

2024 Dane County Youth Assessment

Family Income Demographic Report



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High School Demographic Report on Family Income by Selected Items

The Dane County Youth Commission is pleased to release this Family Income Report from the 2024 Dane County Youth Assessment (DCYA.) Every three years, youth in grades 7-12 complete the DCYA, which captures their opinions, attitudes, behaviors, and experiences on a range of topics. This report is one in a series of demographic reports the Dane County Youth Commission is publishing that look closely at how certain groups of youth answered selected items from the 2024 DCYA. Different groups of youth often have systematically different perspectives and experiences. Therefore, we believe it is important to take a closer look at how subpopulations of students may respond differently to various topics. The five demographic reports will cover race and ethnicity, gender (including a report broken out by gender identity and a report focusing specifically on youth who identify as transgender), sexual orientation, and family income.

Please note that not all items from the 2024 DCYA are included in this report. For the full results of the current and past Dane County Youth Assessments, current and past Overview Reports, as well as further demographic analysis, please go to <https://danecountyhumanservices.org/About-Us/Commissions-Boards-and-Committees/Youth-Commission/Youth-Assessment>

Survey Development and Administration

In 2024, 15,448 9th-12th grade students completed the Dane County Youth Assessment. The 2024 survey was administered between January 15, 2024, and April 15, 2024 to middle and high school students across seventeen public school districts. Student participation was voluntary and anonymous. Parents were notified in advance of survey administration and could opt their child out of participating.

Survey development is led by K12 Associates, LLC and a committee of educators, public health professionals, project funders, and youth interns. The survey includes questions about protective and risk behaviors across contexts of school, peer relations, family, and community. The 2024 DCYA includes new questions on emerging youth issues such as loneliness and social media use, while retaining important questions from past surveys in order to measure trends. The DCYA is a behavioral risk survey that uses self-report methodology. This methodology is widely used and has proven to be valid and reliable. The validity of the assessment is supported by the large survey population, the fact that results are in-line with national trends, and the consistency of the findings over time. The survey includes items from the national Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Youth Risk Behavior Survey and other national surveys to allow for comparisons to youth in the U.S. and in Wisconsin. Extensive efforts are made to ensure that questions are clear and understandable. The survey is available in multiple languages.

The 2024 DCYA marks the eighth time the Youth Commission has coordinated an opportunity for 7th-12th grade youth in Dane County to voice their opinions, needs, concerns, and interests. This effort provides the community with information and insight on youth trends. Although not the only source of information on what is impacting youth in our community, the DCYA provides one very valuable resource to inform program and policy decisions. The Youth Commission and its partners hope that youth-serving agencies, community stakeholders, parents, policy makers, school districts, and youth will use this and subsequent reports to appreciate where we have been, to recognize the successes and challenges of today, and to create an even brighter future for Dane County. The DCYA is a collaborative effort led by the Dane County Youth Commission in partnership with the United Way of Dane County, Public Health Madison & Dane County, the City of Madison, and school districts in the county. The Youth Commission would like to thank the funding partners, school districts, committee members, and the students and parents of Dane County for making this project possible.

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Using This Report

This report looks at 9th-12th grade students' estimated family financial situation by selected questions on the 2024 Dane County Youth Assessment (DCYA-2024). The estimated family financial situation for each student was calculated by combining their responses to four questions:

- 16. How would you describe your family's current financial situation?
- 36. In the past 30 days, how often did you skip meals or eat less because your family didn't have enough money for food?
- 98. Do you get free or reduced fees lunch at school?
- 99. If the school didn't provide lunch or breakfast, most days, I wouldn't have any food at all.

The combined responses to these questions were averaged to create a single response, and across all students 3 levels of responses were created: *No Problems*, *Some Problems*, and *Struggling*. The percentage of high school students at each level is shown below.

Estimated Family Income

Response Options	N	% of Responding 9th-12th Grade Students Who Responded
No Problems	6690	60.1%
Some Problems	2325	20.9%
Struggling	2118	19.0%
Total	11133	100%*

* 72% of all students responded to the 4 financial questions

The tables in this report are all constructed in the same manner. There are three subgroups: 1) No Problems 2) Some Problems 3) Struggling. Every table has a column for each subgroup and a column for all 9th-12th graders (labeled % of Responding 9th-12th Graders) on DCYA-2024. Each column shows how that group or subgroup responded to the selected question.

In the example below, 60% of students whose family has some financial problems volunteered and 40% did not.

Volunteering

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
21. Have you done any volunteer work or community service in the last 12 months?	Yes	72%	60%	47%	65%
	No	28%	40%	53%	35%

Survey item (as asked on the survey)

% of students with some problems financially who volunteered

Survey Population 9th – 12th Graders
N= 11,113

Demographics

Age

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
1. How old are you?	14 years old or younger	14%	15%	13%	14%
	15 years old	28%	27%	26%	27%
	16 years old	26%	24%	26%	26%
	17 years old	22%	23%	24%	23%
	18 years old or older	9%	10%	11%	10%

Race

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
3. What is your race?	Biracial or multi-racial (more than one race)	6%	8%	12%	7%
	Native American/American Indian or Alaskan Native	0%	1%	1%	0%
	Asian	6%	7%	9%	7%
	Black or African American (not Hispanic)	2%	6%	11%	4%
	Hispanic or Latino	3%	13%	27%	10%
	Middle Eastern or North African	0%	1%	1%	1%
	Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0%	0%	0%	0%
	White (not Hispanic)	82%	63%	36%	69%
	Prefer not to say	1%	2%	2%	1%

BIPOC

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
6. Do other people see you as BIPOC (Black, indigenous, person of color)? (Select one option)	Yes	8%	18%	31%	14%
	No	85%	70%	47%	75%
	Not Sure	7%	12%	22%	11%

Gender ID

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
Gender Identification	Male	50%	48%	44%	48%
	Female	48%	49%	51%	48%
	Gender Expansive	3%	3%	5%	3%

Transgender

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
8. Do you identify as transgender?	Yes	3%	3%	4%	3%
	No	97%	96%	95%	96%
	Not Sure	1%	1%	1%	1%

Sexual orientation

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
9. Which of the following best describes your sexual orientation?	Straight/Heterosexual	81%	78%	72%	79%
	Gay or Lesbian	4%	4%	4%	4%
	Bisexual	7%	11%	14%	9%
	Pansexual	3%	3%	5%	3%
	Asexual	2%	1%	2%	2%
	Questioning my sexual orientation	3%	3%	4%	3%

Attraction

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
10. People are different in their romantic and/or physical attractions to other people. Which BEST describes your romantic	I am only attracted to girls	46%	43%	40%	44%
	I am only attracted to boys	37%	35%	34%	36%
	I am equally attracted to all gender expressions: boy, girl, nonbinary, etc	3%	6%	9%	5%
	I am attracted to all gender expressions but not equally	7%	9%	10%	8%
	I do not experience romantic OR physical attraction to anyone	2%	2%	2%	2%
	I am not sure	5%	5%	5%	5%

Disability

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
11. Do you have a disability?	Yes	5%	8%	9%	6%
	No	90%	84%	80%	87%
	Not sure	5%	7%	11%	7%

Living Situation

Have you ever . . . ?

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
14a. Have you ever . . . : Run away from home for 1 or more nights?	Yes, in the last 12 months	0%	1%	4%	1%
	Yes, but not in the last 12 months	1%	3%	6%	2%
	Never	99%	96%	89%	96%
14b. Have you ever . . . : Been in foster care, group home or out-of-home placement?	Yes, in the last 12 months	0%	1%	2%	1%
	Yes, but not in the last 12 months	1%	1%	3%	1%
	Never	99%	98%	95%	98%
14c. Have you ever . . . : Been kicked out of your house by your parents?	Yes, in the last 12 months	0%	1%	4%	1%
	Yes, but not in the last 12 months	0%	2%	4%	1%
	Never	99%	97%	92%	97%

Family financial situation

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
16. How would you describe your family's current financial situation?	Money is not a problem for my family right now.	100%	44%	13%	72%
	Things are tight but we're doing fine.		55%	74%	26%
	We're struggling with not having enough money.		1%	13%	3%

Changing schools

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
15. In the last 12 months, how many times have you changed schools because of moving?	0 times	97%	92%	85%	94%
	1 time	2%	6%	10%	5%
	2 times	0%	1%	2%	1%
	3 or more times	0%	1%	3%	1%

My job helps support the family

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
20. Does money from your job help support your family?	I never had a job	21%	22%	28%	22%
	No	76%	64%	42%	67%
	Yes, sometimes the money from my job helps support my family	3%	13%	28%	10%
	Yes, almost all the time money from my job helps support my family	0%	1%	2%	1%

Skip meals due to no money

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
36. In the past 30 days, how often did you skip meals or eat less because your family didn't have enough money for food?	Never	100%	93%	62%	91%
	Once or twice in the last 30 days		4%	20%	5%
	Just about once each week		2%	9%	2%
	More than once each week		2%	8%	2%

Need school meals

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
99. How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statement, If the school didn't provide lunch or breakfast, most days, I wouldn't have any food at all.	Strongly Agree		3%	14%	3%
	Agree		10%	33%	8%
	Disagree	22%	38%	35%	28%
	Strongly Disagree	78%	50%	18%	61%

Evening family meals together

Dane County 9-12		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
34. In an average week, how many days do you eat evening meals with your family?	0 days	6%	12%	18%	9%
	1 day	6%	8%	10%	7%
	2 days	9%	11%	13%	10%
	3 days	12%	12%	13%	12%
	4 days	13%	10%	10%	12%
	5 days	16%	14%	9%	14%
	6 days	13%	9%	5%	10%
	7 days	25%	24%	22%	24%

Discrimination

Have you been discriminated against, treated unfairly?

Dane County 9-12		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
12a. (Discriminated against) I have not been discriminated against	I have been treated unfairly or discriminated against	32%	41%	49%	37%
	In have not been treated unfairly or been discriminated against	68%	59%	51%	63%
12b. (Discriminated against) My race	No	95%	90%	79%	91%
	Yes, because of my race	5%	10%	21%	9%
12c. (Discriminated against) My gender	No	89%	87%	85%	88%
	Yes, because of my gender	11%	13%	15%	12%
12d. (Discriminated against) My sexual orientation	No	96%	93%	92%	95%
	Yes, because of my sexual orientation	4%	7%	8%	5%
12e. (Discriminated against) My physical appearance	No	91%	84%	79%	87%
	Yes, because of my physical appearance	9%	16%	21%	13%
12h. (Discriminated against) My religion	No	96%	95%	93%	95%
	Yes, because of my religion	4%	5%	7%	5%
12i. (Discriminated against) My political affiliation	No	97%	96%	96%	96%
	Yes, because of my political affiliation	3%	4%	4%	4%
12j. (Discriminated against) My disability	No	98%	96%	96%	97%
	Yes, because of my disability	2%	4%	4%	3%
12k. (Discriminated against) Other reasons	No	96%	92%	89%	94%
	Yes, because of other reasons	4%	8%	11%	6%

Employment

Employment

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling % of Group	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
18. Do you currently have a job?	No, looking for a job, but can't find one	14%	22%	32%	19%
	No and not looking	31%	23%	17%	27%
	Yes, occasional jobs (babysitting, snow shoveling, lawn work, etc.)	16%	12%	8%	14%
	Yes, 20 hours or less per week	36%	38%	35%	36%
	Yes, more than 20 hours per week	3%	5%	8%	4%

Do you need help finding a job?

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling % of Group	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
19. Do you need help finding a job or a better job? (Select one option)	No, I don't need any help	83%	73%	56%	76%
	Yes, I could use A LITTLE help	11%	17%	24%	14%
	Yes, I could use A LOT of help	1%	3%	10%	3%
	Don't know, not sure	5%	7%	11%	7%

Community Engagement

Community engagement

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
23. (a) Community engagement . . . It is my responsibility to be actively involved.	Strongly Agree	18%	16%	17%	18%
	Agree	61%	60%	57%	60%
	Disagree	18%	20%	22%	19%
	Strongly Disagree	3%	4%	5%	4%
23. (b) Community engagement . . . People working together can make changes.	Strongly Agree	43%	42%	45%	43%
	Agree	54%	53%	51%	53%
	Disagree	2%	3%	3%	3%
	Strongly Disagree	1%	2%	2%	1%
23. (c) Community engagement . . . I think my opinion makes a difference.	Strongly Agree	12%	12%	15%	13%
	Agree	59%	54%	49%	56%
	Disagree	25%	28%	30%	27%
	Strongly Disagree	4%	6%	6%	5%

Have you had conversations about racial issues?

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
24. Have you had conversations with friends or family regarding racial injustice and inequality? (Select one option)	No I haven't really talked about it	34%	37%	35%	35%
	Yes, a few times	49%	46%	48%	48%
	Yes, I've talked about it a lot	16%	17%	17%	17%

What's important to promoting racial equality?

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling % of Group	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
25 (a) How important to promote racial equality . . . More youth voice in developing school policy	Important	46%	49%	51%	48%
	Somewhat Important	39%	37%	34%	38%
	Not Important	8%	7%	7%	8%
	Don't Know/Not Sure	7%	7%	7%	7%
25 (b) How important to promote racial equality . . . Change the school curriculum to better reflect the history and experiences of people of color	Important	39%	42%	47%	41%
	Somewhat Important	36%	35%	33%	35%
	Not Important	16%	13%	11%	14%
	Don't Know/Not Sure	10%	10%	8%	10%
25 (c) How important to promote racial equality . . . Stop having police in the schools	Important	10%	12%	15%	11%
	Somewhat Important	18%	22%	27%	20%
	Not Important	53%	47%	39%	49%
	Don't Know/Not Sure	19%	20%	18%	19%
25 (d) How important to promote racial equality . . . Better support for students of color at my school	Important	41%	45%	52%	44%
	Somewhat Important	33%	32%	29%	32%
	Not Important	12%	11%	10%	11%
	Don't Know/Not Sure	13%	12%	10%	12%
25 (e) How important to promote racial equality . . . More diversity among teachers and other school staff	Important	36%	41%	47%	39%
	Somewhat Important	30%	30%	29%	30%
	Not Important	22%	18%	14%	20%
	Don't Know/Not Sure	12%	11%	10%	11%

Volunteering

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling % of Group	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
21. Have you done any volunteer work or community service in the last 12 months?	Yes	72%	60%	47%	65%
	No	28%	40%	53%	35%

Extracurriculars

Participation in sports

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
26. In this current school year, have you played or will you play on a sports team either through school or on a club team?	yes	74%	62%	47%	66%
	No	23%	32%	43%	28%
	Not Sure	4%	7%	10%	5%

Days a week participating in homework club

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
27(a). Tutoring, homework club or other academic support	Not available in my school or neighborhood	2%	3%	4%	3%
	Never involved	81%	76%	72%	78%
	1-2 days	12%	14%	17%	13%
	3-4 days	3%	4%	4%	3%
	5 or more days	3%	3%	3%	3%

Days a week participating in drama, music or art

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
27(c). Music, art, dance or drama	Not available in my school or neighborhood	1%	2%	3%	2%
	Never involved	62%	64%	66%	63%
	1-2 days	10%	10%	11%	10%
	3-4 days	11%	9%	7%	10%
	5 or more days	16%	15%	13%	15%

Days a week participating in school clubs and competition

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
27(b). School clubs or competitions like forensics	Not available in my school or neighborhood	1%	3%	3%	2%
	Never involved	61%	66%	68%	63%
	1-2 days	28%	22%	19%	25%
	3-4 days	6%	6%	5%	6%
	5 or more days	4%	4%	4%	4%

Days a week participating in religious activities

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
27(d). Religious or spiritual activities	Not available in my school or neighborhood	3%	5%	8%	5%
	Never involved	73%	73%	72%	73%
	1-2 days	20%	17%	14%	19%
	3-4 days	2%	2%	2%	2%
	5 or more days	2%	2%	3%	2%

Days a week participating in after school clubs

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
27(e). Other afterschool programs, clubs or activities at a school, neighborhood center or organization	Not available in my school or neighborhood	1%	4%	4%	2%
	Never involved	47%	55%	58%	51%
	1-2 days	29%	26%	23%	27%
	3-4 days	12%	8%	8%	10%
	5 or more days	10%	8%	7%	9%

Days per week physically active

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
Dane County 9-12					
29. During the past 7 days, on how many days were you physically active for a total of at least 60 minutes per day? The physical activity could have happened a few times throughout the day at smaller amounts, adding up to 60 minutes as a total for the day.	0 days active for 60 minutes	4%	7%	9%	5%
	1-2 days active for 60 minutes	14%	20%	27%	17%
	3-4 days active for 60 minutes	30%	33%	32%	31%
	5 or more days active for 60 minutes	52%	41%	32%	46%

Physical activity

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
Dane County 9-12					
29. During the past 7 days, on how many days were you physically active for a total of at least 60 minutes per day? The physical activity could have happened a few times throughout the day at smaller amounts, adding up to 60 minutes as a total for the day.	0 days active for 60 minutes	4%	7%	9%	5%
	1-2 days active for 60 minutes	14%	20%	27%	17%
	3-4 days active for 60 minutes	30%	33%	32%	31%
	5 or more days active for 60 minutes	52%	41%	32%	46%

Servings of veggies and fruit each day

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
Dane County 9-12					
39. During the past 7 days, how many times did you eat fruits or vegetables? (Do not count fruit juice, French Fries, fried potatoes or potato chips.)	0 times per day	2%	4%	7%	4%
	1-2 times per day	46%	50%	50%	48%
	3-4 times per day	34%	30%	29%	32%
	5 or more times per day	17%	16%	14%	16%

Number of days eating breakfast

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
35. During the past 7 days, how many days did you eat breakfast?	0 days	12%	19%	26%	16%
	1 day	6%	9%	11%	8%
	2 days	10%	14%	15%	11%
	3 days	7%	10%	11%	8%
	4 days	6%	6%	6%	6%
	5 days	10%	9%	10%	10%
	6 days	8%	6%	4%	7%
	7 days	41%	28%	18%	34%

Frequency of drinks

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
37. During the past 7 days, how many times did you drink a can, bottle, cup or glass of a "sugary" drink, like Gatorade, soda or pop, lemonade, a latte, a Frappuccino, Snapple or any other drink with sugar added?,	0 times the past 7 days	14%	12%	11%	13%
	1 to 3 times the past 7 days	54%	49%	50%	52%
	4 to 6 times the past 7 days	22%	23%	22%	22%
	1 time per day	9%	12%	12%	10%
	2 times per day	1%	4%	4%	2%
	38. During the past 7 days, how many times did you drink something with caffeine such as coffee, coffee drinks, energy drinks or soda with caffeine?	0 times the past 7 days	29%	26%	29%
	1 to 3 times the past 7 days	41%	40%	44%	41%
	4 to 6 times the past 7 days	18%	19%	14%	17%
	1 time per day	11%	12%	10%	11%
	2 times per day	1%	3%	3%	2%

Participation in sports

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
26. In this current school year, have you played or will you play on a sports team either through school or on a club team?	yes	74%	62%	47%	66%
	No	23%	32%	43%	28%
	Not Sure	4%	7%	10%	5%

Days a week participating in homework club

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
27(a). Tutoring, homework club or other academic support	Not available in my school or neighborhood	2%	3%	4%	3%
	Never involved	81%	76%	72%	78%
	1-2 days	12%	14%	17%	13%
	3-4 days	3%	4%	4%	3%
	5 or more days	3%	3%	3%	3%

Days a week participating in drama, music or art

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
27(c). Music, art, dance or drama	Not available in my school or neighborhood	1%	2%	3%	2%
	Never involved	62%	64%	66%	63%
	1-2 days	10%	10%	11%	10%
	3-4 days	11%	9%	7%	10%
	5 or more days	16%	15%	13%	15%

Days a week participating in school clubs and competition

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
27(b). School clubs or competitions like forensics	Not available in my school or neighborhood	1%	3%	3%	2%
	Never involved	61%	66%	68%	63%
	1-2 days	28%	22%	19%	25%
	3-4 days	6%	6%	5%	6%
	5 or more days	4%	4%	4%	4%

Days a week participating in religious activities

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
27(d). Religious or spiritual activities	Not available in my school or neighborhood	3%	5%	8%	5%
	Never involved	73%	73%	72%	73%
	1-2 days	20%	17%	14%	19%
	3-4 days	2%	2%	2%	2%
	5 or more days	2%	2%	3%	2%

Days a week participating in after school clubs

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
27(e). Other afterschool programs, clubs or activities at a school, neighborhood center or organization	Not available in my school or neighborhood	1%	4%	4%	2%
	Never involved	47%	55%	58%	51%
	1-2 days	29%	26%	23%	27%
	3-4 days	12%	8%	8%	10%
	5 or more days	10%	8%	7%	9%

Exercise and Nutrition

Physical activity

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
Dane County 9-12					
29. During the past 7 days, on how many days were you physically active for a total of at least 60 minutes per day? The physical activity could have happened a few times throughout the day at smaller amounts, adding up to 60 minutes as a total for the day.	0 days active for 60 minutes	4%	7%	9%	5%
	1-2 days active for 60 minutes	14%	20%	27%	17%
	3-4 days active for 60 minutes	30%	33%	32%	31%
	5 or more days active for 60 minutes	52%	41%	32%	46%

Servings of veggies and fruit each day

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
Dane County 9-12					
39. During the past 7 days, how many times did you eat fruits or vegetables? (Do not count fruit juice, French Fries, fried potatoes or potato chips.)	0 times per day	2%	4%	7%	4%
	1-2 times per day	46%	50%	50%	48%
	3-4 times per day	34%	30%	29%	32%
	5 or more times per day	17%	16%	14%	16%

Number of days eating breakfast

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
Dane County 9-12					
35. During the past 7 days, how many days did you eat breakfast?	0 days	12%	19%	26%	16%
	1 day	6%	9%	11%	8%
	2 days	10%	14%	15%	11%
	3 days	7%	10%	11%	8%
	4 days	6%	6%	6%	6%
	5 days	10%	9%	10%	10%
	6 days	8%	6%	4%	7%
	7 days	41%	28%	18%	34%

Frequency of drinks

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
Dane County 9-12					
37. During the past 7 days, how many times did you drink a can, bottle, cup or glass of a "sugary" drink, like Gatorade, soda or pop, lemonade, a latte, a Frappuccino, Snapple or any other drink with sugar added?,	0 times the past 7 days	14%	12%	11%	13%
	1 to 3 times the past 7 days	54%	49%	50%	52%
	4 to 6 times the past 7 days	22%	23%	22%	22%
	1 time per day	9%	12%	12%	10%
	2 times per day	1%	4%	4%	2%
38. During the past 7 days, how many times did you drink something with caffeine such as coffee, coffee drinks, energy drinks or soda with caffeine?	0 times the past 7 days	29%	26%	29%	29%
	1 to 3 times the past 7 days	41%	40%	44%	41%
	4 to 6 times the past 7 days	18%	19%	14%	17%
	1 time per day	11%	12%	10%	11%
	2 times per day	1%	3%	3%	2%

Sleep and Phones

School nights up past 11pm

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
Dane County 9-12					
30. On average, how many school nights (Sunday-Thurs) a week are you awake past 11pm?	0 nights	15%	11%	8%	13%
	1 night	15%	12%	9%	14%
	2 nights	16%	16%	15%	16%
	3 nights	16%	18%	17%	16%
	4 nights	12%	12%	12%	12%
	Every school night	26%	31%	38%	30%

Reason for staying up

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
Dane County 9-12					
31(a) Common reason	No	53%	55%	58%	54%
you stay up past 11pm on school nights - doing homework	Yes	47%	45%	42%	46%
31(b) Common reason	No	81%	76%	76%	79%
you stay up past 11pm on school nights - video games	Yes	19%	24%	24%	21%
31(c) Common reason	No	40%	40%	39%	40%
you stay up past 11pm on school nights - looking at phone or computer	Yes	60%	60%	61%	60%
31(d) Common reason	No	82%	75%	70%	78%
you stay up past 11pm on school nights - worrying or anxiety	Yes	18%	25%	30%	22%
31(e) Common reason	No	78%	75%	75%	77%
you stay up past 11pm on school nights - watching TV	Yes	22%	25%	25%	23%

Family bedtime

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
Dane County 9-12					
32. In your home, do you have rules or guidelines about bedtime on school nights? Bedtime means the time you should go to bed.	Yes, I have a bedtime on school nights.	30%	30%	29%	30%
	No, I don't have a bedtime on school nights.	51%	50%	51%	50%
	Not clear whether I have bedtime or not	20%	20%	20%	20%

Do you follow the bedtime?

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
Dane County 9-12					
33. How often do you stick to the bedtime rules in your home?	Don't have bedtime rules	54%	50%	49%	52%
	Almost always	14%	12%	11%	13%
	Most of the time	15%	15%	13%	15%
	Sometimes	11%	13%	16%	12%
	Rarely, never	6%	10%	12%	8%

Parent Monitoring and Interest

Evening meals per week with family

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
34. In an average week, how many days do you eat evening meals with your family?	0 days	6%	12%	18%	9%
	1 day	6%	8%	10%	7%
	2 days	9%	11%	13%	10%
	3 days	12%	12%	13%	12%
	4 days	13%	10%	10%	12%
	5 days	16%	14%	9%	14%
	6 days	13%	9%	5%	10%
	7 days	25%	24%	22%	24%

Parents monitor school progress

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
45(f). My parents monitor my school progress.	Always	71%	60%	46%	64%
	Often	22%	27%	29%	24%
	Sometimes	6%	12%	21%	10%
	Never	0%	2%	5%	2%

Other parent monitoring

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
45(a). My parents know where I am when I go out.	Always	66%	61%	57%	63%
	Often	29%	31%	30%	30%
	Sometimes	4%	7%	10%	6%
	Never	0%	1%	2%	1%
45(b). My parents set clear rules about what I can and cannot do.	Always	47%	45%	47%	47%
	Often	34%	33%	27%	32%
	Sometimes	17%	19%	20%	18%
	Never	2%	3%	6%	3%
45(d). My parents have consequences if I break rules.	Always	50%	45%	40%	47%
	Often	31%	30%	27%	30%
	Sometimes	17%	21%	25%	19%
	Never	2%	4%	8%	4%

Parents provide structure (SCALE)

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems % of Group	Some problems % of Group	Struggling % of Group	
Dane County 9-12					
Scale, parents provide structure	Strongly Agree	67%	60%	56%	63%
	Agree	25%	28%	26%	26%
	Disagree	8%	10%	14%	9%
	Strongly Disagree	1%	2%	4%	2%

My parents . . .

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems % of Group	Some problems % of Group	Struggling % of Group	
Dane County 9-12					
45(c). My parents have talked with me about my future plans.	Always	58%	52%	45%	54%
	Often	27%	28%	25%	27%
	Sometimes	13%	18%	23%	16%
	Never	1%	3%	6%	2%
45(e). My parents encourage me to do well.	Always	84%	75%	68%	79%
	Often	13%	17%	18%	15%
	Sometimes	3%	7%	10%	5%
	Never	0%	1%	3%	1%
45(g). My parents talk with me about things that bother me.	Always	39%	32%	26%	35%
	Often	27%	24%	19%	25%
	Sometimes	28%	32%	33%	30%
	Never	7%	12%	22%	11%

Parents show interest in me (SCALE)

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems % of Group	Some problems % of Group	Struggling % of Group	
Dane County 9-12					
Scale, parents showing interest	Strongly Agree	68%	58%	47%	62%
	Agree	24%	27%	29%	26%
	Disagree	6%	11%	16%	9%
	Strongly Disagree	1%	4%	8%	3%

Had a good talk with parents about . . . ?

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
Dane County 9-12					
44(a). Have you had a good talk with your parents about decisions about having sex	Yes	57%	56%	54%	56%
	No	43%	44%	46%	44%
44(b). Have you had a good talk with your parents about healthy dating relationships	Yes	70%	69%	69%	70%
	No	30%	31%	31%	30%
44(d). Have you had a good talk with your parents about sexually transmitted infections	Yes	43%	44%	45%	43%
	No	57%	56%	55%	57%

Parent risk factors

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
Dane County 9-12					
46(b). My parent has been in prison or jail.	Yes	2%	8%	20%	7%
	No	96%	88%	72%	90%
	No Sure	2%	4%	7%	4%
46(c). My parent has hit me, leaving bruises, marks or any kind of injury.	Yes	2%	4%	10%	4%
	No	97%	93%	83%	94%
	No Sure	1%	3%	7%	3%
46(d). My parent gets drunk at least once a week.	Yes	6%	10%	14%	8%
	No	91%	85%	78%	87%
	No Sure	3%	5%	7%	4%
46(e). My parent abuses prescription or nonprescription drugs.	Yes	0%	2%	3%	1%
	No	98%	95%	90%	96%
	No Sure	1%	3%	6%	2%
46(f). My parents physically fight with each other or their partners.	Yes	0%	1%	5%	1%
	No	99%	96%	89%	96%
	No Sure	1%	3%	6%	2%

Anxiety

In the past 30 days, how often have you

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
47(a). Felt nervous, anxious or on edge.	Always	9%	17%	24%	14%
	Often	28%	33%	33%	30%
	Sometimes	45%	35%	31%	40%
	Not at all	18%	15%	12%	16%
47(b). Not been able to stop or control worrying.	Always	7%	12%	18%	10%
	Often	17%	22%	27%	20%
	Sometimes	31%	30%	28%	30%
	Not at all	45%	36%	27%	40%
47(c). Felt problems were piling up so high that you could not handle them	Always	8%	15%	20%	12%
	Often	18%	22%	26%	20%
	Sometimes	31%	27%	28%	29%
	Not at all	44%	35%	26%	39%
47(d). Worried too much about different things	Always	9%	17%	24%	14%
	Often	23%	28%	31%	25%
	Sometimes	35%	31%	28%	33%
	Not at all	33%	25%	17%	28%
47(e). Had trouble relaxing	Always	7%	12%	18%	10%
	Often	17%	22%	24%	19%
	Sometimes	36%	34%	33%	35%
	Not at all	40%	32%	25%	36%
47(f). Been so restless that it is hard to sit still	Always	7%	11%	17%	10%
	Often	14%	19%	22%	17%
	Sometimes	26%	27%	29%	27%
	Not at all	53%	43%	32%	46%
47(g). Become easily annoyed or irritable	Always	10%	18%	27%	15%
	Often	24%	30%	29%	26%
	Sometimes	39%	33%	28%	36%
	Not at all	26%	19%	15%	23%
47(h). Felt afraid as if something awful might happen	Always	5%	10%	17%	8%
	Often	10%	15%	20%	13%
	Sometimes	24%	27%	29%	26%
	Not at all	60%	48%	34%	53%

DCYA Anxiety Measure (SCALE)

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
DCYA Anxiety Scale (3 items)	Always	10%	18%	25%	14%
	Often	17%	22%	23%	19%
	Sometimes	24%	22%	23%	23%
	Not at all	49%	39%	29%	43%

3 MOST IMPORTANT causes of stress and anxiety in my life

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling % of Group	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
48(a) I really don't experience much stress or anxiety	Yes some anxiety	71%	76%	81%	74%
	Really don't experience anxiety	29%	24%	19%	26%
48(b) Pressure to have money, have things (phone, clothes, car)	No	90%	79%	63%	83%
	Yes	10%	21%	37%	17%
48(g) Too much homework	No	52%	52%	52%	52%
	Yes	48%	48%	48%	48%
48(h) Social pressure to be popular, look good	No	79%	78%	79%	79%
	Yes	21%	22%	21%	21%
48(i) Pressure to perform in school (hard classes, getting good grades)	No	52%	53%	57%	53%
	Yes	48%	47%	43%	47%
48(j) Feeling like I don't fit in at school	No	86%	80%	78%	83%
	Yes	14%	20%	22%	17%
48(k) Home life or family problems	No	89%	80%	66%	83%
	Yes	11%	20%	34%	17%
48(l) Politics and elections	No	95%	95%	95%	95%
	Yes	5%	5%	5%	5%
48(m) Racial tensions	No	99%	98%	95%	98%
	Yes	1%	2%	5%	2%
48(n) Other problems (open ended)	No	100%	100%	100%	100%

Emotional and Mental Health

Diagnosed with emotional or mental health issue

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling % of Group	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
50(a) Never diagnosed with an emotional or mental health issue	Yes, I have an emotional health problem	39%	47%	53%	43%
	No emotional health problem	61%	53%	47%	57%
50(b) Trauma or PTSD	No trauma	98%	95%	91%	96%
	Trauma or PTSD	2%	5%	9%	4%
50(c). Depression	No Depression	86%	81%	76%	83%
	Depression	14%	19%	24%	17%
50(d). Anxiety	No Anxiety	77%	72%	71%	75%
	Anxiety	23%	28%	29%	25%
50(e). An eating disorder	No eating disorder	96%	94%	92%	95%
	Eating disorder	4%	6%	8%	5%
50(f). ADD or ADHD	No ADD or ADHD	89%	86%	85%	88%
	ADD or ADHD	11%	14%	15%	12%

Receiving professional mental health services

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
Dane County 9-12					
52. Are you currently receiving professional mental health services?	No, I'm not receiving mental health services	82%	79%	80%	81%
	Yes, I'm receiving mental health services	18%	21%	20%	19%

Where receiving mental health services

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
Dane County 9-12					
53. If you are receiving mental health services, are those services . . .	Mental health services in school	2%	3%	12%	4%
	Mental health services outside of school	87%	83%	67%	82%
	Both in school and outside of school	10%	14%	21%	13%

Depression: Feeling sad and hopeless

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
Dane County 9-12					
55. During the past 12 months, did you ever feel so sad or hopeless almost every day for at least two weeks in a row that you stopped doing some usual activities?	Yes	17%	29%	45%	25%
	No	83%	71%	55%	75%

Risk of clinical depression

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
Dane County 9-12					
PHQ_2 Risk of depression	Major depressive disorder is unlikely	89%	82%	72%	85%
	Major depressive disorder is likely	11%	18%	28%	15%

Suicide ideation

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
60. During the past 12 months, have you thought seriously about killing yourself?	No	90%	84%	77%	87%
	Yes	10%	16%	23%	13%

Made a suicide plan

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
61. During the past 12 months, did you make a plan about how you would attempt suicide?	No	95%	92%	87%	93%
	Yes	5%	8%	13%	7%

Suicide attempts in the last 12 months

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
62. During the past 12 months, have you attempted to kill yourself?	No	98%	96%	92%	97%
	Yes, one time	1%	2%	5%	2%
	Yes, more than one time	1%	2%	3%	1%

Self-harm in the last 12 months

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
59. During the past 12 months, how many times did you do something to hurt yourself on purpose, without wanting to die, such as cutting or burning yourself?	Never	88%	81%	75%	84%
	Rarely (once or twice)	7%	10%	14%	9%
	Occasionally	4%	7%	9%	5%
	Frequently	1%	2%	3%	2%

Feelings of Loneliness

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
UCLA Loneliness Scale	Always	2%	6%	9%	4%
	Often	11%	18%	25%	15%
	Sometimes	37%	39%	41%	38%
	Never	50%	38%	26%	43%

Internet anxiety - PRIUSS 3 scale*

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
Anxiety created by the internet	Very Often	2%	3%	5%	3%
	Often	8%	11%	14%	10%
	Sometimes	26%	28%	31%	28%
	Rarely	39%	36%	33%	37%
	Never	25%	22%	17%	23%

*The Problematic Internet Use Scale (PRIUSS 3) uses 3 questions which ask how often youth a) lose motivation to do other things that need to get done because of the internet b) experience increased social anxiety due to internet use c) feel anxious because they are away from the internet

Sexual Behavior

Voluntarily engaged in sexual contact

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
63. Have you ever voluntarily had sexual contact or sexual intercourse with another person?	No never	72%	65%	61%	68%
	Yes, sexual contact, but no sexual intercourse	13%	13%	15%	13%
	Yes, sexual contact and sexual intercourse	16%	22%	24%	19%

Sex while under the influence

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling % of Group	
Dane County 9-12*		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
64. Have you ever had voluntary sexual intercourse with someone while you were under the influence of alcohol, cannabis or other drugs?*	No, never	84%	81%	72%	81%
	Only once	4%	7%	10%	6%
	Yes, a few times	8%	8%	11%	9%
	Yes, many times	4%	4%	7%	5%

*% of youth who have had sexual intercourse

Birth Control and STIs

Birth control

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling % of Group	
Dane County 9-12*		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
65. When you have vaginal sexual intercourse how often do you and your partner use a method to prevent pregnancy?*	I have never had vaginal sexual intercourse	42%	34%	34%	38%
	Never	5%	8%	11%	7%
	Sometimes	9%	13%	16%	12%
	Always	43%	45%	39%	42%

*% of who have had sexual intercourse

Forms of birth control used

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling % of Group	
Dane County 9-12*		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
66(b). Pills	Other method	92%	90%	91%	92%
	Uses Pills	8%	10%	9%	8%
66(c). Implants (Nexplanon)	No Intercourse/Other method	99%	98%	97%	98%
	Uses Implants	1%	2%	3%	2%
66(d). Patch	No Intercourse/Other method	100%	99%	99%	99%
	Uses a Patch	0%	1%	1%	1%
66(e). Nuva Ring	No Intercourse/Other method	100%	100%	99%	100%
	Uses a Nuva Ring	0%	0%	1%	0%
66(f). Condom	No Intercourse/Other method	87%	82%	80%	85%
	Uses a condom	13%	18%	20%	15%

66(g). Shots (Depo Provera)	No Intercourse/Other method	100%	99%	98%	99%
	Uses shots	0%	1%	2%	1%
66(h). IUD	No Intercourse/Other method	98%	98%	97%	98%
	Uses an IUD	2%	2%	3%	2%
66(i). Withdrawal (Pulling out)	No Intercourse/Other method	94%	91%	90%	93%
	Uses withdrawal	6%	9%	10%	7%
66(j). Other	No Intercourse/Other method	100%	99%	98%	99%
	Some other form of birth control	0%	1%	2%	1%
66(k). Nothing no birth control	No Intercourse	99%	98%	97%	98%
	Uses NO birth control when having intercourse	1%	2%	3%	2%

*% of who have had sexual intercourse

Use of a condom for STI prevention

		Family financial situation		% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12*		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
67. When you have sexual intercourse, how often do you and your partner use a condom or dental dam to prevent sexually transmitted infections?	Never		67%	57%
	Always use one	100%	33%	43%

*% of who have had sexual intercourse

Tested for an STI

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
70. Have you ever been tested for a sexually transmitted infection (STI)?	Yes	4%	7%	11%	6%
	No	96%	93%	89%	94%

Reason for no STI test

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
71. What is the main reason you have never been tested for an STI?	I'm not sexually active	83%	78%	75%	80%
	I don't think I'm at risk of getting an STI	14%	17%	17%	16%
	I don't think getting an STI is that serious	0%	0%	0%	0%
	I don't want to ask my regular doctor to test me for STIs	0%	1%	0%	0%
	I don't want my parents to know I got tested for STIs	1%	2%	2%	1%
	I don't know where to go to get tested for STIs	0%	1%	2%	1%
	I don't have transportation to a clinic that tests for STIs		0%	0%	0%
	I can't afford to get tested for STIs	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Other	1%	1%	3%	2%

I know where to get . . .

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
69(a). I know where to get birth control, if I need it	Yes	76%	74%	69%	74%
	No	24%	26%	31%	26%
69(b). I know where to get tested for a sexually transmitted infection (STI)	Yes	62%	60%	54%	60%
	No	38%	40%	46%	40%

How many people your age have had intercourse?

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
68. About how many people your age do you think have ever had sexual intercourse?	None	6%	8%	10%	7%
	Less than half	40%	29%	21%	34%
	Half	32%	32%	28%	31%
	More than half	17%	22%	28%	20%
	Most	5%	9%	13%	7%

Dating and Sexual Violence

Someone you were dating physically hurt you

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
72. During the past 12 months, did someone you were dating or going out with physically hurt you on purpose? (Count such things as being hit, slammed into something, or injured with an object or weapon.)	I did not date or go out with anyone during the past 12 months.	43%	38%	35%	40%
	Yes	1%	3%	5%	2%
	No	56%	59%	60%	58%

In the past 12 months has someone you are dating ever done the following . . . ?*

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
73(a). During the past 12 months, did someone you were dating or going out with- Put you down (called you names, said you were ugly, said no one wants you)	No	96%	94%	92%	95%
	Yes	4%	6%	8%	5%
73(c). During the past 12 months, did someone you were dating or going out with - Kept you from spending time with your friends or family	No	98%	96%	94%	97%
	Yes	2%	4%	6%	3%
73(d). During the past 12 months, did someone you were dating or going out with - Threatened to hurt you	No	99%	99%	98%	99%
	Yes	1%	1%	2%	1%
73(e). During the past 12 months, did someone you were dating or going out with - Forced you to have sexual contact	No	99%	97%	97%	98%
	Yes	1%	3%	3%	2%

*% of students who have ever been dating

Forced to take part in a sexual act

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
74. Have you ever been forced, either verbally or physically, to take part in a sexual activity?	Yes	4%	8%	14%	7%
	No	96%	92%	86%	93%

Sex trafficking

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
75. Have you ever had sexual contact in order to stay safe or to get something like a place to stay, money, gifts, alcohol or drugs?	Yes	1%	2%	4%	1%
	No	99%	98%	96%	99%

Pressured into sexual photos

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
76. Has anyone ever encouraged or pressured you to be part of sexual photos or videos? (Select one option)	Yes, by someone I was dating	3%	4%	6%	4%
	Yes, by someone I didn't know very well	2%	3%	4%	3%
	Yes, by my friends	0%	0%	1%	1%
	Yes, some other situation	2%	3%	4%	3%
	No, never	93%	89%	85%	91%

Vaping, Nicotine, THC and Tobacco,

Nicotine vaping last 30 days

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
78. In the past 30 days, on how many days did you use a nicotine or a tobacco product in an electronic cigarette, e-cigarette or vaping device?	Never used a vaping device	88%	79%	72%	83%
	0 days	7%	11%	13%	9%
	1 or 2 days	2%	4%	6%	3%
	3 to 5 days	1%	2%	3%	1%
	6 to 9 days	0%	0%	1%	0%
	10 days or more	2%	4%	6%	3%

THC vaping last 12 months

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
79. In the past 12 months, have you ever used THC or any cannabis product (concentrates, waxes or hash oils) in an electronic cigarette, e-cigarette or vaping device?	Yes	9%	14%	19%	12%
	No	91%	86%	81%	88%

THC vaping last 30 days

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
80. In the past 30 days, on how many days did you use THC or any cannabis product (concentrates, waxes or hash oils) in an electronic cigarette, e-cigarette or vaping device?	Never used a vaping device	86%	78%	71%	82%
	0 days	7%	11%	13%	9%
	1 or 2 days	3%	4%	5%	3%
	3 to 5 days	1%	2%	3%	2%
	6 to 9 days	1%	1%	2%	1%
	10 days or more	2%	4%	6%	3%

Tobacco products last 30 days?

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling % of Group	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
81(a). Non-menthol cigarettes past 30 days	0 days	99%	99%	97%	99%
	1 or 2 days	0%	1%	1%	0%
	3 to 5 days	0%	0%	1%	0%
	6 to 9 days	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 days or more	0%	0%	1%	0%
81(b). Menthol cigarettes past 30 days	0 days	99%	98%	97%	99%
	1 or 2 days	0%	1%	1%	1%
	3 to 5 days	0%	0%	1%	0%
	6 to 9 days	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 days or more	0%	0%	1%	0%
81(c). Little cigars, cigarillos or flavored cigars (like Black 'n Milds) past 30 days	0 days	99%	98%	97%	99%
	1 or 2 days	0%	1%	1%	1%
	3 to 5 days	0%	0%	1%	0%
	6 to 9 days	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 days or more	0%	0%	1%	0%
81(d). Chewing tobacco, dip, Snus, or snuff (like Skoal) past 30 days	0 days	99%	98%	98%	99%
	1 or 2 days	0%	0%	0%	0%
	3 to 5 days	0%	0%	0%	0%
	6 to 9 days	0%	0%	1%	0%
	10 days or more	0%	1%	1%	0%
81(e). Smoking tobacco from a hookah or waterpipe past 30 days	0 days	100%	99%	97%	99%
	1 or 2 days	0%	0%	1%	0%
	3 to 5 days	0%	0%	1%	0%
	6 to 9 days	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 days or more	0%	0%	2%	0%

Alcohol Use

Number of times drinking alcohol last 12 months

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling % of Group	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
84. In the past 12 months how many times did you drink alcohol? (more than a few sips)	Never, not at all	75%	71%	70%	73%
	Less than 1 time per month	17%	20%	20%	18%
	1 time per month or more	8%	9%	10%	9%

Main reason you do not drink

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
Dane County 9-12					
85(a) I could get a citation	No	84%	88%	91%	87%
	Yes	16%	12%	9%	13%
85(b) There is addiction in my family	No	92%	89%	87%	91%
	Yes	8%	11%	13%	9%
85(c) Don't know where I can get it	No	97%	97%	96%	97%
	Yes	3%	3%	4%	3%
85(d) My parents would be disappointed in me	No	68%	74%	75%	71%
	Yes	32%	26%	25%	29%
85(e) I'm worried about the impact it would have on my future	No	66%	71%	73%	68%
	Yes	34%	29%	27%	32%
85(f) It's bad for a teenager's health	No	61%	66%	69%	63%
	Yes	39%	34%	31%	37%
85(g) I don't hang around with people who drink	No	70%	75%	79%	73%
	Yes	30%	25%	21%	27%
85(h) I had a taste once and didn't like it.	No	82%	84%	83%	83%
	Yes	18%	16%	17%	17%
85(i) Other reasons	No	87%	86%	85%	87%
	Yes	13%	14%	15%	13%

*% of youth who never drank

Sources of alcohol

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
Dane County 9-12					
86(a) I didn't drink in the last 12 months.	No	27%	32%	33%	29%
	Yes	73%	68%	67%	71%
86(b) Buy it myself	No	98%	98%	97%	98%
	Yes	2%	2%	3%	2%
86(c) My parents	No	90%	88%	88%	89%
	Yes	10%	12%	12%	11%
86(d) My brother/sister	No	98%	97%	97%	98%
	Yes	2%	3%	3%	2%
86(e) Other adults	No	97%	97%	94%	96%
	Yes	3%	3%	6%	4%
86(f) Sneak it from home	No	96%	94%	96%	96%
	Yes	4%	6%	4%	4%
86(g) Get it at parties with my friends	No	90%	90%	91%	90%
	Yes	10%	10%	9%	10%
86(h) Someone else buys it for me	No	95%	94%	94%	94%
	Yes	5%	6%	6%	6%
86(i) Steal it from a store	No	100%	99%	99%	99%
	Yes	0%	1%	1%	1%
86(j) Get it some other way	No	96%	96%	93%	96%
	Yes	4%	4%	7%	4%

In the past 30 days, how many days did you . . . ?

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
Dane County 9-12					
87(a). Have at least 1 drink of alcohol (more than a few sips).	0 days	87%	85%	83%	86%
	1 to 2 days	10%	12%	12%	11%
	3 to 6 days	2%	2%	3%	2%
	7 or more days	1%	1%	2%	1%
87(b). Have 5 or more alcoholic drinks at one time, in a row, within in a couple of hours.	0 days	94%	93%	91%	93%
	1 to 2 days	5%	6%	6%	5%
	3 to 6 days	1%	1%	1%	1%
	7 or more days	0%	1%	2%	1%

Parents knowing about or providing alcohol

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
Dane County 9-12					
83(a). How often have you been at someone's home where teens were drinking alcohol and the parents knew it?	Often	4%	4%	6%	4%
	Sometimes	11%	14%	13%	12%
	Rarely	16%	15%	17%	16%
	Never	70%	67%	64%	68%
83(b). How often have you been drinking with friends when the parents knowingly provided the alcohol?	Often	2%	3%	4%	3%
	Sometimes	6%	7%	8%	6%
	Rarely	8%	11%	10%	9%
	Never	84%	80%	78%	82%

Cannabis Use

Cannabis use past 12 months

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
Dane County 9-12					
88. In the past 12 months, excluding vaping, how many times did you use cannabis including smoking, eating, or dabbing?	Never, not at all	90%	85%	81%	87%
	Less than 1 time per month	6%	7%	7%	6%
	1 time per month or more	4%	7%	12%	6%

Cannabis use past 30 days

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
89. In the past 30 days, excluding vaping, how many times did you use cannabis including smoking, eating, or dabbing?	0 days	94%	91%	85%	92%
	1 to 2 days	3%	4%	6%	4%
	3 to 6 days	1%	2%	3%	2%
	7 or more days	2%	3%	6%	3%

Driving Under the Influence

Driving under the influence

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
90. Have you ever driven a car under the influence of marijuana (or THC) or alcohol?	I don't drive	41%	50%	61%	46%
	I've never driven under the influence	57%	47%	34%	51%
	Yes, under the influence of marijuana (or THC)	2%	2%	3%	2%
	Yes, under the influence of alcohol	0%	0%	1%	0%
	Yes, under the influence of both (at different times or same time)	1%	1%	2%	1%

Other Drugs

Drug use in the past 30 days

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
91(a). A prescription drug (like opioids) without a doctor's prescription	Yes	1%	2%	5%	2%
	No	99%	98%	95%	98%
91(b). Over the counter medication (such as cough syrup) in a way other than it was intended	Yes	3%	4%	7%	4%
	No	97%	96%	93%	96%
91(c) Delta 8/Delta 9 THC Gummies	Yes	3%	5%	9%	5%
	No	97%	95%	91%	95%
91(d). Psilocybin, Magic Mushrooms	Yes	1%	2%	5%	2%
	No	99%	98%	95%	98%

Prescription medications in the home

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
92. Access to prescription drugs in your home.	There are no prescription drugs in my home.	23%	29%	35%	27%
	Prescription drugs in my home are locked up in a secure place.	23%	21%	22%	22%
	Prescription drugs are kept in a place I can access, like the bathroom cabinet or kitchen counter.	54%	50%	43%	51%

School and Education

Special ed or IEP?

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
97. Do you currently receive special education support or have an IEP or a 504 plan?	Yes	8%	14%	16%	11%
	No	89%	81%	73%	84%
	Don't know	3%	6%	11%	5%

Free or reduced lunch

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
98. Do you get free or reduced lunch or breakfast at school?	Yes		24%	78%	20%
	No	100%	76%	22%	80%

About your school. Agree or disagree.

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
100(a). The rules and expectations are clearly explained.	Strongly Agree	23%	20%	19%	22%
	Agree	65%	65%	62%	64%
	Disagree	10%	13%	16%	12%
	Strongly Disagree	2%	3%	3%	2%
100(b). I feel close to people in my school.	Strongly Agree	23%	17%	14%	20%
	Agree	58%	54%	47%	55%
	Disagree	16%	23%	29%	20%
	Strongly Disagree	4%	7%	10%	6%
100(c). I feel safe at my school.	Strongly Agree	19%	15%	12%	17%
	Agree	65%	61%	57%	63%
	Disagree	13%	19%	24%	17%
	Strongly Disagree	3%	5%	7%	4%
100(d). Teachers and other adults treat students fairly.	Strongly Agree	17%	14%	15%	16%
	Agree	60%	56%	51%	58%
	Disagree	19%	24%	26%	21%
	Strongly Disagree	4%	6%	9%	6%
100(e). There are adults I can talk to at school if I have a problem	Strongly Agree	24%	23%	22%	24%
	Agree	59%	57%	54%	58%
	Disagree	13%	15%	16%	14%
	Strongly Disagree	3%	4%	8%	4%
100(f). I feel like I belong at this school.	Strongly Agree	20%	15%	13%	17%
	Agree	65%	60%	53%	62%
	Disagree	12%	18%	24%	16%
	Strongly Disagree	3%	7%	10%	5%

Feeling connected to school (SCALE)

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
Dane County 9-12					
Connected to school scale	Strongly Agree	12%	12%	13%	12%
	Agree	54%	51%	53%	53%
	Disagree	32%	34%	32%	32%
	Strongly Disagree	2%	3%	3%	2%

School perceptions

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
Dane County 9-12					
103(a). I almost always complete my assignments on time	Strongly Agree	45%	30%	20%	37%
	Agree	41%	45%	47%	43%
	Disagree	12%	20%	26%	17%
	Strongly Disagree	2%	4%	7%	4%
103(b). I see my education helping me in the future.	Strongly Agree	54%	41%	32%	47%
	Agree	37%	45%	50%	41%
	Disagree	7%	11%	13%	9%
	Strongly Disagree	2%	3%	5%	3%
103(c). It's important to me that I do well in school.	Strongly Agree	64%	51%	44%	58%
	Agree	31%	40%	45%	36%
	Disagree	4%	7%	8%	5%
	Strongly Disagree	1%	1%	2%	1%
103(d). I struggle getting my homework done.	Strongly Agree	13%	22%	29%	18%
	Agree	28%	36%	42%	33%
	Disagree	44%	34%	24%	38%
	Strongly Disagree	15%	8%	5%	12%

Reasons for struggling with homework

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems % of Group	Some problems % of Group	Struggling % of Group	
Dane County 9-12					
104(a) Reasons I struggle - Too much homework	Strongly Agree	18%	22%	25%	20%
	Agree	41%	40%	44%	41%
	Disagree	35%	32%	27%	33%
	Strongly Disagree	6%	5%	4%	6%
104(b). Reasons I struggle - Homework is too hard, can't figure it out	Strongly Agree	6%	10%	14%	8%
	Agree	24%	32%	38%	29%
	Disagree	56%	49%	41%	52%
	Strongly Disagree	14%	9%	6%	12%
104(c). Reasons I struggle - Too many other responsibilities (job, sports, friends, etc)	Strongly Agree	18%	22%	27%	20%
	Agree	37%	39%	40%	38%
	Disagree	36%	31%	27%	33%
	Strongly Disagree	10%	8%	6%	9%
104(d). Reasons I struggle - Difficult to get help when I need it	Strongly Agree	5%	9%	17%	8%
	Agree	15%	26%	34%	21%
	Disagree	61%	52%	41%	56%
	Strongly Disagree	19%	13%	8%	15%
104(e). Reasons I struggle - Too tired	Strongly Agree	22%	32%	41%	28%
	Agree	44%	42%	41%	43%
	Disagree	26%	20%	14%	23%
	Strongly Disagree	8%	6%	3%	7%
104(f). Reasons I struggle - Too much stress, anxiety	Strongly Agree	16%	26%	33%	21%
	Agree	32%	32%	35%	32%
	Disagree	37%	31%	23%	33%
	Strongly Disagree	15%	11%	9%	13%

Number of days skipping or missing class

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems % of Group	Some problems % of Group	Struggling % of Group	
Dane County 9-12					
102. In the past 30 days, how often have you skipped or not attended classes?	Never	75%	62%	46%	67%
	1-2 times	17%	22%	27%	20%
	3-4 times	4%	7%	11%	6%
	5 or more times	4%	9%	15%	7%

Bullying and Victimization

Target of bullying last 30 days

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
106(a). Someone made unwanted sexual comments to me.	Never	86%	82%	77%	83%
	1 or 2 times	11%	13%	15%	12%
	3 to 4 times	2%	4%	4%	3%
	5 or more times	1%	2%	3%	2%
106(b). I got hit and pushed by other students.	Never	89%	84%	79%	86%
	1 or 2 times	9%	12%	16%	11%
	3 to 4 times	1%	2%	3%	2%
	5 or more times	1%	2%	2%	1%
106(d). Other students picked on me.	Never	86%	81%	78%	84%
	1 or 2 times	10%	13%	13%	11%
	3 to 4 times	2%	4%	5%	3%
	5 or more times	2%	3%	4%	2%
106(i). Other students made fun of me.	Never	83%	77%	75%	80%
	1 or 2 times	13%	16%	16%	14%
	3 to 4 times	2%	4%	5%	3%
	5 or more times	2%	3%	4%	3%
106(k). Other students called me names.	Never	87%	82%	77%	84%
	1 or 2 times	9%	12%	15%	11%
	3 to 4 times	2%	2%	4%	2%
	5 or more times	2%	4%	4%	3%
106(h). I told someone to stop harassing another student.	Never	88%	85%	80%	86%
	1 or 2 times	10%	12%	15%	12%
	3 to 4 times	1%	2%	3%	2%
	5 or more times	1%	1%	2%	1%

Victim of bullying (Espelage SCALE)

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
Espelage victim scale (past 30 days)	No	75%	67%	63%	71%
	At least once	25%	33%	37%	29%

In the past 12 months, have you been bullied, threaten or harassed . . . ?

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
107(a). Through the internet or text messaging.	Never	86%	80%	75%	82%
	Rarely	10%	12%	14%	11%
	Sometimes	4%	6%	8%	5%
	Often	1%	2%	3%	2%
107(b). About your gender identity or sexual orientation	Never	93%	89%	84%	90%
	Rarely	5%	6%	8%	6%
	Sometimes	2%	4%	5%	3%
	Often	1%	2%	2%	1%
107(c). About your race or ethnic background.	Never	94%	89%	80%	91%
	Rarely	4%	7%	10%	6%
	Sometimes	1%	3%	6%	2%
	Often	1%	1%	3%	1%
107(d). About your immigration status	Never	98%	96%	90%	96%
	Rarely	1%	3%	5%	2%
	Sometimes	0%	1%	2%	1%
	Often	0%	1%	2%	1%
107(e). About your political views	Never	92%	90%	89%	91%
	Rarely	5%	6%	7%	6%
	Sometimes	1%	3%	3%	2%
	Often	1%	1%	1%	1%
107(f). About how you look.	Never	79%	69%	63%	74%
	Rarely	14%	17%	17%	16%
	Sometimes	5%	10%	13%	8%
	Often	2%	4%	6%	3%

Adult Connections

Number of adults you can rely on

		Family financial situation			% of Responding 9th-12th Graders
		No problems	Some problems	Struggling	
Dane County 9-12		% of Group	% of Group	% of Group	% of Group
109. Not counting your parents, how many adults can you rely on if you have a problem and need help?	No other adults available	3%	6%	9%	5%
	At least one other adult	11%	15%	23%	14%
	At least two	17%	22%	24%	19%
	At least three	14%	17%	17%	15%
	Four or more adults	55%	40%	26%	47%