

2024 Florida Youth Substance Abuse Survey

Monroe County Data Tables

Table 1. Major demographic characteristics of surveyed Monroe County and Florida Statewide, 2024

	Monroe County		Florida Statewide	
	N	%	N	%
Sex				
Female	329	46.6	21,747	48.6
Male	373	52.8	22,711	50.7
Race/Ethnic group				
African American	55	7.8	9,493	21.2
American Indian	12	1.7	426	1.0
Asian	12	1.7	653	1.5
Hispanic/Latino	205	29.0	10,394	23.2
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	0	0.0	41	0.1
Other/Multiple	181	25.6	7,299	16.3
White, non-Hispanic	237	33.6	16,109	36.0
Parent/Guardian in the Military				
No	598	84.7	38,723	86.5
Yes	102	14.4	5,679	12.7
Age				
11	41	5.8	2,499	5.6
12	91	12.9	5,938	13.3
13	100	14.2	6,288	14.0
14	106	15.0	6,501	14.5
15	112	15.9	6,784	15.2
16	104	14.7	6,743	15.1
17	101	14.3	6,358	14.2
18	45	6.4	3,252	7.3
Grade				
6th	101	14.3	6,126	13.7
7th	90	12.7	6,468	14.5
8th	117	16.6	6,341	14.2
9th	103	14.6	6,696	15.0
10th	108	15.3	6,738	15.1
11th	102	14.4	6,266	14.0
12th	85	12.0	6,121	13.7
Middle School	308	43.6	18,934	42.3
High School	398	56.4	25,821	57.7
Total	706	100.0	44,755	100.0

Note: Some categories do not sum to 100% of the total due to missing values (e.g., not all survey questions were answered) or categories with very few responses were omitted. In addition, rounding can produce totals that do not equal 100%. “N” represents the number of valid cases. In this table, county data are unweighted while statewide data are weighted.

Table 2. Percentages of Monroe County and Florida Statewide youth who reported having used various substances in their lifetimes, 2024

	Monroe County							Florida Statewide						
	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total
Alcohol	17.6	27.5	27.8	19.2	17.5	28.5	23.3	19.3	32.5	30.5	23.5	19.8	32.4	26.9
Blacking Out	--	7.7	9.5	6.1	--	9.1	--	--	9.1	10.3	8.0	--	9.2	--
Cigarettes	3.6	6.0	6.0	3.6	3.4	5.2	5.0	4.4	7.7	6.4	6.2	4.3	7.9	6.3
Vaping Nicotine	10.0	18.4	18.7	11.3	10.4	18.9	14.8	10.9	20.1	20.2	12.4	11.3	20.4	16.2
Vaping Marijuana	4.1	12.4	11.2	6.7	3.9	13.5	8.8	5.5	16.3	14.4	9.2	5.9	16.5	11.7
Marijuana or Hashish	3.2	11.3	10.5	5.5	3.3	11.8	7.9	5.9	18.6	15.3	11.2	6.3	18.8	13.2
Synthetic Marijuana	--	1.7	2.3	1.2	--	1.2	--	--	1.9	2.4	1.5	--	1.9	--
Inhalants	5.4	3.2	4.1	4.3	5.3	3.6	4.1	6.9	3.5	5.5	4.3	6.5	3.7	4.9
Club Drugs	0.0	1.1	0.6	0.7	0.0	1.3	0.6	0.4	0.8	0.6	0.6	0.3	0.8	0.6
LSD, PCP or Mushrooms	0.3	1.6	1.7	0.5	0.5	1.8	1.1	1.0	3.0	2.3	2.1	1.0	3.1	2.2
Methamphetamine	0.9	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.6	0.8	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.6
Cocaine or Crack Cocaine	0.7	0.7	0.2	1.1	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.5
Heroin	0.3	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3
Prescription Depressants	2.4	0.8	2.8	0.2	2.4	0.5	1.5	1.2	1.6	1.8	1.1	1.2	1.6	1.5
Prescription Pain Relievers	2.3	0.8	2.6	0.4	2.1	0.6	1.5	1.6	1.8	1.9	1.5	1.6	1.8	1.7
Prescription Amphetamines	2.4	1.2	2.8	0.7	2.2	1.5	1.7	1.5	2.0	2.2	1.4	1.5	2.1	1.8
Over-the-Counter Drugs	2.9	1.8	4.3	0.4	2.9	1.8	2.3	1.7	2.0	2.2	1.6	1.6	2.2	1.9
Needle to Inject Illegal Drugs	--	0.9	0.5	1.4	--	0.7	--	--	0.6	0.5	0.6	--	0.6	--
Delta-8 or Delta-10 THC	--	7.4	7.7	7.1	--	7.4	--	--	8.7	9.3	8.2	--	8.9	--
Kratom	--	0.2	0.4	0.0	--	0.0	--	--	1.1	1.2	1.1	--	1.1	--
Any illicit drug	13.1	16.4	17.7	12.6	12.5	17.3	15.0	15.1	24.0	23.3	17.2	15.1	24.4	20.2
Any illicit drug other than marijuana	10.0	7.3	10.1	7.1	9.5	8.0	8.5	10.5	9.4	11.0	8.7	10.1	9.7	9.9
Alcohol only	11.7	14.5	15.4	11.3	11.5	14.9	13.3	11.5	14.9	14.2	12.8	11.7	14.7	13.4
Alcohol or any illicit drug	24.4	30.6	32.8	23.5	23.7	32.0	28.0	26.4	38.7	37.3	29.8	26.7	38.9	33.5
Any illicit drug, but no alcohol	6.7	3.3	5.4	4.2	6.1	3.6	4.7	7.2	6.5	7.0	6.6	7.0	6.7	6.8

Note: The first 20 data rows show results for alcohol, cigarettes, and other drugs. The last five data rows show results for various combinations of drugs. For "Blacking Out," respondents were asked on how many occasions in their lifetime they woke up after a night of drinking and did not remember the things they did or the places they went. Ecstasy, Rohypnol, GHB and ketamine are provided as examples in the question about club drugs. The symbol "--" indicates that data are not available.

Table 3. Percentages of Monroe County and Florida Statewide youth who reported having used various substances in the past 30 days, 2024

	Monroe County							Florida Statewide						
	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total
Alcohol	4.6	11.0	11.1	5.7	5.2	11.9	8.3	6.2	13.1	11.8	8.6	6.3	13.0	10.2
Binge Drinking	2.9	7.1	5.9	4.9	2.9	8.1	5.3	2.4	5.9	4.8	4.1	2.4	5.9	4.4
Cigarettes	0.6	1.6	1.0	1.4	1.0	1.6	1.2	0.7	1.4	0.9	1.2	0.7	1.4	1.1
Vaping Nicotine	2.3	7.8	7.7	3.4	2.9	8.6	5.5	3.7	8.7	8.4	4.9	3.9	8.9	6.6
Vaping Marijuana	1.0	4.8	4.4	2.0	0.9	5.6	3.2	2.2	7.8	6.3	4.7	2.4	8.0	5.5
Marijuana or Hashish	1.4	4.9	4.7	2.3	1.8	5.2	3.4	2.4	9.1	7.1	5.6	2.7	9.1	6.3
Synthetic Marijuana	--	0.5	0.6	0.4	--	0.4	--	--	0.7	0.8	0.6	--	0.7	--
Inhalants	2.1	0.5	0.9	1.4	2.1	0.3	1.2	2.5	0.9	1.9	1.2	2.3	1.0	1.6
Club Drugs	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
LSD, PCP or Mushrooms	0.3	0.2	0.5	0.0	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.3	0.7	0.5
Methamphetamine	0.9	0.0	0.4	0.3	0.8	0.0	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3
Cocaine or Crack Cocaine	0.4	0.3	0.0	0.6	0.4	0.0	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2
Heroin	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Prescription Depressants	0.0	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.4
Prescription Pain Relievers	0.2	0.2	0.5	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.5	0.6
Prescription Amphetamines	0.0	0.3	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.2	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5
Over-the-Counter Drugs	1.0	0.2	1.1	0.0	0.9	0.0	0.5	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.7
Any illicit drug	3.8	6.8	6.5	4.7	3.9	7.1	5.5	6.6	12.0	11.2	8.3	6.7	12.1	9.7
Any illicit drug other than marijuana	3.2	1.9	2.4	2.6	3.2	1.6	2.5	4.4	3.1	4.1	3.2	4.2	3.3	3.7
Alcohol only	3.7	6.6	7.3	3.6	3.9	7.1	5.4	4.1	7.4	6.9	5.2	4.1	7.4	6.0
Alcohol or any illicit drug	7.4	13.3	13.6	8.2	7.7	14.1	10.8	10.6	19.3	17.9	13.4	10.7	19.4	15.6
Any illicit drug, but no alcohol	2.5	2.4	2.7	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.4	4.5	6.4	6.2	4.9	4.5	6.6	5.6

Note: The first 17 data rows show results for alcohol, cigarettes, and other drugs. The last five data rows show results for various combinations of drugs. Binge drinking is defined as having had five or more alcoholic drinks in a row in the past two weeks. Ecstasy, Rohypnol, GHB and ketamine are provided as examples in the question about club drugs. The symbol "--" indicates that data are not available.

Table 4. Lifetime trend in substance use for Monroe County, 2014 to 2024

	2014			2016			2018			2020			2022			2024		
	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total
Alcohol	23.7	59.7	44.2	19.9	57.7	41.8	23.4	51.4	39.2	25.1	56.8	42.6	25.0	38.6	32.6	17.6	27.5	23.3
Blacking Out	--	26.3	--	--	25.2	--	--	20.4	--	--	23.8	--	--	11.9	--	--	7.7	--
Cigarettes	9.2	21.5	16.2	5.4	16.6	11.8	6.4	15.0	11.3	5.7	15.0	10.8	5.5	9.9	8.0	3.6	6.0	5.0
Vaping Nicotine	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	17.3	39.7	29.9	16.2	26.1	21.7	10.0	18.4	14.8
Vaping Marijuana	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	8.5	32.7	22.2	6.8	19.1	13.6	4.1	12.4	8.8
Marijuana or Hashish	10.0	39.7	26.9	6.2	41.1	26.4	6.7	38.5	24.7	8.4	34.8	23.3	8.0	21.9	15.7	3.2	11.3	7.9
Synthetic Marijuana	--	11.3	--	--	4.0	--	--	4.8	--	--	1.5	--	--	2.8	--	--	1.7	--
Inhalants	4.4	5.6	5.1	3.8	4.2	4.1	7.9	4.4	5.9	9.0	5.3	6.9	6.3	2.0	3.9	5.4	3.2	4.1
Club Drugs	0.6	8.8	5.2	0.8	4.1	2.7	1.1	2.7	2.0	0.5	0.5	0.5	1.3	0.9	1.0	0.0	1.1	0.6
LSD, PCP or Mushrooms	1.2	7.6	4.8	1.2	6.1	4.0	1.2	3.9	2.7	1.8	3.5	2.7	1.3	4.9	3.4	0.3	1.6	1.1
Methamphetamine	0.7	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.6	0.7	0.0	1.0	0.5	0.6	0.2	0.4	1.5	0.2	0.8	0.9	0.7	0.8
Cocaine or Crack	0.7	4.9	3.1	0.5	5.1	3.1	0.9	3.4	2.3	0.3	2.0	1.2	1.4	1.8	1.6	0.7	0.7	0.7
Heroin	0.5	1.5	1.1	1.2	0.7	1.0	0.3	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.8	0.4	0.3	0.0	0.1
Prescription Depressants	1.5	11.5	7.2	0.8	6.7	4.2	2.4	4.7	3.7	1.3	4.8	3.2	1.3	1.7	1.5	2.4	0.8	1.5
Prescription Pain Relievers	2.0	10.7	6.9	3.3	7.4	5.7	2.5	3.1	2.8	2.3	1.7	2.0	4.3	2.4	3.2	2.3	0.8	1.5
Prescription Amphetamines	0.3	8.7	5.1	1.1	6.6	4.3	0.7	4.7	2.9	1.4	6.5	4.2	2.4	2.1	2.3	2.4	1.2	1.7
Over-the-Counter Drugs	2.3	11.1	7.3	1.6	5.7	4.0	2.8	4.6	3.8	2.1	4.4	3.4	3.1	1.3	2.1	2.9	1.8	2.3
Needle to Inject Drugs	--	--	--	--	1.5	--	--	0.2	--	--	0.6	--	--	0.5	--	--	0.9	--
Delta-8 or Delta-10 THC	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	7.4	--
Kratom	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	0.2	--
Any illicit drug	15.4	44.3	31.8	13.0	43.7	30.7	15.2	41.5	30.0	17.0	41.2	30.4	18.1	26.6	22.8	13.1	16.4	15.0
Any illicit drug other than marijuana	9.4	26.9	19.3	9.3	20.7	15.8	10.1	15.5	13.1	11.2	15.5	13.6	13.0	10.3	11.5	10.0	7.3	8.5
Alcohol only	14.9	20.1	17.9	13.1	18.7	16.4	14.3	15.7	15.1	15.0	22.1	18.9	12.0	16.3	14.4	11.7	14.5	13.3
Alcohol or any illicit drug	30.3	64.3	49.6	25.8	62.2	46.7	29.2	56.9	44.8	32.1	62.7	49.0	30.0	42.8	37.2	24.4	30.6	28.0
Any illicit drug, but no alcohol	6.6	4.3	5.3	6.1	5.2	5.6	6.1	5.4	5.7	6.9	6.2	6.5	5.2	4.3	4.7	6.7	3.3	4.7

Note: The first 20 data rows show results for alcohol, cigarettes, and other drugs. The last five data rows show results for various combinations of drugs. For "Blacking Out," respondents were asked on how many occasions in their lifetime they woke up after a night of drinking and did not remember the things they did or the places they went. Ecstasy, Rohypnol, GHB and ketamine are provided as examples in the question about club drugs. In 2024, the wording of the prescription pain reliver use items was changed to include drug names that are prescribed more frequently. The symbol "--" indicates that data are not available.

Table 5. Past-30-day trends in substance use for Monroe County, 2014 to 2024

	2014			2016			2018			2020			2022			2024		
	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total
Alcohol	11.8	36.8	26.0	6.0	36.3	23.5	10.0	29.5	21.0	8.7	29.6	20.3	8.0	18.5	13.9	4.6	11.0	8.3
Binge Drinking	3.6	19.4	12.5	2.5	17.6	11.3	3.3	12.5	8.5	3.9	14.4	9.6	3.8	11.3	8.0	2.9	7.1	5.3
Cigarettes	1.6	10.0	6.4	1.1	3.7	2.6	1.0	1.4	1.2	2.1	0.9	1.4	0.9	2.3	1.7	0.6	1.6	1.2
Vaping Nicotine	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	7.9	22.6	16.2	7.6	14.0	11.2	2.3	7.8	5.5
Vaping Marijuana	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	5.7	17.5	12.4	4.3	10.7	7.9	1.0	4.8	3.2
Marijuana or Hashish	4.9	23.6	15.4	2.5	22.8	14.4	2.0	22.5	13.5	5.8	20.6	14.1	2.4	13.2	8.4	1.4	4.9	3.4
Synthetic Marijuana	--	1.2	--	--	0.2	--	--	1.8	--	--	0.5	--	--	0.6	--	--	0.5	--
Inhalants	1.1	0.4	0.7	2.0	1.5	1.7	1.9	0.9	1.3	2.3	0.9	1.5	2.9	0.0	1.3	2.1	0.5	1.2
Club Drugs	0.4	2.1	1.4	0.8	2.4	1.8	0.0	1.0	0.5	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.3	0.2
LSD, PCP or Mushrooms	0.0	1.7	1.0	1.2	1.7	1.5	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.6	1.0	0.8	0.6	1.6	1.2	0.3	0.2	0.2
Methamphetamine	0.4	0.0	0.2	0.9	0.4	0.6	0.0	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.5	0.2	0.3	0.9	0.0	0.4
Cocaine or Crack	0.4	2.4	1.5	0.0	3.0	1.7	0.3	1.1	0.8	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.7	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3
Heroin	0.4	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.3	0.0	0.8	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0
Prescription Depressants	0.5	3.5	2.2	0.3	1.7	1.1	0.8	1.0	0.9	0.2	1.3	0.8	0.3	0.5	0.4	0.0	0.4	0.2
Prescription Pain Relievers	0.3	3.3	2.0	1.8	2.0	1.9	0.6	1.1	0.9	1.4	0.5	0.9	1.4	0.6	1.0	0.2	0.2	0.2
Prescription Amphetamines	0.0	2.7	1.5	0.0	2.8	1.6	0.7	0.2	0.4	0.5	1.9	1.3	0.6	0.3	0.4	0.0	0.3	0.2
Over-the-Counter Drugs	1.1	3.0	2.2	1.1	1.9	1.6	1.1	1.6	1.4	0.7	1.6	1.2	0.7	1.3	1.1	1.0	0.2	0.5
Any illicit drug	7.0	25.4	17.4	6.1	26.4	17.8	4.9	24.0	15.6	9.4	23.8	17.4	7.4	17.2	12.9	3.8	6.8	5.5
Any illicit drug other than marijuana	3.2	10.1	7.1	4.4	11.5	8.5	3.7	4.2	4.0	4.7	5.9	5.4	5.2	4.7	4.9	3.2	1.9	2.5
Alcohol only	7.7	17.4	13.2	4.4	17.2	11.8	8.0	12.5	10.5	5.0	16.9	11.6	5.3	10.7	8.3	3.7	6.6	5.4
Alcohol or any illicit drug	15.1	41.8	30.3	10.5	43.4	29.4	12.6	35.9	25.7	14.0	40.2	28.5	12.8	27.8	21.2	7.4	13.3	10.8
Any illicit drug, but no alcohol	3.5	4.7	4.2	4.4	7.6	6.3	2.7	6.8	5.0	5.5	11.2	8.7	4.9	9.4	7.4	2.5	2.4	2.4

Note: The first 18 data rows show results for alcohol, cigarettes, and other drugs. The last five data rows show results for various combinations of drugs. Binge drinking is defined as having had five or more alcoholic drinks in a row in the past two weeks. Ecstasy, Rohypnol, GHB and ketamine are provided as examples in the question about club drugs. In 2020, the vaping/e-cigarette item was replaced with separate questions about vaping nicotine and vaping marijuana. In 2024, the wording of the prescription pain reliver use items was changed to include drug names that are prescribed more frequently. The symbol "--" indicates that data are not available.

Table 6. Percentages of Monroe County and Florida Statewide youth who reported early substance use and perceived risk of harm, 2024

	Monroe County							Florida Statewide						
	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total
Early substance use														
More than a sip of alcohol	--	13.3	13.3	13.2	--	14.7	--	--	13.2	14.3	12.1	--	13.3	--
Drinking at least once a month	--	1.8	2.1	1.5	--	1.6	--	--	2.0	2.3	1.7	--	2.0	--
Smoke cigarettes	--	2.4	2.4	2.4	--	2.6	--	--	4.3	4.7	3.9	--	4.6	--
Smoke marijuana	--	3.7	4.6	2.9	--	4.7	--	--	5.1	5.8	4.4	--	5.1	--
Vape nicotine	--	7.0	10.3	4.1	--	7.9	--	--	8.4	10.7	6.2	--	8.5	--
Vape marijuana	--	3.3	4.4	2.4	--	3.8	--	--	4.3	5.1	3.5	--	4.4	--
Great risk of harm														
1 or 2 drinks nearly every day	48.8	50.5	49.7	49.7	49.5	51.1	49.8	51.3	48.5	51.8	47.6	51.1	48.4	49.7
5+ drinks once or twice a week	57.3	55.7	57.9	54.7	56.8	58.2	56.4	61.6	57.3	60.8	57.5	61.7	57.3	59.1
1+ packs of cigarettes per day	64.0	66.9	66.6	64.6	63.5	68.2	65.7	64.2	65.0	65.8	63.6	64.6	65.1	64.7
Vaping nicotine	51.2	51.0	47.5	54.0	52.0	52.0	51.1	54.6	47.1	49.5	51.1	54.2	47.0	50.3
Vaping marijuana	55.1	45.5	50.2	49.0	55.6	45.6	49.6	56.2	42.5	48.0	48.6	55.5	42.3	48.2
Marijuana once or twice a week	48.5	41.0	45.1	43.2	48.5	41.3	44.2	48.7	31.9	38.9	39.2	47.6	32.1	39.0
Try marijuana once or twice	36.1	32.4	33.4	34.3	36.2	32.5	34.0	34.8	22.9	27.3	28.6	33.9	23.0	27.9
Use prescription drugs	69.4	69.2	71.4	67.1	69.7	69.4	69.3	67.0	67.7	69.3	65.6	67.3	67.7	67.4

Note: Early substance use is defined as the percentage of high school students who started using at age 13 or younger. The symbol "--" indicates that data are not available.

Table 7. Trends in early substance use and perceived risk of harm for Monroe County, 2014 to 2024

	2014			2016			2018			2020			2022			2024		
	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total
Early substance use																		
Try alcohol	--	23.6	--	--	17.4	--	--	16.9	--	--	16.8	--	--	13.4	--	--	13.3	--
Drink monthly	--	3.3	--	--	4.4	--	--	1.7	--	--	1.6	--	--	0.8	--	--	1.8	--
Smoke cigarettes	--	9.8	--	--	8.0	--	--	5.3	--	--	6.9	--	--	4.7	--	--	2.4	--
Smoke marijuana	--	10.4	--	--	10.4	--	--	7.7	--	--	8.1	--	--	5.1	--	--	3.7	--
Vape nicotine	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	7.2	--	--	6.3	--	--	7.0	--
Vape marijuana	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	3.8	--	--	3.6	--	--	3.3	--
Great risk of harm																		
Daily alcohol use	42.2	32.2	36.5	48.2	30.3	37.9	43.4	41.8	42.5	49.8	45.5	47.4	47.5	46.6	47.0	48.8	50.5	49.8
5+ drinks daily	53.6	44.3	48.2	57.1	37.6	45.9	61.1	49.4	54.4	65.4	54.0	59.0	61.7	55.3	58.1	57.3	55.7	56.4
Daily cigarette use	70.9	67.7	69.0	68.8	72.0	70.7	69.5	73.1	71.6	71.5	71.1	71.3	70.7	69.1	69.8	64.0	66.9	65.7
Vaping nicotine	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	49.6	35.9	42.0	50.2	44.6	47.0	51.2	51.0	51.1
Vaping marijuana	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	53.1	29.8	40.1	53.3	35.4	43.3	55.1	45.5	49.6
Marijuana weekly	49.4	20.6	33.0	52.9	16.8	32.2	51.1	20.9	33.9	45.7	22.1	32.5	47.8	27.6	36.5	48.5	41.0	44.2
Try marijuana	31.7	12.1	20.4	37.9	10.1	21.9	31.7	14.9	22.2	26.5	12.3	18.6	34.4	20.0	26.3	36.1	32.4	34.0
Prescription drugs	78.3	69.2	73.1	67.0	65.6	66.2	71.8	69.5	70.5	75.2	72.2	73.5	70.6	75.6	73.4	69.4	69.2	69.3

Note: Early substance use is defined as the percentage of high school students who started using at age 13 or younger. The symbol "--" indicates that data are not available.

Table 8. Percentages of Monroe County and Florida Statewide youth who reported personal disapproval, peer disapproval, and parent disapproval of substance use, 2024

	Monroe County							Florida Statewide						
	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total
<i>Think it would be wrong to...</i>														
Smoke cigarettes	96.8	96.0	96.1	96.5	96.5	96.0	96.3	97.0	92.7	94.3	94.8	96.8	93.1	94.5
Drink alcohol regularly	92.8	79.1	84.2	85.6	91.2	80.1	85.0	91.4	78.3	82.6	85.0	90.8	78.5	83.8
Smoke marijuana	95.1	84.6	88.1	90.0	94.5	84.2	89.1	93.7	79.0	84.6	85.8	93.2	79.1	85.2
Vape nicotine	93.1	89.0	88.4	92.9	93.2	90.0	90.7	93.8	87.2	88.3	91.6	93.4	87.5	90.0
Vape marijuana	95.2	86.4	89.8	90.6	94.3	86.9	90.2	94.7	83.7	87.2	89.4	94.1	84.0	88.3
Use other illicit drugs	97.6	97.8	98.4	97.1	97.7	97.4	97.7	98.2	96.9	97.8	97.1	98.2	96.9	97.4
<i>Friends think it would be wrong to...</i>														
1 or 2 drinks nearly every day	94.5	89.5	91.1	92.0	93.9	89.1	91.7	93.5	88.7	91.3	90.2	93.2	88.7	90.7
Smoke tobacco	98.2	94.4	94.5	97.4	97.9	94.3	96.0	95.6	91.4	93.2	93.1	95.5	91.2	93.1
Smoke marijuana	95.6	84.8	88.3	90.5	95.0	84.3	89.5	92.9	77.6	83.5	84.7	92.3	77.3	84.1
Vape nicotine	94.0	87.0	86.3	93.3	93.6	86.4	90.0	91.5	83.5	84.7	89.0	91.2	83.4	86.9
Vape marijuana	95.9	87.8	90.2	92.3	95.5	87.4	91.3	93.2	81.1	84.8	87.5	92.6	80.9	86.2
Use prescription drugs	94.7	97.1	94.8	97.1	94.7	97.2	96.0	96.6	95.1	96.0	95.5	96.6	94.7	95.7
<i>Parents think it would be wrong to...</i>														
Daily alcohol use	99.5	97.1	97.8	98.4	99.2	96.6	98.1	97.8	95.8	96.8	96.5	97.8	95.9	96.7
Smoke cigarettes	99.8	99.5	99.8	99.4	99.8	99.3	99.6	98.9	98.3	98.5	98.6	98.9	98.4	98.6
Smoke marijuana	99.2	93.8	96.4	95.7	98.9	94.2	96.1	97.4	92.0	94.0	94.6	97.5	92.0	94.3
Use prescription drugs	97.2	98.8	98.0	98.2	97.4	98.7	98.1	98.4	97.9	97.9	98.3	98.5	97.8	98.1

Note: The symbol "--" indicates that data are not available.

Table 9. Trends in personal disapproval, peer disapproval, and parent disapproval of substance use for Monroe County, 2014 to 2024

	2014			2016			2018			2020			2022			2024		
	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total
Think it wrong																		
Smoke cigarettes	95.8	84.7	89.5	95.7	85.8	90.0	96.8	93.4	94.9	95.9	92.5	94.0	96.5	93.7	95.0	96.8	96.0	96.3
Drink regularly	86.8	50.4	66.0	89.3	54.1	69.1	89.5	57.7	71.5	89.6	61.3	73.7	88.4	74.3	80.5	92.8	79.1	85.0
Smoke marijuana	90.7	55.6	70.6	89.6	53.2	68.8	90.2	52.3	68.8	88.3	59.3	72.0	92.5	72.2	81.1	95.1	84.6	89.1
Vape nicotine	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	89.9	77.0	82.7	88.6	83.5	85.7	93.1	89.0	90.7
Vape marijuana	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	89.4	71.3	79.2	92.4	79.1	85.0	95.2	86.4	90.2
Other illicit drugs	97.0	89.3	92.6	98.1	90.0	93.5	97.9	94.8	96.2	97.9	92.3	94.7	97.8	96.7	97.2	97.6	97.8	97.7
Friends think it wrong																		
Daily alcohol use	90.1	71.2	79.3	91.4	74.5	81.8	91.8	76.8	83.3	88.0	80.0	83.6	93.7	88.8	91.0	94.5	89.5	91.7
Smoke tobacco	96.0	82.0	88.0	96.8	84.4	89.7	96.6	88.8	92.2	92.7	88.7	90.5	94.6	92.4	93.3	98.2	94.4	96.0
Smoke marijuana	88.9	50.9	67.2	90.9	49.6	67.4	88.1	50.6	66.8	86.4	58.1	70.8	92.6	70.0	80.0	95.6	84.8	89.5
Vape nicotine	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	82.6	64.5	72.6	86.7	80.2	83.0	94.0	87.0	90.0
Vape marijuana	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	86.1	67.1	75.7	90.3	74.6	81.5	95.9	87.8	91.3
Use prescription drugs	97.4	87.9	92.0	97.1	89.0	92.5	96.0	92.1	93.8	94.3	90.8	92.4	96.1	95.6	95.8	94.7	97.1	96.0
Parents think it wrong																		
Daily alcohol use	98.2	88.0	92.4	98.2	95.0	96.4	96.7	92.2	94.2	98.3	96.0	97.0	97.6	95.3	96.3	99.5	97.1	98.1
Smoke tobacco	98.9	95.9	97.2	97.8	95.2	96.3	98.7	97.8	98.2	99.7	99.0	99.3	98.6	97.8	98.1	99.8	99.5	99.6
Smoke marijuana	96.8	84.3	89.7	98.1	81.4	88.5	95.5	82.4	88.2	97.4	88.0	92.2	98.0	91.1	94.2	99.2	93.8	96.1
Use prescription drugs	99.3	95.5	97.1	98.2	97.1	97.6	97.5	96.6	97.0	99.4	99.5	99.5	99.1	98.3	98.7	97.2	98.8	98.1

Note: The symbol "--" indicates that data are not available.

Table 10. Among high school drinkers, usual source of alcohol within the past 30 days, Monroe County and Florida Statewide youth, 2024

	Monroe County							Florida Statewide						
	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>
Bought in a store	--	14.9	14.9	15.0	--	14.9	--	--	13.4	10.1	17.7	--	13.4	--
Bought in a restaurant, bar, or club	--	2.2	0.0	5.2	--	2.2	--	--	3.2	3.5	2.8	--	3.2	--
Bought at a public event	--	1.3	0.0	2.9	--	1.3	--	--	1.2	0.6	1.9	--	1.2	--
Someone bought it for me	--	25.6	31.4	17.7	--	25.6	--	--	7.1	7.0	7.3	--	7.1	--
Someone gave it to me	--	31.3	34.0	27.7	--	31.3	--	--	41.1	43.9	37.3	--	41.1	--
Took it from a store	--	2.3	0.0	5.3	--	2.3	--	--	2.1	1.3	3.1	--	2.1	--
Took it from a family member	--	8.1	8.7	7.3	--	8.1	--	--	12.8	15.2	9.5	--	12.8	--
Some other way	--	14.3	11.0	18.8	--	14.3	--	--	19.2	18.4	20.2	--	19.2	--

Note: The symbol "--" indicates that data are not available.

Table 11. Among high school drinkers, usual drinking location within the past 30 days, Monroe County and Florida Statewide youth, 2024

	Monroe County							Florida Statewide						
	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>
My home	--	28.2	32.9	22.8	--	28.2	--	--	43.3	44.6	41.3	--	43.3	--
Another person's home	--	39.5	48.0	29.5	--	39.5	--	--	30.3	31.4	29.0	--	30.3	--
Car or other vehicle	--	0.0	0.0	0.0	--	0.0	--	--	2.2	1.6	3.1	--	2.2	--
Restaurant, bar, or club	--	4.6	0.0	9.9	--	4.6	--	--	5.6	5.3	6.1	--	5.6	--
Public place	--	5.4	5.1	5.7	--	5.4	--	--	5.2	5.4	5.0	--	5.2	--
Public event	--	0.0	0.0	0.0	--	0.0	--	--	2.9	2.6	3.4	--	2.9	--
School property	--	3.9	0.0	8.5	--	3.9	--	--	1.5	0.9	2.3	--	1.5	--
Some other place	--	18.4	14.0	23.6	--	18.4	--	--	9.0	8.3	9.9	--	9.0	--

Note: The symbol "--" indicates that data are not available.

Table 12. Among high school drinkers, number of drinks usually consumed per day, on the days students drank in the past 30 days, Monroe County and Florida Statewide youth, 2024

	Monroe County							Florida Statewide						
	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>
1	--	18.9	18.5	19.4	--	18.9	--	--	33.2	34.8	30.9	--	33.2	--
2	--	25.7	39.5	9.4	--	25.7	--	--	23.0	25.2	20.0	--	23.0	--
3	--	9.6	6.1	13.7	--	9.6	--	--	17.8	17.8	17.6	--	17.8	--
4	--	15.0	12.7	17.7	--	15.0	--	--	7.0	7.0	7.1	--	7.0	--
5 or more	--	30.8	23.2	39.7	--	30.8	--	--	19.0	15.1	24.5	--	19.0	--

Note: The symbol "--" indicates that data are not available.

Table 13. Percentages of Monroe County and Florida Statewide youth who reported drinking alcohol, smoking marijuana, or using another drug to get high before or during school in the past 12 months, 2024

	Monroe County							Florida Statewide						
	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>
Drinking alcohol	1.5	1.7	2.1	1.2	1.5	1.4	1.6	2.6	3.4	3.7	2.4	2.5	3.7	3.1
Smoking marijuana	0.9	3.8	3.8	1.5	0.8	4.0	2.6	3.1	7.9	6.8	5.0	3.2	8.5	5.9
Using another drug to get high	0.4	0.8	0.9	0.3	0.6	0.4	0.6	1.8	2.2	2.3	1.8	1.7	2.4	2.1

Table 14. Percentages of Monroe County and Florida Statewide youth who reported engaging in delinquent behavior within the past 12 months, 2024

	Monroe County							Florida Statewide						
	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>
Carrying a handgun	8.7	2.7	3.9	6.4	8.3	2.9	5.2	6.6	5.4	3.5	8.2	6.4	5.5	5.9
Selling drugs	0.7	0.4	0.4	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.6	1.0	2.0	1.1	2.0	1.0	2.1	1.6
Attempting to steal a vehicle	1.2	0.3	0.3	1.0	1.1	0.0	0.7	1.2	1.1	0.8	1.4	1.1	1.1	1.1
Being arrested	2.1	0.9	1.7	1.1	2.0	0.6	1.4	1.7	1.8	1.3	2.1	1.5	2.0	1.7
Taking a handgun to school	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.6	0.4	0.6	0.5
Getting suspended	12.0	6.7	6.1	11.7	12.1	6.6	8.9	16.9	10.9	11.2	15.8	15.8	11.9	13.5
Attacking someone with intent to harm	5.9	1.3	3.6	3.0	5.6	1.1	3.2	8.4	4.3	5.4	6.7	8.0	4.5	6.0

Table 15. Trends in delinquent behaviors for Monroe County, 2014 to 2024

	2014			2016			2018			2020			2022			2024		
	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Total</i>
Carrying a handgun	5.0	6.5	5.8	4.7	6.5	5.7	7.5	4.7	5.9	7.9	5.5	6.5	6.9	4.3	5.4	8.7	2.7	5.2
Selling drugs	2.4	10.0	6.7	0.9	8.7	5.4	1.6	5.3	3.6	2.0	4.2	3.2	1.4	2.5	2.0	0.7	0.4	0.6
Attempting to steal a vehicle	0.6	1.4	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.5	0.9	1.2	2.0	1.0	1.5	0.5	0.4	0.5	1.2	0.3	0.7
Being arrested	0.3	4.0	2.4	1.6	2.5	2.1	0.2	0.7	0.5	1.9	1.4	1.6	1.5	1.3	1.4	2.1	0.9	1.4
Taking a handgun to school	0.1	0.6	0.4	0.6	0.8	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3
Getting suspended	8.6	7.5	8.0	9.0	9.3	9.1	8.6	6.2	7.2	9.5	10.0	9.8	11.9	6.6	8.9	12.0	6.7	8.9
Attacking someone with intent to harm	3.4	3.8	3.6	4.0	3.6	3.8	8.3	1.7	4.7	6.0	2.4	4.0	7.0	3.5	5.0	5.9	1.3	3.2

Table 16. Percentages of Monroe County and Florida Statewide youth who reported symptoms of depression, or suicidal ideation and behavior in the past 12 months, 2024

	Monroe County							Florida Statewide						
	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total
<i>Symptoms of Depression</i>														
Sometimes I think that life is not worth it	19.6	19.6	27.9	12.2	19.6	19.4	19.6	28.8	25.5	35.1	18.9	28.5	26.0	26.9
At times I think I am no good at all	30.5	27.3	37.9	20.3	30.2	27.3	28.7	42.2	37.1	48.5	30.2	41.8	37.2	39.3
All in all, I am inclined to think that I am a failure	24.0	16.8	26.0	14.4	23.0	15.9	19.9	29.6	25.1	33.4	20.7	29.3	25.3	27.0
In the past year, have you felt depressed or sad MOST days, even if you felt OK sometimes?	34.9	30.1	41.6	23.4	33.6	29.3	32.2	42.6	39.3	50.7	30.9	42.0	39.6	40.7
<i>Suicide (past 12 months)</i>														
Seriously considered attempting suicide	10.3	9.8	14.8	5.7	10.2	9.4	10.0	14.8	12.4	17.8	8.9	14.7	12.8	13.4
Made a suicide plan	9.6	9.9	13.3	6.5	9.7	9.1	9.7	12.3	9.8	14.2	7.5	12.2	10.2	10.9
Attempted suicide one or more times	7.1	4.3	9.2	2.1	6.8	4.6	5.5	9.3	5.8	10.1	4.4	8.8	6.3	7.3
Suicide attempt that required medical care	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.2	1.0	1.1	1.1	2.1	1.4	2.3	1.1	1.9	1.7	1.7

Table 17. Percentages of Monroe County and Florida Statewide youth who reported involvement in bullying behavior, 2024

	Monroe County							Florida Statewide						
	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>
Skipped school because of bullying	7.7	8.4	12.4	4.2	7.7	9.1	8.1	10.0	8.6	13.7	4.7	9.6	8.9	9.2
Was ever kicked or shoved	39.4	23.6	30.3	30.2	37.8	24.1	30.4	46.6	27.4	36.6	34.3	45.0	27.6	35.5
Was ever taunted or teased	61.3	48.9	62.6	46.6	59.5	49.0	54.2	67.9	51.7	64.0	53.2	66.7	51.9	58.5
Was ever a victim of cyber bullying	26.9	30.8	39.9	19.3	26.6	30.8	29.1	29.6	28.6	36.7	21.6	29.4	29.0	29.0
Ever physically bullied others	24.9	10.8	17.8	15.7	22.7	11.7	16.9	24.1	12.6	15.9	18.9	22.9	13.2	17.5
Ever verbally bullied others	37.3	21.9	29.4	27.5	34.6	22.7	28.6	37.4	26.2	30.0	31.8	36.3	26.7	30.9
Ever cyber bullied others	17.2	11.7	15.8	12.6	15.9	12.3	14.0	14.6	12.5	14.6	12.2	14.4	12.8	13.4

Table 18. Percentages of Monroe County and Florida Statewide high school youth who reported adverse childhood experiences (ACEs), 2024

	Monroe County							Florida Statewide						
	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total
Emotional abuse	--	9.8	14.6	5.4	--	9.9	--	--	13.3	17.8	8.8	--	13.6	--
Physical abuse	--	5.9	7.6	4.2	--	6.5	--	--	8.9	10.6	7.2	--	9.1	--
Sexual abuse	--	4.6	5.5	3.8	--	4.1	--	--	4.9	7.5	2.3	--	5.2	--
Parents separated or divorced	--	31.3	33.0	29.8	--	28.4	--	--	38.7	41.5	36.0	--	39.2	--
Physical abuse in household	--	3.9	4.5	3.5	--	3.6	--	--	6.9	8.6	5.2	--	7.1	--
Substance abuse in household	--	20.5	24.6	16.7	--	20.2	--	--	22.8	26.3	19.3	--	23.5	--
Mental illness in household	--	20.4	25.4	15.8	--	19.5	--	--	27.7	35.0	20.4	--	28.2	--
Incarcerated household member	--	17.5	21.5	13.8	--	17.6	--	--	21.7	23.2	20.2	--	22.1	--
Emotional neglect	--	18.0	20.8	15.4	--	16.2	--	--	25.1	30.4	19.7	--	25.5	--
Physical neglect	--	5.5	6.8	4.3	--	5.0	--	--	6.2	7.2	5.3	--	6.4	--

Note: The symbol "--" indicates that data are not available.

Table 19. Number of adverse childhood experiences (ACEs) reported by Monroe County and Florida Statewide high school youth, 2024

	Monroe County							Florida Statewide						
	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total
No ACEs reported	--	47.2	40.3	53.6	--	47.2	--	--	37.9	31.9	43.9	--	37.9	--
1 ACE	--	19.5	22.8	16.4	--	19.5	--	--	20.6	20.2	21.1	--	20.6	--
2 ACEs	--	13.0	12.1	13.9	--	13.0	--	--	13.4	13.9	13.0	--	13.4	--
3 ACEs	--	7.0	7.3	6.8	--	7.0	--	--	10.0	11.2	8.9	--	10.0	--
4 ACEs	--	5.0	6.0	4.1	--	5.0	--	--	7.0	8.4	5.5	--	7.0	--
5 ACEs	--	3.0	3.1	2.9	--	3.0	--	--	4.4	5.4	3.4	--	4.4	--
6 ACEs	--	2.8	5.5	0.4	--	2.8	--	--	2.8	3.6	2.0	--	2.8	--
7 ACEs	--	1.3	1.7	1.0	--	1.3	--	--	1.9	2.7	1.1	--	1.9	--
8 ACEs	--	1.1	1.1	1.0	--	1.1	--	--	1.1	1.5	0.6	--	1.1	--
9 ACEs	--	0.0	0.0	0.0	--	0.0	--	--	0.5	0.8	0.3	--	0.5	--
10 ACEs	--	0.0	0.0	0.0	--	0.0	--	--	0.3	0.3	0.2	--	0.3	--

Note: Each respondent receives an ACEs score, which is the number of adverse childhood experiences he or she reported. This table shows the frequency distribution of the ACEs score across the sample. Percentages total to 100% down each column. Rounding can produce totals that do not equal 100%. The symbol "--" indicates that data are not available.

Table 20. Percentages of Monroe County and Florida Statewide youth who “agree” or “strongly agree” with statements indicating impulsiveness or a lack of self-control, 2024

	Monroe County							Florida Statewide						
	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>
I often do what brings me pleasure now	26.1	20.6	27.5	18.8	25.2	22.1	22.9	30.7	28.0	31.4	27.0	30.4	28.0	29.2
I'm more concerned with the short run	18.0	16.4	19.8	14.6	18.7	16.4	17.1	27.7	23.1	27.2	22.9	27.4	23.2	25.1
Getting in trouble is exciting	25.5	21.9	26.8	20.2	25.5	22.4	23.4	26.9	25.3	26.7	25.2	26.6	25.7	26.0
Excitement is more important than security	28.5	22.5	28.4	22.1	28.3	23.4	25.0	26.5	23.4	23.6	25.8	26.0	23.8	24.7
People better stay away from me when I'm really angry	23.0	14.0	20.6	15.0	22.6	12.3	17.7	28.4	21.1	27.3	21.1	27.3	21.4	24.2
I get upset when I have a disagreement with someone	36.8	24.3	38.3	21.5	35.5	24.8	29.5	47.0	34.8	48.8	31.2	46.1	34.9	39.9

Table 21. Percentages of Monroe County and Florida Statewide youth who reported participation in extracurricular activities, 2024

	Monroe County							Florida Statewide						
	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>
School Sports	50.2	48.2	49.3	49.0	50.6	49.5	49.1	38.2	38.2	35.6	40.9	38.4	38.4	38.2
Organized Sports Outside of School	47.4	29.6	32.3	42.1	45.3	31.0	37.4	43.6	25.7	29.5	37.0	42.0	25.9	33.3
School Band	18.7	10.3	14.0	14.0	17.8	10.3	13.9	16.7	8.1	11.7	11.7	15.8	8.1	11.7
School Club(s)	23.3	37.0	41.0	22.4	23.0	38.4	31.1	22.3	33.2	35.8	21.6	23.1	32.8	28.6
Community Club(s)	14.7	16.2	17.1	14.3	15.2	14.8	15.5	9.1	12.8	13.6	9.0	9.1	12.6	11.2

Table 22. Percentages of high school students who reported *riding in* a vehicle within the past 30 days driven by someone who had been drinking alcohol or using marijuana, or *driving* a vehicle within the past 30 days after drinking alcohol or using marijuana, among Monroe County and Florida Statewide youth, 2024

	Monroe County							Florida Statewide						
	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total
<i>Riding in a vehicle</i>														
Alcohol	--	13.0	17.2	9.3	--	13.0	--	--	12.4	14.1	10.7	--	12.5	--
Marijuana	--	12.8	16.2	9.9	--	13.7	--	--	14.8	16.7	13.0	--	14.8	--
<i>Driving a vehicle</i>														
Alcohol	--	4.1	4.7	3.6	--	4.4	--	--	2.4	2.1	2.8	--	2.3	--
Marijuana	--	3.0	4.0	2.1	--	3.5	--	--	4.4	4.5	4.3	--	4.3	--

Note: The symbol "--" indicates that data are not available.

Table 23. Trends for high school students *riding in* a vehicle within the past 30 days driven by someone who had been drinking alcohol or using marijuana, or *driving* a vehicle within the past 30 days after drinking alcohol or using marijuana, for Monroe County, 2014 to 2024

	2014			2016			2018			2020			2022			2024		
	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>Riding in a vehicle</i>																		
Alcohol	--	21.6	--	--	20.0	--	--	15.6	--	--	15.4	--	--	14.2	--	--	13.0	--
Marijuana	--	29.9	--	--	29.7	--	--	32.7	--	--	23.1	--	--	16.7	--	--	12.8	--
<i>Driving a vehicle</i>																		
Alcohol	--	8.9	--	--	9.6	--	--	4.8	--	--	7.2	--	--	2.4	--	--	4.1	--
Marijuana	--	11.0	--	--	13.2	--	--	13.4	--	--	12.0	--	--	7.1	--	--	3.0	--

Note: The symbol "--" indicates that data are not available.

Table 24. Protective factor prevalence rates for Monroe County, Florida Statewide youth, and the national normative database, 2024

Domain	Scale	Monroe County		Florida Statewide		National Norms	
		<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>
Family	Family Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement	58	69	55	58	59	54
	Family Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	51	61	49	52	54	55
School	School Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement	59	68	49	62	57	60
	School Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	53	69	45	57	53	58
Peer and Individual	Religiosity	41	44	43	54	56	62
Average Prevalence Rate		52	62	48	57	53	58

Note: Because risk is associated with negative behavioral outcomes, it is better to have lower risk factor scale scores, not higher. Conversely, because protective factors are associated with better student behavioral outcomes, it is better to have protective factor scale scores with high values.

Table 25. Risk factor prevalence rates for Monroe County, Florida Statewide youth, and the national normative database, 2024

Domain	Scale	Monroe County		Florida Statewide		National Norms	
		<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>
Community	Laws and Norms Favorable to Drug Use	38	24	40	25	42	42
	Perceived Availability of Drugs	32	12	30	13	45	45
	Perceived Availability of Handguns	21	27	24	29	25	42
Family	Poor Family Management	49	36	47	35	44	45
	Family Conflict	35	19	40	30	42	37
School	Poor Academic Performance	40	34	45	45	45	48
	Lack of Commitment to School	72	63	76	68	47	46
Peer and Individual	Favorable Attitudes toward Antisocial Behavior	52	35	54	38	40	46
	Favorable Attitudes toward ATOD Use	30	19	27	22	39	45
	Early Initiation of Drug Use	17	9	19	11	41	46
Average Prevalence Rate		39	28	40	32	41	44

Note: Because risk is associated with negative behavioral outcomes, it is better to have lower risk factor scale scores, not higher. Conversely, because protective factors are associated with better student behavioral outcomes, it is better to have protective factor scale scores with high values.

Table 26. Protective factor prevalence rate trends among middle school students for Monroe County, 2014 to 2024

Domain	Scale	Monroe County					
		2014	2016	2018	2020	2022	2024
Family	Family Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement	56	55	62	56	54	58
	Family Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	54	51	48	50	47	51
School	School Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement	43	56	53	59	57	59
	School Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	49	57	49	47	53	53
Peer and Individual	Religiosity	38	32	38	36	29	41
Average Prevalence Rate		48	50	50	50	48	52

Note: Because risk is associated with negative behavioral outcomes, it is better to have lower risk factor scale scores, not higher. Conversely, because protective factors are associated with better student behavioral outcomes, it is better to have protective factor scale scores with high values.

Table 27. Risk factor prevalence rate trends among middle school students for Monroe County, 2014 to 2024

Domain	Scale	Monroe County					
		2014	2016	2018	2020	2022	2024
Community	Laws and Norms Favorable to Drug Use	39	33	45	39	38	38
	Perceived Availability of Drugs	43	36	43	40	34	32
	Perceived Availability of Handguns	23	23	24	24	24	21
Family	Poor Family Management	44	42	44	43	48	49
	Family Conflict	36	39	37	40	44	35
School	Poor Academic Performance	43	38	39	45	42	40
	Lack of Commitment to School	59	59	64	71	75	72
Peer and Individual	Favorable Attitudes toward Antisocial Behavior	40	38	41	51	52	52
	Favorable Attitudes toward ATOD Use	31	29	34	37	33	30
	Early Initiation of Drug Use	25	20	22	26	23	17
Average Prevalence Rate		38	36	39	42	41	39

Note: Because risk is associated with negative behavioral outcomes, it is better to have lower risk factor scale scores, not higher. Conversely, because protective factors are associated with better student behavioral outcomes, it is better to have protective factor scale scores with high values.

Table 28. Protective factor prevalence rate trends among high school students for Monroe County, 2014 to 2024

Domain	Scale	Monroe County					
		2014	2016	2018	2020	2022	2024
Family	Family Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement	60	60	54	64	56	69
	Family Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	55	57	49	60	52	61
School	School Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement	61	63	64	64	62	68
	School Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	59	63	58	60	65	69
Peer and Individual	Religiosity	46	46	37	43	36	44
Average Prevalence Rate		56	58	52	58	54	62

Note: Because risk is associated with negative behavioral outcomes, it is better to have lower risk factor scale scores, not higher. Conversely, because protective factors are associated with better student behavioral outcomes, it is better to have protective factor scale scores with high values.

Table 29. Risk factor prevalence rate trends among high school students for Monroe County, 2014 to 2024

Domain	Scale	Monroe County					
		2014	2016	2018	2020	2022	2024
Community	Laws and Norms Favorable to Drug Use	46	38	41	32	29	24
	Perceived Availability of Drugs	45	33	31	26	19	12
	Perceived Availability of Handguns	41	39	35	24	30	27
Family	Poor Family Management	40	44	43	33	35	36
	Family Conflict	28	30	31	28	25	19
School	Poor Academic Performance	37	39	41	48	42	34
	Lack of Commitment to School	56	58	60	68	66	63
Peer and Individual	Favorable Attitudes toward Antisocial Behavior	36	38	35	40	38	35
	Favorable Attitudes toward ATOD Use	47	46	40	39	25	19
	Early Initiation of Drug Use	29	24	22	24	16	9
Average Prevalence Rate		41	39	38	36	33	28

Note: Because risk is associated with negative behavioral outcomes, it is better to have lower risk factor scale scores, not higher. Conversely, because protective factors are associated with better student behavioral outcomes, it is better to have protective factor scale scores with high values.