

**Table 3.25C 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: Standard Errors of Numbers in Thousands, 2013**

Scholastic Environment	SUBSTANCE USE IN THE PAST MONTH							
	Used Illicit Drugs <sup>1</sup>		Used Marijuana		Used Cigarettes		Binge Use of Alcohol <sup>2</sup>	
	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
<b>STUDENT CHARACTERISTICS IN PAST YEAR<sup>3</sup></b>								
Participated in One or Fewer Activities <sup>4</sup>	26	57	25	49	25	44	22	51
Drug or Alcohol Prevention Messages Were Seen or Heard in School <sup>5</sup>	53	35	47	32	40	29	45	33
Youth Liked a Lot or Kind of Liked Going to School <sup>6</sup>	54	33	47	31	40	31	47	29
Grade Average for Last Completed Period Was "D" or Lower <sup>7</sup>	17	59	15	52	17	46	16	53
<b>ADULT INVOLVEMENT IN PAST YEAR<sup>3,8</sup></b>								
Teacher Let Youth Know He or She Was Doing a Good Job with School Work	55	30	49	28	42	26	50	24
Parents Checked That Youth Did Homework	55	33	47	31	40	30	47	31
Parents Provided Help with Homework	51	36	45	33	38	31	43	34
Parents Limited Time Youth Went Out with Friends on a School Night	51	38	44	34	37	34	44	35
<b>SUBSTANCE USE IN GRADE LEVEL<sup>9</sup></b>								
Students in Youth's Grade Smoke Cigarettes	35	50	32	44	34	36	30	48
Students in Youth's Grade Use Marijuana or Hashish	51	36	49	28	40	31	44	34
Students in Youth's Grade Drink Alcoholic Beverages	49	36	46	30	39	30	48	28
Students in Youth's Grade Get Drunk at Least Once a Week	34	52	31	45	28	41	33	43

\*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.

<sup>1</sup> 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.

<sup>2</sup> 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.

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

<sup>4</sup> 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.

<sup>5</sup> 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.

<sup>6</sup> 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."

<sup>7</sup> 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.

<sup>8</sup> 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."

<sup>9</sup> 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 3.25D 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: Standard Errors of Percentages, 2013**

Scholastic Environment	SUBSTANCE USE IN THE PAST MONTH							
	Used Illicit Drugs <sup>1</sup>		Used Marijuana		Used Cigarettes		Binge Use of Alcohol <sup>2</sup>	
	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
<b>STUDENT CHARACTERISTICS IN PAST YEAR<sup>3</sup></b>								
Participated in One or Fewer Activities <sup>4</sup>	0.81	0.26	0.79	0.23	0.79	0.21	0.71	0.24
Drug or Alcohol Prevention Messages Were Seen or Heard in School <sup>5</sup>	0.29	0.53	0.26	0.50	0.23	0.45	0.25	0.50
Youth Liked a Lot or Kind of Liked Going to School <sup>6</sup>	0.27	0.71	0.24	0.66	0.20	0.67	0.23	0.62
Grade Average for Last Completed Period Was "D" or Lower <sup>7</sup>	1.59	0.26	1.43	0.23	1.57	0.21	1.51	0.23
<b>ADULT INVOLVEMENT IN PAST YEAR<sup>3,8</sup></b>								
Teacher Let Youth Know He or She Was Doing a Good Job with School Work	0.28	0.62	0.25	0.57	0.22	0.53	0.25	0.51
Parents Checked That Youth Did Homework	0.27	0.77	0.24	0.75	0.20	0.74	0.23	0.74
Parents Provided Help with Homework	0.26	0.69	0.24	0.64	0.20	0.63	0.22	0.67
Parents Limited Time Youth Went Out with Friends on a School Night	0.30	0.50	0.27	0.46	0.23	0.46	0.26	0.47
<b>SUBSTANCE USE IN GRADE LEVEL<sup>9</sup></b>								
Students in Youth's Grade Smoke Cigarettes	0.76	0.26	0.71	0.23	0.77	0.19	0.68	0.24
Students in Youth's Grade Use Marijuana or Hashish	0.71	0.22	0.67	0.17	0.59	0.19	0.62	0.21
Students in Youth's Grade Drink Alcoholic Beverages	0.56	0.24	0.53	0.21	0.47	0.20	0.54	0.19
Students in Youth's Grade Get Drunk at Least Once a Week	1.01	0.26	0.94	0.23	0.89	0.21	0.98	0.22

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