

**Washington County Schools
Safe and Drug-Free Schools (SDFS)
Program**

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Key 1

NYA not yet available
LEP limited English proficient

District Data

3,363 public school students
0% LEP students
95% stability rate
49% on free/reduced lunch
78% White, 19% Black, 3% Other
6 schools in district (Prek-12th)

Project Goals

ATOD Prevention

By June 30, 2005, to decrease by 25% the percentage of students in grades 6-12 who report current use of cigarettes (past 30 days), as measured by the Florida Youth Substance Abuse Survey (FYSAS). According to the 1999-2000 FYSAS, 22.4% of students in grades 6-12 reported they had smoked within the last 30 days.

By June 30, 2005, to decrease by 25% the percentage of students in grades 6-12 who report current use of alcohol (past 30 days), as measured by the FYSAS. According to the 2000-2001 FYSAS, 26.8% of students in grades 6-12 reported using alcohol.

Violence Prevention

By June 30, 2005, to decrease by 25% the number per 1,000 students of incidents of threat and intimidation by students in grades K-12, as reported in the 2004-2005 School Environmental Safety Incidents Report (SESIR). According to the 2002-2003 SESIR, there were 2.1 incidents of threat and intimidation per 1,000 students in grades K-12.

By June 30, 2005, to decrease by 25% the number per 1,000 students of incidents of fighting by students in grades K-12, as reported in the 2004-2005 School Environmental Safety Incidents Report (SESIR). According to the 2002-2003 SESIR, there were 8.8 incidents of fighting per 1,000 students in grades K-12.

Key 2

√ Proven Program
◆ Promising Program
AP ATOD Prevention
VP Violence Prevention
PI Parent Involvement

SDFS Programs

- Character First, ◆, **Character Development**
- Project Alert, √, **AP**
- Life Skills Training, √, **AP**
- Drug Abuse Resistance Education (DARE), ◆, **AP**

SDFS Collaborations

- Washington County Health Department-Life Skills Training, **AP, PI**
- Department of Juvenile Justice-Teen Court, **VP, PI**
- Washington County Health Department-Washington County Tobacco Free Partnership, **AP, PI**

Safe and Drug Free Schools 2003-2004 District Profiles

- Washington County School District-
Washington County Parent Involvement
Plan, **PI**

Program Staff and Partners

- SDFS Program Coordinator
- Evaluator DARE

Evaluation Overview

- Program being evaluated: Drug Abuse
Resistance Education (D.A.R.E.)
- Grade Level: 5th
- Evaluator: SDFS Coordinator