

A Peek
at the Youth and Court Perspective

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What percentage of New York State high school students reported that they carried a weapon on school property in 2011?

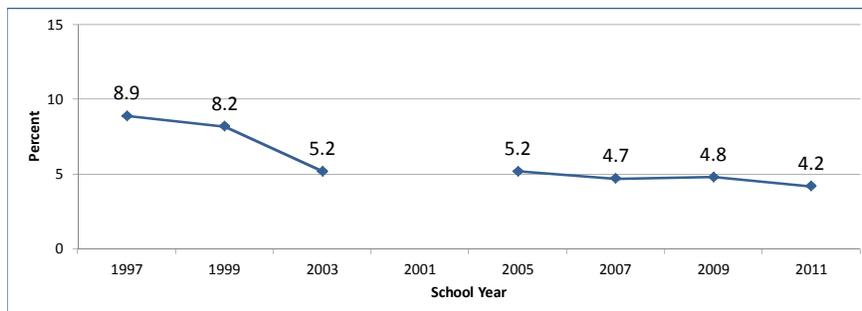
- A. 2%
- B. 4%**
- C. 9%
- D. 13%

Compared to 1997, did the percentage:

- A. Increase
- B. Decrease**
- C. Remain the same

Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Youth Risk Behavior Surveillance System (YRBSS). <http://www.cdc.gov/healthyyouth/yrbs/brief.htm> (accessed 4/10/13).

The percentage of New York State high school students reporting that they carried a weapon on school property decreased significantly in 2003 and has since remained relatively stable



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What percentage of New York State high school students reported that they did not go to school because they felt unsafe in 2011?

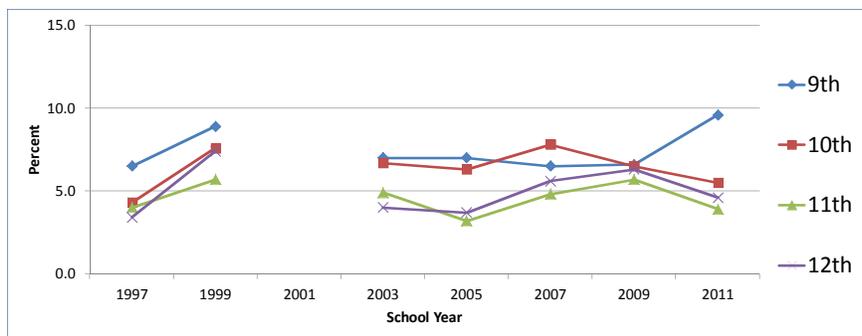
- A. 3%
- B. 6%
- C. 9%
- D. 13%

Compared to 1997, did the percentage:

- A. Increase
- B. Decrease
- C. Remain the same

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9th graders tend to have the highest percentage and 11th graders tend to have the lowest percentage reporting that they did not go to school because they felt unsafe



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What percentage of New York State high school students reported that they were threatened or injured with weapon in school in 2011?

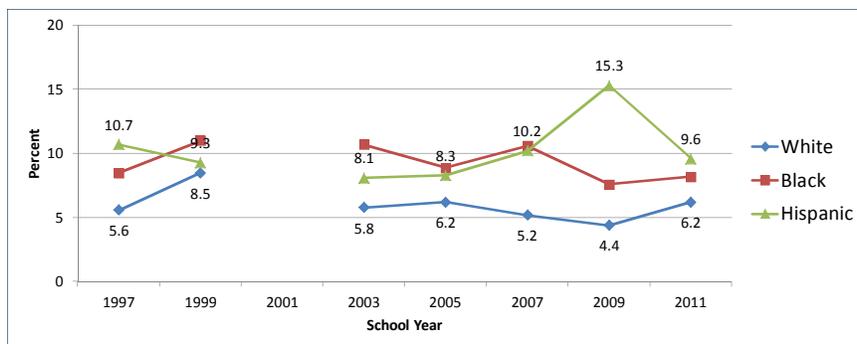
- A. 2%
- B. 4%
- C. 7%
- D. 13%

Compared to 1997, did the percentage:

- A. Increase
- B. Decrease
- C. Remain the same

Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Youth Risk Behavior Surveillance System (YRBSS). <http://www.cdc.gov/healthyouth/yrbs/brief.htm> (accessed 4/10/13).

Among Black, White and Hispanic students in 2011, Hispanic students reported the highest percentage and White students reported the lowest percentage of being threatened or injured with a weapon



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What percentage of New York State high school students reported that they were bullied on school property in 2011?

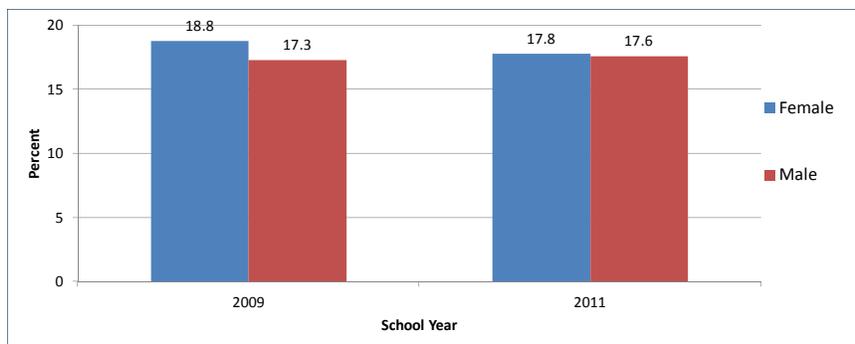
- A. 4%
- B. 9%
- C. 18%
- D. 25%

Compared to 2009, did the percentage:

- A. Increase
- B. Decrease
- C. Remain the same

Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Youth Risk Behavior Surveillance System (YRBSS). <http://www.cdc.gov/healthyouth/yrbs/brief.htm> (accessed 4/10/13).

Percentage of female and male students reporting being bullied on school property the same



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Youth Risk Behavior Survey

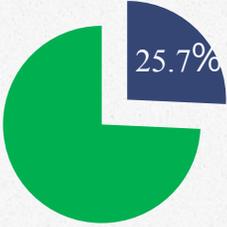
- Behaviors contributing to unintentional injuries and violence
- Sexual behaviors contributing to unintended pregnancy/STDs
- Alcohol and other drug use
- Tobacco use
- Unhealthy dietary behaviors
- Inadequate physical activity

BRONX COUNTY FAMILY COURT

School-Justice Survey: Petitions Based Upon School-related Incidents, 11/23 to 12/16/11 and 1/23 to 2/10/12

School-related filings - significant impact on courts

Proportion of Petitions Including Allegations Based upon Incident that Occurred at School
n=175 petitions



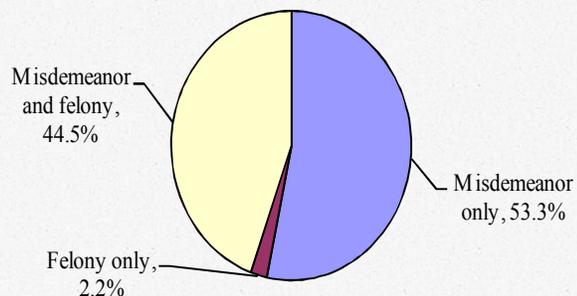
Category	Percentage
Allegations based on incidents that occurred at school	25.7%
Other	74.3%

Note: This analysis only includes youth 15 & younger as New York is one of only two states where all 16 & 17 year olds are treated as adults.

Source: Bronx County Family Court School-Justice Survey: Petitions Based Upon School-related Incidents, 11/23 to 12/16/11 and 1/23 to 2/10/12

Majority petitions for misdemeanor only

Proportion of Petitions by Allegation Types:
Bronx County Family Court,
11/23 to 12/16/11 and 1/23 to 2/10/12



Source: Bronx County Family Court School-Justice Survey: Petitions Based Upon School-related Incidents, 11/23 to 12/16/11 and 1/23 to 2/10/12

Most common first counts

- Assault in the third degree (PL 120.00), a Class A misdemeanor (9 petitions, 20%)
- Attempted assault in the third degree [PL 110/120.00(1)], a Class B misdemeanor (7 petitions, 16%)
- Robbery in the second degree (PL 160.10), a Class C felony (6 petitions, 13%)

Accounted for 49% of all first counts

Source: Bronx County Family Court School-Justice Survey: Petitions Based Upon School-related Incidents, 11/23 to 12/16/11 and 1/23 to 2/10/12

Most common allegations overall

- Menacing in the third degree (PL 120.15), a Class B misdemeanor (26 counts, 18%)
- Attempted Assault in the third degree [PL 110/120.00(1)], a Class B misdemeanor (18 counts, 12%)
- Assault in the third degree (PL 120.00), a Class A misdemeanor (15 counts, 10%)

Accounted for 40% of all 147 allegations

Source: Bronx County Family Court School-Justice Survey: Petitions Based Upon School-related Incidents, 11/23 to 12/16/11 and 1/23 to 2/10/12

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