2021 YOUTH SURVEY RESULTS



SURVEY RESPONDENT DEMOGRAPHICS

All students in grades 6, 8, 10, and 12 were surveyed in the first semester of the 2021-2022 school year. The overall response rate was 73% (798/1093). If 60% or more of the sample participated, the report is a good indicator of the levels of substance use, risk, protection, and antisocial behavior.

The gender of the students surveyed are 47.3% female and 52.7% male. Male and female were the only two responses for the gender question.

The majority of survey respondents are white (85.6%). The other ethnicitys of survey respondents are:

• Other/Multi-racial: 7.8%

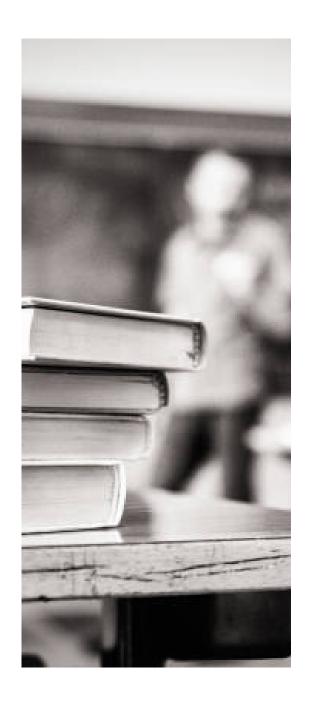
• Hispanic: 2.8%

• Native American: 1.4%

• African American: 1%

• Asian: 0.9%

• Pacific Islander: 0.5%



TOPRISK FACTORS

6TH GRADE

- 1. Low Commitment to School
- 2. Perceived Risk of Drug Use
- 3. Attitudes Favorable to Antisocial Behavior
- 4. Family Conflict
- 5. Poor Family Management

8TH GRADE

- 1. Low Commitment to School
- 2. Perceived Risk of Drug Use
- 3. Depressive Symptoms
- 4. Parent Attitudes Favor Antisocial Behavior
- 5. Poor Family Management

10TH GRADE

- 1. Perceived Risk of Drug Use
- 2. Parent Attitudes Favorable to Antisocial Behavior
- 3. Low Commitment to School
- 4. Depressive Symptoms
- 5. Family Conflict

12TH GRADE

- 1. Depressive Symptoms
- 2. Perceived Risk of Drug Use
- 3. Low Commitment to School
- 4. Attitudes Favorable to Antisocial Behavior
- 5. Parent Attitudes Favorable to Antisocial Behavior

ALL GRADES

- 1. Perceived Risk of Drug Use
- 2. Low Commitment to School
- 3. Depressive Symptoms
- 4. Family Conflict
- 5. Attitudes Favorable to Antisocial Behavior



CASS COUNTY PUBLIC DATA

School Dropout Rate



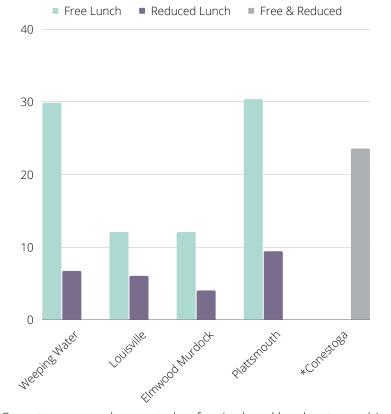
The dropout rate is 0-2% among all 5 public schools in Cass county.

Teen Pregnancy



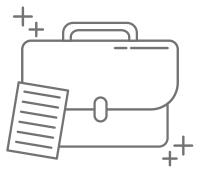
Between 2012 and 2018 there were 16.4 births per 1,000 females to adolescents age 15-19.

Free and Reduced Lunch Rates



*Conestoga was only reported as free/reduced lunch rate combined

Unemployment Rate



Unemployment has reached a record low of 1.1% of the Cass county population as of Nov. 2021.