

# 2022 SCHOOL CRIME SUPPLEMENT (SCS)

## SCREEN QUESTIONS FOR SUPPLEMENT

### INTRO\_1

Now, I would like to ask some questions about your experiences at school. We estimate the survey will take 3 to 15 minutes depending on your circumstances. The law authorizes the collection of these data and requires us not to share your responses with your school or family.

- 1 = Enter 1 to continue
- 2 = Refused supplement
- 3 = Currently unable to complete the interview, but willing to complete at later date/time
- 4 = NCVS completed in a language other than English or Spanish

### 1a. E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_INPERSON

At any time during this school year did you attend a public or private school in person?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

### 1b. E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_VIRTUAL

At any time during this school year did you receive any online schooling or virtual learning provided by a public or private school?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

### 1c. E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_HOMESCHOOL

At any time during this school year did you receive homeschooling instead of being enrolled in a public or private school?

- 1 = Yes – **ASK E\_HOMESCHOOL\_COOP**
- 2 = No – **GOTO** to **CHECK ITEM A**

**CHECK ITEM A:** If student answers “No,” “Don’t know,” or “Refused” to E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_HOMESCHOOL and “Yes” to E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_VIRTUAL **SKIP** to E\_REMOTE\_SCHOOLING\_COVID.

If student answers “No,” “Don’t know,” or “Refused” to E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_HOMESCHOOL AND E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_VIRTUAL, and “Yes” to E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_INPERSON **SKIP** to E\_DIFFSCHOOL\_ATTENDED.

If student answers “No,” “Don’t know,” or “Refused” for E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_INPERSON, E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_VIRTUAL, and E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_HOMESCHOOL **SKIP** to INTVIEWTYPE.

**1d. E\_HOMESCHOOL\_COOP**

[IF E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_HOMESCHOOL = "Yes"]

**At any time during this school year did you attend a homeschool cooperative, or co-op, in person?**

*Homeschooling cooperatives (co-ops) are groups of homeschooling families who work together to educate their children. They can range from informal groups to more formal programs that resemble private schools. Some co-op students may report in-person attendance if they feel like that fits.*

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

**1e. E\_REMOTE\_SCHOOLING\_COVID**

[IF E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_VIRTUAL = "Yes" and/or E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_HOMESCHOOL = "Yes"]

**Did you receive [online schooling or virtual learning/homeschooling instead of being enrolled in a public or private school/online schooling or virtual learning or homeschooling instead of being enrolled in a public or private school] because of the Coronavirus pandemic?**

- 1= Yes
- 2= No

**1f1. E\_HOMESCHOOL\_WHY\_BULLY**

[IF E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_HOMESCHOOL = "Yes" ask questions 1f1 through 1f8]

**For this next question, I'm going to read a list of 7 possible reasons that some families decided to homeschool rather than enroll in public or private school. You can say yes to more than one reason but please choose ones that best fit the reason or reasons your family decided to homeschool.**

**Because of your experiences with bullying?**

- 1= Yes
- 2= No

**1f2. E\_HOMESCHOOL\_WHY\_ENVIROMENT**

**Because of concerns about the school environment, such as safety, drugs, or negative peer pressure?**

- 1= Yes
- 2= No

**1f3. E\_HOMESCHOOL\_WHY\_QUALITY**

**Because you or your parents were not happy with the quality of the education you were receiving?**

- 1= Yes
- 2= No

**1f4. E\_HOMESCHOOL\_WHY\_RELIGIOUS**

Because of religious reasons?

- 1= Yes
- 2= No

**1f5. E\_HOMESCHOOL\_WHY\_CONDITION**

Because of a physical, mental, or developmental condition?

- 1= Yes
- 2= No

**1f6. E\_HOMESCHOOL\_WHY\_ILLNESS**

Because of an illness that prevents you from attending school?

- 1= Yes
- 2= No

**1f7. E\_HOMESCHOOL\_WHY\_SCHCLOSED**

Because of your county's decision to close the schools?

- 1= Yes
- 2= No

**1f8. E\_HOMESCHOOL\_WHY\_OTHER**

Because of a different reason?

- 1= Yes – **ASK** E\_HOMESCHOOL\_WHY\_SPECIFY
- 2= No – **SKIP** to E\_DIFFSCHOOL\_ATTENDED

**E\_HOMESCHOOL\_WHY\_SPECIFY**

What was the different reason?

*Specify:*

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**1g. E\_DIFFSCHOOL\_ATTENDED**

How many different schools have you attended this school year?

*[IF student answered E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_HOMESCHOOL = "Yes," include the text below.]*

Include your homeschooling as one school.

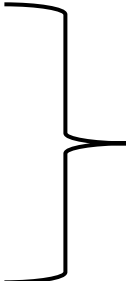
- 1 = One school
- 2 = Two schools
- 3 = Three or more schools

**CHECK ITEM B:** If student was not homeschooled (**E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_HOMESCHOOL** = “No”) **SKIP** to **E\_WHATGRADE**. If student was fully or partially homeschooled (**E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_HOMESCHOOL** = “Yes”) **CONTINUE** with **E\_HOMESCHOOLGRADE**.

**2a. E\_HOMESCHOOLGRADE**

During the time you were homeschooled this school year, what grade would you have been enrolled in if you were in a public or private school?

*This question refers to the 2021-2022 school year.*

- 0 = Fifth or under – **SKIP** to **INTVIEWTYPE**
  - 1 = Sixth
  - 2 = Seventh
  - 3 = Eighth
  - 4 = Ninth
  - 5 = Tenth
  - 6 = Eleventh
  - 7 = Twelfth
  - 8 = Other – *Specify*
  - 9 = College/GED/Post-graduate/Other noneligible – **SKIP** to **INTVIEWTYPE**
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**SKIP** to **CHECK ITEM C**

**E\_HOMESCHOOLGRADE\_OTHER**

*Specify:*

**SKIP** to **CHECK ITEM C**

**CHECK ITEM C:** If student was only homeschooled (**E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_HOMESCHOOL** = “Yes”, **E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_INPERSON** = “No” AND **E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_VIRTUAL** = “No”) **SKIP** to **INTVIEWTYPE**.

If student was partially homeschooled (**E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_HOMESCHOOL** = “Yes” and either (**E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_INPERSON** = “Yes” AND/OR **E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_VIRTUAL** = “Yes) **SKIP** to **SCS\_INTRO\_2**.

**2b. E\_WHATGRADE**

What grade are you in?

This question refers to the 2021-2022 school year.

- 0 = Fifth or under – **SKIP** to **INTVIEWTYPE**
  - 1 = Sixth
  - 2 = Seventh
  - 3 = Eighth
  - 4 = Ninth
  - 5 = Tenth
  - 6 = Eleventh
  - 7 = Twelfth
  - 8 = Other – *Specify*
  - 9 = College/GED/Post-graduate/Other noneligible – **SKIP** to **INTVIEWTYPE**
- } **SKIP** to **E\_WHATMONTH**

**E\_WHATGRADE\_OTHER**

Specify:

**SKIP** to **E\_WHATMONTH**

**SCS\_INTRO\_2**

**READ** **SCS\_INTRO\_2** only if **E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_HOMESCHOOL** = "Yes" and either  
(**E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_INPERSON** = "Yes" AND/OR **E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_VIRTUAL** = "Yes")

The remaining questions pertain only to your attendance at a public or private school and not to being homeschooled [IF **E\_HOMESCHOOL\_COOP**= "Yes": or attending a homeschool cooperative].

**3. E\_WHATMONTH**

In what month did your current school year begin?

- 1 = July
  - 2 = August
  - 3 = September
  - 4 = Other – **Go** to **E\_WHATMONTHOTHER**
- } **SKIP** to **F\_SCHOOLSTATE**

**E\_WHATMONTHOTHER**

Specify the other month that school year began.

- |                                       |                                       |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1 = January  | <input type="checkbox"/> 6 = June     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 2 = February | <input type="checkbox"/> 7 = October  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 3 = March    | <input type="checkbox"/> 8 = November |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 4 = April    | <input type="checkbox"/> 9 = December |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 5 = May      |                                       |

## ENVIROMENTAL QUESTIONS

### SCS\_INTRO\_3

READ *SCS\_INTRO\_3* only if *E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_VIRTUAL* = "Yes"

For the next questions, please think about the school you would normally attend in person right now.

#### 4a. F\_SCHOOLSTATE

In what state is your school located?

State:

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#### 4b. F\_SCHOOLCOUNTY

In what county is your school located?

County:

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#### 4c. F\_SCHOOLCITY

In what city is your school located?

City:

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#### 4d. F\_NAMEOFSCHOOL

What is the complete name of your school?

School name:

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#### 5a. F\_PUBLICORPRIVATE

Is your school public or private?

- 1 = Public – *ASK* *F\_REGULARSCHOOL*
- 2 = Private – *SKIP* to *F\_CHURCHRELATED*

#### 5b. REGULARSCHOOL

Is this the regular school that most of the students in your neighborhood attend?

- 1 = Yes – *SKIP* to *F\_GRADES\_LOW*
- 2 = No – *SKIP* to *F\_GRADES\_LOW*

#### 5c. F\_CHURCHRELATED

Is your school affiliated with a religion?

A 'school affiliated with a religion' is defined as an elementary or secondary school that is either partially or fully supported/funded by a church, synagogue, or mosque.

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No
- 3 = Don't know

**6a. F\_GRADES\_LOW****What is the lowest grade taught in your school?***Enter the lowest grade mentioned*

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> 0 = Pre-Kindergarten or Kindergarten | <input type="checkbox"/> 8 = Eighth                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1 = First                            | <input type="checkbox"/> 9 = Ninth                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 2 = Second                           | <input type="checkbox"/> 10 = Tenth                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 3 = Third                            | <input type="checkbox"/> 11 = Eleventh              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 4 = Fourth                           | <input type="checkbox"/> 12 = Twelfth               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 5 = Fifth                            | <input type="checkbox"/> 13 = Post-graduate         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 6 = Sixth                            | <input type="checkbox"/> 20 = All ungraded          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 7 = Seventh                          | <input type="checkbox"/> 30 = All special education |

**6b. F\_GRADES\_HIGH****What is the highest grade taught in your school?***Enter the highest grade mentioned*

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> 0 = Pre-Kindergarten or Kindergarten | <input type="checkbox"/> 8 = Eighth                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1 = First                            | <input type="checkbox"/> 9 = Ninth                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 2 = Second                           | <input type="checkbox"/> 10 = Tenth                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 3 = Third                            | <input type="checkbox"/> 11 = Eleventh              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 4 = Fourth                           | <input type="checkbox"/> 12 = Twelfth               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 5 = Fifth                            | <input type="checkbox"/> 13 = Post-graduate         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 6 = Sixth                            | <input type="checkbox"/> 20 = All ungraded          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 7 = Seventh                          | <input type="checkbox"/> 30 = All special education |

**7. F\_GETTOSCHOOL****When you attend school in person, how do you get to school most of the time this school year?***If multiple modes are used, code the mode in which the student spends the most time.*

- 1 = Walk
- 2 = School bus
- 3 = Public bus, subway, train
- 4 = Car
- 5 = Bicycle, motorbike, or motorcycle
- 6 = Some other way – *Specify*

**F\_GETTOSCHOOL\_SPECIFY***Specify:*

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**8. F\_HOMEFROMSCHOOL**

**When you attend school in person, how do you get home from school most of the time this school year?**

*If multiple modes are used, code the mode in which the student spends the most time.*

*If the student volunteers that he or she does not go directly home after school, record the mode that the student uses to get to his or her first destination after school.*

- 1 = Walk
- 2 = School bus
- 3 = Public bus, subway, train
- 4 = Car
- 5 = Bicycle, motorbike, or motorcycle
- 6 = Some other way – *Specify*

**F\_HOMEFROMSCHOOL\_SPECIFY**

*Specify:*

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**9a. F\_ACTIVITY\_SPIRIT**

**During this school year, have you participated in any of the following activities sponsored by your school:**

**Spirit groups, for example, Cheerleading, Dance Team, or Pep Club?**

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

**9b. F\_ACTIVITY\_SPORTS**

**Athletic teams at school?**

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

**9c. F\_ACTIVITY\_ARTS**

**Performing arts, for example, Band, Choir, Orchestra, or Drama?**

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

**9d. F\_ACTIVITY\_ACADEMIC**

**Academic clubs, for example, Debate Team, Honor Society, Spanish Club, Math Club, or Computer Club?**

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No



**9e. F\_ACTIVITY\_GOV**

Class council or student government, also known as SGA?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

**9f. F\_ACTIVITY\_SERVICE**

[IF GRADES 6, 7, or 8 *ASK*] Volunteer or community service clubs sponsored by your school, for example, Peer Mediators, Environmental Club, or Recycling Club?

[IF GRADES 9, 10, 11, or 12 *ASK*] Volunteer or community service clubs sponsored by your school, for example, Peer Mediators, Environmental Club, Key Club, or Interact? Do not include community service hours required for graduation.

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

**9g. F\_ACTIVITY\_OTHER**

Other school clubs or school activities?

- 1 = Yes – *ASK* F\_ACTIVITY\_OTHER\_SPECIFY
- 2 = No – *SKIP* to F\_SAFETY\_POLICE

**9h. F\_ACTIVITY\_OTHER\_SPECIFY**

What are the other school clubs or school activities you participated in?

*Specify:*

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**CHECK ITEM D:** If student did not attend school in person this school year  
(E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_INPERSON = "No") *SKIP* to F\_SAFETY\_CODE\_OF\_CONDUCT.

**10a. F\_SAFETY\_POLICE**

The next questions are about security measures that some schools take.

Does your school have:

Security guards or assigned police officers?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No
- 3 = Don't know

**10b. F\_SAFETY\_HALLSTAFF**

**Other adults supervising the hallway, such as teachers, administrators, or parent volunteers?**

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No
- 3 = Don't know

**10c. F\_SAFETY\_METAL\_DETECTORS**

**Metal detectors, including wands?**

*A 'metal detector' is a device used to check for weapons students might be trying to bring onto school property. The metal detector may be in a form of a doorframe, which you are asked to walk through. It may also be in the form of a hand-held metal detector that looks like a wand or paddle, which is moved around your body.*

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No
- 3 = Don't know

**10d. F\_SAFETY\_DOORS\_LOCKED**

**Locked entrance or exit doors during the day?**

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No
- 3 = Don't know

**10e. F\_SAFETY\_SIGN\_IN**

**A requirement that visitors sign in AND wear visitor badges or stickers?**

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No
- 3 = Don't know

**10f. F\_SAFETY\_LOCKER\_CHECKS**

**Locker checks?**

*A 'locker check' is the act of school administrators or officials opening a locker and looking through its contents. Depending on the circumstances, administration may choose to search one, several, or all lockers.*

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No
- 3 = Don't know
- 4 = Respondent's school does not have lockers

**10g. F\_SAFETY\_STUDENT\_ID**

**A requirement that students wear badges or picture identification?**

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No
- 3 = Don't know

**10h. F\_SAFETY\_CAMERAS**

**One or more security cameras to monitor the school?**

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No
- 3 = Don't know

**10i. F\_SAFETY\_CODE\_OF\_CONDUCT**

**Does your school have a code of student conduct, that is, a set of written rules or guidelines that the school provides to you?**

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No
- 3 = Don't know

**11. F\_REPORT**

**If you hear about a threat to school or student safety, do you have a way to report it without having to give your name?**

*Probe: Do you have a way to report a threat, such as an anonymous drop box or hotline?*

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No
- 3 = Don't know

**12. F\_DISTRACTED**

**In your classes, how often are you distracted from doing your schoolwork because other students are misbehaving, for example, talking or fighting?**

*Read answer categories*

- 1 = Never
- 2 = Almost never
- 3 = Sometimes
- 4 = Most of the time

**13a. F\_RULES\_FAIR**

Thinking about your school, would you strongly agree, agree, disagree, or strongly disagree with the following...?

**The school rules are fair.**

- 1 = Strongly agree
- 2 = Agree
- 3 = Disagree
- 4 = Strongly disagree

**13b. F\_PUNISHMENT\_SAME**

**The punishment for breaking school rules is the same no matter who you are.**

- 1 = Strongly agree
- 2 = Agree
- 3 = Disagree
- 4 = Strongly disagree

**13c. F\_RULES\_ENFORCED**

**The school rules are strictly enforced.**

*'Strictly enforced rules' means that the school consistently carries out disciplinary actions against any students who break school rules.*

- 1 = Strongly agree
- 2 = Agree
- 3 = Disagree
- 4 = Strongly disagree

**13d. F\_PUNISHMENT\_KNOWN**

**If a school rule is broken, students know what kind of punishment will follow.**

- 1 = Strongly agree
- 2 = Agree
- 3 = Disagree
- 4 = Strongly disagree

**13e. F\_TEACHERS\_RESPECT**

**Teachers treat students with respect.**

- 1 = Strongly agree
- 2 = Agree
- 3 = Disagree
- 4 = Strongly disagree

**14a. F\_ADULT\_REALLYCARES**

Thinking about the teachers and staff at your school, would you strongly agree, agree, disagree, or strongly disagree with the following...?

There is a TEACHER or other ADULT at school who...

Really cares about you.

- 1 = Strongly agree
- 2 = Agree
- 3 = Disagree
- 4 = Strongly disagree

**14b. F\_ADULT\_LISTENS**

Listens to you when you have something to say.

- 1 = Strongly agree
- 2 = Agree
- 3 = Disagree
- 4 = Strongly disagree

**14c. F\_ADULT\_GOOD\_JOB**

Tells you when you do a good job.

- 1 = Strongly agree
- 2 = Agree
- 3 = Disagree
- 4 = Strongly disagree

**15a. F\_STUDENT\_REALLYCARES**

Thinking about the students at your school, would you strongly agree, agree, disagree, or strongly disagree with the following...?

There is a STUDENT at school who...

Really cares about you.

- 1 = Strongly agree
- 2 = Agree
- 3 = Disagree
- 4 = Strongly disagree

**15b. F\_STUDENT\_LISTENS**

**Listens to you when you have something to say.**

- 1 = Strongly agree
- 2 = Agree
- 3 = Disagree
- 4 = Strongly disagree

**15c. F\_STUDENT\_SUCCESS**

**Believes that you will be a success.**

- 1 = Strongly agree
- 2 = Agree
- 3 = Disagree
- 4 = Strongly disagree

**16. F\_CRIME\_NEIGHBORHOOD**

**Thinking about the neighborhood where YOU LIVE, would you strongly agree, agree, disagree, or strongly disagree with the following...?**

**There is a lot of crime in the neighborhood where YOU LIVE.**

*A 'neighborhood' is blocks of houses, apartments, and places you spend time at near your home.*

- 1 = Strongly agree
- 2 = Agree
- 3 = Disagree
- 4 = Strongly disagree

**17. F\_CRIME\_NEIGHBORHOOD\_SCHOOL**

**Thinking about the neighborhood where YOUR SCHOOL is located, would you strongly agree, agree, disagree, or strongly disagree with the following...?**

**There is a lot of crime in the neighborhood where YOU go to SCHOOL.**

- 1 = Strongly agree
- 2 = Agree
- 3 = Disagree
- 4 = Strongly disagree

**18. F\_SAFE\_IN\_SCHOOL**

Thinking about your school, would you strongly agree, agree, disagree, or strongly disagree with the following...?

You feel safe in your school.

- 1 = Strongly agree
- 2 = Agree
- 3 = Disagree
- 4 = Strongly disagree

**CHECK ITEM E:** If student did not attend school in person this school year (E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_INPERSON = "No," "Don't know," or "Refuse") and E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_VIRTUAL = "Yes" **GO TO SCS\_INTRO\_4\_VIRTUAL**

If student did attend school in person this school year E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_INPERSON = "Yes" **SKIP to SCS\_INTRO\_4\_INPERSON**

**SCS\_INTRO\_4\_VIRTUAL**

Now I have some questions about things that happen during school, which includes virtual classes and other school sponsored activities. [IF E\_DIFFSCHOOL\_ATTENDED = 2 or 3 AND E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_HOMESCHOOL = "No": For the remainder of this survey, think about [both/all schools] you attended this school year.] Your answers will not be shared with anyone at your school or home.

The following questions are only about this school year.

**20a. F\_KNOW\_DRUGS\_OR\_ALCOHOL\_VIRTUAL**

During this school year, did you see another student who was under the influence of illegal drugs or alcohol while they were attending virtual school?

- 1 = Yes
  - 2 = No
- } **SKIP to G\_BULLY\_MADE\_FUN**

**SCS\_INTRO\_4\_INPERSON**

Now I have some questions about things that happen at school, which includes [IF E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_VIRTUAL = "Yes" FILL: virtual classes,] in the school building, on school property, on a school bus, or going to and from school. [IF E\_DIFFSCHOOL\_ATTENDED = 2 or 3 AND E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_HOMESCHOOL = "No": For the remainder of this survey, think about [both/all schools] you attended this school year.] Your answers will not be shared with anyone at your school or home.

The following questions are only about this school year.

*The following questions pertain only to the student's attendance at a public or private school and not to being homeschooled or attending a homeschool cooperative.*

**19a. F2\_ALCOHOL**

**Is it possible for students to get any of the following while at school...**

**Alcoholic beverages?**

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

**19b. F2\_MARIJUANA**

**Marijuana, also known as pot or weed?**

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

**19c. F2\_OPIOIDS**

**Heroin or prescription painkillers illegally obtained without a prescription, such as Codeine, Percocet, or fentanyl? These are also known as opioids.**

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

**19d. F2\_PRESCRIPTION\_DRUGS**

**Other prescription drugs illegally obtained without a prescription, such as Xanax, Ritalin, or Adderall?**

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

**19e. F2\_OTHER\_ILLEGAL**

**Other illegal drugs, such as cocaine, uppers, or crystal meth?**

*Do not include tobacco or tobacco products.*

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

**20b. F\_KNOW\_DRUGS\_OR\_ALCOHOL**

**During this school year, did you see another student who was under the influence of illegal drugs or alcohol while they were at school [IF E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_VIRTUAL = "Yes" FILL: or during virtual classes]?**

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No



## FIGHTING, BULLYING AND HATE BEHAVIORS

### 21a. G\_FIGHT\_AT\_SCHOOL

During this school year, have you been in one or more physical fights at school?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No – *SKIP* to G\_BULLY\_MADE\_FUN

### 21b. G\_FIGHT\_HOW\_OFTEN

During this school year, how many times have you been in a physical fight at school?

*Number of times:*

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### 22a. G\_BULLY\_MADE\_FUN

Now I have some questions about what students do during school that make you feel bad or are hurtful to you. These could occur in person or using technologies, such as a phone, the Internet, or social media. We often refer to this as being bullied. During this school year, has any student bullied you?

That is, has another student...

Made fun of you, called you names, or insulted you, in a hurtful way?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

### 22b. G\_BULLY\_RUMOR

Spread rumors about you or tried to make others dislike you?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

### 22c. G\_SHARED

Purposely shared your private information, photos, or videos in a hurtful way?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

### 22d. G\_BULLY\_THREAT

Threatened you with harm?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

### 22e. G\_BULLY\_CONTACT

Pushed you, shoved you, tripped you, or spit on you?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

**22f. G\_BULLY\_COERCED**

Tried to make you do things you did not want to do, for example, give them money or other things?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

**22g. G\_EXCLUDED**

Excluded you from activities, social media, or other communications to hurt you?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

**22h. G\_BULLY\_DESTROYED\_PROP**

Destroyed your property on purpose?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

**CHECK ITEM F:** If all items in 22a-22h (**G\_BULLY\_MADE\_FUN**—**G\_BULLY\_DESTROYED\_PROP**) are marked “No” **SKIP** to **G\_HATE**.

**23a. G\_BULLY\_DAY\_PLUS**

During this school year, how many days were you bullied?

*Read answer categories*

- 1 = One day
  - 2 = Two days
  - 3 = Three to ten days
  - 4 = More than ten days
- } **SKIP** to **G\_BULLY\_HAPPEN\_AGAIN**

**23b. G\_BULLY\_TIMES**

In that one day, how many times would you say other students did those things that made you feel bad or were hurtful to you?

*Read answer categories 1—2*

- 1 = Once
- 2 = Two or more times
- 3 = Too many times to count
- 4 = Don't know

**24. G\_BULLY\_HAPPEN\_AGAIN**

Did you think the bullying would happen again?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

**25. G\_BULLY\_MULTI\_PERS**

Thinking about the [time/times] you were bullied this school year, did more than one person do [this/these things] to you?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No – *SKIP* to G\_BULLY\_STRONGER

**26. G\_BULLY\_HOW\_ACT**

Did these people act alone, together as a team, or both?

- 1 = Alone
- 2 = Together
- 3 = Both
- 4 = Don't know

**27a. G\_BULLY\_STRONGER**

Now I have some additional questions about the time [another student/other students] {behavior1}, {behavior2}, and {behaviorx...}. Thinking about the [person/people] who did [this/these things] to you this school year,

[Was this person/Were any of these people/Was anyone in the group] physically bigger or stronger than you?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

**27b. G\_BULLY\_POPULAR**

[Was this person/Were any of these people/Was anyone in the group] more popular than you?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

**27c. G\_BULLY\_MONEY**

[Did this person/Did any of these people/Did anyone in the group] have more money than you?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

**27d. G\_BULLY\_INFLUENCE**

[Did this person/Did any of these people/Did anyone in the group] have the ability to influence what other students think of you?

- 1 = Yes  
 2 = No

**27e. G\_BULLY\_OTHER\_POWER**

[Did this person/Did any of these people/Did anyone in the group] have more power than you in another way?

- 1 = Yes  
 2 = No – **SKIP** to CHECK ITEM G

**27f. G\_OTHER\_POWER\_SPECIFY**

In what other way [did that student/did any of those students] have more power than you?

*Specify:*

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**CHECK ITEM G:** Did more than one student do those things? (G\_BULLY\_MULTI\_PERS)

--Yes (R answered "Yes" to G\_BULLY\_MULTI\_PERS, **SKIP** to G\_BULLY\_WHERE1)

--No (R answered "No," "Don't know," or "Refuse" to G\_BULLY\_MULTI\_PERS, **ASK** G\_RELAT\_SIBLING — G\_RELAT\_OTH\_STUDENT)

**28a. G\_RELAT\_SIBLING**

What was your relationship to the student when they bullied you? Were they...

Your brother or sister?

- 1 = Yes  
 2 = No

**28b. G\_RELAT\_DATING**

Your boyfriend or girlfriend at the time?

- 1 = Yes  
 2 = No

**28c. G\_RELAT\_EX\_DATING**

Your ex-boyfriend or ex-girlfriend at the time?

- 1 = Yes  
 2 = No

**28d. G\_RELAT\_OTH\_STUDENT**

Another student from school?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

**29. G\_BULLY\_WHERE1 through G\_BULLY\_WHERE9**

Still thinking about the [time/times] that you were bullied, where did the bullying occur? Did it occur...

*Read answer categories, mark all that apply*

- 1 = In a classroom at school?
- 2 = In a hallway or stairwell at school?
- 3 = In a bathroom or locker room at school?
- 4 = In a gymnasium or weight room at school?
- 5 = In a cafeteria or lunchroom at school?
- 6 = Outside on school grounds?
- 7 = On the way to or from school such as on a school bus or at a bus stop?
- 8 = Online or by text?
- 9 = Somewhere else? – *Specify*

**G\_BULLY\_WHERE\_SPECIFY**

Where is the other place where bullying occurred?

*Specify:*

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**30. G\_BULLY\_ADULT\_TOLD**

Did you tell a teacher or some other adult at school about being bullied?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

**31a. G\_SCHOOL\_WORK**

This school year, how much has bullying had a NEGATIVE effect on:

Your school work?

*Read answer categories*

- 1 = Not at all
- 2 = Not very much
- 3 = Somewhat
- 4 = A lot

**31b. G\_RELATION\_FRIEND\_FAMILY**

Your relationships with friends or family?

*Read answer categories*

- 1 = Not at all
- 2 = Not very much
- 3 = Somewhat
- 4 = A lot

**31c. G\_ABOUT\_YOURSELF**

How you feel about yourself?

*Read answer categories*

- 1 = Not at all
- 2 = Not very much
- 3 = Somewhat
- 4 = A lot

**31d. G\_PHYSICAL\_HEALTH**

Your physical health for example, caused injuries, gave you headaches or stomachaches?

*Read answer categories*

- 1 = Not at all
- 2 = Not very much
- 3 = Somewhat
- 4 = A lot

**32a. G\_BULLY\_RACE**

When you were bullied in school this year, did you ever think it was related to:

Your race?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

**32b. G\_BULLY\_RELIGION**

Your religion?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

**32c. G\_BULLY\_ETHNIC\_ORIGIN**

Your ethnic background or national origin – for example, people of Hispanic origin?

- 1 = Yes  
 2 = No

**32d. G\_BULLYING\_DISABILITY**

Any condition you may have – such as a physical, mental, or developmental condition?

- 1 = Yes  
 2 = No

**32e. G\_BULLYING\_GENDER**

Your gender?

- 1 = Yes  
 2 = No

**32f. G\_BULLYING\_ORIENTATION**

Your sexual orientation – by this we mean gay, lesbian, bisexual, or straight?

- 1 = Yes  
 2 = No

**32g. G\_BULLYING\_APPEARANCE**

Your physical appearance?

- 1 = Yes  
 2 = No

**33. G\_HATE**

During this school year, has anyone called you an insulting or bad name at school having to do with your race, religion, ethnic background or national origin, disability, gender, or sexual orientation? We call these hate-related words.

- 1 = Yes  
 2 = No – **SKIP** to **CHECK ITEM H**

**CHECK ITEM H:** If a student answered **G\_HATE** = “No,” “Don’t know,” or “Refuse,” and **E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_INPERSON** = “Yes” **SKIP** to **G\_HATE\_WORDS**

If a student answered **G\_HATE** = “No,” “Don’t know,” or “Refuse,” and **E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_INPERSON** = “No,” “Don’t know,” or “Refuse,” **SKIP** to **G\_HATE\_WORDS\_VIRTUAL**

**34a. G\_HATE\_RACE**

Were any of the hate-related words related to...

Your race?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No
- 3 = Don't know

**34b. G\_HATE\_RELGION**

Your religion?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No
- 3 = Don't know

**34c. G\_HATE\_ETHNICITY**

Your ethnic background or national origin – for example, people of Hispanic origin?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No
- 3 = Don't know

**34d. G\_HATE\_DISABILITY**

Any disability you may have – such as physical, mental, or developmental disabilities?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No
- 3 = Don't know

**34e. G\_HATE\_GENDER**

Your gender?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No
- 3 = Don't know

**34f. G\_HATE\_SEXUAL\_ORIENTATION**

Your sexual orientation – by this we mean gay, lesbian, bisexual or straight?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No
- 3 = Don't know



**35a. G\_HATE\_WORDS**

[IF E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_INPERSON = "Yes"]

During this school year, have you seen any hate-related words or symbols written in school classrooms, school bathrooms, school hallways, or on the outside of your school building?

- 1 = Yes  
 2 = No

**35b. G\_HATE\_WORDS\_VIRTUAL**

[IF E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_VIRTUAL = "Yes"]

During this school year, have you seen any hate-related words, pictures, videos, or symbols posted on school sponsored websites or applications? This could include any website or application the school uses on a regular basis such as Google Classroom, Schoology, or Zoom.

- 1 = Yes  
 2 = No

**AVOIDANCE****36a. H\_AVOID\_VIRTUAL**

[IF E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_VIRTUAL = "Yes"]

During this school year, did you ever skip any virtual classes because you were afraid other students would do things that make you feel bad or are hurtful to you?

- 1 = Yes  
 2 = No

**CHECK ITEM I:** If student did not attend school in person this school year (E\_ATTENDSCHOOL\_INPERSON = "No," "Don't know," or "Refuse") **SKIP** to L\_GRADES

**36b. H\_AVOID\_SHORTCUT**

During this school year, did you ever STAY AWAY from any of the following places because you thought someone might attack or harm you there?

For example, did you ever stay away from...

The shortest route to school because you thought someone might attack or harm you?

- 1 = Yes  
 2 = No

**36c. H\_AVOID\_ENTRANCE**

The entrance into the school?

- 1 = Yes  
 2 = No

**36d. H\_AVOID\_HALLWAYS**

Any hallways or stairs in school?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

**36e. H\_AVOID\_CAFETERIA**

Parts of the school cafeteria or lunchroom?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

**36f. H\_AVOID\_RESTROOMS**

Any school restrooms?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

**36g. H\_AVOID\_OTHER\_PLACES**

Other places inside the school building?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

**36h. H\_AVOID\_PARKING\_LOT**

School parking lot?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

**36i. H\_AVOID\_OTHER\_SCHOOL**

Other places on school grounds?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

**36j. H\_AVOID\_BUS\_STOP**

School bus or bus stop?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

**37a. H\_AVOID\_ACTIVITIES**

Did you AVOID any activities at your school because you thought someone might attack or harm you?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

**37b. H\_AVOID\_CLASSES**

Did you AVOID any classes because you thought someone might attack or harm you?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

**37c. H\_STAY\_HOME**

Did you stay home from school because you thought someone might attack or harm you in the school building, on school property, on a school bus, or going to or from school?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

**FEAR**

**I\_INTRO\_FEAR**

Sometimes, even if you can't avoid a place, you may still be afraid of what might happen there.

**38a. I\_AFRAID**

How often are you afraid that someone will attack or harm you in the school building or on school property?

*Read answer categories*

- 1 = Never
- 2 = Almost never
- 3 = Sometimes
- 4 = Most of the time

**38b. I\_AFRAID\_ON\_BUS**

How often are you afraid that someone will attack or harm you on a school bus or on the way to and from school?

*Read answer categories*

- 1 = Never
- 2 = Almost never
- 3 = Sometimes
- 4 = Most of the time

**38c. I\_AFRAID\_NONSCHOOL**

Besides the times you are in the school building, on school property, on a school bus, or going to or from school, how often are you afraid that someone will attack or harm you?

*Read answer categories*

- 1 = Never
- 2 = Almost never
- 3 = Sometimes
- 4 = Most of the time

**WEAPONS****J\_INTRO\_WEAPON**

In the next series of questions, we are going to ask you about weapons at your school. Your answers will not be shared with anyone at your school or home.

**39a. J\_WEAPONS\_GUN**

Some people bring guns, knives, or objects that can be used as weapons to school for protection. During this school year, did you ever bring the following to school or onto school grounds?

**A gun?**

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

**39b. J\_WEAPONS\_KNIFE**

**A knife brought as a weapon?**

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

**39c. J\_WEAPONS\_OTHER**

**Some other weapon?**

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

**40a. J\_GUN\_OTHERS**

**Do you know of any [other] students who have brought a gun to your school during this school year?**

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No – **SKIP** to **J\_GET\_GUN**

**40b. J\_SEE\_GUN**

Have you actually seen another student with a gun at school during this school year?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No
- 3 = Don't know

**41. J\_GET\_GUN**

During this school year, could you have gotten a loaded gun without adult permission, either at school or away from school?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No

**GANGS****K2\_INTRO\_GANG**

Now, we'd like to know about gangs at your school. You may know these as street gangs, fighting gangs, or something else. Gangs may use common names, signs, symbols, or colors. Your answers will not be shared with anyone at your school or home.

**42a. K\_GANGS**

Are there any gangs at your school?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No – *SKIP* to **L\_GRADES**
- 3 = Don't know – *SKIP* to **L\_GRADES**

**42b. K\_GANG\_FIGHTS**

During this school year, how often have gangs been involved in fights, attacks, or other violence at your school?

*Read answer categories 1 through 5*

- 1 = Never
- 2 = Once or twice this school year
- 3 = Once or twice a month
- 4 = Once or twice a week
- 5 = Almost every day

**42c. K\_GANG\_DRUGS**

Have gangs been involved in the sale of drugs at your school during this school year?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No
- 3 = Don't know

## STUDENT CHARACTERISTICS

### 43. L\_GRADES

During this school year, across all subjects have you gotten mostly –

*Read answer categories 1 through 5. If student says the school uses pass/fail grading, ask which they've mostly gotten.*

- 1 = A's
- 2 = B's
- 3 = C's
- 4 = D's
- 5 = F's
- 6 = Mostly passes
- 7 = Mostly fails
- 8 = School does not give grades/no alphabetic grade equivalent

### 44a. L\_SKIP\_CLASSES

During the last 4 weeks of school, did you skip any classes? Again, we would like to remind you that none of your responses will be shared with anyone at your school or home.

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No – **SKIP** to L\_SCHOOL\_AFTER\_SCHOOL
- 3 = Don't know – **SKIP** to L\_SCHOOL\_AFTER\_SCHOOL

### 44b. L\_SKIP\_CLASS\_DAYS

During the last 4 weeks of school, on how many days did you skip at least one class?

*Number of days:*

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### 45a. L\_SCHOOL\_AFTER\_SCHOOL

Thinking about the future, do you think you will...

**Attend school after high school, such as a college or technical school?**

*This could include:*

*-Automotive Mechanic Training*

*-Beauty School*

*-Computer Technical Programs (less than a two-year associate degree)*

*-Certificate Programs*

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No – **SKIP** to INTVIEWTYPE
- 3 = Don't know

**45b. L\_GRADUATE\_4YR**

**Graduate from a 4-year college?**

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No
- 3 = Don't know

**END OF SCS INTERVIEW**

**46. INTVIEWTYPE**

*Were the supplement questions asked in private, or was an adult member of the household or family present during at least part of the questions?*

*If not sure or if a telephone interview, ask—*

**Was an adult member of the household or family present during at least part of these questions?**

- 1 = Personal interview – no adult present
- 2 = Personal interview – adult present
- 3 = Telephone interview – no adult present
- 4 = Telephone interview – adult present
- 5 = Telephone interview – don't know