

**Orange 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**

172,357 public school students  
17% LEP students  
49% on free/reduced lunch  
38% White, 28% Black,  
28% Hispanic, 6% Other  
175 schools in district (Prek-12th)

**Project Goals**

***ATOD Prevention***

By June 30, 2005, to decrease by 20% the percentage of students in grades 6-8 who report use of alcohol (experimental and frequent use), as measured by the 2004-2005 SAFE Substance Survey (SSS). The baseline statistic from the 2000-2001 SSS was 19.4%.

By June 30, 2005, to decrease by 20% the percentage of students in grades 6-8 who report use of cigarettes (experimental or frequent use), as measured by the 2004-2005 SSS. The baseline statistic from the 2000-2001 SSS was 14.8%.

By June 30, 2005, to decrease by 20% the percentage of students in grades 6-12 who report use of marijuana (experimental or frequent use), as measured by the 2004-2005

SSS. The baseline statistic from the 2000-2001 SSS was 14.8%.

***Violence Prevention***

By June 30, 2005, to decrease by 20% the percentage of Level III and IV discipline referrals (for threats, intimidation, and fighting) for students in grades 6-8 at five targeted middle schools, as measured by 2004-2005 district-level school discipline reports. The baseline statistic from the 1999-2000 district-level school discipline report for the five targeted middle schools was 28%.

By June 30, 2005, to decrease by 20% the number of fighting and harassment incidents per 1,000 students in grades K-5 at 10 targeted elementary schools, as measured by 2004-2005 Florida School Indicators Report (FSIR). The baseline statistic from the 1999-2000 FSIR for the 10 targeted elementary schools was 44.5 fighting and harassment incidents per 1,000 students.

By June 30, 2005, to increase by 15% the number of referrals for fighting to peer mediation in grades 9-12 at the targeted high schools as measured by the SAFE Program Peer Mediation quarterly statistical reports. According to the SAFE Program Peer Mediation Quarterly Statistical Reports, there were 31 referrals for fighting to peer mediation at the three targeted schools in 2001-2002.

**Key 2**

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

**SDFS Programs**

- Student Assistance Program, ◆, AP, VP
- Partners in Change for SAFE and Drug-free Schools, ◆, AP, VP

## Safe and Drug Free Schools 2004-2005 District Profiles

- Peace by Piece, ♦, **VP**
- Peace by Peers (peer mediation), ♦, **VP**
- Bullying Prevention Program, √, **VP**

### **SDFS Collaborations**

- Center for Drug Free Living-New Horizons Program, **AP, PI**
- Orange County Coalition for a Drug Free Community-Knight Vision Program, **AP**
- Orange County Sheriff's Office and Orlando Police Department-Gang Resistance Education Awareness Training (GREAT) Program; School Resource Officer Program, **AP, VP**
- Orlando Police Department - School Resource Officer Program, **AP, VP**