

Table 50.

Percentage of high school students who were in a physical fight on school property one or more times during the past 12 months.

By Gender, Age Group and Race/Ethnicity

	San Diego Unified School District													
	1991		1993		1995		1997		1999		2001		2003	
	%	95% CI	%	95% CI	%	95% CI	%	95% CI	%	95% CI	%	95% CI	%	95% CI
Total	NA		15.6	(13.5 - 17.7)	13.7	(11.9 - 15.6)	14.8	(12.9 - 16.6)	12.8	(10.7 - 14.8)	12.1	(10.0 - 14.0)	13.2	(11.0 - 15.5)
Gender														
Male	NA		22.1	(18.9 - 25.3)	20.1	(17.3 - 23.0)	20.4	(17.4 - 23.4)	18.5	(15.2 - 21.8)	14.3	(11.5 - 17.0)	18.3	(14.7 - 21.9)
Female	NA		9.3	(7.1 - 11.4)	8.1	(6.2 - 9.9)	9.2	(7.4 - 10.9)	7.1	(5.2 - 9.0)	9.9	(7.4 - 12.4)	7.8	(5.4 - 10.1)
Age														
15 or less	NA		19.1	(15.4 - 22.9)	16.7	(13.6 - 19.8)	16.4	(13.9 - 18.9)	15.3	(11.8 - 18.7)	14.0	(10.8 - 17.2)	16.0	(12.4 - 19.6)
16 or 17	NA		13.9	(11.3 - 16.5)	12.9	(10.7 - 15.2)	13.9	(11.4 - 16.5)	12.0	(9.4 - 14.5)	10.8	(8.3 - 13.2)	11.5	(9.3 - 13.7)
18 or more	NA		13.3	(7.7 - 19.0)	7.9	(4.8 - 11.1)	12.5	(8.9 - 16.0)	8.0	(3.6 - 12.4)	10.7	(6.0 - 15.3)	9.1	(3.8 - 14.5)
Race/Ethnicity														
White	NA		11.4	(8.7 - 14.1)	11.6	(8.5 - 14.7)	13.1	(10.6 - 15.5)	12.8	(9.4 - 16.2)	8.9	(5.8 - 12.0)	10.4	(6.7 - 14.1)
African Am.	NA		19.5	(14.7 - 24.3)	15.5	(11.3 - 19.8)	20.2	(15.8 - 24.6)	17.4	(11.5 - 23.2)	14.3	(9.4 - 19.2)	18.8	(11.2 - 26.3)
Hispanic	NA		19.5	(16.0 - 23.0)	14.9	(11.1 - 18.8)	14.1	(11.0 - 17.1)	13.8	(10.5 - 17.1)	14.9	(11.5 - 18.3)	13.9	(10.1 - 17.7)
Filipino	NA		13.5	(9.2 - 17.8)	9.5	(5.2 - 13.8)	13.3	(6.0 - 20.6)	9.8	(4.3 - 15.3)	5.9	(1.5 - 10.2)	6.2	(2.2 - 10.1)
Asian	NA		13.8	(7.2 - 20.5)	13.5	(9.4 - 17.5)	14.9	(10.3 - 19.5)	5.7	(1.8 - 9.6)	9.4	(3.4 - 15.5)	13.9	(7.5 - 20.3)
Other	NA		NA		NA		NA		NA		NA		NA	
Participants	NA		N = 1,751		N = 1,978		N = 2,420		N = 1,673		N = 1,753		N = 1,774	

CI: 95% confidence intervals may be used to determine differences between groups at the 0.05 level; differences between proportions are considered statistically significant if the 95% confidence intervals do not overlap.

Prevalence estimates by selected characteristics are not reported when numbers of observations were < 25 in 1991, < 50 in 1993, and < 100 in 1995 to 2003 surveys.

Data Sources:

Youth Risk Behavior Surveillance System (YRBSS) - San Diego City Schools, 1991 to 2003

Youth Risk Behavior Surveillance System (YRBSS) - United States, 2001

NA: Data not collected for this question for this year

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