

**PLEASE READ:** This document was designed to provide a **sample** of the questions and responses that will be included in the **2009** Fairfax County Youth Survey. This is not the actual survey instrument. The survey that will be administered to students will be designed on a computer-scannable form, with a round circle or "bubble" adjacent to the appropriate response on the form. The questions are listed in the same order in which they will appear on the survey.

**On the actual survey, each question will have a separate response. However, to make this document easier to read, a response is printed ONLY ONCE when it is exactly the same for a group of questions.**

## 2009 Fairfax County Youth Survey

Thank you for agreeing to participate in this study. These questions ask your opinion about a number of things concerning you, your friends, your family, your neighborhood, and your community.

All of your answers will be kept strictly confidential. This means your answers are secret. This survey is completely voluntary. You can skip any questions that you do not want to answer.

Be sure to read the instructions below before you begin.

Thank you very much.

### Instructions

1. This is not a test, so there are no right or wrong answers.
2. All of the questions should be answered by marking one of the answer spaces. If you do not find an answer that fits exactly, use the one that comes closest. If any question does not apply to you, or you are not sure what it means, just leave it blank.
3. Your answers will be read automatically by a scanner and computer. Please follow these instructions carefully.
4. For questions that have the following answers: NO!! no yes YES!!

Mark the big **YES!!** if you think the statement is DEFINITELY TRUE for you.

Mark the little **yes** if you think the statement is MOSTLY TRUE for you.

Mark the little **no** if you think the statement is MOSTLY NOT TRUE for you.

Mark the big **NO!!** if you think the statement is DEFINITELY NOT TRUE for you.

### MARKING INSTRUCTIONS

- a. Use a No. 2 pencil or a blue or black pen only.
- b. Do not use pens with ink that soaks through the paper.
- c. Make solid marks that fill the response completely.
- d. Make no stray marks on this form.

Example: Chocolate is the best ice cream flavor.

NO!!  no  yes  YES!!

**These questions ask for some general information about the people completing the survey.**

**Please mark the response that best describes you.**

<p>1. How old are you?</p>	<p>10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 or older</p>
<p>2. What grade are you in?</p>	<p>8th 10th 12th</p>
<p>3. Are you:</p>	<p>Female Male</p>
<p>4. What do you consider yourself to be? <i>Select <u>ONE</u> only.</i></p>	<p>Hispanic Not Hispanic</p>
<p>5. What do you consider yourself to be? <i>Select <u>ONE OR MORE</u>.</i></p>	<p>American Indian or Alaskan native Asian Black or African-American Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander White</p>
<p>6. Think of where you live most of the time. Which of the following people live there with you? <i>Choose <u>ALL</u> that apply.</i></p>	<p>Mother Father Stepmother Stepfather Grandmother(s) Grandfather(s) Foster parent Other adults  Sister(s) Brother(s) Stepsister(s) Stepbrother(s) Other children</p>
<p>7. What language do you use most often at home?</p>	<p>English Spanish Another Language</p>

**The next section asks about your experiences at school.**

<p>8. Putting them all together, what were your grades like last year?</p>	<p>Mostly Fs Mostly Ds Mostly Cs Mostly Bs Mostly As</p>
<p>9. How many days of school have you missed because you skipped or "cut"?</p>	<p>None 1 day 2 days 3 days 4-5 days 6-10 days 11 or more</p>
<p>10. How often do you come to classes <u>without</u> your homework finished?</p>	<p>Usually Sometimes Never</p>

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<p><b>How much do you agree or disagree with the following?</b></p> <p>11. I know how to use a computer to do things like schoolwork, finding information, or typing papers.</p> <p>12. I can do well in school if I want to.</p>	<p>Strongly Agree Agree Not Sure Disagree Strongly Disagree</p> <p><i>This response will be included once for each of these questions on the final survey.</i></p>
<p>13. In my school, students have lots of chances to help decide things like class activities and rules.</p> <p>14. Teachers ask me to work on special classroom projects.</p> <p>15. My teacher notices when I am doing a good job and lets me know about it.</p> <p>16. There are lots of chances for students in my school to get involved in sports, clubs, and other school activities outside of class.</p> <p>17. There are lots of chances for students at my school to talk with a teacher one-on-one.</p> <p>18. I feel safe at my school.</p> <p>19. The school lets my parents know when I have done something well.</p> <p>20. My teachers praise me when I have done well in school.</p> <p>21. I have lots of chances to be a part of class discussions or activities.</p> <p>22. I think sometimes it is okay to cheat at school.</p>	<p>NO!! no yes YES!!</p> <p><i>This response will be included once for each of these questions on the final survey.</i></p>
<p><b><i>The next section asks about your feelings and experiences in other parts of your life. Remember, your answers are confidential.</i></b></p>	
<p>23. During the past 12 months, did you ever feel so sad or hopeless almost every day for two weeks or more in a row that you stopped doing some usual activities?</p>	<p>Yes No</p>
<p><b>Think of your four best friends (the friends you feel closest to). In the past year how many of your best friends have:</b></p> <p>24. ...smoked cigarettes?</p> <p>25. ...tried beer, wine, or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin) when their parents didn't know about it?</p> <p>26. ...used marijuana?</p> <p>27. ...used LSD, cocaine, amphetamines, or other illegal drugs?</p> <p>28. ...been suspended from school?</p> <p>29. ...carried a handgun?</p> <p>30. ...sold illegal drugs?</p> <p>31. ...stolen or tried to steal a motor vehicle (such as a car or a motorcycle)?</p> <p>32. ...been arrested?</p> <p>33. ...dropped out of school?</p>	<p>None 1 2 3 4</p> <p><i>This response will be included once for each of these questions on the final survey.</i></p>

<p><b>How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to:</b></p> <p>34. ...take a handgun to school?</p> <p>35. ...steal anything worth more than \$5?</p> <p>36. ...pick a fight with someone?</p> <p>37. ...attack someone with the idea of seriously hurting them?</p> <p>38. ...stay away from school all day when their parents think they are at school?</p> <p>39. ...drink beer, wine, or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin) regularly (at least once or twice a month)?</p> <p>40. ...smoke cigarettes?</p> <p>41. ...smoke marijuana?</p> <p>42. ...use LSD, cocaine, amphetamines, or another illegal drug?</p>	<p>Very wrong Wrong A little bit wrong Not wrong at all</p> <p><i>This response will be included once for each of these questions on the final survey.</i></p>
<p>43. <b>It is alright to beat up people if they start the fight.</b></p> <p>44. <b>It is important to be honest with your parents even if they become upset or you get punished.</b></p> <p>45. <b>I think it is okay to take something without asking if you can get away with it.</b></p>	<p>NO!! no yes YES!!</p> <p><i>This response will be included once for each of these questions on the final survey.</i></p>
<p>46. <b>I ignore rules that get in my way.</b></p> <p>47. <b>I do the opposite of what people tell me to just to get them mad.</b></p>	<p>Very false Somewhat false Somewhat true Very true</p> <p><i>This response will be included once for each of these questions on the final survey.</i></p>
<p><b>How many times have you:</b></p> <p>48. ...done what felt good no matter what?</p> <p>49. ...done something dangerous because someone dared you to do it?</p> <p>50. ...done crazy things even if they are a little dangerous?</p>	<p>Never I've done it, but not in the past year Less than once a month About once a month Two or three times a month Once a week or more</p> <p><i>This response will be included once for each of these questions on the final survey.</i></p>
<p>51. <b>I like to see how much I can get away with.</b></p>	<p>Very false Somewhat false Somewhat true Very true</p>
<p><b>How important is each of the following to you in your life?</b></p> <p>52. ... Accepting responsibility for my actions when I make a mistake or get in trouble.</p> <p>53. ... Doing my best even when I have to do a job I don't like.</p>	<p>Extremely Important Quite Important Not Sure Somewhat Important Not Important</p> <p><i>This response will be included once for each of these questions on the final survey.</i></p>
<p><b>How much do you agree or disagree with the following?</b></p> <p>54. ... I am able to save my money for something I really want.</p> <p>55. ... When things don't go well for me, I am good at finding a way to make things better.</p> <p>56. ... I feel as if I can solve most problems in my life.</p>	<p>Strongly Agree Agree Not Sure Disagree Strongly Disagree</p> <p><i>This response will be included once for each of these questions on the final survey.</i></p>

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<p><b>How much do you do the following when you have a problem of any kind?</b></p> <p>57. ... I try to find different solutions to the problem.</p>	<p>A lot Sometimes A little Never</p>
<p><b>How many times have you:</b></p> <p>58. ...participated in school or non-school extracurricular activities (e.g., sports, student government, student newspaper, scouting, etc.)?</p> <p>59. ...volunteered to do community service?</p>	<p>Never I've done it, but not in the past year Less than once a month About once a month Two or three times a month Once a week or more</p> <p><i>This response will be included once for each of these questions on the final survey.</i></p>

**The next section asks about things you might have done, or that might have happened to you. Some of the questions are about bullying. Bullying is when 1 or more students tease, threaten, spread rumors about, hit, shove, or hurt another student over and over again. It is not bullying when 2 students of about the same strength or power argue or fight or tease each other in a friendly way.**

**Remember, your answers are confidential.**

<p>60. Have you ever belonged to a gang?</p>	<p>Yes No</p>
<p>61. How old were you when you first belonged to a gang?</p>	<p>Never have 10 or younger 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 or older</p>
<p>62. If you have ever belonged to a gang, did the gang have a name?</p>	<p>Yes No I have never been in a gang</p>
<p><b>How many times in the past year have you:</b></p> <p>63. ...carried a weapon other than a handgun (such as a knife or club)?</p> <p>64. ...carried a handgun?</p> <p>65. ...sold illegal drugs?</p> <p>66. ...bullied, taunted, ridiculed, or teased someone?</p> <p>67. ...said something bad about someone's race or culture?</p> <p>68. ...been suspended from school?</p>	<p>Never 1 to 2 times 3 to 5 times 6 to 9 times 10 to 19 times 20 to 29 times 30 to 39 times 40 or more times</p> <p><i>This response will be included once for each of these questions on the final survey.</i></p>
<p><b>How many times in the past year has <u>anyone</u> done any of the following TO YOU:</b></p> <p>69. ...bullied, taunted, ridiculed, or teased you?</p> <p>70. ...said something bad about your race or culture?</p>	<p>Never 1 to 2 times 3 to 5 times 6 to 9 times 10 to 19 times 20 to 29 times 30 to 39 times 40 or more times</p> <p><i>This response will be included once for each of these questions on the final survey.</i></p>

**The next section asks about electronic bullying, also known as cyberbullying. Electronic bullying is bullying through e-mail, chat rooms, instant messaging, Web sites, or text messaging.**

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<p>71. During the past 12 months, have you ever been electronically bullied, such as through e-mail, chat rooms, instant messaging, Web sites, or text messaging?</p>	<p>Yes No</p>
<p>72. How many times in the past year have <u>you been</u> cyberbullied by a student who <u>attends your school</u>?</p> <p>73. How many times in the past year have <u>you</u> cyberbullied a student <u>attending your school</u>?</p>	<p>Never 1 to 2 times 3 to 5 times 6 to 9 times 10 to 19 times 20 to 29 times 30 to 39 times 40 or more times</p> <p><i>This response will be included once for each of these questions on the final survey.</i></p>

**The next section asks how you might react to certain situations. Choose the answer that comes closest to what you might do.**

<p>74. You are looking at the CDs in the music store with a friend. You look up and see her slip a CD under her coat. She smiles and says "Which one do you want? Go ahead, take it while nobody's around." There is no one in sight, no employees or other customers. What would you do now?</p>	<p>Ignore her Grab a CD and leave the store Tell her to put the CD back Ask her to put the CD back</p>
<p>75. It is 8:00 on a weeknight and you are about to go over to a friend's house when your mother asks you where you are going. You say, "Oh, just going to go hang out with some friends." She says, "No, you'll just get into trouble if you go out. Stay home tonight." What would you do now?</p>	<p>Leave the house anyway Explain and ask if you can go Not say anything and start watching TV Get into an argument with your parent</p>
<p>76. You are visiting another part of town and you do not know any of the people your age there. You are walking down the street, and some teenager you do not know is walking toward you. He is about your size, and as he is about to pass you he deliberately bumps into you and you almost lose your balance. What would you say or do?</p>	<p>Push the person back Say "Excuse me" and keep walking Say "Watch where you are going" and keep walking Swear at the person and walk away</p>
<p>77. You are at a party at someone's house, and one of your friends offers you a drink containing alcohol. What would you say or do?</p>	<p>Drink it Say "No thanks" and suggest they leave Just say "No thanks," and walk away Make up a good excuse and leave</p>

**The next section asks about your thoughts about and experiences with tobacco, alcohol, and other drugs.**

<p>How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they:</p> <p>78. ...smoke one or more packs of cigarettes per day?</p> <p>79. ...try marijuana once or twice?</p> <p>80. ...smoke marijuana regularly?</p> <p>81. ...take one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage (beer, wine, liquor) nearly every day?</p>	<p>No risk Slight risk Moderate risk Great risk</p> <p><i>This response will be included once for each of these questions on the final survey.</i></p>
<p>82. Have you ever smoked cigarettes in your lifetime?</p>	<p>Never Once or twice Once in a while but not regularly Regularly in the past Regularly now</p>

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<p><b>83. How often have you smoked cigarettes during the <u>past 30 days</u>?</b></p>	<p>Not at all                  Less than one cigarette per day                  One to five cigarettes per day                  About one-half pack per day                  About one pack per day                  About one and one half packs per day                  Two or more packs per day</p>
<p><b>On how many occasions (if any) have you:</b>  <b>84. ...had beer, wine, or hard liquor in your lifetime</b>                  (more than just a few sips)?  <b>85. ...had beer, wine, or hard liquor during the <u>past 30 days</u>?</b></p>	<p>0 occasions                  1-2 occasions                  3-5 occasions                  6-9 occasions                  10-19 occasions                  20-39 occasions                  40 or more occasions</p>
<p><b>86. Think back over the <u>last two weeks</u>. How many times have you had five or more alcoholic drinks in a row?</b></p>	<p>None                  Once                  Twice                  3-5 times                  6-9 times                  10 or more times</p>
<p><b>87. How many times have you driven a car or other vehicle when you had been drinking alcohol?</b></p>	<p>Never                  I've done it, but not in the past year                  Less than once a month                  About once a month                  Two or three times a month                  Once a week or more</p>
<p><b>On how many occasions (if any) have you:</b>  <b>88. ...used marijuana in your lifetime?</b>  <b>89. ...used phenoxydine (pox, px, breeze) in your lifetime?</b>  <b>90. ...used marijuana during the past 30 days?</b>  <b>91. ...used LSD or other hallucinogens (acid, angel dust, special k, shrooms) in the past 30 days?</b>  <b>92. ...used cocaine or crack in the past 30 days?</b>  <b>93. ...sniffed glue, breathed (huffed) the contents of an aerosol spray can, or inhaled other gases or sprays in order to get high in the past 30 days?</b>  <b>94. ...used methamphetamine (speed, crystal, crank, or ice) in the past 30 days?</b>  <b>95. ...used phenoxydine (pox, px, breeze) in the past 30 days?</b>  <b>96. ...used Ecstasy in the past 30 days?</b>  <b>97. ...taken steroids without a doctor's order in the past 30 days?</b>  <b>98. ...used heroin in the past 30 days?</b>  <b>99. ...taken painkillers (such as Oxycontin, Vicodin, Percoset, Codeine, and Opium) without a doctor's order in the past 30 days?</b>  <b>100. ...taken a prescription drug other than painkillers (such as Ritalin, Adderal, or Xanax) without a doctor's order in the past 30 days?</b>  <b>101. ...taken over-the-counter drugs to get high in the past 30 days?</b></p>	<p>0 occasions                  1-2 occasions                  3-5 occasions                  6-9 occasions                  10-19 occasions                  20-39 occasions                  40 or more occasions</p> <p><i><b>This response will be included once for each of these questions on the final survey.</b></i></p>

<p><b>How old were you when you first:</b></p> <p><b>102.</b> ...smoked marijuana?</p> <p><b>103.</b> ...smoked a cigarette, even just a puff?</p> <p><b>104.</b> ...had more than a sip or two of beer, wine, or hard liquor (vodka, whiskey, or gin)?</p> <p><b>105.</b> ...began drinking alcoholic beverages regularly; that is, at least once or twice a month?</p> <p><b>106.</b> ...got suspended from school?</p> <p><b>107.</b> ...got arrested?</p> <p><b>108.</b> ...carried a handgun?</p> <p><b>109.</b> ...attacked someone with the idea of seriously hurting them?</p>	<p>Never have 10 or younger 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 or older</p> <p><i>This response will be included once for each of these questions on the final survey.</i></p>
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**The next section asks about sexual behavior.**

<p><b>110.</b> Have you ever had sexual intercourse?</p>	<p>Yes No</p>
<p><b>111.</b> The last time you had sexual intercourse, did you or your partner use a condom?</p>	<p>I have never had sexual intercourse Yes No</p>
<p><b>112.</b> Have you ever had oral sex?</p>	<p>Yes No</p>
<p><b>113.</b> Which of the following best describes you?</p>	<p>Heterosexual (straight) Gay or lesbian Bisexual Not sure</p>

**The next section asks about food you ate or drank during the past 7 days. Think about all the meals and snacks you had from the time you got up until you went to bed. Be sure to include food you ate at home, at school, at restaurants, or anywhere else.**

<p><b>During the past 7 days:</b></p> <p><b>114.</b> ...how many times did you eat fruit? <i>Do not count fruit juice.</i></p> <p><b>115.</b> ...how many times did you eat green salad?</p> <p><b>116.</b> ...how many times did you eat potatoes (do not count french fries, fried potatoes, or potato chips)?</p> <p><b>117.</b> ...how many times did you eat carrots?</p> <p><b>118.</b> ...how many times did you eat other vegetables (do not count green salad, potatoes, or carrots)?</p> <p><b>119.</b> ...how many times did you drink a can, bottle, or glass of soda or pop, (such as Coke, Pepsi, or Sprite)? Do not include diet soda or diet pop.</p>	<p>I did not:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o eat fruit</li> <li>o eat green salad</li> <li>o eat potatoes</li> <li>o eat carrots</li> <li>o eat other vegetables</li> <li>o drink soda or pop during the past 7 days</li> </ul> <p>1 to 3 times during the past 7 days 4 to 6 times during the past 7 days 1 time per day 2 times per day 3 times per day 4 or more times per day</p> <p><i>This response will be included once for each of these questions on the final survey.</i></p>
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**The next section asks about physical activity and sleep.**

<p><b>120. During the past 7 days, on how many days were you physically active for a total of at least 60 minutes per day? Add up all the time you spend in any kind of physical activity that increases your heart rate and makes you breathe hard some of the time.</b></p>	<p>0 days 1 day 2 days 3 days 4 days 5 days 6 days 7 days</p>
<p><b>121. On an average school night, how many hours of sleep do you get?</b></p>	<p>4 or less hours 5 hours 6 hours 7 hours 8 hours 9 hours 10 or more hours</p>

**The next section asks about the neighborhood and community where you live.**

<p><b>How easy or hard would it be for you to get:</b></p> <p><b>122.</b> ...some beer, wine, or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin)?</p> <p><b>123.</b> ...some cigarettes?</p> <p><b>124.</b> ...drugs like cocaine, LSD, or amphetamines?</p> <p><b>125.</b> ...some marijuana?</p>	<p>Very hard Sort of hard Sort of easy Very easy</p> <p><i>This response will be included once for each of these questions on the final survey.</i></p>
<p><b>Would a kid in your neighborhood, or the area around where you live, be caught by the police if he or she:</b></p> <p><b>126.</b> ...smoked marijuana?</p> <p><b>127.</b> ...drank some beer, wine, or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin)?</p> <p><b>128.</b> ...carried a handgun?</p>	<p>NO!! no yes YES!!</p> <p><i>This response will be included once for each of these questions on the final survey.</i></p>
<p><b>How wrong would most adults in your neighborhood, or the area around where you live, think it is for kids your age to:</b></p> <p><b>129.</b> ...use marijuana?</p> <p><b>130.</b> ...drink alcohol?</p> <p><b>131.</b> ...smoke cigarettes?</p>	<p>Very wrong Wrong A little bit wrong Not wrong at all</p> <p><i>This response will be included once for each of these questions on the final survey.</i></p>
<p><b>About how many adults have you known personally who in the past year have:</b></p> <p><b>132.</b> ...used marijuana, crack, cocaine, or other drugs?</p> <p><b>133.</b> ...sold or dealt drugs?</p> <p><b>134.</b> ...done other things that could get them in trouble with the police, like stealing, selling stolen goods, mugging or assaulting others, etc?</p> <p><b>135.</b> ...gotten drunk or high?</p>	<p>None 1 adult 2 adults 3 or 4 adults 5 or more adults</p> <p><i>This response will be included once for each of these questions on the final survey.</i></p>

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<p>136. If I had to move, I would miss the neighborhood I now live in.</p> <p>137. My neighbors notice when I am doing a good job and let me know about it.</p> <p>138. I like my neighborhood, or the area around where I live.</p> <p>139. There are lots of adults in my neighborhood I could talk to about something important.</p> <p>140. There are people in my neighborhood, or the area around where I live, who are proud of me when I do something well.</p> <p>How much does the following statement describe your neighborhood or the area around where you live:</p> <p>141. ...crime and/or drug selling?</p>	<p>NO!! no yes YES!!</p> <p><i>This response will be included once for each of these questions on the final survey.</i></p>
<p>142. How many times have you changed homes since kindergarten?</p>	<p>None 1-2 times 3-4 times 5-6 times 7 or more times</p>
<p>143. Are there sports teams or other extracurricular activities for people your age available in your community?</p> <p>144. I feel safe in my neighborhood, or the area around where I live.</p> <p>145. I would like to get out of my neighborhood, or the area around where I live.</p> <p>146. There are people in my neighborhood, or the area around where I live, who encourage me to do my best.</p>	<p>NO!! no yes YES!!</p> <p><i>This response will be included once for each of these questions on the final survey.</i></p>
<p>147. How often do you attend religious services or activities?</p>	<p>Never Rarely 1-2 times a month About once a week or more</p>
<p><b><i>The next section asks about your family. When answering these questions, please think about the people you consider to be your family; for example, parents, stepparents, grandparents, aunts, uncles, etc.</i></b></p>	
<p>How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to:</p> <p>148. ...drink beer, wine, or hard liquor?</p> <p>149. ...smoke cigarettes?</p> <p>150. ...smoke marijuana?</p> <p>151. ...steal anything worth more than \$5?</p> <p>152. ...draw graffiti, write things, or draw pictures on buildings or other property (without the owner's permission)?</p> <p>153. ...pick a fight with someone?</p>	<p>Very wrong Wrong A little bit wrong Not wrong at all</p> <p><i>This response will be included once for each of these questions on the final survey.</i></p>

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<p><b>Have any of your brothers or sisters ever:</b></p> <p><b>154.</b> ...drunk beer, wine, or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin)?</p> <p><b>155.</b> ...smoked marijuana?</p> <p><b>156.</b> ...smoked cigarettes?</p> <p><b>157.</b> ...taken a handgun to school?</p> <p><b>158.</b> ...been suspended or expelled from school?</p>	<p>Yes No I don't know I don't have any brothers or sisters</p> <p><i>This response will be included once for each of these questions on the final survey.</i></p>
<p><b>159.</b> The rules in my family are clear.</p>	<p>NO!! no yes YES!!</p>
<p><b>160.</b> Has anyone in your family ever had a severe alcohol or drug problem?</p>	<p>Yes No</p>
<p><b>161.</b> When I am not at home, one of my parents knows where I am and who I am with.</p> <p><b>162.</b> If you drank some beer, wine, or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin) without your parents' permission, would you be caught by your parents?</p> <p><b>163.</b> My family has clear rules about alcohol and drug use.</p>	<p>NO!! no yes YES!!</p> <p><i>This response will be included once for each of these questions on the final survey.</i></p>
<p><b>164.</b> My parents notice when I am doing a good job and let me know about it.</p> <p><b>165.</b> How often do your parents tell you that they are proud of you for something you have done?</p>	<p>Never or almost never Sometimes Often All the time</p> <p><i>This response will be included once for each of these questions on the final survey.</i></p>
<p><b>166.</b> My parents ask me what I think before most family decisions affecting me are made.</p> <p><b>167.</b> Do you enjoy spending time with your mother?</p> <p><b>168.</b> Do you enjoy spending time with your father?</p> <p><b>169.</b> If I had a personal problem, I could ask my mom or dad for help.</p> <p><b>170.</b> My parents give me lots of chances to do fun things with them.</p> <p><b>171.</b> If you carried a handgun without your parents' permission, would you be caught by your parents?</p> <p><b>172.</b> If you skipped school without your parents' permission, would you be caught by your parents?</p> <p><b>173.</b> Do you feel very close to your mother?</p> <p><b>174.</b> Do you share your thoughts and feelings with your mother?</p> <p><b>175.</b> Do you share your thoughts and feelings with your father?</p> <p><b>176.</b> Do you feel very close to your father?</p> <p><b>177.</b> My parents ask if I have gotten my homework done.</p> <p><b>178.</b> Would your parents know if you did not come home on time?</p>	<p>NO!! no yes YES!!</p> <p><i>This response will be included once for each of these questions on the final survey.</i></p>

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<p>179. People in my family often insult or yell at each other.</p> <p>180. We argue about the same things in my family over and over.</p> <p>181. People in my family have serious arguments.</p>	<p>NO!! no yes YES!!</p> <p><i>This response will be included once for each of these questions on the final survey.</i></p>
<p>182. During the past 30 days, how often did you go hungry because there was not enough food in your home?</p>	<p>Never Rarely Sometimes Most of the time Always</p>
<p><b><i>The next section asks about the environment.</i></b></p>	
<p><b>How often do you perform the following activity:</b></p> <p>183. ...recycle things such as newspapers, cans, and glass?</p> <p>184. ...turn off lights and electrical appliances (such as TVs and computers) when not in use?</p> <p>185. ...try to cut down on the amount of trash and garbage you create?</p> <p>186. ...conserve water in your home or yard (such as shutting off the faucet when brushing your teeth)?</p> <p>187. ...buy biodegradable or recyclable products?</p>	<p>Frequently Sometimes Never</p> <p><i>This response will be included once for each of these questions on the final survey.</i></p>
<p>188. I believe that my actions can improve the quality of the environment.</p>	<p>Strongly Agree Agree Disagree Strongly Disagree</p>
<p><b><i>The next section asks about your experiences related to civic engagement.</i></b></p>	
<p>189. During an average week, how many hours do you spend: <b>Helping friends or neighbors, or helping other people without getting paid (such as helping out at a hospital, daycare center, food shelf, youth program, community service agency, or doing other things) to make your city a better place for people to live?</b></p>	<p>0 hours 1 hour 2 hours 3-5 hours 6-10 hours 11 or more hours</p>
<p><b>During the last 12 months, how many times have you:</b></p> <p>190. ...been a leader in a group or organization?</p> <p>191. ...helped make sure that all people are treated fairly?</p> <p>192. ...stood up for what you believed, even when it was unpopular to do so?</p>	<p>Never Once Twice 3-4 Times 5 or more Times</p> <p><i>This response will be included once for each of these questions on the final survey.</i></p>
<p>193. In the past 30 days, how often have you read about issues affecting the public, politics, and/or political campaigns from newspapers, magazines, or the Internet in your free time?</p>	<p>Frequently Sometimes Never</p>
<p>194. During the last 12 months, have you used your political voice (signed a petition, contacted a government official for a reason other than a school assignment, wrote to a publication to express your opinion, refused to use or buy a product made by a company that has a policy you disagree with, etc.) as a result of reading about politics, political campaigns, and/or issues affecting the public from newspapers, magazines, or the Internet in your free time?</p>	<p>Yes No</p>

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<p><b>195. How important is participating in a democratic process (such as by voting, working on a political campaign, running for elected office) to you?</b></p>	<p>Very Important Quite Important Fairly Important Slightly Important Not at all Important</p>
<p><b>Think about the people who know you well. How do you think they would rate you on each of these?</b></p>	
<p><b>People who know me would say that this is:</b></p> <p><b>196.</b> Being good at planning ahead.</p> <p><b>197.</b> Giving up when things get hard for me.</p> <p><b>198.</b> Knowing how to say "no" when someone wants me to do things I know are wrong or dangerous.</p> <p><b>199.</b> Thinking through the possible good and bad results of different choices before I make decisions.</p>	<p>Not at all Like me A Little Like me Somewhat Like Me Quite Like Me Very Much Like Me</p> <p><i>This response will be included once for each of these questions on the final survey.</i></p>
<p><b>The next section asks about cyberbullying.</b></p>	
<p><b>200.</b> I know of someone who has been really hurt by cyberbullying.</p> <p><b>201.</b> I would report cyberbullying incidents, if I could do so without anyone knowing it was me.</p> <p><b>202.</b> I have the right to say anything I want online, even if what I say hurts someone or violates someone's privacy.</p>	<p>Strongly Agree Agree Disagree Strongly Disagree</p>
<p><b>203.</b> How honest were you in filling out this survey?</p>	<p>I was very honest I was honest pretty much of the time I was honest some of the time I was honest once in a while</p>

This is the end of the survey.  
Thank you for participating.