

Table 3.25A Past Month Use of Selected Substances, by Measures of Scholastic Environment among Persons Aged 12 to 17 Who Were Enrolled in School in the Past Year: Numbers in Thousands, 2013

Scholastic Environment	SUBSTANCE USE IN THE PAST MONTH							
	Used Illicit Drugs ¹		Used Marijuana		Used Cigarettes		Binge Use of Alcohol ²	
	Had Scholastic Characteristic	Did Not Have Scholastic Characteristic	Had Scholastic Characteristic	Did Not Have Scholastic Characteristic	Had Scholastic Characteristic	Did Not Have Scholastic Characteristic	Had Scholastic Characteristic	Did Not Have Scholastic Characteristic
STUDENT CHARACTERISTICS IN PAST YEAR³								
Participated in One or Fewer Activities ⁴	397	1,654	362	1,301	337	975	251	1,225
Drug or Alcohol Prevention Messages Were Seen or Heard in School ⁵	1,414	621	1,128	528	852	463	977	486
Youth Liked a Lot or Kind of Liked Going to School ⁶	1,438	630	1,148	528	798	528	1,036	449
Grade Average for Last Completed Period Was "D" or Lower ⁷	202	1,776	170	1,433	190	1,083	138	1,311
ADULT INVOLVEMENT IN PAST YEAR^{3,8}								
Teacher Let Youth Know He or She Was Doing a Good Job with School Work	1,506	561	1,203	473	913	413	1,091	395
Parents Checked That Youth Did Homework	1,405	652	1,109	558	838	480	1,004	475
Parents Provided Help with Homework	1,348	699	1,076	583	827	489	933	541
Parents Limited Time Youth Went Out with Friends on a School Night	1,298	760	1,051	621	787	531	871	612
SUBSTANCE USE IN GRADE LEVEL⁹								
Students in Youth's Grade Smoke Cigarettes	706	1,315	599	1,049	630	674	505	965
Students in Youth's Grade Use Marijuana or Hashish	1,384	645	1,235	425	813	482	928	543
Students in Youth's Grade Drink Alcoholic Beverages	1,315	708	1,147	507	844	455	1,141	329
Students in Youth's Grade Get Drunk at Least Once a Week	627	1,367	537	1,099	436	848	552	902

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Respondents with unknown Student Characteristics, Adult Involvement, or Substance Use in Grade Level data were excluded.

NOTE: Youths who did not report their school enrollment status or reported not being enrolled in school in the past 12 months were excluded from this analysis.

¹ Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically, including data from original methamphetamine questions but not including new methamphetamine items added in 2005 and 2006.

² Binge Alcohol Use is defined as drinking five or more drinks on the same occasion (i.e., at the same time or within a couple of hours of each other) on at least 1 day in the past 30 days.

³ Youths reporting that they were "home-schooled" in the past 12 months were considered to be enrolled in school.

⁴ The number of activities participated in is based on four questions: participation in school-based activities, community-based activities, church or faith-based activities, and other activities. For each question, the response categories include "None," "One," "Two," and "3 or more." Respondents were excluded from the analysis if they had unknown data for at least three of the questions and if their known responses did not place them in the recoded "Two or more" category.

⁵ Drug or Alcohol Prevention Messages Seen or Heard in School includes respondents who reported having a special class about drugs or alcohol in school or having had films, lectures, discussion, or printed information about drugs or alcohol in a regular school class, such as health or physical education, or outside of a regular school class, such as in a special assembly.

⁶ Response categories for the School Satisfaction question include "You liked going to school a lot," "You kind of liked going to school," "You didn't like going to school very much," and "You hated going to school." The estimates in this table correspond to persons reporting "You liked going to school a lot" or "You kind of liked going to school."

⁷ Response categories for Grade Average question include "An 'A+', 'A,' or 'A-minus' average"; "A 'B+', 'B,' or 'B-minus' average"; "A 'C+', 'C,' or 'C-minus' average"; "A 'D' or less than a 'D' average"; and "My school does not give these grades." The estimates in this table correspond to persons reporting "A 'D' or less than a 'D' average." Respondents reporting that their school does not give these grades were excluded from the analysis.

⁸ Response categories for the Adult Involvement questions include "Always," "Sometimes," "Seldom," and "Never." The estimates in this table correspond to persons reporting "Always" or "Sometimes."

⁹ Response categories for the Substance Use in Grade Level questions include "All of them," "Most of them," "A few of them," and "None of them." The estimates in this table correspond to persons reporting "All of them" or "Most of them." Youths reporting that they were "home-schooled" in the past 12 months were not considered to be enrolled in school.

Source: SAMHSA, Center for Behavioral Health Statistics and Quality, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2013.

Table 3.25B Past Month Use of Selected Substances, by Measures of Scholastic Environment among Persons Aged 12 to 17 Who Were Enrolled in School in the Past Year: Percentages, 2013

Scholastic Environment	SUBSTANCE USE IN THE PAST MONTH							
	Used Illicit Drugs ¹		Used Marijuana		Used Cigarettes		Binge Use of Alcohol ²	
	Had Scholastic Characteristic	Did Not Have Scholastic Characteristic	Had Scholastic Characteristic	Did Not Have Scholastic Characteristic	Had Scholastic Characteristic	Did Not Have Scholastic Characteristic	Had Scholastic Characteristic	Did Not Have Scholastic Characteristic
STUDENT CHARACTERISTICS IN PAST YEAR³								
Participated in One or Fewer Activities ⁴	13.6	8.2	12.4	6.4	11.5	4.8	8.6	6.1
Drug or Alcohol Prevention Messages Were Seen or Heard in School ⁵	8.4	10.2	6.7	8.7	5.0	7.6	5.8	8.0
Youth Liked a Lot or Kind of Liked Going to School ⁶	7.6	14.4	6.1	12.0	4.2	12.0	5.5	10.2
Grade Average for Last Completed Period Was "D" or Lower ⁷	20.9	8.4	17.6	6.8	19.7	5.1	14.3	6.2
ADULT INVOLVEMENT IN PAST YEAR^{3,8}								
Teacher Let Youth Know He or She Was Doing a Good Job with School Work	8.1	12.1	6.5	10.2	4.9	8.9	5.9	8.5
Parents Checked That Youth Did Homework	7.3	16.6	5.8	14.2	4.4	12.2	5.2	12.1
Parents Provided Help with Homework	7.3	14.7	5.9	12.2	4.5	10.3	5.1	11.4
Parents Limited Time Youth Went Out with Friends on a School Night	8.3	10.5	6.7	8.6	5.0	7.4	5.6	8.5
SUBSTANCE USE IN GRADE LEVEL⁹								
Students in Youth's Grade Smoke Cigarettes	17.2	7.2	14.6	5.8	15.4	3.7	12.3	5.3
Students in Youth's Grade Use Marijuana or Hashish	22.0	4.1	19.6	2.7	12.9	3.0	14.8	3.4
Students in Youth's Grade Drink Alcoholic Beverages	16.8	4.9	14.6	3.5	10.8	3.2	14.5	2.3
Students in Youth's Grade Get Drunk at Least Once a Week	21.1	7.2	18.1	5.8	14.7	4.5	18.6	4.8

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Respondents with unknown Student Characteristics, Adult Involvement, or Substance Use in Grade Level data were excluded.

NOTE: Youths who did not report their school enrollment status or reported not being enrolled in school in the past 12 months were excluded from this analysis.

¹ Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically, including data from original methamphetamine questions but not including new methamphetamine items added in 2005 and 2006.

² Binge Alcohol Use is defined as drinking five or more drinks on the same occasion (i.e., at the same time or within a couple of hours of each other) on at least 1 day in the past 30 days.

³ Youths reporting that they were "home-schooled" in the past 12 months were considered to be enrolled in school.

⁴ The number of activities participated in is based on four questions: participation in school-based activities, community-based activities, church or faith-based activities, and other activities. For each question, the response categories include "None," "One," "Two," and "3 or more." Respondents were excluded from the analysis if they had unknown data for at least three of the questions and if their known responses did not place them in the recoded "Two or more" category.

⁵ Drug or Alcohol Prevention Messages Seen or Heard in School includes respondents who reported having a special class about drugs or alcohol in school or having had films, lectures, discussion, or printed information about drugs or alcohol in a regular school class, such as health or physical education, or outside of a regular school class, such as in a special assembly.

⁶ Response categories for the School Satisfaction question include "You liked going to school a lot," "You kind of liked going to school," "You didn't like going to school very much," and "You hated going to school." The estimates in this table correspond to persons reporting "You liked going to school a lot" or "You kind of liked going to school."

⁷ Response categories for Grade Average question include "An 'A+', 'A,' or 'A-minus' average"; "A 'B+', 'B,' or 'B-minus' average"; "A 'C+', 'C,' or 'C-minus' average"; "A 'D' or less than a 'D' average"; and "My school does not give these grades." The estimates in this table correspond to persons reporting "A 'D' or less than a 'D' average." Respondents reporting that their school does not give these grades were excluded from the analysis.

⁸ Response categories for the Adult Involvement questions include "Always," "Sometimes," "Seldom," and "Never." The estimates in this table correspond to persons reporting "Always" or "Sometimes."

⁹ Response categories for the Substance Use in Grade Level questions include "All of them," "Most of them," "A few of them," and "None of them." The estimates in this table correspond to persons reporting "All of them" or "Most of them." Youths reporting that they were "home-schooled" in the past 12 months were not considered to be enrolled in school.

Source: SAMHSA, Center for Behavioral Health Statistics and Quality, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2013.