

2000 – 2001 JOHNSTOWN YOUTH RISK BEHAVIOR SURVEY
Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drug Use – Middle School (N » 1,541)

	TOTAL		GRADE		
	1999	2001	6 th	7 th	8 th
CURRENT (any use in past 30 days)	(1,552)	(1,541)	(502)	(527)	(512)
1. Cigarettes	2.5%	5.6%	3.3%	5.9%	7.6%
2. Cigars	0.8%	0.8%	0.5%	0.9%	0.9%
3. Smokeless Tobacco	0.6%	0.3%	0.2%	0.2%	0.5%
4. Alcohol	15.7%	7.5%	3.4%	6.6%	12.5%
5. Marijuana	2.1%	1.6%	1.3%	1.7%	1.7%
6. Cocaine	0.1%	0.1%	0.0%	0.1%	0.2%
7. Inhalants	4.3%	3.6%	2.4%	3.8%	4.5%
8. Hallucinogens ¹	0.3%	0.3%	0.4%	0.1%	0.4%
9. Ritalin	0.2%	0.3%	0.4%	0.0%	0.4%
10. Ecstasy	0.3%	0.3%	0.2%	0.3%	0.3%
11. Other Illegal Drugs ²	0.4%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.2%

¹ Respondents were asked about “hallucinogenic substances, such as LSD (acid), PCP, or mushrooms”.

² Respondents were asked about “any other type of illegal drug such as speed, ice, or heroin”.

2000 – 2001 JOHNSTOWN YOUTH RISK BEHAVIOR SURVEY
Violence and Safety – Middle School (N » 1,541)

	TOTAL		GRADE		
	1999	2001	6 th	7 th	8 th
CARRIED A WEAPON³ (30 days)	(1,552)	(1,541)	(502)	(527)	(512)
1. When in school	2.5%	2.3%	1.1%	1.5%	4.2%
2. When NOT in school	12.7%	10.2%	6.3%	8.4%	15.9%
CARRIED A GUN (30 days)					
3. Any Location	1.3%	1.3%	0.7%	0.3%	3.0%
IN A PHYSICAL FIGHT (12 months)					
4. When in school	16.5%	12.9%	11.8%	14.1%	12.8%
5. When NOT in school	32.1%	29.4%	24.2%	31.2%	32.9%
SCHOOL SAFETY ISSUES					
6. Stayed home from school out of fear for safety (30 days)	1.6%	2.2%	1.4%	3.4%	1.8%
SOMEWHAT/VERY WORRIED ABOUT SAFETY					
7. When in school	7%	7.5%	7.8%	6.9%	7.7%
8. When NOT in school	22.5%	19.4%	18.5%	21.4%	18.3%

³ Respondents were asked about “a weapon such as knife, gun, or club”.