

**Preliminary Data  
Detailed Summary Tables—Eastern (Coastal)  
North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey—2003  
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	Any tobacco	Cigarettes	Cigars	Smokeless tobacco	Kreteks	Bidis
Gender						
Female	35.2 (±6.6)†	29.8 (±6.5)	11.5 (±3.7)	8.2 (±2.6)	2.2 (±1.3)	3.6 (±1.9)
Male	40.8 (±5.9)	31.2 (±5.3)	19.8 (±4.5)	13.5 (±2.9)	5.0 (±2.0)	6.2 (±2.9)
Grade						
Sixth	23.5 (±3.8)	14.4 (±3.1)	7.7 (±2.6)	10.0 (±3.1)	1.7 (±1.4)	2.9 (±2.1)
Seventh	43.7 (±7.0)	36.4 (±6.0)	17.7 (±5.2)	10.5 (±2.4)	3.9 (±2.5)	5.1 (±2.2)
Eighth	48.0 (±7.7)	41.0 (±8.1)	22.3 (±6.0)	12.4 (±3.9)	5.2 (±3.1)	7.0 (±3.4)
Race/ethnicity						
White	33.8 (±6.5)	26.7 (±5.8)	13.5 (±4.7)	11.1 (±2.8)	3.5 (±2.3)	3.5 (±1.9)
Black	41.5 (±7.5)	35.3 (±8.0)	16.5 (±4.2)	10.3 (±3.2)	3.2 (±1.3)	6.3 (±2.9)
Hispanic	50.0 (±19.4)	28.4 (±14.7)	31.9 (±19.4)	11.0 (±9.1)	5.5 (±7.6)	9.0 (±8.5)
Other	54.0 (±11.8)	48.8 (±13.1)	30.1 (±16.0)	17.4 (±14.5)	14.6 (±12.0)	12.6 (±10.4)
<b>Total</b>	<b>38.0 (±5.4)</b>	<b>30.4 (±5.1)</b>	<b>15.7 (±3.6)</b>	<b>10.9 (±2.1)</b>	<b>3.6 (±1.4)</b>	<b>5.0 (±1.7)</b>

\*Ever use of cigarettes was determined by asking, "Have you ever tried cigarette smoking, even one or two puffs?" Ever use of cigars was determined by asking, "Have you ever tried smoking cigars, cigarillos, or little cigars, even one or two puffs?" Ever use of smokeless tobacco was determined by asking, "Have you ever used chewing tobacco, snuff, or dip, such as Redman, Levi Garrett, Beechnut, Skoal, Skoal Bandits, or Copenhagen? Ever use of bidis and kreteks was determined by asking, "Have you ever tried smoking any of the following: 1) bidis, 2) kreteks?"

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE MS-2. Percentage of middle school students who report current use of any tobacco product (cigarettes, cigars, smokeless tobacco, pipes, or bidis) by gender, grade, and race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2003— Eastern (Coastal)**

	Any tobacco*	Cigarettes	Cigars	Smokeless tobacco	Pipes	Bidis
<b>Gender</b>						
Female	10.6 (±2.8)†	9.0 (±2.7)	3.3 (±1.9)	0.9 (±0.8)	1.1 (±0.8)	1.6 (±1.4)
Male	17.4 (±4.8)	9.1 (±3.2)	7.8 (±3.5)	4.5 (±2.1)	3.1 (±1.9)	5.0 (±2.8)
<b>Grade</b>						
Sixth	6.3 (±2.3)	2.7 (±1.5)	2.0 (±1.1)	1.7 (±1.5)	1.4 (±1.2)	1.8 (±1.4)
Seventh	16.2 (±5.2)	10.0 (±3.2)	7.6 (±2.9)	3.6 (±2.3)	1.4 (±1.3)	4.3 (±3.3)
Eighth	20.4 (±6.5)	15.0 (±4.8)	7.5 (±5.9)	3.1 (±2.1)	3.7 (±2.4)	3.9 (±3.3)
<b>Race/ethnicity</b>						
White	13.7 (±4.3)	8.9(±3.2)	5.4 (±3.0)	3.4 (±1.7)	2.3 (±1.0)	3.0 (±2.2)
Black	14.5 (±4.1)	9.6(±2.2)	5.3 (±3.0)	1.7 (±1.6)	2.0 (±1.7)	3.6 (±2.1)
Hispanic	14.0 (±14.6)	5.6(±5.4)	10.9 (±14.5)	1.7 (±3.2)	1.7 (±3.2)	3.6 (±7.0)
Other	22.5 (±11.0)	11.4(±10.2)	8.1 (±8.1)	13.3 (±13.3)	3.7 (±4.9)	5.7 (±7.1)
<b>Total</b>	<b>14.1 (±3.5)</b>	<b>9.0 (±2.1)</b>	<b>5.6 (±2.5)</b>	<b>2.8 (±1.2)</b>	<b>2.1 (±1.1)</b>	<b>3.3 (±1.8)</b>

\*Current use of cigarettes or cigars or smokeless tobacco or pipes or bidis or kreteks on 1 of the 30 days preceding the survey.

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE MS-3. Percentage of middle school students who report first using\* cigarettes before 11 years of age and ever smoking 100 cigarettes in their lifetime, by gender, grade, race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2003— Eastern (Coastal).**

	Ever smokers who smoked first whole cigarette before age 11	Ever smokers who smoked 100+ cigarettes in their lifetime
Gender		
Female	22.1 (±8.4)†	7.5 (±6.0)
Male	20.3 (±8.3)	9.0 (±4.9)
Grade		
Sixth	34.2 (±16.9)	6.5 (±6.0)
Seventh	22.0 (±10.2)	6.0 (±7.0)
Eighth	15.6 (±9.6)	11.0 (±6.8)
Race/ethnicity		
White	27.0 (±8.8)	15.1 (±6.8)
Black	14.9 (±6.3)	0.7 (±1.4)
Hispanic	24.6 (±23.8)	14.1 (±13.7)
Other	18.8 (±16.9)	10.7 (±17.6)
<b>Total</b>	<b>21.2 (±5.9)</b>	<b>8.2 (±4.7)</b>

\*Age of initiation was determined by asking students these questions: "How old were you when you smoked a whole cigarette for the first time?"

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE MS-4. Percentage of middle school students who report smoking cigarettes on school property during the 30 days preceding the survey, by gender, grade, race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2003— Eastern (Coastal).**

	Smoked on school property past 30 days
Gender	
Female	2.7 (±1.5)†
Male	2.9 (±1.9)
Grade	
Sixth	1.3 (±1.0)
Seventh	3.8 (±1.6)
Eighth	3.4 (±2.6)
Race/ethnicity	
White	2.7 (±1.8)
Black	2.7 (±2.1)
Hispanic	5.5 (±5.5)
Other	2.5 (±5.0)
<b>Total</b>	<b>2.8 (±1.3)</b>

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE MS-5. Percentage of middle school students who report frequently using\* cigarettes, by gender, grade, race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2003— Eastern (Coastal)**

	<b>Frequent cigarette smoking</b>
Gender	
Female	1.7 ( $\pm 1.4$ )†
Male	2.0 ( $\pm 1.5$ )
Grade	
Sixth	0.9 ( $\pm 1.0$ )
Seventh	1.8 ( $\pm 2.1$ )
Eighth	3.0 ( $\pm 2.1$ )
Race/ethnicity	
White	2.4 ( $\pm 1.6$ )
Black	1.0 ( $\pm 0.9$ )
Hispanic	3.7 ( $\pm 4.5$ )
Other	1.3 ( $\pm 2.6$ )
<b>Total</b>	<b>1.9 (<math>\pm 1.1</math>)</b>

\* Smoked cigarettes, on 20 of the 30 days preceding the survey

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE MS-6. Percentage of middle school current smoking students who report their primary sources of cigarettes, by social source, direct purchase, and other sources: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2003— Eastern (Coastal).**

	<b>Current Smoker</b>
Social Sources:	
Gave someone else money to buy them for me	19.1 ( $\pm 7.6$ )†
Borrowed (or bummed) them from someone else	22.5 ( $\pm 10.1$ )
Person 18 years or older gave them to me	11.5 ( $\pm 4.5$ )
Direct Purchase:	
Bought them in a store such as a convenience store, supermarket, discount store, or gas station	4.2 ( $\pm 4.6$ )
Bought them from a vending machine	2.8 ( $\pm 5.4$ )
Other Sources:	
Took them from store or family member	15.4 ( $\pm 6.6$ )
Got them some other way	24.6 ( $\pm 13.1$ )
<b>Total</b>	<b>100</b>

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE MS-7. Percentage of middle school students who report smoking intentions, perceptions about smoking and susceptibility\* to start smoking, by gender, grade, and race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2003—Eastern (Coastal).**

	Never smoked who will not try a cigarette soon	Never smoked who will not be smoking cigarettes during the next year	Never smoked who definitely will not smoke if one of their best friends offers them a cigarette	Have been told by at least one parent (or guardian) about the dangers of tobacco use	Think people can get addicted to using tobacco just like getting addicted to cocaine or heroin	Think young people who smoke cigarettes have more friends	Think smoking cigarettes makes young people look cool or fit in	Never smokers susceptible to start smoking
Gender								
Female	95.8 (±1.8)†	86.2 (±3.9)	88.9 (±3.9)	75.9 (±3.4)	91.0 (±3.4)	22.8 (±5.7)	13.2 (±4.0)	20.1 (±5.5)
Male	94.3 (±2.5)	84.5 (±5.5)	81.3 (±6.0)	67.7 (±5.3)	85.0 (±3.8)	23.6 (±4.6)	13.5 (±3.8)	24.2 (±5.8)
Grade								
Sixth	96.0 (±2.1)	90.6 (±4.4)	89.0 (±4.8)	75.5 (±5.9)	84.1 (±3.0)	19.0 (±4.0)	10.8 (±5.4)	17.3 (±8.0)
Seventh	94.2 (±3.5)	82.4 (±7.4)	82.8 (±6.9)	68.9 (±4.3)	89.1 (±4.6)	26.9 (±4.2)	14.9 (±3.0)	24.7 (±8.2)
Eighth	94.5 (±3.1)	81.0 (±5.8)	81.7 (±5.6)	70.7 (±5.8)	90.8 (±3.4)	23.6 (±6.3)	14.5 (±5.2)	26.5 (±5.6)
Race/ethnicity								
White	95.4 (±1.8)	86.6 (±3.5)	87.2 (±3.1)	75.6 (±4.4)	92.7 (±2.6)	18.2 (±5.1)	10.8 (±3.6)	18.7 (±4.4)
Black	94.3 (±3.2)	85.3 (±6.0)	83.8 (±6.3)	66.4 (±6.0)	82.9 (±4.1)	29.3 (±4.5)	15.8 (±5.7)	25.4 (±7.8)
Hispanic	97.5 (±5.0)	69.1 (±24.7)	71.7 (±20.7)	79.5 (±9.8)	76.8 (±11.8)	17.5 (±11.1)	18.6 (±12.1)	36.5 (±25.5)
Other	93.0 (±7.9)	82.6 (±12.9)	90.0 (±11.2)	63.2 (±21.6)	91.5 (±10.7)	30.0 (±10.8)	8.8 (±9.3)	19.5 (±13.4)
<b>Total</b>	<b>95.1 (±1.4)</b>	<b>85.4 (±4.0)</b>	<b>85.1 (±3.7)</b>	<b>71.6 (±2.6)</b>	<b>88.0 (±2.3)</b>	<b>23.1 (±3.8)</b>	<b>13.3 (±3.5)</b>	<b>22.1 (±4.7)</b>

\* Students were considered not susceptible if they answered, "No, will not try a cigarette soon" and "Definitely no, will not smoke in the next year" and "Definitely no, would not smoke if best friend offered." All other students were considered susceptible.

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.



**TABLE MS-8. Percentage of middle school students who report media and advertising influence regarding tobacco and receptivity to tobacco advertising\*, by gender, grade, and race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2003— Eastern (Coastal)**

	Saw or heard anti-smoking commercials during the past 30 days	Watch TV or movies who see actors using tobacco (most or some of the time)	Use Internet and see Internet ads for tobacco products (most or some of the time)	Use Internet, watch TV, or go to movies who see (most or some of the time) ads for tobacco products	Receptive to tobacco advertising
Gender					
Female	87.8 (±2.6)†	84.3 (±4.1)	37.4 (±6.3)	85.4 (±4.3)	6.7 (±1.9)
Male	75.0 (±5.7)	86.5 (±2.8)	39.7 (±6.0)	88.8 (±2.7)	9.8 (±4.0)
Grade					
Sixth	76.9 (±5.8)	82.5 (±3.6)	34.2 (±6.9)	84.4 (±3.7)	4.4 (±1.8)
Seventh	79.6 (±5.2)	84.3 (±4.6)	36.1 (±5.0)	85.9 (±4.6)	9.1 (±3.3)
Eighth	86.9 (±4.0)	89.8 (±2.7)	45.6 (±5.5)	91.4 (±3.2)	11.4 (±4.8)
Race/ethnicity					
White	83.0 (±3.8)	85.3 (±3.5)	40.5 (±3.5)	86.7 (±3.3)	9.5 (±2.9)
Black	79.4 (±5.9)	85.5 (±2.7)	36.4 (±6.2)	87.8 (±3.2)	6.1 (±2.3)
Hispanic	74.3 (±16.7)	83.9 (±6.3)	27.7 (±13.7)	83.8 (±4.7)	12.1 (±7.0)
Other	82.0 (±13.4)	91.5 (±8.4)	57.6 (±15.7)	94.0 (±7.4)	19.9 (±13.9)
<b>Total</b>	<b>81.1 (±3.7)</b>	<b>85.5 (±2.1)</b>	<b>38.6 (±3.9)</b>	<b>87.2 (±1.6)</b>	<b>8.3 (±2.3)</b>

\* The percentage of students who received anything with a tobacco company name or picture on it AND who would (Definitely Yes or Probably Yes) use or wear something with a tobacco company name or picture on it.

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE MS-9. Percentage of middle school students who report exposure to anti-tobacco education in school or community in the past year, by gender, grade, and race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2003— Eastern (Coastal)**

	Were taught about the dangers of tobacco use at school	At school this year practiced ways to say 'No' to tobacco	Participated in any community event to discourage people from using tobacco in past year
Gender			
Female	46.1 (±6.3)†	38.3 (±5.0)	26.9 (±5.8)
Male	45.5 (±6.9)	33.1 (±5.4)	21.4 (±7.4)
Grade			
Sixth	46.7 (±6.6)	43.0 (±8.1)	31.8 (±9.4)
Seventh	44.6 (±6.3)	34.5 (±5.1)	17.1 (±5.1)
Eighth	45.4 (±12.0)	28.4 (±6.1)	22.7 (±5.0)
Race/ethnicity			
White	42.4 (±7.1)	31.0 (±6.0)	23.1 (±7.0)
Black	49.6 (±5.2)	41.7 (±5.3)	26.1 (±6.3)
Hispanic	49.7 (±12.1)	34.5 (±16.2)	17.1 (±14.6)
Other	44.2 (±17.9)	34.5 (±17.8)	12.7 (±13.1)
<b>Total</b>	<b>45.8 (±4.8)</b>	<b>35.5 (±4.0)</b>	<b>24.0 (±4.9)</b>

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE MS-10. Percentage of middle school never smoking students who report they were in the same room or rode in car with someone who was smoking on 1 of the past 7 days, by gender, grade, race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2003— Eastern (Coastal)**

	Were in the same room with someone who was smoking a cigarette on 1+ days during past 7 days	Rode in the same car with someone who was smoking a cigarette on 1+ days during past 7 days
Gender		
Female	54.5 (±7.6)†	42.3 (±6.7)
Male	48.7 (±4.7)	41.1 (±5.3)
Grade		
Sixth	50.4 (±6.1)	41.0 (±5.1)
Seventh	52.4 (±12.9)	43.6 (±11.4)
Eighth	53.8 (±6.0)	41.5 (±9.5)
Race/ethnicity		
White	59.0 (±7.3)	45.9 (±7.8)
Black	43.7 (±6.4)	37.2 (±6.3)
Hispanic	30.2 (±13.5)	27.3 (±15.9)
Other	30.5 (±27.2)	48.7 (±24.2)
<b>Total</b>	<b>51.8 (±5.2)</b>	<b>41.9 (±5.1)</b>

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE MS-11. Percentage of middle school never and current smoking students who report one or more smokers among their four closest friends, by gender, grade, and race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2003—Eastern (Coastal).**

	Never Smoker	Current Smoker
Gender		
Female	20.4 (±4.3)†	90.9 (±6.2)
Male	24.4 (±5.6)	66.6 (±15.0)
Grade		
Sixth	18.2 (±5.8)	54.8 (±34.3)
Seventh	26.1 (±7.0)	86.8 (±14.9)
Eighth	25.0 (±4.3)	77.7 (±19.5)
Race/ethnicity		
White	21.9 (±5.1)	89.0 (±7.9)
Black	23.8 (±6.6)	64.0 (±18.4)
Hispanic	25.8 (±17.0)	100.0 (±0.0)
Other	14.3 (±12.0)	77.5 (±37.5)
<b>Total</b>	<b>22.6 (±3.8)</b>	<b>78.7 (±9.5)</b>

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE MS-12. Percentage of middle school current smoking students who report quitting perceptions, intention to quit and cessation practices, by gender, grade, and race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2003—Eastern (Coastal).**

	<b>Who think that they would be able to quit cigarette smoking now if they wanted to</b>	<b>Who want to stop smoking cigarettes</b>	<b>Tried to quit during at least once in the past 12 months-</b>	<b>When they last tried to quit, stayed off cigarettes for less than 30 days</b>	<b>Have ever participated in a program to help quit using tobacco</b>
<b>Gender</b>					
Female	75.2 (±12.5)†	55.8 (±22.0)	63.3 (±19.7)	40.3 (±17.1)	5.5 (±7.3)
Male	77.3 (±13.3)	55.5 (±19.1)	53.0 (±15.1)	31.6 (±15.7)	14.0 (±12.4)
<b>Grade</b>					
Sixth	60.6 (±37.4)	33.2 (±44.9)	82.2 (±24.5)	58.5 (±33.6)	17.8 (±31.2)
Seventh	76.6 (±15.7)	42.4 (±23.2)	39.8 (±18.5)	22.5 (±17.2)	4.6 (±6.9)
Eighth	79.3 (±8.0)	67.5 (±14.4)	65.1 (±18.5)	40.8 (±16.8)	12.3 (±11.6)
<b>Race/ethnicity</b>					
White	72.2 (±12.9)	44.7 (±15.4)	58.8 (±17.0)	35.1 (±14.0)	9.3 (±10.0)
Black	83.2 (±17.1)	77.4 (±20.2)	61.4 (±16.0)	38.8 (±18.5)	9.1 (±12.7)
Hispanic	100.0 (±0.0)	0.0 (±0.0)	0.0 (±0.0)	0.0 (±0.0)	31.9 (±52.2)
Other	49.0 (±47.7)	49.8 (±40.3)	78.4 (±37.1)	41.6 (±38.0)	17.0 (±32.2)
<b>Total</b>	<b>76.3 (±8.0)</b>	<b>55.6 (±14.4)</b>	<b>58.0 (±12.8)</b>	<b>35.8 (±12.5)</b>	<b>10.1 (±8.0)</b>

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE MS-13. Percentage of middle school never and current smoking students who report smoking perceptions, by gender, grade, and race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2003— Eastern (Coastal) “Think young people risk harming themselves if they smoke between 1 and 5 cigarettes per day”**

	Never Smoker	Current Smoker
Gender		
Female	93.4 (±3.0)†	89.5 (±10.1)
Male	87.2 (±3.7)	81.4 (±10.6)
Grade		
Sixth	89.8 (±4.0)	81.7 (±24.1)
Seventh	90.4 (±4.1)	82.7 (±11.8)
Eighth	91.4 (±4.5)	87.8 (±6.7)
Race/ethnicity		
White	94.2 (±2.3)	86.3 (±7.6)
Black	85.6 (±6.1)	84.3 (±12.2)
Hispanic	78.5 (±23.2)	100.0 (±0.0)
Other	90.8 (±18.8)	58.3 (±31.7)
<b>Total</b>	<b>90.3 (±2.5)</b>	<b>85.3 (±7.4)</b>

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE MS-14. Percentage of middle school never and current smoking students who report smoking perceptions, by gender, grade, and race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2003— Eastern (Coastal). “Think it is safe to smoke a year or two, as long as you quit after that”**

	Never Smoker	Current Smoker
Gender		
Female	7.7 (±3.4)†	18.2 (±11.9)
Male	6.8 (±3.8)	37.0 (±15.7)
Grade		
Sixth	5.0 (±2.8)	30.2 (±30.2)
Seventh	11.6 (±6.5)	28.4 (±13.8)
Eighth	6.5 (±4.9)	27.2 (±14.8)
Race/ethnicity		
White	6.6 (±3.0)	28.4 (±13.3)
Black	7.8 (±3.8)	27.2 (±16.4)
Hispanic	11.7 (±6.8)	34.8 (±54.5)
Other	0.0 (±0.0)	19.8 (±31.2)
<b>Total</b>	<b>7.5 (±2.6)</b>	<b>27.9 (±10.5)</b>

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE HS-1. Percentage of high school students who report ever using\* any tobacco product (cigarettes, cigars, smokeless tobacco, kreteks, or bidis) by gender, grade, and race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2003— Eastern (Coastal)**

	Any tobacco	Cigarettes	Cigars	Smokeless tobacco	Kreteks	Bidis
<b>Gender</b>						
Female	68.5 (±5.2)†	64.6 (±5.0)	29.2 (±3.0)	10.0 (±3.3)	4.0 (±1.4)	5.8 (±1.7)
Male	68.5 (±4.6)	62.7 (±5.1)	41.9 (±4.6)	27.5 (±5.8)	5.7 (±2.0)	12.2 (±4.0)
<b>Grade</b>						
Ninth	66.8 (±7.5)	58.9 (±7.3)	29.4 (±5.5)	17.0 (±7.5)	3.8 (±1.8)	7.6 (±2.8)
Tenth	67.1 (±12.6)	62.8 (±12.5)	35.8 (±9.6)	17.0 (±6.7)	6.0 (±4.3)	10.2 (±5.1)
Eleventh	72.0 (±6.9)	68.5 (±6.9)	42.0 (±6.5)	20.5 (±8.0)	5.2 (±2.8)	10.6 (±4.7)
Twelfth	70.1 (±5.9)	67.0 (±6.6)	37.8 (±5.7)	21.5 (±4.3)	5.4 (±3.4)	8.2 (±4.8)
<b>Race/ethnicity</b>						
White	67.2 (±5.8)	62.1 (±5.2)	37.0 (±4.3)	24.0 (±5.9)	6.0 (±1.6)	8.7 (±3.0)
Black	69.0 (±4.9)	64.4 (±5.4)	31.7 (±3.9)	10.4 (±3.2)	2.6 (±1.5)	8.6 (±2.7)
Hispanic	82.1 (±9.7)	73.2 (±17.4)	50.2 (±16.1)	26.8 (±14.8)	6.8 (±10.2)	11.1 (±12.1)
Other	79.8 (±9.6)	82.1 (±10.0)	51.5 (±15.1)	26.7 (±17.9)	21.0 (±17.4)	21.5 (±16.6)
<b>Total</b>	<b>68.6 (±4.1)</b>	<b>63.6 (±3.9)</b>	<b>35.4 (±2.7)</b>	<b>18.6 (±4.0)</b>	<b>4.9 (±1.2)</b>	<b>9.0 (±1.8)</b>

\*Ever use of cigarettes was determined by asking, "Have you ever tried cigarette smoking, even one or two puffs?" Ever use of cigars was determined by asking, "Have you ever tried smoking cigars, cigarillos, or little cigars, even one or two puffs?" Ever use of smokeless tobacco was determined by asking, "Have you ever used chewing tobacco, snuff, or dip, such as Redman, Levi Garrett, Beechnut, Skoal, Skoal Bandits, or Copenhagen?" Ever use of bidis was determined by asking, "Have you ever tried smoking bidis, even one of two puffs?" Ever use of bidis and kreteks was determined by asking, "Have you ever tried smoking any of the following: 1) bidis, 2) kreteks?"

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE HS-2. Percentage of high school students who report current use of any tobacco product (cigarettes, cigars, smokeless tobacco, pipes, or bidis) by gender, grade, and race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2003 Eastern (Coastal).**

	Any tobacco*	Cigarettes	Cigars	Smokeless tobacco	Pipes	Bidis
<b>Gender</b>						
Female	30.5 (±5.8)†	27.8 (±6.0)	8.7 (±2.4)	1.4 (±1.1)	1.6 (±0.9)	2.3 (±1.2)
Male	37.6 (±6.1)	28.3 (±5.8)	20.1 (±4.9)	9.1 (±3.4)	6.9 (±3.0)	5.4 (±2.4)
<b>Grade</b>						
Ninth	29.0 (±5.9)	22.5 (±5.2)	12.7 (±5.2)	4.3 (±3.2)	4.2 (±2.2)	3.1 (±1.9)
Tenth	36.7 (±13.3)	31.8 (±12.2)	16.5 (±6.9)	5.6 (±4.9)	7.1 (±3.0)	6.0 (±3.2)
Eleventh	37.2 (±9.6)	29.4 (±8.2)	14.1 (±4.9)	6.2 (±3.7)	3.6 (±3.5)	3.7 (±2.5)
Twelfth	35.2 (±7.4)	30.4 (±7.1)	14.5 (±5.7)	5.0 (±2.4)	1.2 (±1.0)	2.4 (±1.2)
<b>Race/ethnicity</b>						
White	37.5 (±5.3)	31.6 (±4.3)	14.4 (±2.9)	7.4 (±2.8)	3.9 (±2.2)	3.5 (±1.2)
Black	28.5 (±6.5)	22.5 (±6.5)	12.7 (±3.8)	1.8 (±1.2)	3.8 (±2.3)	4.0 (±2.2)
Hispanic	41.1 (±18.5)	36.5 (±19.3)	25.3 (±14.0)	9.3 (±11.0)	9.3 (±11.2)	6.6 (±10.3)
Other	45.4 (±17.7)	34.9 (±17.1)	34.1 (±17.5)	11.2 (±8.5)	16.5 (±14.6)	8.6 (±7.0)
<b>Total</b>	<b>34.0 (±4.6)</b>	<b>28.0 (±4.2)</b>	<b>14.3 (±2.9)</b>	<b>5.2 (±2.1)</b>	<b>4.2 (±1.7)</b>	<b>3.9 (±1.1)</b>

\*Current use of cigarettes or cigars or smokeless tobacco or pipes or bidis or kreteks on 1 of the 30 days preceding the survey.

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE HS-3. Percentage of high school students who report first using\* cigarettes before 11 years of age and ever smoking 100 cigarettes in their lifetime, by gender, grade, race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2003— Eastern (Coastal)**

	Ever smokers who smoked first whole cigarette before age 11	Ever smokers who smoked 100+ cigarettes in their lifetime
Gender		
Female	10.2 (±4.5)†	22.3 (±4.6)
Male	18.8 (±5.5)	26.1 (±8.5)
Grade		
Ninth	17.0 (±5.1)	16.0 (±5.3)
Tenth	15.0 (±4.7)	23.4 (±7.6)
Eleventh	11.2 (±4.4)	26.9 (±7.1)
Twelfth	13.4 (±4.3)	33.4 (±9.9)
Race/ethnicity		
White	16.5 (±4.4)	34.1 (±4.0)
Black	10.0 (±3.0)	10.3 (±5.2)
Hispanic	22.5 (±20.2)	31.7 (±23.7)
Other	37.3 (±21.7)	32.5 (±22.2)
<b>Total</b>	<b>14.4 (±3.2)</b>	<b>24.1 (±3.8)</b>

\*Age of initiation was determined by asking students these questions: "How old were you when you smoked a whole cigarette for the first time?"

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE HS-4. Percentage of high school students who report smoking cigarettes on school property during the 30 days preceding the survey, by gender, grade, race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2003— Eastern (Coastal)**

	Smoked on school property past 30 days
Gender	
Female	10.6 (±2.8)†
Male	13.5 (±5.0)
Grade	
Ninth	10.1 (±3.9)
Tenth	12.6 (±4.7)
Eleventh	14.4 (±8.1)
Twelfth	11.2 (±5.4)
Race/ethnicity	
White	12.7 (±4.3)
Black	10.4 (±2.9)
Hispanic	16.9 (±16.3)
Other	21.9 (±16.3)
<b>Total</b>	<b>12.0 (±3.4)</b>

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.



**TABLE HS-5. Percentage of high school students who report frequently using\* cigarettes, by gender, grade, race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2003— Eastern (Coastal).**

	<b>Frequent cigarette smoking</b>
<b>Gender</b>	
Female	9.5 (±2.8)†
Male	10.8 (±3.4)
<b>Grade</b>	
Ninth	7.2 (±2.7)
Tenth	7.9 (±3.9)
Eleventh	11.8 (±6.2)
Twelfth	15.7 (±5.5)
<b>Race/ethnicity</b>	
White	13.7 (±3.5)
Black	5.0 (±2.7)
Hispanic	10.2 (±11.4)
Other	19.8 (±15.0)
<b>Total</b>	<b>10.1 (±2.1)</b>

\* Smoked cigarettes, on 20 of the 30 days preceding the survey

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE HS-6. Percentage of high school current smoking students who report their primary sources of cigarettes, by social source, direct purchase, and other sources: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2003— Eastern (Coastal).**

	<b>Current Smoker</b>
<b>Social Sources:</b>	
Gave someone else money to buy them for me	34.1 (±6.0)†
Borrowed (or bummed) them from someone else	29.1 (±4.1)
Person 18 years or older gave them to me	8.3 (±3.8)
<b>Direct Purchase:</b>	
Bought them in a store such as a convenience store, supermarket, discount store, or gas station	11.8 (±5.2)
Bought them from a vending machine	0.5 (±0.9)
<b>Other Sources:</b>	
Took them from store or family member	4.7 (±3.3)
Got them some other way	11.4 (±4.0)
<b>Total</b>	<b>100</b>

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE HS-7. Percentage of high school students who report smoking intentions and perceptions about smoking to initiate smoking, by gender, grade, and race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2003— Eastern (Coastal)**

	Never smoked who will not try a cigarette soon	Never smoked who will definitely not smoke cigarettes during the next year	Never smoked who think they will not smoke if one of their best friends offers them a cigarette	Have been told by at least one parent (or guardian) about the dangers of tobacco use	Think people can get addicted to using tobacco just like getting addicted to cocaine or heroin	Think young people who smoke cigarettes have more friends	Think smoking cigarettes makes young people look cool or fit in	Never smokers who are susceptible to start smoking
Gender								
Female	92.3 (±3.2)†	75.8 (±5.8)	84.6 (±3.4)	64.0 (±3.8)	93.0 (±1.6)	25.9 (±5.4)	11.9 (±2.8)	30.8 (±6.2)
Male	96.0 (±2.8)	86.7 (±7.5)	89.9 (±5.1)	60.4 (±3.8)	85.2 (±4.6)	30.8 (±5.5)	15.0 (±4.1)	21.6 (±5.6)
Grade								
Ninth	91.0 (±2.8)	76.3 (±11.4)	81.0 (±5.5)	65.7 (±6.9)	87.9 (±4.0)	36.2 (±7.7)	19.6 (±3.6)	34.8 (±8.7)
Tenth	97.8 (±3.8)	78.6 (±9.3)	84.9 (±9.1)	66.7 (±10.8)	88.0 (±5.7)	28.2 (±9.4)	13.5 (±4.8)	29.6 (±7.3)
Eleventh	91.4 (±5.7)	82.9 (±4.5)	92.0 (±6.7)	55.8 (±5.5)	90.7 (±3.4)	25.9 (±6.2)	6.9 (±3.8)	22.9 (±7.1)
Twelfth	98.1 (±2.8)	91.7 (±4.9)	96.5 (±3.7)	59.2 (±4.3)	91.9 (±2.5)	18.2 (±5.8)	10.9 (±3.9)	9.2 (±5.0)
Race/ethnicity								
White	95.2 (±1.3)	80.9 (±8.5)	86.3 (±3.4)	60.5 (±5.4)	90.8 (±3.0)	21.8 (±4.2)	12.3 (±3.0)	26.8 (±6.6)
Black	92.3 (±4.0)	81.3 (±6.2)	88.5 (±8.3)	65.7 (±5.8)	88.3 (±4.2)	36.5 (±7.3)	14.1 (±3.3)	26.1 (±8.3)
Hispanic	100.0 (±0.0)	87.9 (±18.7)	84.1 (±20.6)	52.4 (±11.4)	81.0 (±13.4)	43.7 (±14.0)	23.3 (13.1)	19.0 (±21.6)
Other	100.0 (±0.0)	100.0 (±0.0)	100.0 (±0.0)	54.7 (±14.0)	72.3 (±16.4)	14.3 (±11.6)	19.0 (±22.1)	0.0 (±0.0)
<b>Total</b>	<b>94.2 (±1.8)</b>	<b>81.1 (±5.3)</b>	<b>87.0 (±3.5)</b>	<b>62.3 (±2.7)</b>	<b>89.2 (±2.5)</b>	<b>28.4 (±5.2)</b>	<b>13.4 (±2.3)</b>	<b>26.3 (±4.1)</b>

\* Students were considered not susceptible if they answered, "No, will not try a cigarette soon" and "Definitely no, will not smoke in the next year" and "Definitely no, would not smoke if best friend offered." All other students were considered susceptible.

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE HS-8. Percentage of high school students who report media and advertising influence regarding tobacco and receptivity to tobacco advertising\*, by gender, grade, and race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2003— Eastern (Coastal)**

	Saw or heard anti-smoking commercials during the past 30 days	Watch TV or movies who see actors using tobacco (most or some of the time)	Use Internet and see Internet ads for tobacco products (most or some of the time)	Use Internet, watch TV, or go to movies who see (most or some of the time) ads for tobacco products	Receptive to tobacco advertising
Gender					
Female	91.0 (±2.5)†	94.9 (±1.6)	45.8 (±8.2)	96.3 (±1.7)	10.9 (±2.3)
Male	87.5 (±2.4)	88.2 (±3.1)	41.8 (±4.4)	89.2 (±2.4)	19.0 (±3.9)
Grade					
Ninth	88.8 (±3.2)	93.0 (±2.4)	45.6 (±10.2)	94.1 (±1.4)	17.9 (±5.1)
Tenth	88.1 (±4.1)	90.7 (±5.7)	46.5 (±6.5)	91.8 (±4.2)	12.8 (±3.5)
Eleventh	89.3 (±4.4)	92.7 (±2.7)	45.6 (±8.5)	93.9 (±2.9)	16.5 (±6.9)
Twelfth	91.8 (±3.8)	89.2 (±3.3)	35.7 (±6.5)	90.7 (±2.6)	11.2 (±3.7)
Race/ethnicity					
White	89.6 (±2.8)	91.9 (±1.7)	41.7 (±6.0)	92.9 (±1.9)	19.9 (±5.3)
Black	89.6 (±3.5)	92.2 (±2.6)	48.5 (±7.9)	93.5 (±2.3)	7.7 (±2.6)
Hispanic	80.7 (±14.9)	84.3 (±13.3)	25.3 (±14.5)	85.4 (±12.9)	15.5 (±12.9)
Other	84.2 (±12.6)	81.1 (±19.4)	33.8 (±21.1)	81.0 (±17.3)	29.9 (±16.4)
<b>Total</b>	<b>89.3 (±1.8)</b>	<b>91.7 (±1.5)</b>	<b>43.8 (±5.2)</b>	<b>92.8 (±1.5)</b>	<b>14.9 (±2.6)</b>

\* The percentage of students who received anything with a tobacco company name or picture on it AND who would (Definitely Yes or Probably Yes) use or wear something with a tobacco company name or picture on it.

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE HS-9. Percentage of high school students who report exposure to anti-tobacco education in school or community in the past year, by gender, grade, and race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2003— Eastern (Coastal)**

	Were taught about the dangers of tobacco use at school	At school this year practiced ways to say 'No' to tobacco	Participated in any community event to discourage people from using tobacco in past year
Gender			
Female	24.1 (±5.4)†	14.1 (±3.3)	13.7 (±4.1)
Male	26.8 (±4.8)	14.8 (±4.2)	11.0 (±4.5)
Grade			
Ninth	35.9 (±9.3)	20.8 (±6.2)	15.0 (±6.0)
Tenth	23.3 (±6.6)	16.6 (±6.2)	10.1 (±6.1)
Eleventh	19.6 (±8.0)	9.4 (±5.0)	12.9 (±6.1)
Twelfth	17.1 (±6.3)	6.3 (±3.1)	9.7 (±6.6)
Race/ethnicity			
White	19.6 (±4.0)	8.5 (±2.9)	9.3 (±3.4)
Black	33.3 (±5.6)	21.4 (±5.4)	15.9 (±4.9)
Hispanic	30.8 (±8.3)	29.0 (±12.8)	14.4 (±14.8)
Other	18.2 (±14.1)	16.8 (±15.2)	10.8 (±7.7)
<b>Total</b>	<b>25.5 (±4.7)</b>	<b>14.4 (±3.5)</b>	<b>12.2 (±3.8)</b>

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE HS-10. Percentage of high school never smoking students who report they were in the same room or rode in car with someone who was smoking on 1 of the past 7 days, by gender, grade, race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2003—Eastern (Coastal).**

	Were in the same room with someone who was smoking a cigarette on 1+ days during past 7 days	Rode in the same car with someone who was smoking a cigarette on 1+ days during past 7 days
<b>Gender</b>		
Female	63.4 (±8.0)†	37.5 (±6.2)
Male	57.8 (±6.4)	33.7 (±7.5)
<b>Grade</b>		
Ninth	64.9 (±8.2)	41.1 (±6.1)
Tenth	58.0 (±13.1)	33.4 (±9.7)
Eleventh	59.1 (±14.2)	33.8 (±11.9)
Twelfth	60.0 (±6.3)	30.4 (±10.9)
<b>Race/ethnicity</b>		
White	66.7 (±6.4)	37.4 (±8.9)
Black	52.4 (±6.6)	33.8 (±5.8)
Hispanic	61.8 (±34.0)	24.5 (±22.6)
Other	26.6 (±22.5)	20.0 (±21.4)
<b>Total</b>	<b>60.7 (±4.3)</b>	<b>35.5 (±4.9)</b>

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE HS-11. Percentage of high school never and current smoking students who report one or more smokers among their four closest friends, by gender, grade, and race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2003—Eastern (Coastal)**

	Never Smoker	Current Smoker
<b>Gender</b>		
Female	39.3 (±7.9)†	91.2(±5.7)
Male	37.5 (±6.5)	89.2(±5.0)
<b>Grade</b>		
Ninth	39.7 (±4.2)	92.3(±5.0)
Tenth	31.7 (±10.0)	88.7(±11.8)
Eleventh	43.8 (±15.2)	90.4(±3.1)
Twelfth	41.0 (±13.2)	89.1(±6.1)
<b>Race/ethnicity</b>		
White	38.1 (±7.2)	94.6(±4.0)
Black	39.0 (±8.3)	81.6(±9.1)
Hispanic	45.1 (±25.2)	98.2(±3.6)
Other	0.0 (±0.0)	79.4(±17.8)
<b>Total</b>	<b>38.5 (±4.7)</b>	<b>90.2(±4.0)</b>

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE HS-12. Percentage of high school current smoking students who report quitting perceptions, intention to quit and cessation practices, by gender, grade, and race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2003— Eastern (Coastal)**

	<b>Who think that they would be able to quit cigarette smoking now if they wanted to</b>	<b>Who want to stop smoking cigarettes</b>	<b>Tried to quit during at least once in the past 12 months-</b>	<b>When they last tried to quit, stayed off cigarettes for less than 30 days</b>	<b>Have ever participated in a program to help quit using tobacco</b>
<b>Gender</b>					
Female	79.4 (±10.0)†	46.8 (±11.5)	63.5 (±8.2)	41.1 (±8.0)	3.8 (±2.7)
Male	80.7 (±9.0)	50.5 (±11.8)	53.9 (±9.4)	40.6 (±10.2)	4.9 (±2.8)
<b>Grade</b>					
Ninth	71.8 (±14.2)	35.2 (±14.7)	53.2 (±13.8)	41.7 (±8.2)	3.8 (±3.9)
Tenth	88.7 (±11.7)	34.6 (±9.0)	55.6 (±13.3)	33.2 (±15.0)	0.0 (±0.0)
Eleventh	77.3 (±11.7)	61.6 (±11.6)	61.2 (±13.3)	41.6 (±12.0)	5.2 (±5.4)
Twelfth	82.7 (±9.8)	64.5 (±9.4)	65.2 (±9.7)	48.6 (±7.3)	8.1 (±6.7)
<b>Race/ethnicity</b>					
White	77.1 (±9.3)	42.7 (±9.2)	56.4 (±9.5)	43.5 (±8.2)	3.8 (±3.5)
Black	86.4 (±10.9)	60.8 (±15.5)	62.4 (±12.7)	36.0 (±12.3)	5.0 (±3.9)
Hispanic	100.0 (±0.0)	51.7 (±40.9)	52.8 (±44.2)	36.2 (±36.4)	9.6 (±13.1)
Other	37.1 (±27.2)	65.5 (±28.1)	84.7 (±16.6)	46.5 (±30.7)	0.0 (±0.0)
<b>Total</b>	<b>80.1 (±8.6)</b>	<b>48.7 (±7.8)</b>	<b>58.7 (±6.6)</b>	<b>40.9 (±6.8)</b>	<b>4.4 (±2.3)</b>

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE HS-13. Percentage of high school never and current smoking students who report smoking perceptions, by gender, grade, and race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2003—Eastern (Coastal)**

**“Think young people risk harming themselves if they smoke between 1 and 5 cigarettes per day”**

	Never Smoker	Current Smoker
Gender		
Female	98.3 ( $\pm 0.9$ )†	84.2 ( $\pm 13.9$ )
Male	90.0 ( $\pm 3.7$ )	85.4 ( $\pm 7.1$ )
Grade		
Ninth	92.4 ( $\pm 7.7$ )	83.0 ( $\pm 7.8$ )
Tenth	95.1 ( $\pm 5.5$ )	71.6 ( $\pm 15.8$ )
Eleventh	91.5 ( $\pm 5.6$ )	96.9 ( $\pm 5.1$ )
Twelfth	98.9 ( $\pm 2.1$ )	91.6 ( $\pm 4.3$ )
Race/ethnicity		
White	96.6 ( $\pm 1.9$ )	87.0 ( $\pm 6.7$ )
Black	90.9 ( $\pm 5.6$ )	81.5 ( $\pm 12.6$ )
Hispanic	85.5 ( $\pm 21.5$ )	77.7 ( $\pm 27.8$ )
Other	100.0 ( $\pm 0.0$ )	80.1 ( $\pm 21.7$ )
<b>Total</b>	<b>94.1 (<math>\pm 2.2</math>)</b>	<b>84.8 (<math>\pm 7.2</math>)</b>

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.

**TABLE HS-14. Percentage of high school never and current smoking students who report smoking perceptions, by gender, grade, and race/ethnicity: North Carolina Youth Tobacco Survey, 2003— Eastern (Coastal)**

**“Think it is safe to smoke a year or two, as long as you quit after that”**

	Never Smoker	Current Smoker
Gender		
Female	6.3 ( $\pm 4.4$ )†	18.7 ( $\pm 5.1$ )
Male	7.8 ( $\pm 4.8$ )	32.2 ( $\pm 6.7$ )
Grade		
Ninth	6.2 ( $\pm 4.2$ )	29.5 ( $\pm 7.8$ )
Tenth	6.8 ( $\pm 3.9$ )	21.4 ( $\pm 5.7$ )
Eleventh	9.6 ( $\pm 6.8$ )	18.9 ( $\pm 6.6$ )
Twelfth	5.7 ( $\pm 3.3$ )	30.6 ( $\pm 9.9$ )
Race/ethnicity		
White	7.3 ( $\pm 3.9$ )	22.8 ( $\pm 6.6$ )
Black	6.3 ( $\pm 4.4$ )	27.7 ( $\pm 7.3$ )
Hispanic	15.9 ( $\pm 20.6$ )	45.4 ( $\pm 21.9$ )
Other	0.0 ( $\pm 0.0$ )	25.9 ( $\pm 30.2$ )
<b>Total</b>	<b>7.0 (<math>\pm 2.8</math>)</b>	<b>25.3 (<math>\pm 3.9</math>)</b>

† Ninety-five percent confidence interval.