

Columbia County: 2008 at a Glance
Data from the 2008 Florida Youth Tobacco Survey (FYTS)

Indicator	Middle School				High School			
	Columbia County %	95 % CI	State %	95 % CI	Columbia County %	95 % CI	State %	95 % CI
Smoked cigarettes on one or more of the past 30 days	9.2	(5.8 - 12.5)	5.0	(4.6 – 5.3)	19.5	(14.8 - 24.1)	14.5	(13.9 – 15.0)
Smoked cigars on one or more of the past 30 days	8.4	(5.4 - 11.3)	5.3	(4.9 – 5.6)	13.1	(9.1 - 17.1)	13.5	(13.0 - 14.0)
Used smokeless tobacco one or more of the past 30 days	7.8	(4.4 - 11.2)	3.0	(2.7 – 3.2)	13.0	(9.1 - 16.9)	6.0	(5.6 – 6.3)
Used any form of tobacco on one or more of the past 30 days	17.5	(12.5 - 22.5)	9.0	(8.5 – 9.5)	30.6	(25.6 - 35.6)	22.4	(21.7 - 23.1)
Have never smoked a cigarette and will definitely not smoke a cigarette in the future or if a friend offered one	62.3	(56.6 - 67.9)	68.9	(68.1 – 69.8)	49.4	(43.2 - 55.7)	54.6	(53.7 – 55.5)
Exposed to second hand smoke during the past 7 days	55.9	(50.3 - 61.5)	50.3	(49.4 – 51.1)	59.4	(53.7 - 65.2)	58.8	(58.0 – 59.6)
Smoking is allowed in the home	22.1	(17.6 - 26.6)	13.3	(12.7 – 13.8)	19.0	(14.8 - 23.2)	13.1	(12.6 – 13.6)
Received Comprehensive tobacco use prevention education (TUPE)	24.5	(19.7 - 29.4)	16.1	(15.4 – 16.8)	12.8	(9.0 - 16.5)	8.6	(8.1 - 9.1)
Received any tobacco use prevention education (TUPE)	87.0	(83.3 - 90.8)	72.8	(71.9 – 73.7)	52.8	(47.2 - 58.5)	50.4	(49.4 – 51.4)
Participated in a community event	27.1	(22.6 - 31.6)	25.5	(24.8 – 26.3)	16.1	(12.2 - 20.0)	14.7	(14.1 – 15.2)
Served as an active member of SWAT	5.3	(2.6 - 8.0)	3.1	(2.8 – 3.4)	3.5	(1.7 - 5.2)	2.5	(2.2 – 2.7)
Definitely did not think that smokers have more friends	33.5	(28.0 - 39.1)	36.3	(35.5 – 37.2)	34.9	(29.5 - 40.4)	34.4	(33.7 – 35.1)
Definitely did not think that smoking helps young people “look cool” or “fit in”	71.9	(68.4 - 75.4)	75.4	(74.6 – 76.1)	72.6	(67.8 - 77.3)	73.2	(72.4 - 73.9)