

# Healthy Youth Survey 2012

## 6th Grade

### General facts for the Healthy Youth Survey administered in the Fall of 2012:

- With the number of surveys completed, the results are probably representative of students in the 6<sup>th</sup> grade.

- Demographics:

	Riverview	State
○ Girls (Item 3)	57.5%	49.9%
○ Boys (Item 3)	42.5%	50.1%
○ White/Caucasian (Item 4)	54.4%	43.1%
○ Second highest race/ethnicity: Other (Item 4)	23.5%	16.6%
○ English primary language at home (Item 6)	89.3%	82.1%
○ Grades are mostly A's and B's (Item 186)	90.0%	85.5%

### Highlighted statistics:

	Riverview	State
● Feeling safe at school (Item 200)	93.7%	88.5%
● Enjoy being in school—often or always (Item 189)	67.7%	59.3%
● Have not been bullied—last 30 days (Item 126)	75.3%	69.6%
● Seriously thought about killing yourself (Item 119)	11.3%	14.5%
● Neighborhood believes very wrong/wrong for kids to drink (Item 154)	91.5%	91.3%
● Neighborhood believes very wrong/wrong for kids to use pot (Item 153)	95.9%	94.4%

### Other select statistics:

#### Nutrition/Fitness

	Riverview	State
● Ate breakfast on survey day (Item 67)	81.3%	79.8%
● Drank one or more sodas w/ sugar on the day before survey (Item 68)	22.4%	27.7%
● 3 or more hrs/day watching TV or playing video games (Item 77)	3.6%	14.9%

#### Safety and Behaviors Related to Intentional Injuries

	Riverview	State
● Never ridden in car with driver drinking alcohol (Item 101)	62.4%	64.6%

#### Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drug Use

	Riverview	State
● Firm commitment to not smoke (Item 36)	94.6%	88.5%
● No binge drinking in last 2 weeks (Item 55)	99.1%	97.6%

#### 30 Day Use

	Riverview	State
▪ Cigarettes (Item 24)	.9%	1.2%
▪ Chewing tobacco (Item 25)	0%	1.0%
▪ Alcohol (Item 28)	2.3%	2.5%
▪ Marijuana or hashish (Item 29)	.9%	1.2%
▪ Illegal drugs—not above (Item 30)	.4%	.8%