

Interested in the
Indiana Youth Survey
(INYS)?

Participation is **FREE**
and schools will receive
critical information for
monitoring student
substance use, mental
health issues, gambling,
and other factors that
threaten to undermine
student success.

Register for the
2017 INYS today!

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NEW ADDITIONS TO THE SURVEY

Starting in 2016, the INYS will use random sampling techniques in the even years (2016, 2018, etc.) to survey students from a random sample of Indiana schools for the generation of statewide data.

- This new sampling strategy will result in more representative data on the statewide level.
- Only public schools will be selected in the random sample.

The INYS will continue to use convenience sampling every year (meaning any school may participate).

- Schools that are not chosen in the random sample **ARE STILL WELCOME** to participate in the even years. The only difference is that these students' responses will not be included in the calculations for statewide prevalence rates.



ABOUT THE SURVEY

- The INYS is an annual self-reported adolescent survey that assesses factors related to student success.
- Indiana schools can conduct the INYS during the spring semester of the 2016-2017 school year with 6th-12th grade students.
- All results are confidential, and student participation is voluntary.
- Available in paper or online formats.
- Takes approximately 30 minutes to administer.
- In 2016, more than 100,000 students from 398 schools participated in the INYS.

BENEFITS

- Receive a FREE school corporation report combining student responses by grade level.
- Add up to 15 additional questions to get data on local issues (optional).
- Administer the survey at no cost. All materials are provided, including survey booklets, detailed instructions, and shipping.
- Compare local corporation data with statewide and national results.
- Use data to inform school policies, gather data necessary for grant writing, and determine prevention efforts.