
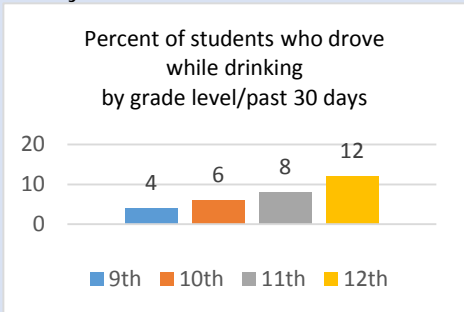



# Montana Students and Driving Behaviors

2017 Montana Youth Risk Behavior Survey  
 Montana Office of Public Instruction, Elsie Arntzen, Superintendent

Seat Belt Use	Alcohol and Driving	Distracted Driving
<p>52% of students always wear a seat belt when <i>riding</i> in a car; 8% report never or rarely wearing a seat belt</p> <p>Among drivers, 9% never or rarely wear a seat belt when driving; 69% always wear a seat belt when driving</p> <p>11% of males and 6% of females never or rarely wear a seat belt when driving</p> 	<p>20% of students rode with a driver who had been drinking alcohol during the past 30 days</p> <p>8% of students drove when they had been drinking alcohol during the past 30 days</p> 	 <p>54% of students who drove a car during the past 30 days, texted or e-mailed while driving</p> <p>57% of students who drove a car during the past 30 days talked on a cell phone while driving</p>

