

# PUTNAM COUNTY

## MISSOURI STUDENT SURVEY

	2014	2012	2010		2014	2012	2010
<i>Percent of students who have ever used:</i>				<i>Percent who believe they risk harm if they use:</i>			
Alcohol		61.4	51.1	Alcohol (1 or 2 drinks daily)			
Cigarettes		38.6	26.6	Alcohol (Binge: 5+ drinks once or twice a week)			
Chewing Tobacco		22.9	17.0	Alcohol (any use)	56.5	80.6	
Marijuana		11.4	10.6	Cigarettes (1+ packs per day)			
Inhalants		10.0	8.5	Cigarettes (any use)	48.6	81.7	
Prescription medications not prescribed for student		24.6	14.1	Marijuana (once or twice a week)			
Over-the-counter medications for non-medical use		14.5	6.5	Marijuana (any use)	59.4	68.5	
Methamphetamine		1.4	1.1	Other: Cocaine, LSD, Meth, Club Drug (any use)	81.2	94.7	
Cocaine		1.5	2.2	<i>Percent of students who, in past 30 days:</i>			
Heroin		1.4	1.1	Were very sad	31.4	31.9	
Hallucinogens		5.9	3.2	Were grouchy, irritable, or in a bad mood	33.3	46.2	
Club drugs (Ecstasy, GHB, roofie, Special K, etc)		1.5	2.2	Felt hopeless about the future	15.9	23.4	
Steroids not prescribed for student		4.3	4.3	Felt like not eating or eating more than usual	28.6	37.6	
Synthetic drugs (K2, bath salts, Spice, etc)		5.8		Slept a lot more or a lot less than usual	36.2	47.8	
<i>Average age of students' first use of:</i>				Had difficulty concentrating on school work	32.9	39.8	
Alcohol	11.77	11.78		<i>Percent of students who, in past 12 months:</i>			
Cigarettes	12.00	11.84		Seriously considered attempting suicide	17.1	4.3	
Marijuana	13.27	13.35		Made plan about how they would attempt suicide	15.9	3.2	
Inhalants	13.05	10.48		Attempted suicide	5.8	1.1	
<i>Percent of students who, in past 30 days, used:</i>				Attempted suicide and resulting injury, poisoning, or overdose had to be treated by doctor or nurse	0.0	1.1	
Alcohol		24.3	22.6	<i>Percent of students who, in past 12 months:</i>			
Alcohol (Binge: 5+ drinks on one occasion)		14.3	19.1	Were threatened/injured with weapon at school	8.7	9.6	
Cigarettes		15.9	14.0	Were in a physical fight	21.4	16.1	
Chewing Tobacco		22.9	7.5	Were in a fight and had to be treated by a doctor or nurse	4.3	3.2	
Marijuana		4.3	5.3	<i>Percent of students who, in past 3 months:</i>			
Inhalants		2.9	4.3	Were victims of mean rumors or lies spread at school	54.3	65.2	
Prescription medications not prescribed for student		14.5	9.9	Were made fun of by others	60.0	76.6	
Over-the-counter medications for non-medical use		12.9	5.3	Were victims of an embarrassing or hurtful text message or something posted on the Internet	36.2	23.9	
<i>Percent of students who, in past 2 weeks, used:</i>				Spread mean rumors or lies about other kids at school	26.1	25.8	
Alcohol (Binge: 5+ drinks on one occasion)				Made fun of other people	58.0	72.3	
<i>Percent whose friends used in past 12 months:</i>				Posted something on the internet or sent a text that might embarrass or hurt another student	25.7	21.5	
Alcohol		84.3	60.6	<i>Percent of students who agree that:</i>			
Cigarettes		78.6	54.3	Teachers notice and comment on student's good work	68.6	78.9	
Marijuana		50.7	31.2	School provides feedback to parents on positive student performance	34.8	46.8	
Other Illicit (Cocaine, LSD, Meth, Club Drug, etc)		26.1	19.6	Rules are enforced fairly	52.9	64.5	
<i>Percent who would likely use, if offered by a best friend:</i>				Students of all races/ethnicities are treated equal	94.1	89.4	
Alcohol		48.6	41.9	<i>Percent of students who agree that:</i>			
Cigarettes		28.6	14.9	Parents notice and comment on student's good work	78.3	81.7	
Marijuana		15.9	7.4	Parents involve student in making family decisions	51.4	67.0	
<i>Percent who say it would be wrong to use:</i>				It is important to be honest with parents regardless of consequences	74.3	81.9	
Alcohol		37.7	52.7	Student could ask parent for help with a personal problem	62.3	74.2	
Cigarettes		62.3	83.9	<i>Page Notes:</i>			
Marijuana		78.3	88.0	Similar affirmative response choices for individual questions are combined.			
Other Illicit (Cocaine, LSD, Meth, Club Drug, etc)		87.0	96.7	Blank data cells indicate estimates are not available for item or geographic area.			
<i>Percent whose parents would disapprove if they use:</i>				Survey is not conducted in every school district nor reported for every county.			
Alcohol		66.7	73.9	Estimates are not available for counties with small numbers of respondents.			
Cigarettes		80.9	89.4	Percentages are estimates based on weighted data.			
Marijuana		91.4	96.7	Some year-to-year differences in percentages are not statistically significant.			
<i>Percent who say it would be easy to obtain:</i>				<i>Data source: Missouri Institute of Mental Health, 2010-2014 Missouri Student Surveys</i>			
Alcohol		77.9	67.7				
Cigarettes		88.2	67.0				
Marijuana		63.8	33.0				
Other Illicit (Cocaine, LSD, Meth, Club Drug, etc)		39.7	27.7				