

Marijuana Consumption

Texas and Regions 5 and 6: Grades 7-12, 2018



14%

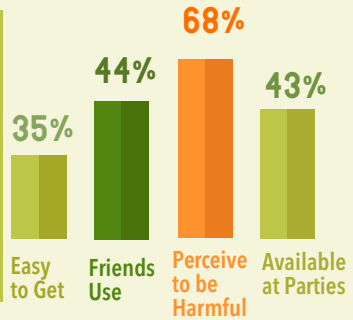


Used in Past Month

23%



Ever Used



Did you know that if caught in possession of edibles containing marijuana, the criminal charge for possession is based on the overall weight of the edible product and not the weight of the amount of marijuana contained in the edible product?



1/2 oz. pot



1 lb. pot brownies

Criminal charges would be for possession of 1 lb. of marijuana, not 1/2 oz. of marijuana.



13.9
Years of
Age

Mean
Age of
Initiation



43%

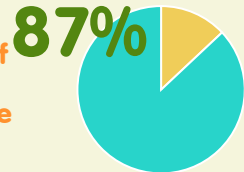
Early
Initiation
(<13 years)

8%

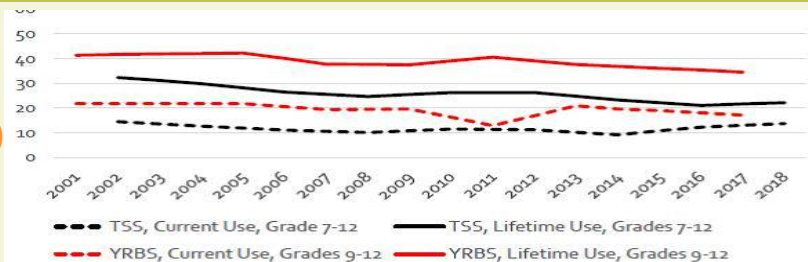
Attended Class
While High on
Marijuana



2017 Texas Treatment Episode Data showed that 87% percent of youth admissions to treatment for Substance Use Disorders were for Marijuana Use Disorder.



Marijuana Consumption- Statewide Trends (percent responses)



Sources:
<https://www.samhsa.gov/data/sites/default/files/cbhsq-reports/TEDS-2017.pdf>
<https://www.texaschoolsurvey.org/Report>