

Table 3.18A Youths Perceived That All or Most Students in Grade Level Use Specific Substances among Persons Aged 12 to 17 Who Were Enrolled in School in the Past Year, by Demographic and Geographic Characteristics: Numbers in Thousands, 2009 and 2010

Demographic/Geographic Characteristic	SUBSTANCE USE OF STUDENTS IN GRADE LEVEL							
	Smoke Cigarettes		Use Marijuana or Hashish		Drink Alcoholic Beverages		Get Drunk at Least Once a Week	
	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010
TOTAL	5,788	5,478	5,540	5,745	9,624 ^b	9,047	3,791 ^b	3,365
AGE								
12-13	480	475	290	330	775	698	181	160
14-15	2,186	2,044	1,885	2,045	3,468 ^a	3,170	1,126	1,055
16-17	3,122	2,959	3,365	3,370	5,382	5,179	2,484 ^b	2,150
GENDER								
Male	2,392	2,390	2,431 ^a	2,701	4,313 ^a	4,040	1,536 ^a	1,383
Female	3,396 ^b	3,088	3,109	3,044	5,311 ^a	5,007	2,256 ^b	1,982
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE								
Not Hispanic or Latino	4,633	4,419	4,288	4,512	7,711 ^a	7,230	2,988 ^b	2,687
White	3,350	3,226	2,848 ^a	3,110	5,739 ^a	5,325	2,124 ^a	1,899
Black or African American	936	870	1,099	1,063	1,398	1,310	615	581
American Indian or Alaska Native	35	33	28	29	42	38	23	19
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Asian	131	141	133	132	280	327	116	96
Two or More Races	151	137	149	156	210	209	90	88
Hispanic or Latino	1,155	1,059	1,252	1,233	1,914	1,818	804	678
COUNTY TYPE								
Large Metro	2,934	2,729	3,182	3,260	5,170 ^a	4,806	2,023 ^b	1,762
Small Metro	1,906	1,799	1,722	1,770	2,941	2,800	1,168	1,068
Nonmetro	949	950	636	715	1,514	1,441	600	534

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Youths who did not report their school enrollment status or reported not being enrolled in school in the past 12 months, or reported that they were "home-schooled" in the past 12 months were excluded from this analysis.

NOTE: 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." Respondents with unknown Substance Use in Grade Level data were excluded.

^a Difference between estimate and 2010 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^b Difference between estimate and 2010 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

Source: SAMHSA, Center for Behavioral Health Statistics and Quality (formerly the Office of Applied Studies), National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2009 and 2010.

Table 3.18B Youths Perceived That All or Most Students in Grade Level Use Specific Substances among Persons Aged 12 to 17 Who Were Enrolled in School in the Past Year, by Demographic and Geographic Characteristics: Percentages, 2009 and 2010

Demographic/Geographic Characteristic	SUBSTANCE USE OF STUDENTS IN GRADE LEVEL							
	Smoke Cigarettes		Use Marijuana or Hashish		Drink Alcoholic Beverages		Get Drunk at Least Once a Week	
	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010
TOTAL	26.2 ^a	24.8	25.5	26.4	43.7 ^b	41.3	17.5 ^b	15.6
AGE								
12-13	7.5	7.0	4.6	4.9	12.2 ^a	10.3	2.9	2.4
14-15	28.1	27.5	24.8 ^b	28.1	44.9	43.2	14.9	14.7
16-17	39.4	37.7	43.0	43.4	68.0	66.0	31.8 ^b	27.9
GENDER								
Male	21.2	21.1	21.8 ^b	24.1	38.4 ^b	35.8	13.9 ^a	12.5
Female	31.4 ^b	28.8	29.2	28.9	49.3 ^a	47.0	21.3 ^b	18.8
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE								
Not Hispanic or Latino	25.8	24.9	24.2 ^a	25.8	43.0 ^b	41.0	17.0 ^b	15.4
White	25.2	24.7	21.8 ^b	24.2	43.3 ^b	41.1	16.3 ^a	14.8
Black or African American	29.6	27.7	35.3	34.4	44.6	42.0	20.1	18.9
American Indian or Alaska Native	31.9	30.6	26.8	26.6	39.1	35.6	21.5	18.1
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Asian	15.1	15.0	15.8	14.6	32.4	35.6	13.8	10.7
Two or More Races	31.2	28.5	31.2	33.0	44.0	43.5	19.2	18.7
Hispanic or Latino	28.0 ^a	24.7	30.8	29.2	46.7 ^a	42.4	20.0 ^b	16.3
COUNTY TYPE								
Large Metro	25.2 ^a	23.1	27.7	28.0	44.5 ^b	41.0	17.7 ^b	15.3
Small Metro	27.6	26.4	25.2	26.4	42.6	41.3	17.2	16.0
Nonmetro	26.8	27.5	18.5	21.1	43.2	41.9	17.4	15.7

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