

Table 3.57

**Students reporting use of alcohol and drugs**

By grade level of respondent and frequency of use, 1995-96

	Grades 6 to 8 (N=58,596)		Grades 9 to 12 (N=70,964)		12th grade (N=14,261)	
	Annual use <sup>a</sup>	Monthly use <sup>b</sup>	Annual use <sup>a</sup>	Monthly use <sup>b</sup>	Annual use <sup>a</sup>	Monthly use <sup>b</sup>
Any alcohol	44.5%	16.4%	70.6%	39.8%	75.6%	46.4%
Beer	33.1	12.5	59.1	34.3	64.9	41.2
Wine coolers	33.2	10.8	52.6	22.3	54.5	22.9
Liquor	22.9	9.0	53.4	28.2	59.9	32.8
Any illicit drugs	19.7	10.9	37.6	24.4	40.8	26.5
Marijuana	13.6	8.1	34.0	22.3	37.9	24.3
Cocaine <sup>c</sup>	2.7	1.5	5.6	2.9	7.1	3.6
Inhalants	8.5	3.5	7.6	3.4	6.6	3.1
Hallucinogens <sup>d</sup>	3.3	1.8	9.5	4.5	12.1	5.1
Heroin	2.1	1.3	3.1	1.9	3.5	2.2

Note: See Note, table 3.52.

<sup>a</sup>Used one or more times in the past year.

<sup>b</sup>Used once a month or more in the past year.

<sup>c</sup>Includes crack.

<sup>d</sup>Includes LSD and PCP.

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