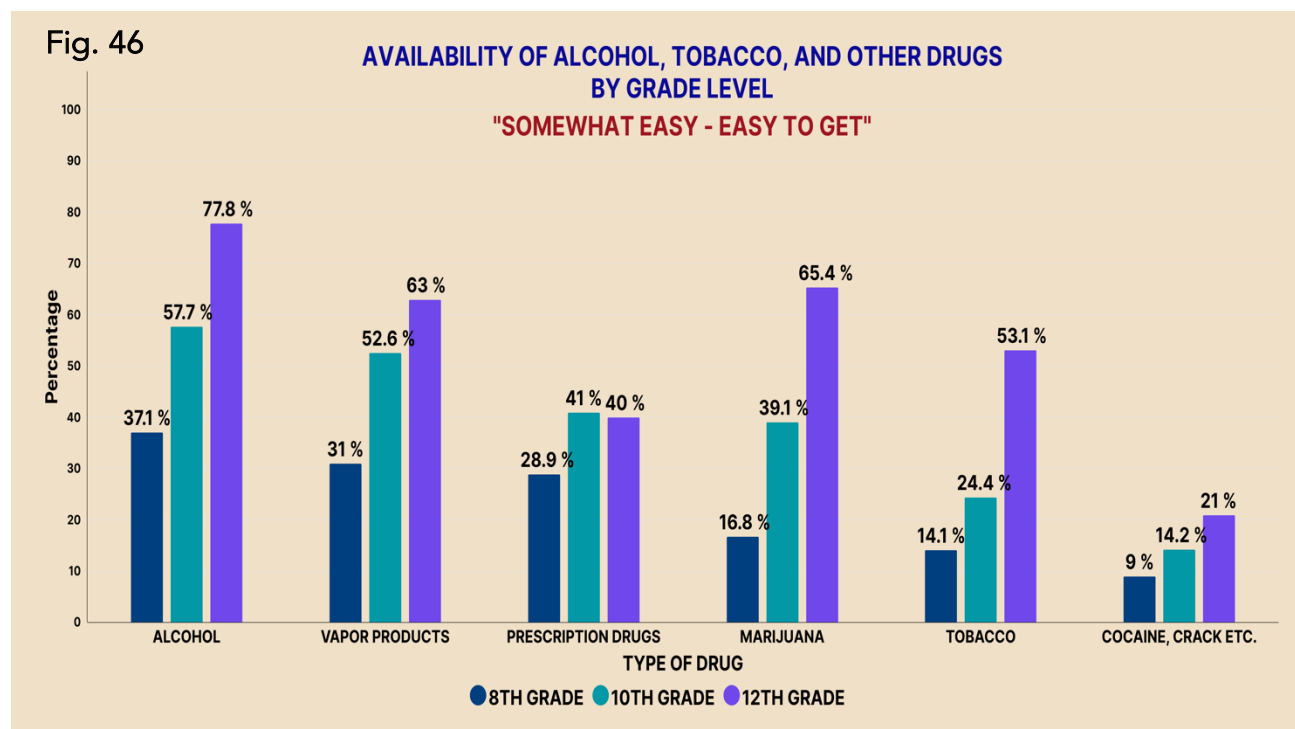


Fig. 46



Parental Supervision

Problem behavior among youth and teens is often predicted by the level of parental supervision and involvement. The greater the supervision and involvement, the less likely the youth will exhibit problem behaviors like academic failure, substance abuse, defiance etc. Although most of the youth who responded to the survey indicated that their parents were supervising them and were involved, 13.5% indicated family conflict where members of the family “often yelled and insulted each other” and 23.6 % said their parents only sometimes or never asked if their homework was done.

Fig. 47

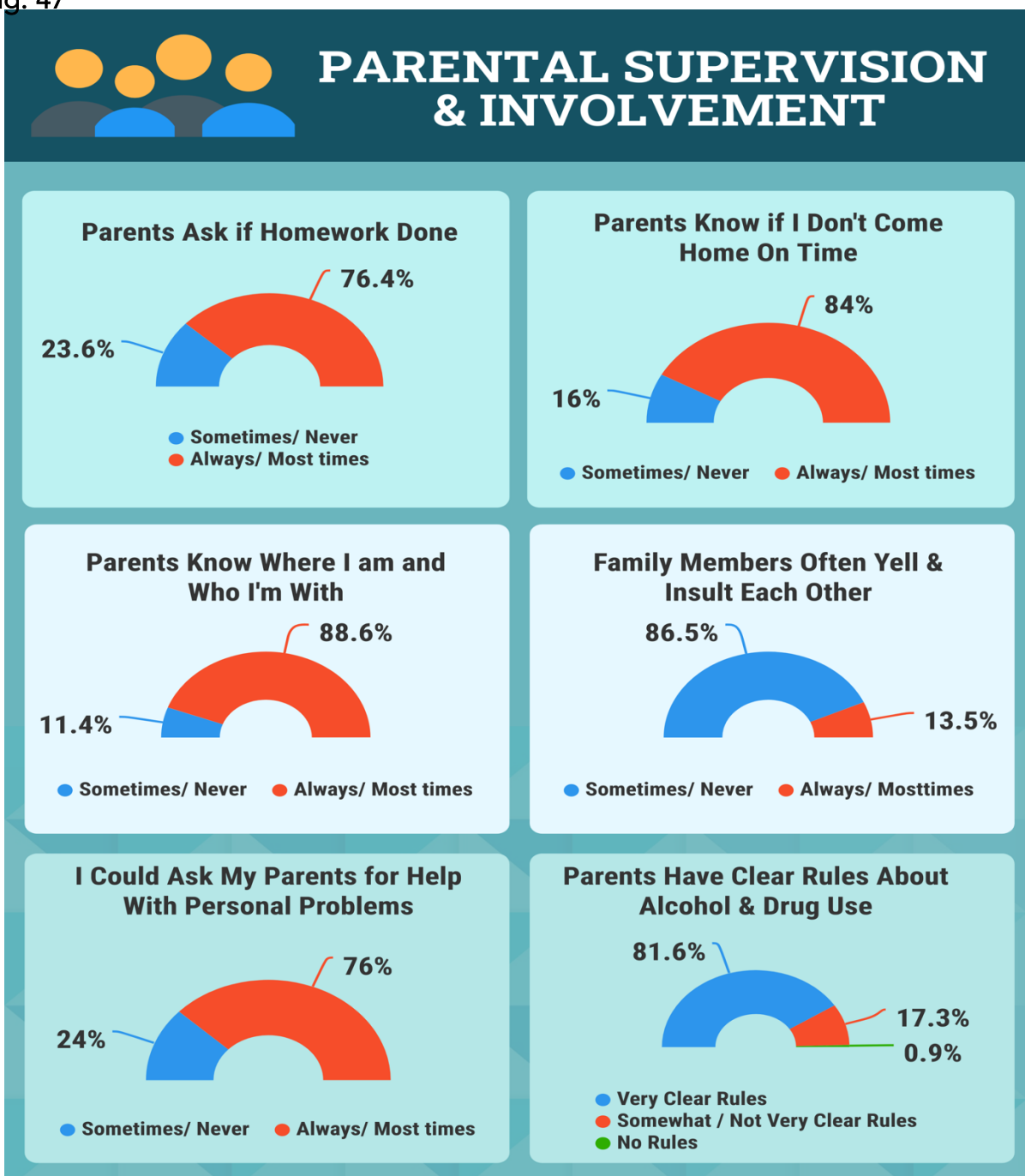
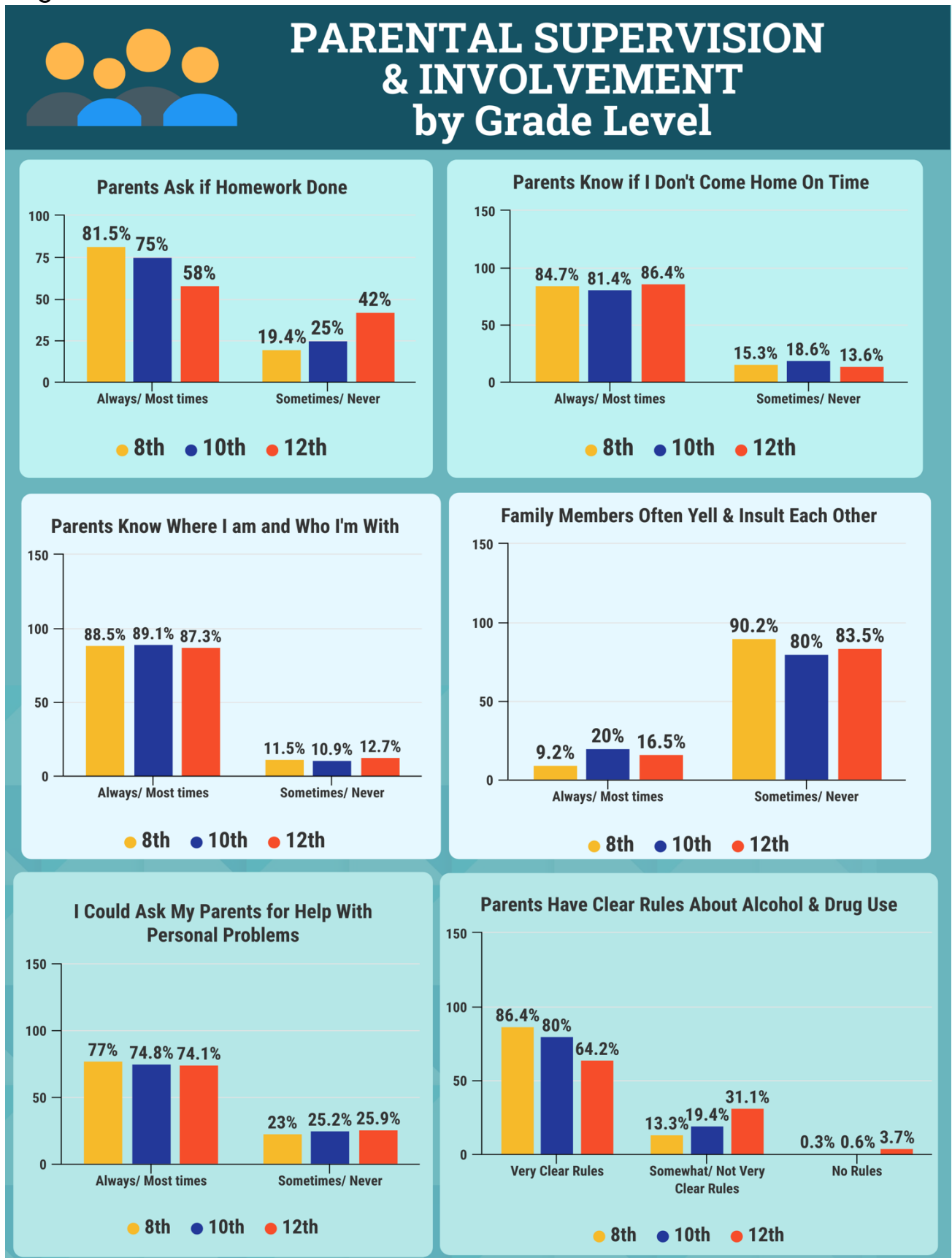


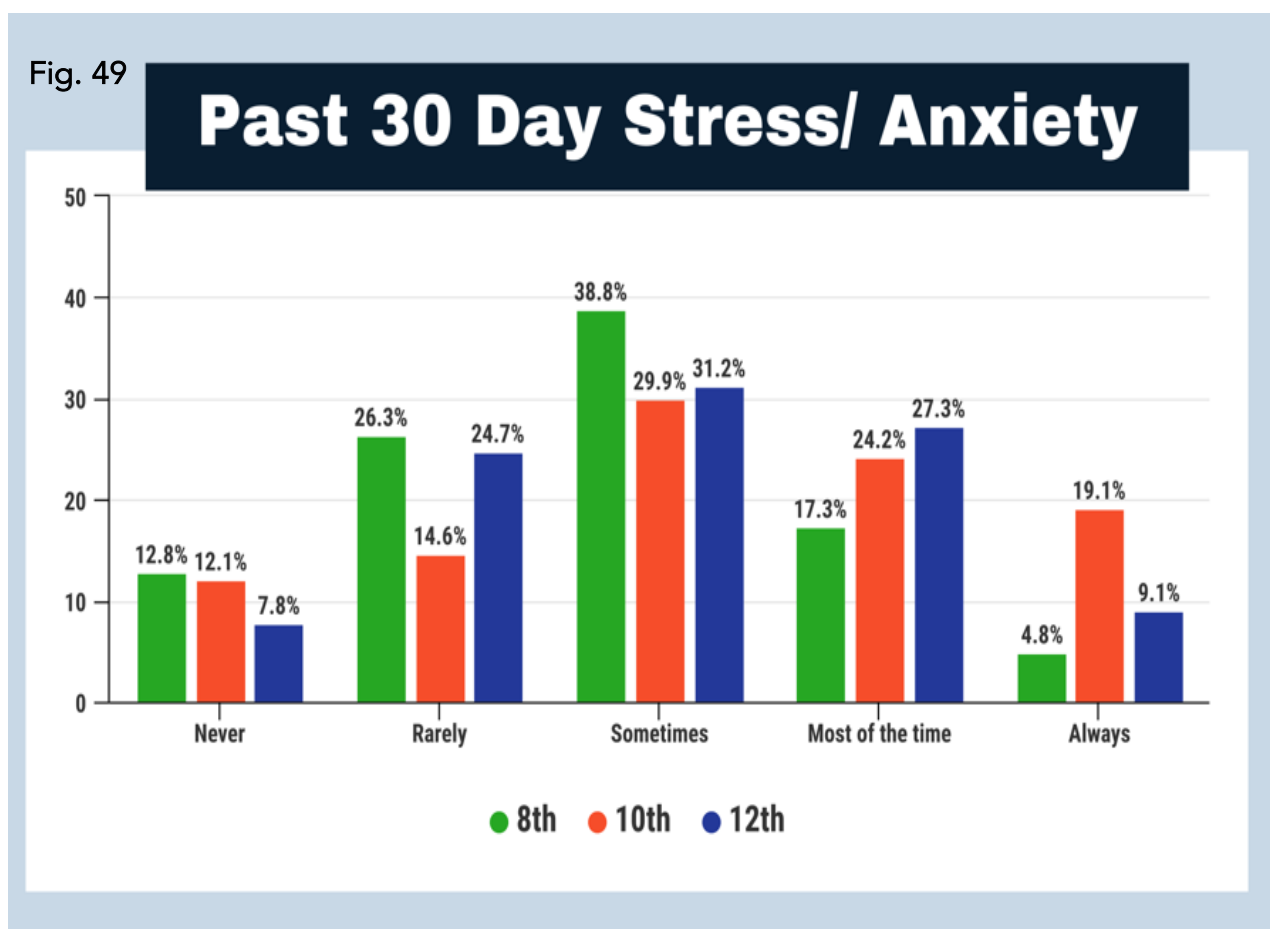
Fig. 48



When data is disaggregated by grade level, we see that youth report that rules about substance use become somewhat unclear as they get older. Additionally, supervision regarding homework also decreases.

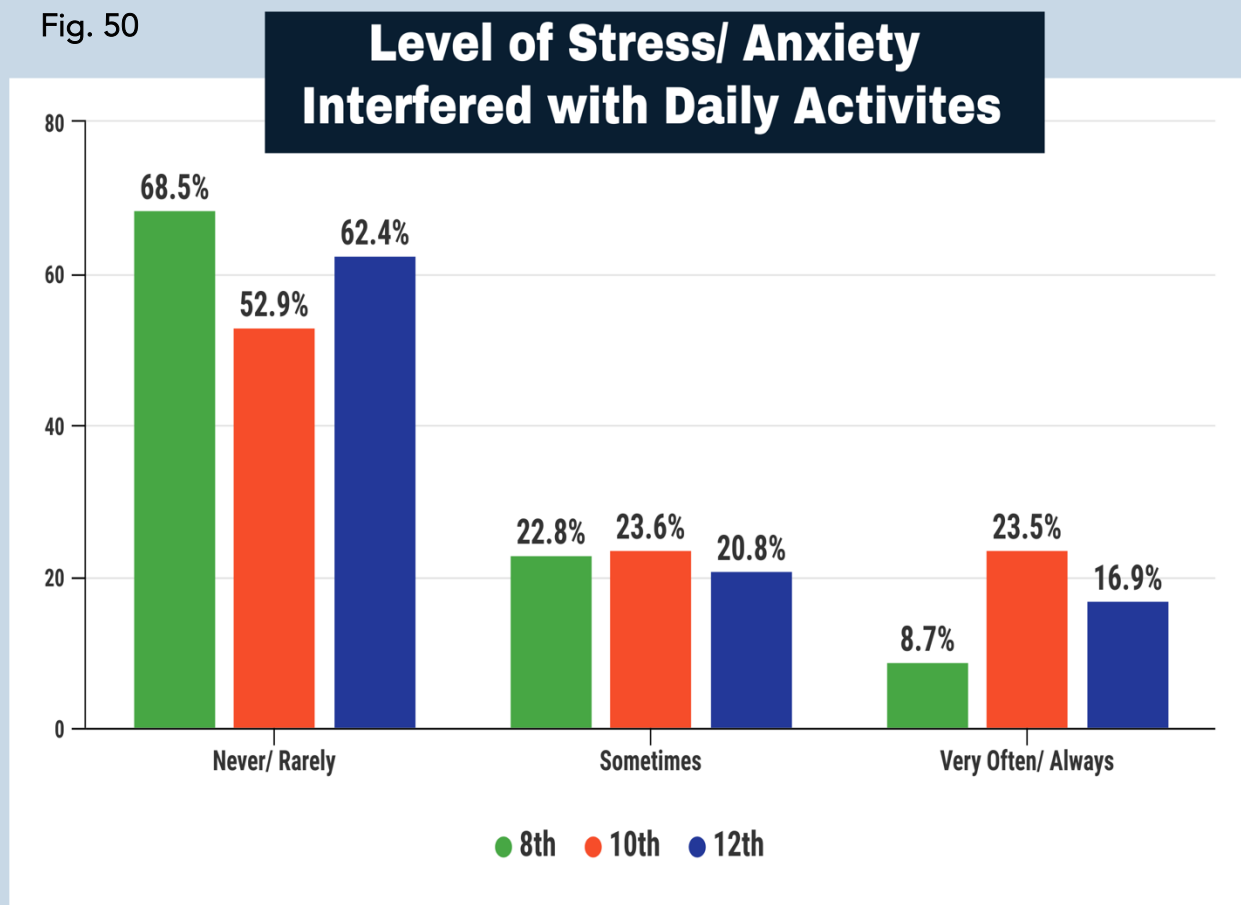
Anxiety / Stress

The impact of the pandemic has been felt by everyone in communities across the nation and around the world. Youth have not been an exception. White Plains youth report feeling anxiety and stress “most of the time/ always”: 8th grade – 22.1%; 10th grade – 43.3%; 12th grade – 36.4%. When asked in focus groups, youth responded that primary cause of stress was too much homework and inability to get help from teachers in understanding class material. One youth reported “they expect you to just understand with one time explaining...and if you go to them for help, they tell you to just pay more attention!”



Although national reports of youth experiencing persistent levels of sadness and hopelessness are higher (42% according to the 2021 YRBS), White Plains youth also report some level of sadness to the extent of it interfering with daily activities – 8th grade 32.5%; 10th grade 48.1%; 12th grade 38.2%.

Fig. 50



Beyond academic pressures, a teen’s life includes many other anxiety triggers. Social stress, family discord, world events, traumatic events, and significant life changes can all play a part.

Participation in Youth Groups

The importance of participation in positive out of school time activities and groups has been well documented in the literature. Regular participation and engagement benefit positive youth development, enhances social and emotional development, and has been shown to also enhance academic achievement. In White Plains, 45.6% of youth report not participating in any out of school time youth group. Of those that do, 26.8% report that such participation has influenced their behavior and choices.

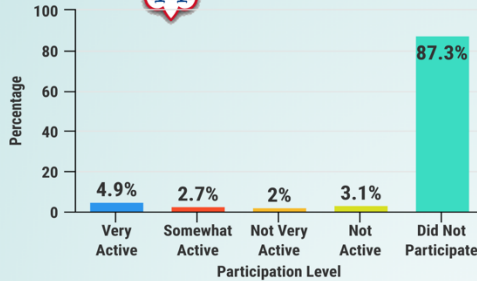


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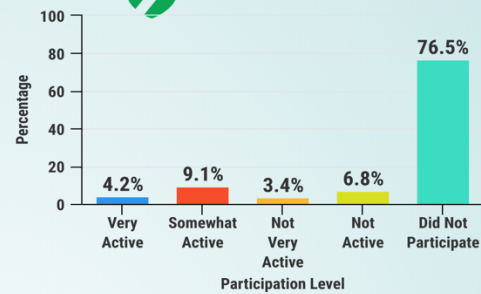
Participation in Out of School / After School Youth Groups



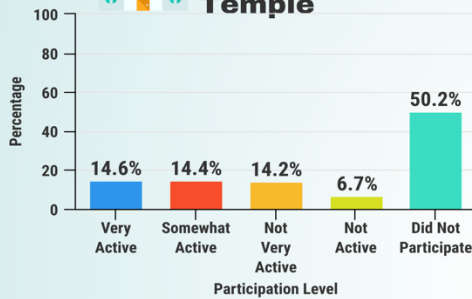
Boy Scouts



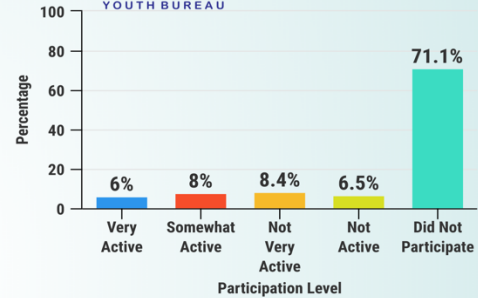
Girl Scouts



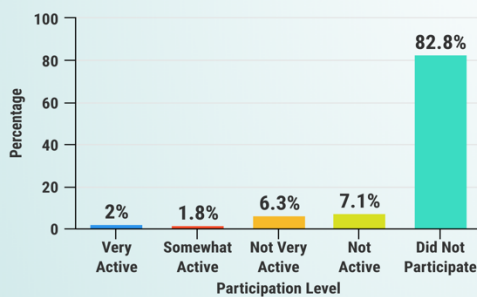
Church/ Synagogue/ Temple



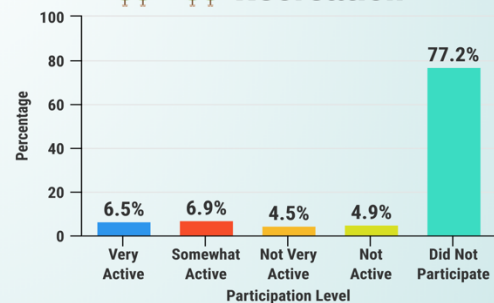
Youth Bureau



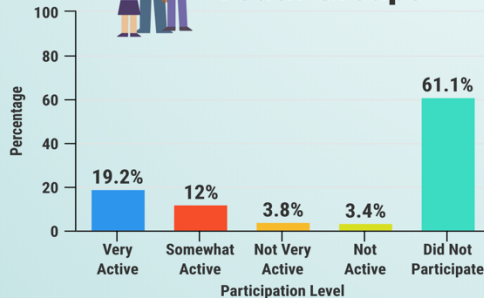
White Plains Library



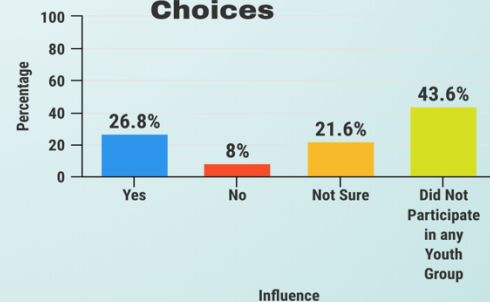
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Other Youth Groups



Has Participation Influenced Behavior/ Choices



Discussion

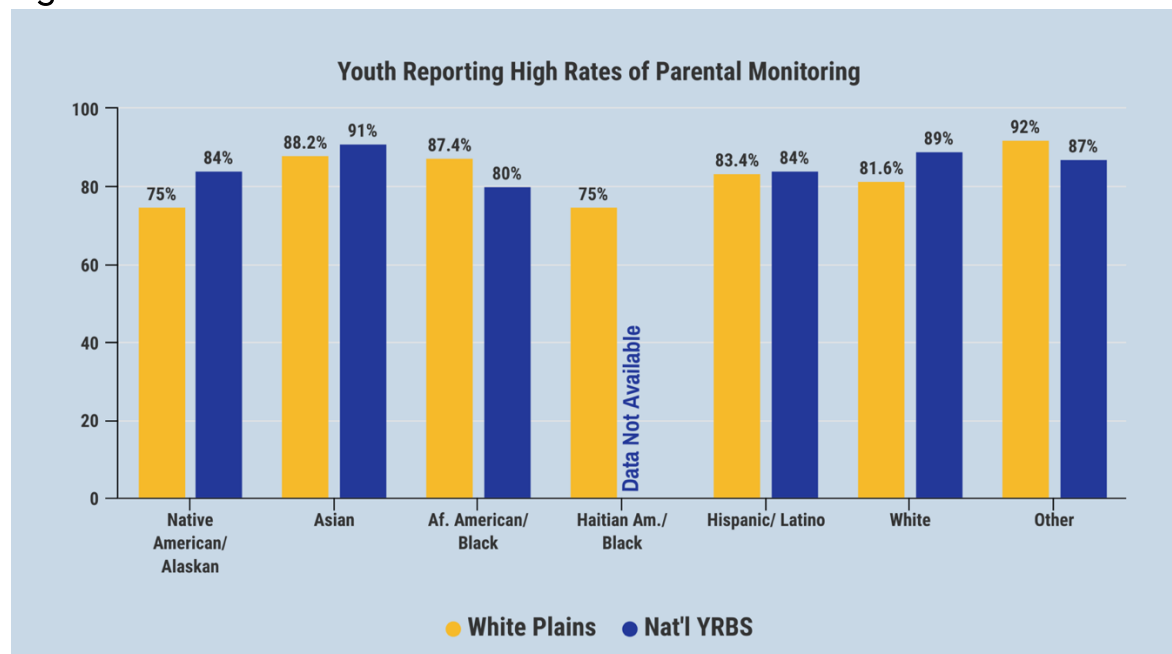
Overall youth and parents in White Plains appear to be doing well. Youth report doing well in school receiving mostly A's & B's, they report low rates of bullying and illicit substance use. They also appear to be overall healthy with the average BMI falling within the 5th and 85th percentile.

Bullying is on par with reported national rates at approx. 15% on school property. Electronic (social media) bullying is lower than national rates at 11%. The 2021 YRBS reports 15% on school property bullying and 16% electronic bullying. Girls report slightly higher rates of both types of bullying. Additionally, youth participating in free and reduced lunch also report slightly higher rates of bullying (Fig. 30 & 31). Hispanic and White youth report being bullied at higher rates than youth from other ethnic groups.

Parental supervision is on par with than national rates. In 2021 the YRBS reports that 86% of high school students reported that their parents or other adults in their family most of the time or always knew where they were going or whom they would be with, also referred to as high parental monitoring. White Plains youth report high parental supervision at 88.5%. Female students were more likely than male students to report high parental monitoring. In White Plains, both girls and boys report almost equal levels of parental monitoring (girls 87.8% and boys 84.4%).

Nationally, Black students were less likely (80%) than students from most other racial and ethnic groups to report high parental monitoring. In White Plains Haitian Black and Native American/Alaskan students reported the lowest rate of parental monitoring at 75%.

Fig. 52



Although White Plains youth report low levels of past 30-day use of illicit substances, they also report having low levels of perception of harm of these substances. Youth also report that their peers and parents have low disapproval rates if they were to use ATAOD (alcohol, tobacco, and other drugs). Youth response to the question of past 30-day use may have been biased with their fear of incriminating themselves. The presence of the low levels of perception of harm and peer/ parental disapproval indicates risk factors that may put these youth at risk for experimenting or developing chronic use of ATAOD. The low levels of perception of harm and risk are also reported by parents themselves (Fig. 11 & 12).

Availability of illicit substance and ease access are other variables that indicate presence of risk factors. White Plains youth report that alcohol and vapor products are easy to access (48.4% and 41.3% respectively). Additionally, substances are easier to access as youth get older (Fig. 44).

Lack of sleep, stress and anxiety were other factors cited by youth and parents. When youth were asked in focus groups why they were not getting enough sleep they said that they had too much homework to complete.

Another indicator of youth at risk are youth arrest rates. Arrest rates for youth <18 years has risen in White Plains with 36 reported arrests in 2022 as opposed to 27 and 28 in 2019 and 2018 respectively.

Fig. 53

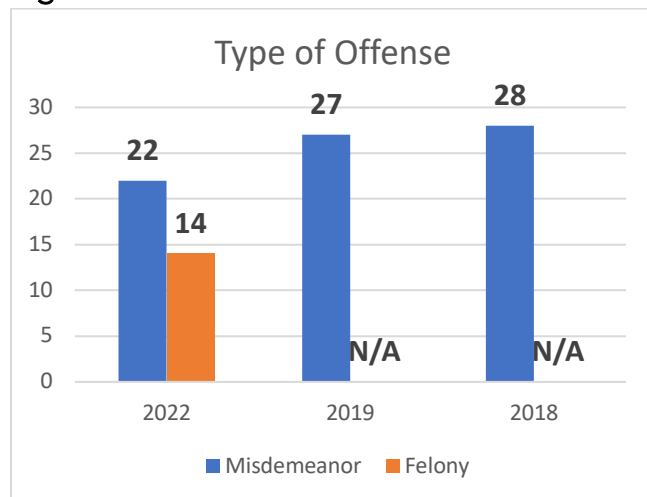
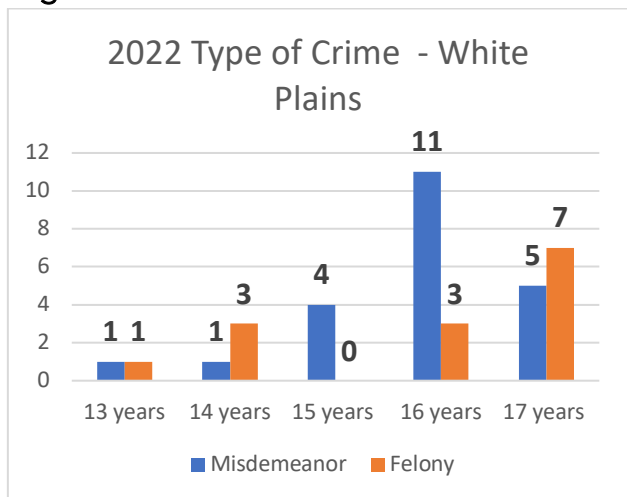
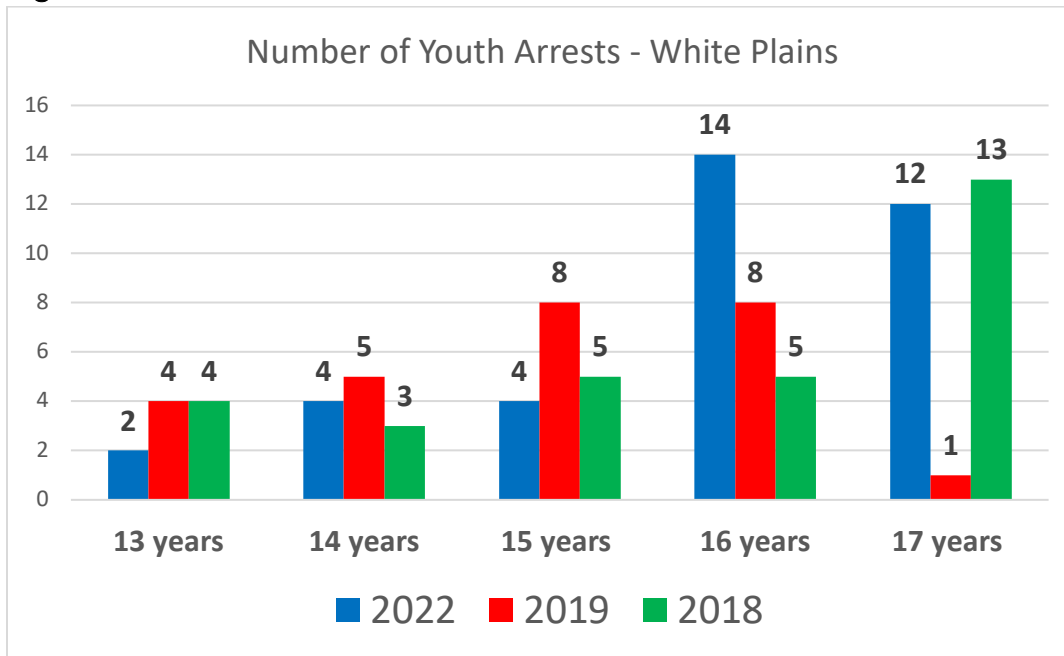


Fig. 54



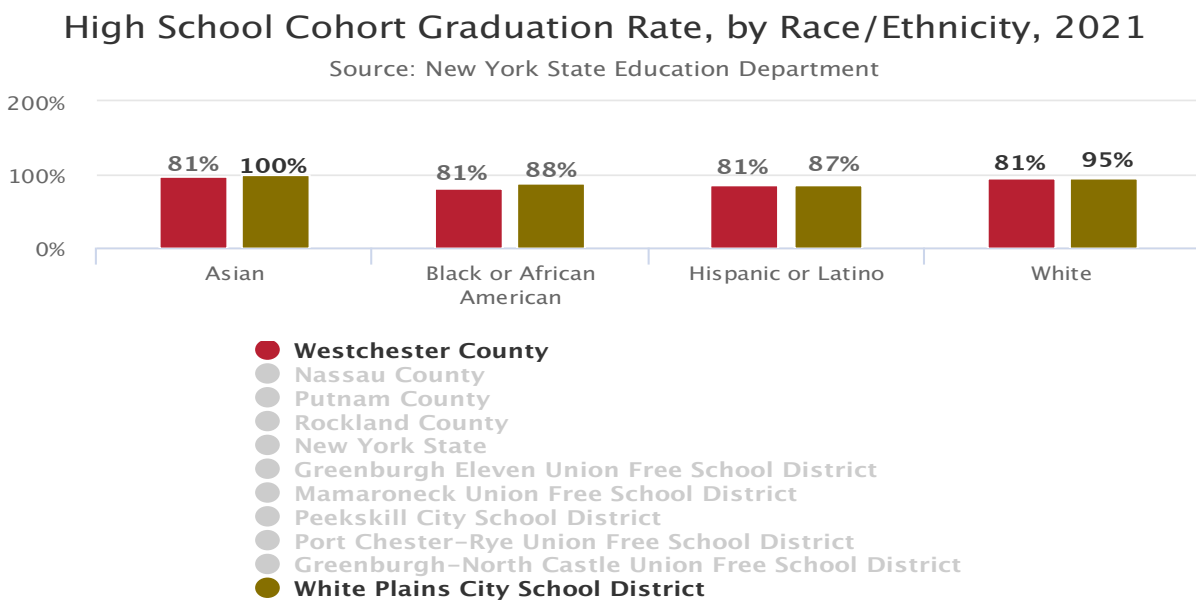
Arrest rates are driven by the fact that 16 and 17 years old youth are now charged as youth offenders (Fig 52 & 53).

Fig. 55



Although youth reported getting mostly A's & B's in the survey, the college readiness score for the High School is reported as 40.2/100 by US News & World Reports. White Plains school cohort graduation rate for Black and Hispanic youth is also lower than for Asian and White youth.

Fig. 56



Overall, youth reported in focus group discussion that they liked living in White Plains and felt connected with the community. They said they would like to live in White Plains after graduation. They also reported being overall happy with the schools. They reported feeling safe and that there were many school clubs to be involved in and also after school activities. The one thing they felt was lacking was a space for high school youth to “hang out” without younger youth being present. The closing of the Galleria Mall was lamented by all youth in the focus groups.

There is opportunity for youth serving organizations to reach more youth with 43.6% youth reporting that they do not participate in any youth groups.

APPENDIX 1



Select School District
White Plains

2022 COMMUNITY SNAPSHOT

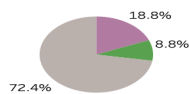
There are **58,137** residents in White Plains.

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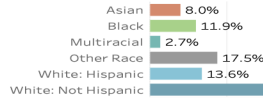
DEMOGRAPHICS (2019)

16,062 children and youth ages 24 and under.

Under 18
18-24
Ages 25 and Above



Race (All Ages)



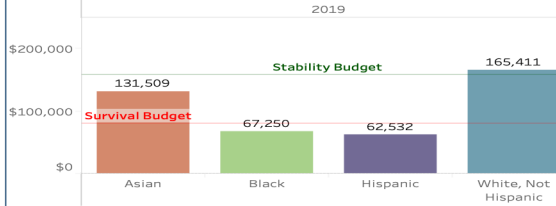
Hispanic/Non-Hispanic



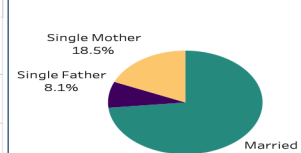
FAMILIES & SOCIOECONOMICS (2019)

The Median Income for Families with Children under 18 in White Plains is **\$104,346**.

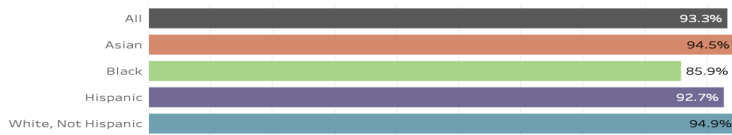
Median Household Income by Race (All Households)



Percent of Children in Family Type

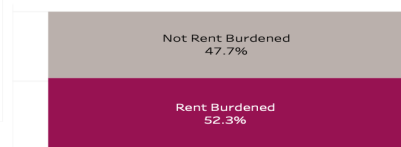


Population with Broadband Internet Access by Race



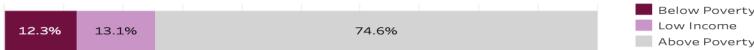
Rent Burdened Households

(spending more than 30% of household income on rent)



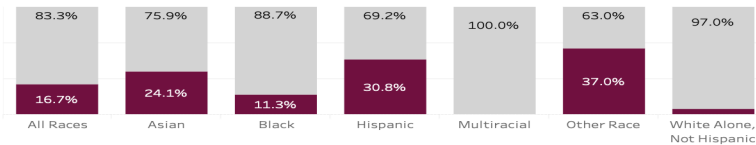
Population Living in Poverty/Low Income - All Ages

The Poverty Threshold in 2019 for a Household of Four was \$26,172.



In poverty: People in households with an income below the Poverty Threshold
Low Income: People in households with an income 100% to 200% of the Poverty Threshold

Poverty Rates for Children 0-17 by Race



Find child & youth homelessness data at
wca4kids.org/homelessdashboard

Delayed or No Prenatal Care by Municipality (%)

The percentage of infants with delayed or no prenatal care is not available at the school district level. The list below shows rates by the municipalities found within the school district.

White Plains (C) 46.8%

EDUCATION (Various)

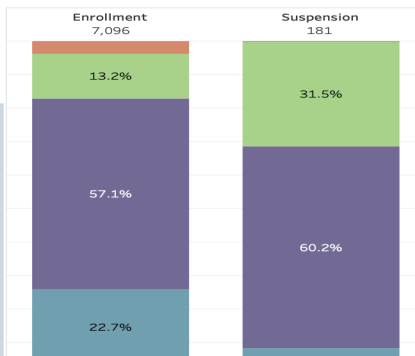
Early Education (2019)

An estimated **1,133** children ages 3 and above are enrolled in Early Education (Pre-K/Nursery School).

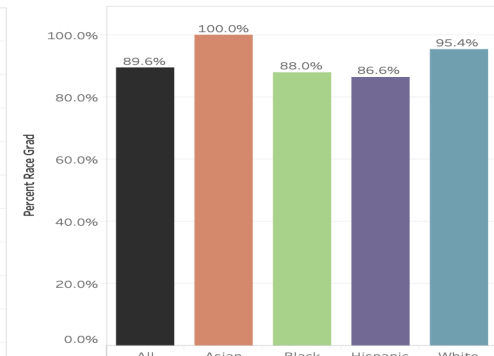
School Supports (2017-18)

ONE TEACHER for every 13 students.
ONE PSYCHOLOGIST for every 546 students.
ONE SOCIAL WORKER for every 507 students.
ONE SECURITY GUARD for every 405 students.

Enrollment vs. Suspension (2017-18)



4 Yr High School Graduation Rate (August 2021)



APPENDIX 2A RISK FACTORS

Risk factors are conditions that increase the likelihood of a young person becoming involved in drug use, delinquency, school dropout, and/or violence

		Substance Abuse	Delinquency	Teen Pregnancy	School Drop-Out	Violence	Depression & Anxiety
Community	Low Neighborhood Attachment	✓	✓			✓	
	Perceived Availability of Drugs	✓				✓	
	Perceived Availability of Handguns		✓			✓	
	Community Laws and Norms Favorable Toward Drug Use, Firearms and Crime	✓	✓			✓	
Family	Family History of Antisocial Behavior	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	Poor Family Management	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	Family Conflict	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	Parental Attitudes Favorable Toward Drugs and Antisocial Behavior	✓	✓			✓	
School	Academic Failure	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	Low Commitment to School	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
	Rebelliousness	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
	Gang Involvement	✓	✓			✓	
Peer / Individual	Perceived Risk of Drug Use	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
	Attitudes Favorable Toward Antisocial Behavior and Drug Use	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
	Friend's Use of Drugs	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
	Interaction with Antisocial Peers	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
	Depressive Symptoms	✓			✓		✓

APPENDIX 2B

PROTECTIVE FACTORS

Protective factors, also known as “assets,” are conditions that buffer youth from risk by reducing the impact of the risks or changing the way they respond to risks.

		Healthy Beliefs and Clear Standards	Bonding	Opportunities	Skills	Recognition
Community	Rewards for Prosocial Involvement		✓			✓
	Family Attachment		✓			
Family	Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement		✓	✓		
	Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	✓	✓			✓
School	Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement		✓	✓		
	Rewards for Prosocial Involvement		✓			✓
Peer / Individual	Interaction with Prosocial Peers		✓		✓	
	Prosocial Involvement		✓		✓	
	Rewards for Prosocial Involvement		✓			✓
	Belief in the Moral Order	✓				
	Religiosity	✓				

PARENT SURVEY DATA TABLES

Frequency Table

What is the gender you identify with?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Female	230	64.6	64.8	64.8
	Male	84	23.6	23.7	88.5
	Trans female/Trans woman	7	2.0	2.0	90.4
	Trans man/Trans male	4	1.1	1.1	91.5
	Gender non-conforming	9	2.5	2.5	94.1
	No answer	21	5.9	5.9	100.0
	Total	355	99.7	100.0	
Missing	Multiple Marks	1	.3		
Total		356	100.0		

How are your children doing in school?

		Responses		Percent of Cases
		N	Percent	
Grades Received ^a	Extremely well - mostly A's	67	18.7%	19.4%
	Very well - mostly A's & B's	129	36.0%	37.4%
	Average - a mix of A's, B's, & some C's	107	29.9%	31.0%
	Not well - mostly C's & D's	47	13.1%	13.6%
	My child is failing - mostly D's & F's	8	2.2%	2.3%
Total		358	100.0%	103.8%

a. Dichotomy group tabulated at value 1.

Age of Children

		Responses		Percent of Cases
		N	Percent	
Age of Children ^a	12 or younger	160	32.1%	44.9%
	13 years	67	13.5%	18.8%
	14 years	59	11.8%	16.6%
	15 years	40	8.0%	11.2%
	16 years	42	8.4%	11.8%

	17 years	47	9.4%	13.2%
	18 years	24	4.8%	6.7%
	Older than 18 years	59	11.8%	16.6%
Total		498	100.0%	139.9%

a. Dichotomy group tabulated at value 1.

Grade of Children

		Responses		Percent of Cases
		N	Percent	
Grade of Children ^a	Elementary (Grades 1-5)	113	23.5%	32.3%
	6th grade	45	9.4%	12.9%
	7th grade	39	8.1%	11.1%
	8th grade	46	9.6%	13.1%
	9th grade	56	11.6%	16.0%
	10th grade	47	9.8%	13.4%
	11th grade	46	9.6%	13.1%
	12th grade	48	10.0%	13.7%
	Ungraded or other grade	41	8.5%	11.7%
Total		481	100.0%	137.4%

a. Dichotomy group tabulated at value 1.

What is your race?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	American Indian or Alaska Native	12	3.4	3.4	3.4
	Asian	13	3.7	3.7	7.2
	Black or African American	49	13.8	14.1	21.3
	Haitian African American	10	2.8	2.9	24.1
	Hispanic or Latino	220	61.8	63.2	87.4
	White	33	9.3	9.5	96.8
	Other	11	3.1	3.2	100.0
	Total	348	97.8	100.0	
Missing	Missing	7	2.0		
	Multiple Marks	1	.3		
	Total	8	2.2		
Total		356	100.0		

What is your ZIP code?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	10528	1	.3	.3	.3
	10530	2	.6	.6	.8
	10562	1	.3	.3	1.1
	10601	72	20.2	20.3	21.5
	10602	47	13.2	13.3	34.7
	10603	57	16.0	16.1	50.8
	10604	63	17.7	17.8	68.6
	10605	54	15.2	15.3	83.9
	10606	42	11.8	11.9	95.8
	10607	12	3.4	3.4	99.2
	10608	1	.3	.3	99.4
	10610	2	.6	.6	100.0
	Total	354	99.4	100.0	
Missing	-9	2	.6		
Total		356	100.0		

What is the primary language spoken in your home?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	English	160	44.9	47.9	47.9
	French	5	1.4	1.5	49.4
	Spanish	165	46.3	49.4	98.8
	Other	4	1.1	1.2	100.0
	Total	334	93.8	100.0	
Missing	Missing	12	3.4		
	Multiple Marks	10	2.8		
	Total	22	6.2		
Total		356	100.0		

Marital status:

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Married	145	40.7	41.2	41.2
	Divorced	57	16.0	16.2	57.4
	Single	93	26.1	26.4	83.8
	Living with partner	39	11.0	11.1	94.9
	Widowed	18	5.1	5.1	100.0
	Total	352	98.9	100.0	
Missing	Missing	4	1.1		

Total	356	100.0		
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What is the highest grade or year of school you completed?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Less than high school	57	16.0	16.1	16.1
	High school/GED	87	24.4	24.6	40.7
	Some college or technical school	78	21.9	22.0	62.7
	College graduate	59	16.6	16.7	79.4
	Advanced or professional degree	73	20.5	20.6	100.0
	Total	354	99.4	100.0	
Missing	Missing	2	.6		
Total		356	100.0		

Have you ever tested positive for COVID-19?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Yes	153	43.0	45.0	45.0
	No	126	35.4	37.1	82.1
	Don't know/No answer	61	17.1	17.9	100.0
	Total	340	95.5	100.0	
Missing	Missing	16	4.5		
Total		356	100.0		

Have you been vaccinated against COVID-19?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Fully vaccinated	116	32.6	33.3	33.3
	Vaccinated & booster shots	72	20.2	20.7	54.0
	Vaccinated but no booster shots	40	11.2	11.5	65.5
	Not vaccinated	44	12.4	12.6	78.2
	Don't know/No answer	76	21.3	21.8	100.0
	Total	348	97.8	100.0	
Missing	Missing	8	2.2		
Total		356	100.0		

I currently live:

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	In my own home/apartment	123	34.6	35.9	35.9
	Rented apartment/home	137	38.5	39.9	75.8
	Multi-family home (rented)	54	15.2	15.7	91.5
	Homeless/Shelter	3	.8	.9	92.4
	Live with my parents/grandparents	26	7.3	7.6	100.0
	Total	343	96.3	100.0	
Missing	Missing	13	3.7		
Total		356	100.0		

Number of people in household:

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	1-2	76	21.3	22.3	22.3
	3-4	166	46.6	48.7	71.0
	5-6	82	23.0	24.0	95.0
	7-8	16	4.5	4.7	99.7
	More than 8	1	.3	.3	100.0
	Total	341	95.8	100.0	
Missing	Missing	15	4.2		
Total		356	100.0		

What is your most common mode of transportation?

		Responses		Percent of Cases
		N	Percent	
Transportation ^a	Carpool	49	12.6%	14.1%
	Transportation (bus, train, taxi)	91	23.3%	26.2%
	Walk	50	12.8%	14.4%
	My own car	193	49.5%	55.6%
	Other	7	1.8%	2.0%
Total		390	100.0%	112.4%

a. Dichotomy group tabulated at value 1.

Are your children enrolled in any after-school programs or day care?

		Responses		Percent of Cases
		N	Percent	
After school Program Enrollment ^a	Yes, at their school's after-school program	108	31.4%	31.8%
	Private day care	18	5.2%	5.3%

	Stay with grandparents after school	31	9.0%	9.1%
	Stay at home by themselves	31	9.0%	9.1%
	I do not need after-school care for my child(ren)	156	45.3%	45.9%
Total		344	100.0%	101.2%

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Do you have any children with special needs?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Yes	47	13.2	13.9	13.9
	No	231	64.9	68.1	82.0
	Don't know/No answer	61	17.1	18.0	100.0
	Total	339	95.2	100.0	
Missing	Missing	17	4.8		
Total		356	100.0		

How difficult is it for you to find services for your special needs child?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Very difficult	21	5.9	6.2	6.2
	Somewhat difficult	22	6.2	6.5	12.6
	Not very difficult	13	3.7	3.8	16.4
	Not difficult at all	4	1.1	1.2	17.6
	I do not have a special needs child.	281	78.9	82.4	100.0
	Total	341	95.8	100.0	
Missing	Missing	15	4.2		
Total		356	100.0		

I am currently:

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Employed full time	211	59.3	61.7	61.7
	Employed part-time	54	15.2	15.8	77.5
	Employed full time AND part-time	21	5.9	6.1	83.6
	Self-employed	11	3.1	3.2	86.8
	Student	2	.6	.6	87.4
	Retired	10	2.8	2.9	90.4
	Homemaker	23	6.5	6.7	97.1

	Unable to work	5	1.4	1.5	98.5
	Unemployed	5	1.4	1.5	100.0
	Total	342	96.1	100.0	
Missing	Missing	9	2.5		
	Multiple Marks	5	1.4		
	Total	14	3.9		
Total		356	100.0		

Do your children participate in the school's free/reduced cost lunch program?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Yes	156	43.8	46.0	46.0
	No	121	34.0	35.7	81.7
	I Don't know	62	17.4	18.3	100.0
	Total	339	95.2	100.0	
Missing	Missing	17	4.8		
Total		356	100.0		

In the past 30 days I have been depressed and anxious.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Yes	35	9.8	10.1	10.1
	No	177	49.7	51.3	61.4
	Somewhat	82	23.0	23.8	85.2
	Don't know	51	14.3	14.8	100.0
	Total	345	96.9	100.0	
Missing	Missing	11	3.1		
Total		356	100.0		

Comfort for problem...

		Responses		Percent of Cases
		N	Percent	
If your child had a problem, (e.g. academic bullying or harassment, emotional/family/sexual health/substance abuse), they would feel comfortable going to:	Parent(s) or guardian(s)	253	45.6%	88.5%
	Teacher/guidance counselor	140	25.2%	49.0%
	School sports coach	77	13.9%	26.9%
	Pastor/priest/other religious leader	85	15.3%	29.7%
Total		555	100.0%	194.1%

a. Dichotomy group tabulated at value 1.

Do your children participate in, (or have the ever) been a member of any of the following?

		Responses		Percent of Cases
		N	Percent	
Participation of Children in Youth Progr ^a	Girl Scouts of America	15	3.6%	4.9%
	Church/synagogue/temple/mosque youth group	48	11.6%	15.6%
	City Library or Recreation Department program	55	13.3%	17.9%
	White Plains Youth Bureau	158	38.3%	51.5%
	Other	102	24.7%	33.2%
	Boy Scouts of America	35	8.5%	11.4%
Total		413	100.0%	134.5%

a. Dichotomy group tabulated at value 1.

I am able to help my child with his/her homework

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	All the time	118	33.1	34.4	34.4
	Sometimes	129	36.2	37.6	72.0
	Not always	53	14.9	15.5	87.5
	Not at all	43	12.1	12.5	100.0
	Total	343	96.3	100.0	
Missing	Missing	12	3.4		
	Multiple Marks	1	.3		
	Total	13	3.7		
Total		356	100.0		

I feel comfortable talking to my child about topics like sex & drugs.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	All the time	126	35.4	37.1	37.1
	Sometimes	91	25.6	26.8	63.8
	Not always	89	25.0	26.2	90.0

	Not at all	34	9.6	10.0	100.0
	Total	340	95.5	100.0	
Missing	Missing	16	4.5		
Total		356	100.0		

I have a good relationship with my child.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	All the time	161	45.2	47.2	47.2
	Sometimes	113	31.7	33.1	80.4
	Not always	57	16.0	16.7	97.1
	Not at all	10	2.8	2.9	100.0
	Total	341	95.8	100.0	
Missing	Missing	13	3.7		
	Multiple Marks	2	.6		
	Total	15	4.2		
Total		356	100.0		

I am confident about making decisions about my child's education.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	All the time	170	47.8	49.4	49.4
	Sometimes	100	28.1	29.1	78.5
	Not always	57	16.0	16.6	95.1
	Not at all	17	4.8	4.9	100.0
	Total	344	96.6	100.0	
Missing	Missing	12	3.4		
Total		356	100.0		

I am comfortable talking to the school (teachers, administration) about my child's progress in school.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	All the time	155	43.5	45.2	45.2
	Sometimes	103	28.9	30.0	75.2
	Not always	65	18.3	19.0	94.2
	Not at all	20	5.6	5.8	100.0
	Total	343	96.3	100.0	
Missing	Missing	13	3.7		
Total		356	100.0		

I am concerned about my child(ren)'s behavior at home.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	All the time	31	8.7	9.1	9.1
	Sometimes	91	25.6	26.6	35.7
	Not always	84	23.6	24.6	60.2
	Not at all	136	38.2	39.8	100.0
	Total	342	96.1	100.0	
Missing	Missing	14	3.9		
Total		356	100.0		

My child gets into a lot of trouble at school.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	All the time	22	6.2	6.5	6.5
	Sometimes	60	16.9	17.7	24.2
	Not always	62	17.4	18.3	42.5
	Not at all	195	54.8	57.5	100.0
	Total	339	95.2	100.0	
Missing	Missing	15	4.2		
	Multiple Marks	1	.3		
	System	1	.3		
	Total	17	4.8		
Total		356	100.0		

We eat at least one meal together as a family.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	All the time	149	41.9	43.3	43.3
	Sometimes	123	34.6	35.8	79.1
	Not always	55	15.4	16.0	95.1
	Not at all	17	4.8	4.9	100.0
	Total	344	96.6	100.0	
Missing	Missing	12	3.4		
Total		356	100.0		

I know how to manage my child's behavior.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	All the time	104	29.2	30.3	30.3
	Sometimes	149	41.9	43.4	73.8
	Not always	76	21.3	22.2	95.9
	Not at all	14	3.9	4.1	100.0
	Total	343	96.3	100.0	

Missing	Missing	13	3.7		
Total		356	100.0		

I trust my child(ren)'s teacher to make decisions about their education.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	All the time	131	36.8	38.6	38.6
	Sometimes	115	32.3	33.9	72.6
	Not always	75	21.1	22.1	94.7
	Not at all	18	5.1	5.3	100.0
	Total	339	95.2	100.0	
Missing	Missing	15	4.2		
	Multiple Marks	1	.3		
	System	1	.3		
	Total	17	4.8		
Total		356	100.0		

How wrong do you feel it is to have one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Very wrong	116	32.6	34.0	34.0
	Wrong	72	20.2	21.1	55.1
	A little bit wrong	72	20.2	21.1	76.2
	Not at all wrong	81	22.8	23.8	100.0
	Total	341	95.8	100.0	
Missing	Missing	15	4.2		
Total		356	100.0		

How wrong do you feel it is to use electronic vapor products (e.g. e-cigarettes, vape pens, JUUL, hookahs, etc.)

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Very wrong	113	31.7	33.1	33.1
	Wrong	94	26.4	27.6	60.7
	A little bit wrong	48	13.5	14.1	74.8
	Not at all wrong	86	24.2	25.2	100.0
	Total	341	95.8	100.0	
Missing	Missing	14	3.9		
	Multiple Marks	1	.3		
	Total	15	4.2		
Total		356	100.0		

How wrong do you feel it is to smoke cigarettes?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Very wrong	116	32.6	33.8	33.8
	Wrong	72	20.2	21.0	54.8
	A little bit wrong	65	18.3	19.0	73.8
	Not at all wrong	90	25.3	26.2	100.0
	Total	343	96.3	100.0	
Missing	Missing	12	3.4		
	Multiple Marks	1	.3		
	Total	13	3.7		
Total		356	100.0		

How wrong do you feel it is to smoke marijuana regularly/every day?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Very wrong	123	34.6	35.9	35.9
	Wrong	91	25.6	26.5	62.4
	A little bit wrong	35	9.8	10.2	72.6
	Not at all wrong	94	26.4	27.4	100.0
	Total	343	96.3	100.0	
Missing	Missing	13	3.7		
Total		356	100.0		

How wrong do you feel it is to smoke marijuana once or twice a week?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Very wrong	119	33.4	35.0	35.0
	Wrong	80	22.5	23.5	58.5
	A little bit wrong	50	14.0	14.7	73.2
	Not at all wrong	91	25.6	26.8	100.0
	Total	340	95.5	100.0	
Missing	Missing	16	4.5		
Total		356	100.0		

How wrong do you feel it is to use prescription drugs not prescribed to you?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Very wrong	163	45.8	48.1	48.1
	Wrong	62	17.4	18.3	66.4
	A little bit wrong	19	5.3	5.6	72.0
	Not at all wrong	95	26.7	28.0	100.0
	Total	339	95.2	100.0	

Missing	Missing	17	4.8		
Total		356	100.0		

I ask if my children have gotten their homework done.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Always	156	43.8	46.8	46.8
	Most times	85	23.9	25.5	72.4
	Sometimes	51	14.3	15.3	87.7
	Never	41	11.5	12.3	100.0
	Total	333	93.5	100.0	
Missing	Missing	23	6.5		
Total		356	100.0		

I check and make sure my children have their homework done.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Always	119	33.4	35.2	35.2
	Most times	74	20.8	21.9	57.1
	Sometimes	96	27.0	28.4	85.5
	Never	49	13.8	14.5	100.0
	Total	338	94.9	100.0	
Missing	Missing	17	4.8		
	Multiple Marks	1	.3		
	Total	18	5.1		
Total		356	100.0		

I know where my children are and who they are with.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Always	161	45.2	47.5	47.5
	Most times	92	25.8	27.1	74.6
	Sometimes	71	19.9	20.9	95.6
	Never	15	4.2	4.4	100.0
	Total	339	95.2	100.0	
Missing	Missing	16	4.5		
	Multiple Marks	1	.3		
	Total	17	4.8		
Total		356	100.0		

People in our family fight or yell at each other.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
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Valid	Always	24	6.7	7.0	7.0
	Most times	61	17.1	17.9	24.9
	Sometimes	127	35.7	37.2	62.2
	Never	129	36.2	37.8	100.0
	Total	341	95.8	100.0	
Missing	Missing	14	3.9		
	Multiple Marks	1	.3		
	Total	15	4.2		
Total		356	100.0		

If my children have a personal problem, they feel comfortable coming to me/us for help.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Always	173	48.6	51.0	51.0
	Most times	92	25.8	27.1	78.2
	Sometimes	55	15.4	16.2	94.4
	Never	19	5.3	5.6	100.0
	Total	339	95.2	100.0	
Missing	Missing	17	4.8		
Total		356	100.0		

Our family has clear rules about alcohol and drug use.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Very clear rules	198	55.6	63.7	63.7
	Somewhat clear rules	86	24.2	27.7	91.3
	Not very clear rules	26	7.3	8.4	99.7
	No rules	1	.3	.3	100.0
	Total	311	87.4	100.0	
Missing	Missing	45	12.6		
Total		356	100.0		

How much do you think your children risk harming themselves (physicall or in other ways) if they smoke?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No risk	127	35.7	38.4	38.4
	Slight risk	53	14.9	16.0	54.4
	Moderate risk	54	15.2	16.3	70.7
	Great risk	97	27.2	29.3	100.0
	Total	331	93.0	100.0	

Missing	Missing	24	6.7		
	Multiple Marks	1	.3		
	Total	25	7.0		
Total		356	100.0		

How much do you think your children risk harming themselves (physicall or in other ways) if they use electronic vapor products (e.g. e-cigarettes, vape pens, JUUL, hookahs, etc.)?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No risk	127	35.7	37.5	37.5
	Slight risk	54	15.2	15.9	53.4
	Moderate risk	58	16.3	17.1	70.5
	Great risk	100	28.1	29.5	100.0
	Total	339	95.2	100.0	
Missing	Missing	16	4.5		
	Multiple Marks	1	.3		
	Total	17	4.8		
Total		356	100.0		

How much do you think your children risk harming themselves (physicall or in other ways) if they use marijuana?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No risk	119	33.4	35.2	35.2
	Slight risk	63	17.7	18.6	53.8
	Moderate risk	67	18.8	19.8	73.7
	Great risk	89	25.0	26.3	100.0
	Total	338	94.9	100.0	
Missing	Missing	16	4.5		
	Multiple Marks	2	.6		
	Total	18	5.1		
Total		356	100.0		

How much do you think your children risk harming themselves (physicall or in other ways) if they drink alcohol?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No risk	122	34.3	36.1	36.1
	Slight risk	75	21.1	22.2	58.3
	Moderate risk	53	14.9	15.7	74.0
	Great risk	88	24.7	26.0	100.0
	Total	338	94.9	100.0	

Missing	Missing	17	4.8		
	Multiple Marks	1	.3		
	Total	18	5.1		
Total		356	100.0		

How much do you think your children risk harming themselves (physicall or in other ways) if they use prescription drugs that are not prescribed to them?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No risk	156	43.8	46.2	46.2
	Slight risk	46	12.9	13.6	59.8
	Moderate risk	48	13.5	14.2	74.0
	Great risk	88	24.7	26.0	100.0
	Total	338	94.9	100.0	
Missing	Missing	18	5.1		
Total		356	100.0		

My children eat breakfast.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Every day	167	46.9	51.7	51.7
	4-5 times a week	59	16.6	18.3	70.0
	2-3 times a week	65	18.3	20.1	90.1
	Less than 1 time a week	11	3.1	3.4	93.5
	Never	21	5.9	6.5	100.0
	Total	323	90.7	100.0	
Missing	Missing	13	3.7		
	Multiple Marks	20	5.6		
	Total	33	9.3		
Total		356	100.0		

My children eat vegetables.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Every day	93	26.1	29.2	29.2
	4-5 times a week	86	24.2	27.0	56.3
	2-3 times a week	77	21.6	24.2	80.5
	Less than 1 time a week	37	10.4	11.6	92.1
	Never	25	7.0	7.9	100.0
	Total	318	89.3	100.0	

Missing	Missing	11	3.1		
	Multiple Marks	27	7.6		
	Total	38	10.7		
Total		356	100.0		

My children eat fruit.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Every day	101	28.4	30.9	30.9
	4-5 times a week	97	27.2	29.7	60.6
	2-3 times a week	80	22.5	24.5	85.0
	Less than 1 time a week	28	7.9	8.6	93.6
	Never	21	5.9	6.4	100.0
	Total	327	91.9	100.0	
Missing	Missing	18	5.1		
	Multiple Marks	11	3.1		
	Total	29	8.1		
Total		356	100.0		

During the past 30 days, how often did your child experience poor mental health? (Poor mental health includes stress, anxiety, and depression.)

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Never	157	44.1	46.3	46.3
	Rarely	80	22.5	23.6	69.9
	Sometimes	68	19.1	20.1	90.0
	Most of the time	20	5.6	5.9	95.9
	Always	14	3.9	4.1	100.0
	Total	339	95.2	100.0	
Missing	Missing	17	4.8		
Total		356	100.0		

On an average day, how many hours do your children watch TV?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	They do not watch TV on an average school day.	35	9.8	10.4	10.4
	Less than 1 hour per day	30	8.4	8.9	19.3
	1 hour per day	30	8.4	8.9	28.2
	2 hours per day	105	29.5	31.2	59.3
	3 hours per day	69	19.4	20.5	79.8
	4 hours per day	15	4.2	4.5	84.3

	5 or more hours per day	6	1.7	1.8	86.1
	I don't know	47	13.2	13.9	100.0
	Total	337	94.7	100.0	
Missing	Missing	19	5.3		
Total		356	100.0		

On an average school night, how many hours of sleep do your children get?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	4-5 hours or less	22	6.2	6.6	6.6
	6 hours	44	12.4	13.3	19.9
	7 hours	88	24.7	26.6	46.5
	8 hours or more	126	35.4	38.1	84.6
	I don't know	51	14.3	15.4	100.0
	Total	331	93.0	100.0	
Missing	Missing	18	5.1		
	Multiple Marks	7	2.0		
	Total	25	7.0		
Total		356	100.0		

On an average school day, how many hours do your children play video or computer games or use a computer for something that is not schoolwork? (Include activities such as Playstation, Xbox, computer games, Facebook, and the Internet.)

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	They do not play video games on an average school day.	54	15.2	16.0	16.0
	Less than 1 hour per day	30	8.4	8.9	24.9
	1 hour per day	48	13.5	14.2	39.1
	2 hours per day	65	18.3	19.2	58.3
	3 hours per day	44	12.4	13.0	71.3
	4 hours per day	26	7.3	7.7	79.0
	5 or more hours per day	17	4.8	5.0	84.0
	I don't know	54	15.2	16.0	100.0
	Total	338	94.9	100.0	
Missing	Missing	18	5.1		
Total		356	100.0		

Each family member has his/her own device.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Yes	187	52.5	55.5	55.5

	No	150	42.1	44.5	100.0
	Total	337	94.7	100.0	
Missing	Missing	19	5.3		
Total		356	100.0		

We share devices.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Yes	72	20.2	21.4	21.4
	No	265	74.4	78.6	100.0
	Total	337	94.7	100.0	
Missing	Missing	19	5.3		
Total		356	100.0		

My children each have their own computer/device.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Yes	79	22.2	23.4	23.4
	No	258	72.5	76.6	100.0
	Total	337	94.7	100.0	
Missing	Missing	19	5.3		
Total		356	100.0		

We don't have a computer/device.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Yes	18	5.1	5.3	5.3
	No	319	89.6	94.7	100.0
	Total	337	94.7	100.0	
Missing	Missing	19	5.3		
Total		356	100.0		

We have high speed Internet service.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Yes	280	78.7	83.1	83.1
	No	57	16.0	16.9	100.0
	Total	337	94.7	100.0	
Missing	Missing	19	5.3		
Total		356	100.0		

Our Internet/wi-fi service is unreliable and weak.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Yes	51	14.3	15.1	15.1
	No	286	80.3	84.9	100.0
	Total	337	94.7	100.0	
Missing	Missing	19	5.3		
Total		356	100.0		

We have no Internet/wi-fi service.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Yes	10	2.8	3.0	3.0
	No	327	91.9	97.0	100.0
	Total	337	94.7	100.0	
Missing	Missing	19	5.3		
Total		356	100.0		

How comfortable are you in using your computer (using email, writing letters, online banking, etc.)?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Very comfortable	181	50.8	53.4	53.4
	Somewhat comfortable	89	25.0	26.3	79.6
	A little bit comfortable	59	16.6	17.4	97.1
	Not comfortable at all	5	1.4	1.5	98.5
	I don't know how to use a computer.	5	1.4	1.5	100.0
	Total	339	95.2	100.0	
Missing	Computed Missing	17	4.8		
Total		356	100.0		

YOUTH SURVEY TABLES

Frequency Tables

What is the gender you identify with?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Female	312	47.5	47.6	47.6
	Male	312	47.5	47.6	95.1
	Other	16	2.4	2.4	97.6
	Prefer not to answer	16	2.4	2.4	100.0
	Total	656	99.8	100.0	
Missing	Missing	1	.2		
Total		657	100.0		

How old are you?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	12 or younger	38	5.8	5.8	5.8
	13	309	47.0	47.1	52.9
	14	31	4.7	4.7	57.6
	15	163	24.8	24.8	82.5
	16	23	3.5	3.5	86.0
	17	83	12.6	12.7	98.6
	18	6	.9	.9	99.5
	Older than 18	3	.5	.5	100.0
	Total	656	99.8	100.0	
Missing	Missing	1	.2		
Total		657	100.0		

What grade are you in?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	8th	368	56.0	56.0	56.0
	10th	187	28.5	28.5	84.5
	12th	102	15.5	15.5	100.0
	Total	657	100.0	100.0	

What is your ZIP code?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	0	2	.3	.3	.3
	1063	1	.2	.2	.5
	1391	1	.2	.2	.7
	1506	1	.2	.2	.8
	1605	1	.2	.2	1.0
	1976	1	.2	.2	1.2
	3299	1	.2	.2	1.4
	6902	1	.2	.2	1.5
	10001	1	.2	.2	1.7
	10023	1	.2	.2	1.9
	10063	1	.2	.2	2.0
	10106	2	.3	.3	2.4
	10475	1	.2	.2	2.5
	10530	2	.3	.3	2.9
	10541	1	.2	.2	3.1
	10550	1	.2	.2	3.2
	10601	68	10.4	11.5	14.7
	10603	66	10.0	11.2	25.9
	10604	38	5.8	6.4	32.4
	10605	192	29.2	32.5	64.9
	10606	194	29.5	32.9	97.8
	10607	1	.2	.2	98.0
	10608	1	.2	.2	98.1
	10609	1	.2	.2	98.3
	10630	1	.2	.2	98.5
	10704	2	.3	.3	98.8
	10920	1	.2	.2	99.0
	11006	1	.2	.2	99.2
	11111	1	.2	.2	99.3
	38473	1	.2	.2	99.5
	50000	1	.2	.2	99.7
	50423	1	.2	.2	99.8
	50528	1	.2	.2	100.0

	Total	590	89.8	100.0	
Missing	Missing	67	10.2		
Total		657	100.0		

RACE

		Responses		Percent of Cases
		N	Percent	
Race^a	American Indian or Alaska Native	10	1.2%	1.5%
	Asian	61	7.5%	9.3%
	Black or African American	79	9.7%	12.1%
	Haitian African American	28	3.4%	4.3%
	What is your race? Hispanic or Latino	384	47.2%	58.6%
	White	206	25.3%	31.5%
	Other	46	5.7%	7.0%
Total		814	100.0%	124.3%

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What is the primary language spoken in your home?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	English	338	51.4	53.3	53.3
	French	1	.2	.2	53.5
	Spanish	258	39.3	40.7	94.2
	Creole	12	1.8	1.9	96.1
	Other	25	3.8	3.9	100.0
	Total	634	96.5	100.0	
Missing	Missing	23	3.5		
Total		657	100.0		

Putting them all together, what were your grades like last year?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Mostly F's	15	2.3	2.4	2.4
	Mostly D's	20	3.0	3.2	5.5
	Mostly C's	89	13.5	14.1	19.6

	Mostly B's	215	32.7	34.0	53.6
	Mostly A's	294	44.7	46.4	100.0
	Total	633	96.3	100.0	
Missing	Missing	24	3.7		
Total		657	100.0		

Do you participate in the school's free/reduced-cost lunch program?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Yes	160	24.4	25.3	25.3
	No	309	47.0	48.8	74.1
	I don't know	164	25.0	25.9	100.0
	Total	633	96.3	100.0	
Missing	Missing	24	3.7		
Total		657	100.0		

If you had a problem, would you feel comfortable going to any of the following people? My parents or guardians

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Yes	507	77.2	81.0	81.0
	No	119	18.1	19.0	100.0
	Total	626	95.3	100.0	
Missing	Missing	31	4.7		
Total		657	100.0		

If you had a problem, would you feel comfortable going to any of the following people? My teachers or guidance counselor

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Yes	317	48.2	51.3	51.3
	No	301	45.8	48.7	100.0
	Total	618	94.1	100.0	
Missing	Missing	39	5.9		
Total		657	100.0		

If you had a problem, would you feel comfortable going to any of the following people? My coach

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
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Valid	Yes	217	33.0	35.5	35.5
	No	395	60.1	64.5	100.0
	Total	612	93.2	100.0	
Missing	Missing	45	6.8		
Total		657	100.0		

During the past 12 months, have you ever been bullied on school property?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Yes	80	12.2	12.6	12.6
	No	553	84.2	87.4	100.0
	Total	633	96.3	100.0	
Missing	Missing	24	3.7		
Total		657	100.0		

During the past 12 months, have you ever been electronically bullied?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Yes	57	8.7	9.0	9.0
	No	576	87.7	91.0	100.0
	Total	633	96.3	100.0	
Missing	Missing	24	3.7		
Total		657	100.0		

I feel comfortable talking to an adult at school if I am being bullied.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Yes	407	61.9	64.4	64.4
	No	225	34.2	35.6	100.0
	Total	632	96.2	100.0	
Missing	Missing	25	3.8		
Total		657	100.0		

I eat breakfast:

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Every day	272	41.4	43.5	43.5
	4-5 times a week	72	11.0	11.5	55.0
	2-3 times a week	118	18.0	18.8	73.8

	Less than 1 time a week	75	11.4	12.0	85.8
	Never	89	13.5	14.2	100.0
	Total	626	95.3	100.0	
Missing	Missing	31	4.7		
Total		657	100.0		

I eat vegetables

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	1 serving a day	231	35.2	36.9	36.9
	2-3 servings a day	270	41.1	43.1	80.0
	4-5 servings a day	58	8.8	9.3	89.3
	None	67	10.2	10.7	100.0
	Total	626	95.3	100.0	
Missing	Missing	31	4.7		
Total		657	100.0		

I eat fruits

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	1 serving a day	164	25.0	26.2	26.2
	2-3 servings a day	291	44.3	46.6	72.8
	4-5 servings a day	137	20.9	21.9	94.7
	None	33	5.0	5.3	100.0
	Total	625	95.1	100.0	
Missing	Missing	32	4.9		
Total		657	100.0		

I feel good about my weight

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Yes	328	49.9	52.5	52.5
	No	117	17.8	18.7	71.2
	Not sure	180	27.4	28.8	100.0
	Total	625	95.1	100.0	
Missing	Missing	32	4.9		
Total		657	100.0		

How do you describe your weight?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Very underweight	20	3.0	3.2	3.2
	Slightly underweight	85	12.9	13.7	16.9
	About the right weight	322	49.0	51.9	68.9
	Slightly overweight	162	24.7	26.1	95.0
	Very overweight	31	4.7	5.0	100.0
	Total	620	94.4	100.0	
Missing	Missing	37	5.6		
Total		657	100.0		

During the past 7 days, on how many days were you physically active for a total of at least 60 minutes per day?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	0	53	8.1	8.6	8.6
	1	24	3.7	3.9	12.5
	2	59	9.0	9.6	22.0
	3	100	15.2	16.2	38.2
	4	100	15.2	16.2	54.5
	5	80	12.2	13.0	67.4
	6	71	10.8	11.5	78.9
	7	130	19.8	21.1	100.0
	Total	617	93.9	100.0	
Missing	Missing	40	6.1		
Total		657	100.0		

How often do you eat at a fast-food restaurant?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Rarely or seldom	217	33.0	34.8	34.8
	A few times a month	281	42.8	45.0	79.8

	1-3 times per week	106	16.1	17.0	96.8
	4-6 times per week	15	2.3	2.4	99.2
	7 or more times per week	5	.8	.8	100.0
	Total	624	95.0	100.0	
Missing	Missing	33	5.0		
Total		657	100.0		

On an average school day, how many hours do you watch TV?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	I do not watch TV on an average school day.	198	30.1	32.4	32.4
	Less than 1 hour per day	111	16.9	18.2	50.6
	1 hour per day	93	14.2	15.2	65.8
	2 hours per day	115	17.5	18.8	84.6
	3 hours per day	43	6.5	7.0	91.7
	4 hours per day	19	2.9	3.1	94.8
	5 or more hours per day	32	4.9	5.2	100.0
	Total	611	93.0	100.0	
Missing	Missing	46	7.0		
Total		657	100.0		

On an average school night, how many hours of sleep do you get?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	4-5 hours or less	108	16.4	17.6	17.6
	6 hours	155	23.6	25.2	42.8
	7 hours	195	29.7	31.8	74.6
	8 hours or more	156	23.7	25.4	100.0
	Total	614	93.5	100.0	
Missing	Missing	43	6.5		
Total		657	100.0		

On an average school day, how many hours do you play video or computer games or use a computer for something that is not schoolwork?

		Frequenc y	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	I do not play video games on an average school day.	141	21.5	23.1	23.1
	Less than 1 hour per day	68	10.4	11.1	34.2
	1 hour per day	54	8.2	8.8	43.0
	2 hours per day	114	17.4	18.7	61.7
	3 hours per day	85	12.9	13.9	75.6
	4 hours per day	67	10.2	11.0	86.6
	5 or more hours per day	82	12.5	13.4	100.0
	Total	611	93.0	100.0	
Missin g	Missing	46	7.0		
Total		657	100.0		

How many different times have you had alcoholic beverages during the past 30 days?

		Frequenc y	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	0	566	86.1	92.8	92.8
	1-2	25	3.8	4.1	96.9
	3-5	8	1.2	1.3	98.2
	6-9	3	.5	.5	98.7
	10-19	1	.2	.2	98.9
	40+ times	7	1.1	1.1	100.0
	Total	610	92.8	100.0	
Missin g	Missing	47	7.2		
Total		657	100.0		

How many different times have you used marijuana or hashish during the past 30 days?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	0	591	90.0	96.7	96.7
	1-2	3	.5	.5	97.2
	3-5	4	.6	.7	97.9
	6-9	2	.3	.3	98.2
	10-19	2	.3	.3	98.5
	20-39	1	.2	.2	98.7
	40+ times	8	1.2	1.3	100.0
	Total	611	93.0	100.0	
Missing	Missing	46	7.0		
Total		657	100.0		

How many different times have you used prescription drugs that were not prescribed to you during the past 30 days?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	0	577	87.8	94.7	94.7
	1-2	19	2.9	3.1	97.9
	3-5	4	.6	.7	98.5
	6-9	1	.2	.2	98.7
	20-39	1	.2	.2	98.9
	40+ times	7	1.1	1.1	100.0
	Total	609	92.7	100.0	
Missing	Missing	48	7.3		
Total		657	100.0		

How many times have you used electronic vapor products in the past 30 days?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	0	596	90.7	97.5	97.5
	1-2	4	.6	.7	98.2
	3-5	2	.3	.3	98.5
	6-9	1	.2	.2	98.7
	10-19	1	.2	.2	98.9
	20-39	1	.2	.2	99.0
	40+ times	6	.9	1.0	100.0
	Total				

	Total	611	93.0	100.0	
Missing	Missing	46	7.0		
Total		657	100.0		

How frequently have you smoked cigarettes during the past 30 days?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Not at all	587	89.3	98.8	98.8
	About one and one-half packs per day	1	.2	.2	99.0
	Two packs or more per day	6	.9	1.0	100.0
	Total	594	90.4	100.0	
Missing	Missing	63	9.6		
Total		657	100.0		

Think back over the last two weeks. How many times have you had five or more alcoholic drinks in a row?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	None	583	88.7	97.7	97.7
	Once	5	.8	.8	98.5
	Twice	2	.3	.3	98.8
	6-9 times	1	.2	.2	99.0
	10 or more times	6	.9	1.0	100.0
	Total	597	90.9	100.0	
Missing	Missing	60	9.1		
Total		657	100.0		

How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they smoke one or more packs of cigarettes a day?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No risk	44	6.7	7.4	7.4
	Slight risk	60	9.1	10.1	17.5
	Moderate risk	149	22.7	25.1	42.6
	Great risk	341	51.9	57.4	100.0

	Total	594	90.4	100.0	
Missing	Missing	63	9.6		
Total		657	100.0		

How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they use electronic vapor products?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No risk	37	5.6	6.3	6.3
	Slight risk	99	15.1	16.8	23.0
	Moderate risk	214	32.6	36.2	59.2
	Great risk	241	36.7	40.8	100.0
	Total	591	90.0	100.0	
Missing	Missing	66	10.0		
Total		657	100.0		

How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they smoke marijuana once or twice a week?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No risk	65	9.9	10.9	10.9
	Slight risk	171	26.0	28.8	39.7
	Moderate risk	201	30.6	33.8	73.6
	Great risk	157	23.9	26.4	100.0
	Total	594	90.4	100.0	
Missing	Missing	63	9.6		
Total		657	100.0		

How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they smoke marijuana regularly?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No risk	42	6.4	7.1	7.1
	Slight risk	67	10.2	11.4	18.5
	Moderate risk	182	27.7	30.8	49.3
	Great risk	299	45.5	50.7	100.0
	Total	590	89.8	100.0	

Missing	Missing	67	10.2		
Total		657	100.0		

How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they take one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No risk	41	6.2	6.9	6.9
	Slight risk	133	20.2	22.5	29.4
	Moderate risk	198	30.1	33.5	62.9
	Great risk	219	33.3	37.1	100.0
	Total	591	90.0	100.0	
Missing	Missing	66	10.0		
Total		657	100.0		

How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they have five or more drinks of an alcoholic beverage once or twice each weekend?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No risk	36	5.5	6.1	6.1
	Slight risk	92	14.0	15.7	21.8
	Moderate risk	181	27.5	30.8	52.6
	Great risk	278	42.3	47.4	100.0
	Total	587	89.3	100.0	
Missing	Missing	70	10.7		
Total		657	100.0		

How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they use prescription drugs that are not prescribed to them?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No risk	36	5.5	6.1	6.1
	Slight risk	57	8.7	9.6	15.7
	Moderate risk	131	19.9	22.1	37.8
	Great risk	368	56.0	62.2	100.0

	Total	592	90.1	100.0	
Missing	Missing	65	9.9		
Total		657	100.0		

How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: have one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Not wrong at all	30	4.6	5.1	5.1
	A little bit wrong	60	9.1	10.2	15.3
	Wrong	177	26.9	30.0	45.3
	Very wrong	323	49.2	54.7	100.0
	Total	590	89.8	100.0	
Missing	Missing	67	10.2		
Total		657	100.0		

How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: use electronic vapor products?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Not wrong at all	46	7.0	7.8	7.8
	A little bit wrong	77	11.7	13.1	20.8
	Wrong	146	22.2	24.7	45.6
	Very wrong	321	48.9	54.4	100.0
	Total	590	89.8	100.0	
Missing	Missing	67	10.2		
Total		657	100.0		

How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: smoke tobacco?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Not wrong at all	22	3.3	3.7	3.7
	A little bit wrong	40	6.1	6.8	10.5
	Wrong	132	20.1	22.4	32.9

	Very wrong	395	60.1	67.1	100.0
	Total	589	89.6	100.0	
Missing	Missing	68	10.4		
Total		657	100.0		

How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: smoke marijuana?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Not wrong at all	52	7.9	8.8	8.8
	A little bit wrong	58	8.8	9.8	18.7
	Wrong	119	18.1	20.2	38.9
	Very wrong	360	54.8	61.1	100.0
	Total	589	89.6	100.0	
Missing	Missing	68	10.4		
Total		657	100.0		

How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: smoke marijuana once or twice a week?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Not wrong at all	54	8.2	9.2	9.2
	A little bit wrong	59	9.0	10.1	19.3
	Wrong	116	17.7	19.8	39.0
	Very wrong	358	54.5	61.0	100.0
	Total	587	89.3	100.0	
Missing	Missing	70	10.7		
Total		657	100.0		

How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: use prescription drugs not prescribed to you?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Not wrong at all	27	4.1	4.6	4.6
	A little bit wrong	43	6.5	7.3	11.9
	Wrong	111	16.9	18.8	30.7

	Very wrong	408	62.1	69.3	100.0
	Total	589	89.6	100.0	
Missing	Missing	68	10.4		
Total		657	100.0		

How wrong do your parents/guardians feel it would be for you to: have one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Not wrong at all	20	3.0	3.5	3.5
	A little bit wrong	20	3.0	3.5	6.9
	Wrong	61	9.3	10.6	17.5
	Very wrong	477	72.6	82.5	100.0
	Total	578	88.0	100.0	
Missing	Missing	79	12.0		
Total		657	100.0		

How wrong do your parents/guardians feel it would be for you to: use electronic vapor products?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Not wrong at all	15	2.3	2.6	2.6
	A little bit wrong	11	1.7	1.9	4.5
	Wrong	53	8.1	9.2	13.7
	Very wrong	499	76.0	86.3	100.0
	Total	578	88.0	100.0	
Missing	Missing	79	12.0		
Total		657	100.0		

How wrong do your parents/guardians feel it would be for you to: smoke tobacco?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Not wrong at all	15	2.3	2.6	2.6
	A little bit wrong	8	1.2	1.4	4.0
	Wrong	43	6.5	7.5	11.4
	Very wrong	511	77.8	88.6	100.0

	Total	577	87.8	100.0	
Missing	Missing	80	12.2		
Total		657	100.0		

How wrong do your parents/guardians feel it would be for you to: smoke marijuana?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Not wrong at all	17	2.6	2.9	2.9
	A little bit wrong	20	3.0	3.5	6.4
	Wrong	41	6.2	7.1	13.5
	Very wrong	499	76.0	86.5	100.0
	Total	577	87.8	100.0	
Missing	Missing	80	12.2		
Total		657	100.0		

How wrong do your parents/guardians feel it would be for you to: smoke marijuana once or twice a week?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Not wrong at all	16	2.4	2.8	2.8
	A little bit wrong	15	2.3	2.6	5.4
	Wrong	47	7.2	8.2	13.6
	Very wrong	497	75.6	86.4	100.0
	Total	575	87.5	100.0	
Missing	Missing	82	12.5		
Total		657	100.0		

How wrong do your parents/guardians feel it would be for you to: drink beer, wine, or hard liquor regularly?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Not wrong at all	22	3.3	3.8	3.8
	A little bit wrong	32	4.9	5.5	9.4
	Wrong	51	7.8	8.8	18.2

	Very wrong	472	71.8	81.8	100.0
	Total	577	87.8	100.0	
Missing	Missing	80	12.2		
Total		657	100.0		

How wrong do your parents/guardians feel it would be for you to: use prescription drugs not prescribed to you?

		Frequenc y	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Not wrong at all	20	3.0	3.5	3.5
	A little bit wrong	9	1.4	1.6	5.1
	Wrong	51	7.8	8.9	14.0
	Very wrong	493	75.0	86.0	100.0
	Total	573	87.2	100.0	
Missin g	Missing	84	12.8		
Total		657	100.0		

If you wanted to, how easy would it be for you to get: alcohol?

		Frequenc y	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Not easy at all	298	45.4	51.6	51.6
	Somewhat easy	140	21.3	24.3	75.9
	Easy	62	9.4	10.7	86.7
	Very easy	77	11.7	13.3	100.0
	Total	577	87.8	100.0	
Missin g	Missing	80	12.2		
Total		657	100.0		

If you wanted to, how easy would it be for you to get: electronic vapor products?

		Frequenc y	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Not easy at all	338	51.4	58.7	58.7
	Somewhat easy	112	17.0	19.4	78.1
	Easy	55	8.4	9.5	87.7
	Very easy	71	10.8	12.3	100.0
	Total	576	87.7	100.0	

Missing	Missing	81	12.3		
Total		657	100.0		

If you wanted to, how easy would it be for you to get: tobacco?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Not easy at all	448	68.2	77.6	77.6
	Somewhat easy	62	9.4	10.7	88.4
	Easy	35	5.3	6.1	94.5
	Very easy	32	4.9	5.5	100.0
	Total	577	87.8	100.0	
Missing	Missing	80	12.2		
Total		657	100.0		

If you wanted to, how easy would it be for you to get: marijuana?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Not easy at all	405	61.6	70.3	70.3
	Somewhat easy	71	10.8	12.3	82.6
	Easy	47	7.2	8.2	90.8
	Very easy	53	8.1	9.2	100.0
	Total	576	87.7	100.0	
Missing	Missing	81	12.3		
Total		657	100.0		

If you wanted to, how easy would it be for you to get: prescription drugs not prescribed to you?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Not easy at all	375	57.1	65.1	65.1
	Somewhat easy	96	14.6	16.7	81.8
	Easy	51	7.8	8.9	90.6
	Very easy	54	8.2	9.4	100.0
	Total	576	87.7	100.0	
Missing	Missing	81	12.3		
Total		657	100.0		

If you wanted to, how easy would it be for you to get: heroin, cocaine, crack, etc.?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Not easy at all	503	76.6	87.8	87.8
	Somewhat easy	33	5.0	5.8	93.5
	Easy	14	2.1	2.4	96.0
	Very easy	23	3.5	4.0	100.0
	Total	573	87.2	100.0	
Missing	Missing	84	12.8		
Total		657	100.0		

My parents ask if I have gotten my homework done.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Always	288	43.8	50.0	50.0
	Most times	152	23.1	26.4	76.4
	Sometimes	109	16.6	18.9	95.3
	Never	27	4.1	4.7	100.0
	Total	576	87.7	100.0	
Missing	Missing	81	12.3		
Total		657	100.0		

My parents would know if I did not come home on time.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Always	354	53.9	61.5	61.5
	Most times	130	19.8	22.6	84.0
	Sometimes	62	9.4	10.8	94.8

	Never	30	4.6	5.2	100.0
	Total	576	87.7	100.0	
Missing	Missing	81	12.3		
Total		657	100.0		

When I am not at home, one of my parents knows where I am and who I am with.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Always	382	58.1	66.6	66.6
	Most times	126	19.2	22.0	88.5
	Sometimes	51	7.8	8.9	97.4
	Never	15	2.3	2.6	100.0
	Total	574	87.4	100.0	
Missing	Missing	83	12.6		
Total		657	100.0		

People in my family often insult or yell at each other.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Always	34	5.2	6.0	6.0
	Most times	43	6.5	7.5	13.5
	Sometimes	225	34.2	39.4	52.9
	Never	269	40.9	47.1	100.0
	Total	571	86.9	100.0	
Missing	Missing	86	13.1		
Total		657	100.0		

If I had a personal problem, I could ask my mom or dad for help.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Always	312	47.5	54.6	54.6
	Most times	122	18.6	21.4	76.0
	Sometimes	83	12.6	14.5	90.5

	Never	54	8.2	9.5	100.0
	Total	571	86.9	100.0	
Missing	Missing	86	13.1		
Total		657	100.0		

My family has clear rules about alcohol and drug use.

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Very clear rules	469	71.4	81.6	81.6
	Somewhat clear rules	89	13.5	15.5	97.0
	Not very clear rules	12	1.8	2.1	99.1
	No rules	5	.8	.9	100.0
	Total	575	87.5	100.0	
Missing	Missing	82	12.5		
Total		657	100.0		

During the past 30 days, how often did you feel stressed, anxious, and/or depressed?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Never	68	10.4	12.0	12.0
	Rarely	130	19.8	22.8	34.8
	Sometimes	201	30.6	35.3	70.1
	Most of the time	117	17.8	20.6	90.7
	Always	53	8.1	9.3	100.0
	Total	569	86.6	100.0	
Missing	Missing	88	13.4		
Total		657	100.0		

During the past 12 months, did you ever feel so stressed, anxious, and/or depressed that you stopped doing some usual activities for more than 2 weeks?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Never	224	34.1	39.4	39.4
	Rarely	136	20.7	23.9	63.4
	Sometimes	129	19.6	22.7	86.1

	Very often	42	6.4	7.4	93.5
	Always	37	5.6	6.5	100.0
	Total	568	86.5	100.0	
Missing	Missing	89	13.5		
Total		657	100.0		

Are you now, or have you been a member of any of the following youth groups? Boy Scouts of America

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Very active	27	4.1	4.9	4.9
	Somewhat active	15	2.3	2.7	7.6
	Not very active	11	1.7	2.0	9.6
	Not active	17	2.6	3.1	12.7
	Did not participate	483	73.5	87.3	100.0
	Total	553	84.2	100.0	
Missing	Missing	104	15.8		
Total		657	100.0		

Are you now, or have you been a member of any of the following youth groups? Girl Scouts of America

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Very active	18	2.7	3.2	3.2
	Somewhat active	28	4.3	5.0	8.3
	Not very active	14	2.1	2.5	10.8
	Not active	26	4.0	4.7	15.5
	Did not participate	469	71.4	84.5	100.0
	Total	555	84.5	100.0	
Missing	Missing	102	15.5		
Total		657	100.0		

Are you now, or have you been a member of any of the following youth groups? Church/Synagogue/Temple/Mosque

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Very active	81	12.3	14.5	14.5
	Somewhat active	80	12.2	14.4	28.9
	Not very active	79	12.0	14.2	43.1

	Not active	37	5.6	6.6	49.7
	Did not participate	280	42.6	50.3	100.0
	Total	557	84.8	100.0	
Missing	Missing	100	15.2		
Total		657	100.0		

Are you now, or have you been a member of any of the following youth groups? White Plains Youth Bureau

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Very active	33	5.0	6.0	6.0
	Somewhat active	44	6.7	8.0	14.0
	Not very active	46	7.0	8.3	22.3
	Not active	36	5.5	6.5	28.9
	Did not participate	392	59.7	71.1	100.0
	Total	551	83.9	100.0	
Missing	Missing	106	16.1		
Total		657	100.0		

Are you now, or have you been a member of any of the following youth groups? White Plains Library Youth Program

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Very active	11	1.7	2.0	2.0
	Somewhat active	10	1.5	1.8	3.8
	Not very active	35	5.3	6.3	10.1
	Not active	39	5.9	7.1	17.2
	Did not participate	458	69.7	82.8	100.0
	Total	553	84.2	100.0	
Missing	Missing	104	15.8		
Total		657	100.0		

Are you now, or have you been a member of any of the following youth groups? White Plains Recreation & Parks Program

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Very active	36	5.5	6.5	6.5
	Somewhat active	38	5.8	6.9	13.4

	Not very active	25	3.8	4.5	17.9
	Not active	27	4.1	4.9	22.8
	Did not participate	427	65.0	77.2	100.0
	Total	553	84.2	100.0	
Missing	Missing	104	15.8		
Total		657	100.0		

Are you now, or have you been a member of any of the following youth groups? Other

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Very active	101	15.4	19.1	19.1
	Somewhat active	63	9.6	11.9	31.1
	Not very active	20	3.0	3.8	34.8
	Not active	18	2.7	3.4	38.3
	Did not participate	326	49.6	61.7	100.0
	Total	528	80.4	100.0	
Missing	Missing	129	19.6		
Total		657	100.0		

Do you believe that what you learned in the youth groups has influenced your behavior or the choices you make?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Yes	151	23.0	26.7	26.7
	No	45	6.8	8.0	34.7
	Not sure	122	18.6	21.6	56.3
	Did not participate in any youth groups	247	37.6	43.7	100.0
	Total	565	86.0	100.0	
Missing	Missing	92	14.0		
Total		657	100.0		