

2016 Missouri Student Survey Iron County





2016	2016	2014
County Data	MO Data*	County Data

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Approximate Sample Size	52		36
Demographics (% reflects "yes" answer)			
Grade level. 6th Grade	53.4%	13.9%	23.5%
Grade level. 7th Grade	0.0%	14.4%	14.4%
Grade level. 8th Grade	0.0%	14.3%	62.1%
Grade level. 9th Grade	0.0%	15.2%	0.0%
Grade level. 10th Grade	0.0%	14.7%	0.0%
Grade level. 11th Grade	0.0%	13.9%	0.0%
Grade level. 12th Grade	46.6%	13.6%	0.0%
Male	50.3%	47.7%	56.8%
Hispanic or Latino	0.0%	2.1%	0.8%
Race, alone or in combination. Black or African Am.	1.9%	16.0%	0.0%
Race, alone or in combination. White	96.9%	78.8%	100.0%
Race, alone or in combination. Other	0.0%	1.2%	0.0%

Note: Small sample sizes at the county level can make comparisons between years difficult. Take careful note of the demographic information listed above. Drastic changes in the sample, especially changes in the percent per grade, can influence the rest of the data in this report. This means changes between years may be a result of differing samples rather than an actual population change.

^{*}Missouri data reflects a random sample, weighted to proportionally reflect the state student population.

Substances: Past 30 days (% reflects "1+" answer)			
Used alcohol	13.0%	14.2%	1.5%
Used electronic cigarettes	8.7%	10.6%	0.0%
Used Rx not prescribed for you by a doctor	1.9%	10.0%	2.3%
Used tobacco (cigarettes or chew)	11.8%	9.9%	6.8%
Used marijuana	5.0%	7.0%	1.5%
Used hookahs or water pipes	0.0%	3.4%	0.0%
Used 'OTC' drugs for non-medical reasons	2.5%	2.2%	1.5%
Used inhalants	0.0%	1.1%	1.5%
Used synthetic drugs	0.6%	0.3%	0.0%

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Substances: Ever in your life (% reflects "1+" answer)			
Used hallucinogens such as LSD (acid), PCP (angel dust), or magic mushrooms	5.6%	1.1%	0.0%
Used cocaine or 'crack'	2.5%	0.9%	0.0%
Used 'club drugs' such as ecstasy	2.5%	0.8%	0.0%
Used methamphetamine (meth, crank, crystal, ice)	0.0%	0.3%	0.0%
Used heroin or 'smack'	0.0%	0.2%	0.0%
Behavior: Last 30 Days (% reflects "1+" answer)			
Missed whole day(s) of school because you skipped or cut	30.9%	29.0%	14.4%
Did not go to school because you felt you would be unsafe at school or on your way to or from school	1.9%	5.9%	4.5%
Carried a weapon such as a gun, knife or club on school property	5.6%	4.0%	0.0%
Rode with someone who was drinking alcohol	17.1%	14.3%	9.8%
Behavior: Last 3 Months (% reflects "1+" answer)			
Spread mean rumors or lies about other kids at school	14.3%	22.9%	6.1%
Posted something online or sent a text that might embarrass or hurt another student	11.8%	16.5%	3.8%
Made fun of other people	50.9%	54.1%	40.2%
Hit, shoved, or pushed another student and was not fooling around	6.8%	15.5%	13.6%
Behavior: Last 12 Months (% reflects "1+" answer)			
Been bullied on school property	23.0%	28.8%	17.4%
Were in a physical fight	9.9%	17.3%	6.8%
Been threatened or injured with a weapon such as a gun, knife or club on school property	3.1%	7.4%	3.8%
Considered suicide	3.7%	13.9%	3.8%
Planned suicide	3.7%	9.9%	1.5%
Attempted suicide	3.1%	6.3%	0.0%
Depression: Past Month (% reflects often + always)			
Was very sad	6.2%	22.7%	8.3%
Was grouchy or irritable, or in a bad mood	28.6%	33.6%	9.8%
Felt hopeless about the future	14.8%	13.5%	6.1%
Felt like not eating or eating more than usual	19.8%	21.7%	5.3%
Felt like sleeping a lot more or a lot less than usual	18.5%	24.8%	7.6%
Had difficulty concentrating on school work	16.1%	29.6%	15.0%

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Perception of wrongness (% reflects wrong + very wrong)	1		
'Wrong' or 'very wrong' to use Rx drugs that have not been prescribed to you	97.5%	94.0%	100.0%
'Wrong' or 'very wrong' to use Cold/Cough Medicines or OTC meds to get high	97.5%	92.3%	97.7%
'Wrong' or 'very wrong' to have 5+ drinks, once or twice a week	89.5%	88.7%	81.1%
'Wrong' or 'very wrong' for you to smoke tobacco	79.0%	88.4%	90.8%
'Wrong' or 'very wrong' for you to take one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day	91.3%	86.8%	94.0%
'Wrong' or 'very wrong' for you to smoke marijuana once or twice a week	88.2%	81.1%	98.5%
'Wrong' or 'very wrong' to smoke e-cigarettes	78.4%	79.2%	unavailable
'Wrong' or 'very wrong' for you to smoke marijuana	89.3%	79.0%	96.2%
'Wrong' or 'very wrong' for you to have a drink of any type of alcohol	83.2%	68.1%	86.4%
Availability (% reflects very easy + sort of easy)			
'Very' or 'sort of easy' to get Cold/Cough Medicines or OTC medicines	48.4%	51.6%	40.2%
'Very' or 'sort of easy' to get alcohol	41.9%	50.7%	31.8%
'Very' or 'sort of easy' to get cigarettes	44.7%	46.0%	35.6%
'Very' or 'sort of easy' to get e-cigarettes	41.0%	43.1%	unavailable
'Very' or 'sort of easy' to get marijuana	27.8%	37.2%	9.8%
'Very' or 'sort of easy' to get Rx drugs that have not been prescribed to them	25.9%	27.7%	22.7%
'Very' or 'sort of easy' to get synthetic drugs	19.9%	22.0%	29.5%
'Very' or 'sort of easy' to get other illegal drugs	8.1%	14.0%	6.1%
Perception of Coolness (% reflects pretty cool + very coo	<u>1)</u>		
Peers believe someone your age would be 'pretty cool' or 'very cool' if they smoked marijuana	14.3%	24.9%	1.5%
Peers believe someone your age would be 'pretty cool' or 'very cool' if they drank alcohol	23.0%	24.8%	2.3%
Peers believe someone your age would be'pretty cool' or 'very cool' if they smoked e-cigarettes	13.7%	17.0%	unavailable
Peers believe someone your age would be 'pretty cool' or 'very cool' if they smoked cigarettes	5.6%	9.1%	0.0%

Perception of Harm (% reflects slight risk + no risk at all) NOTE - % grouping is consistent with District Reports but other reports use moderate + great risk 'No risk at all' or 'slight risk' if they smoke e-cigarettes 27.2% 40.6% unavailable 'No risk at all' or 'slight risk' if they smoke marijuana 30.8% 28.0% once or twice a week 36.5% 'No risk at all' or 'slight risk' if they drink alcohol (no 10.1% 33.7% unavailable dosage specified) 'No risk at all' or 'slight risk' if they take one or two 34.2% 29.4% 16.0% drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day 'No risk at all' or 'slight risk' if they use Cold/ Cough 8.7% 22.4% 11.3% Medicines or OTC medicines to get high 'No risk at all' or 'slight risk' if they have five or more 25.2% 21.5% 8.3% drinks of an alcoholic beverage once or twice a week 'No risk at all' or 'slight risk' if they smoke one or more 19.1% 14.9% 6.8% packs of cigarettes per day 'No risk at all' or 'slight risk' if they use RX drugs that have not been prescribed to them 6.8% 13.7% 7.6% 'No risk at all' or 'slight risk' if they use synthetic drugs 2.5% 11.6% 11.3% 'No risk at all' or 'slight risk' if they use any other illegal drugs or club drugs 7.5% 9.1% 7.6%



Questions have been abbreviated in order to fit within this report. For a copy of the survey which includes the full wording see https://dmh.mo.gov/ada/mobhew/

Data included in this report, excluding sample sizes, are weighted data. State level data uses a random sample. Please contact Susan Depue at susan.depue@mimh.edu with any questions.