

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

Indicator	Middle School				High School			
	Escambia County %	95 % CI	State %	95 % CI	Escambia County %	95 % CI	State %	95 % CI
Smoked cigarettes on one or more of the past 30 days	9.6	(7.0 - 12.1)	5.0	(4.6 – 5.3)	15.0	(11.9 - 18.2)	14.5	(13.9 – 15.0)
Smoked cigars on one or more of the past 30 days	8.8	(6.2 - 11.3)	5.3	(4.9 – 5.6)	12.6	(9.8 - 15.5)	13.5	(13.0 - 14.0)
Used smokeless tobacco one or more of the past 30 days	5.6	(3.7 - 7.5)	3.0	(2.7 – 3.2)	6.0	(3.9 - 8.1)	6.0	(5.6 – 6.3)
Used any form of tobacco on one or more of the past 30 days	16.5	(13.4 - 19.7)	9.0	(8.5 – 9.5)	22.3	(18.4 - 26.2)	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	60.9	(56.8 - 65.1)	68.9	(68.1 – 69.8)	53.6	(49.1 - 58.1)	54.6	(53.7 – 55.5)
Exposed to second hand smoke during the past 7 days	62.6	(58.4 - 66.8)	50.3	(49.4 – 51.1)	58.4	(54.5 - 62.2)	58.8	(58.0 – 59.6)
Smoking is allowed in the home	23.3	(19.9 - 26.8)	13.3	(12.7 – 13.8)	16.8	(14.1 - 19.6)	13.1	(12.6 – 13.6)
Received Comprehensive tobacco use prevention education (TUPE)	17.5	(13.4 - 21.6)	16.1	(15.4 – 16.8)	5.2	(3.6 - 6.7)	8.6	(8.1 - 9.1)
Received any tobacco use prevention education (TUPE)	73.3	(68.2 - 78.4)	72.8	(71.9 – 73.7)	39.9	(35.7 - 44.1)	50.4	(49.4 – 51.4)
Participated in a community event	22.5	(19.3 - 25.8)	25.5	(24.8 – 26.3)	15.7	(13.1 - 18.3)	14.7	(14.1 – 15.2)
Served as an active member of SWAT	2.5	(1.1 - 3.9)	3.1	(2.8 – 3.4)	2.3	(1.3 - 3.2)	2.5	(2.2 – 2.7)
Definitely did not think that smokers have more friends	31.4	(27.2 - 35.5)	36.3	(35.5 – 37.2)	36.3	(32.7 - 39.9)	34.4	(33.7 – 35.1)
Definitely did not think that smoking helps young people “look cool” or “fit in”	71.7	(67.9 - 75.5)	75.4	(74.6 – 76.1)	75.8	(73.1 - 78.6)	73.2	(72.4 - 73.9)