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Identification Variables			
Question	Variable Name	Values	Length
Student survey identification number	scanid	100220 : 255069	6

Variables from the Student Questionnaire			
Question	Variable Name	Values	Length
The province that the school is located in <i>Coverage: All Respondents</i>	province	10 = Newfoundland and Labrador 11 = Prince Edward Island 12 = Nova Scotia 13 = New Brunswick 24 = Quebec 35 = Ontario 46 = Manitoba 47 = Saskatchewan 48 = Alberta 59 = British Columbia	2
What grade are you in? <i>Coverage: All Respondents</i>	grade	5 = Grade 5 6 = Grade 6 7 = Grade 7 8 = Grade 8 9 = Grade 9	1
Are you a girl or boy? <i>Coverage: All Respondents</i>	gender	1 = Female 2 = Male	1
What language do you speak <u>most often</u> at home? <i>Coverage: All Respondents</i>	Y_q4	1 = English 2 = French 3 = English and French 4 = Other (specify) 99 = Not Stated	2

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<p>Are you an aboriginal person, that is, North American Indian, Métis or Inuit (Eskimo)?</p> <p>a) Yes, Métis b) Yes, Inuit (<i>Eskimo</i>) c) Yes, North American Indian (<i>e.g. First Nations, Cree, Micmac, Innu, Algonquin...</i>)</p> <p><i>Coverage: All Respondents</i></p>	<p>Y_q5a Y_q5b Y_q5c</p>	<p>1 = Yes 2 = No 99 = Not Stated</p>	2
<p>On average, about how many hours a day do you watch TV or videos?</p> <p><i>Coverage: All Respondents</i></p>	Y_q6	<p>1 = I do not watch TV or videos 2 = Less than one hour a day 3 = 1 to 2 hours a day 4 = 3 to 4 hours a day 5 = 5 to 6 hours a day 6 = 7 or more hours a day 99 = Not Stated</p>	2
<p>How often do you read for fun (not for school)?</p> <p><i>Coverage: All Respondents</i></p>	Y_q7	<p>1 = Every day 2 = A few times per week 3 = Once per week 4 = A few times a month 5 = Less than once a month 6 = Almost never 99 = Not Stated</p>	2
<p>Choose the answer that best describes how you feel.</p> <p>a) In general, I like the way I am b) Overall, I have a lot to be proud of c) A lot of things about me are good d) When I do something, I do it well e) I like the way I look</p> <p><i>Coverage: All Respondents</i></p>	<p>Y_q8a Y_q8b Y_q8c Y_q8d Y_q8e</p>	<p>1 = False 2 = Mostly False 3 = Sometimes False / Sometimes True 4 = Mostly True 5 = True 99 = Not Stated</p>	2

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Question	Variable Name	Values	Length
Are you a smoker? <i>Coverage: All Respondents</i>	Y_q9	1 = Yes 2 = No 99 = Not Stated	2
Have you <u>ever</u> been curious about smoking a cigarette? <i>Coverage: All Respondents</i>	Y_q10	1 = Yes 2 = No 99 = Not Stated	2
Have you <u>ever</u> tried cigarette smoking, even just a few puffs? <i>Coverage: All Respondents</i>	Y_q11	1 = Yes 2 = No	1
How old were you when you first tried smoking cigarettes, even just a few puffs? <i>Coverage: Respondents where Y_q11 = 1 (Puffer)</i>	Y_q12	3 = 8 years or younger 4 = 9 years 5 = 10 years 6 = 11 years 7 = 12 years 8 = 13 years 9 = 14 years 10 = 15 years 96 = Valid Skip 97 = I do not know 99 = Not Stated	2
Have you ever <u>seriously thought</u> about trying cigarette smoking? <i>Coverage: All Respondents</i>	Y_q13	1 = I have already tried smoking 2 = Yes 3 = No 4 = I already smoke 99 = Not Stated	2
Do you think in the future you <u>might try</u> smoking cigarettes? <i>Coverage: All Respondents</i>	Y_q14	1 = I have already tried smoking 2 = Definitely yes 3 = Probably yes 4 = Probably not 5 = Definitely not 99 = Not Stated	2

Variables from the Student Questionnaire			
Question	Variable Name	Values	Length
<p>If one of your best friends was to offer you a cigarette would you smoke it?</p> <p><i>Coverage: All Respondents</i></p>	Y_q15	1 = Definitely yes 2 = Probably yes 3 = Probably not 4 = Definitely not 99 = Not Stated	2
<p>At anytime during the <u>next year</u> do you think you will smoke a cigarette?</p> <p><i>Coverage: All Respondents</i></p>	Y_q16	1 = Definitely yes 2 = Probably yes 3 = Probably not 4 = Definitely not 99 = Not Stated	2
<p>Do you think it would be difficult or easy for you to get cigarettes if you wanted to smoke?</p> <p><i>Coverage: All Respondents</i></p>	Y_q17	1 = Difficult 2 = Easy 97 = I do not know 99 = Not Stated	2
<p>Have you ever smoked a <u>whole</u> cigarette?</p> <p><i>Coverage: Respondents where Y_q11 = 1 (Puffer)</i></p>	Y_q18	1 = Yes 2 = No 96 = Valid Skip	2
<p>How old were you when you smoked your first <u>whole</u> cigarette?</p> <p><i>Coverage: Respondents where Y_q18=1 (Whole Cigarette)</i></p>	Y_q19	3 = 8 years or younger 4 = 9 years 5 = 10 years 6 = 11 years 7 = 12 years 8 = 13 years 9 = 14 years 10 = 15 years 96 = Valid Skip 97 = I do not know 99 = Not Stated	2
<p>Have you ever smoked 100 or more <u>whole</u> cigarettes in your life?</p> <p><i>Coverage: Respondents where Y_q18=1 (Whole Cigarette)</i></p>	Y_q20	1 = Yes 2 = No 96 = Valid Skip	2

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Question	Variable Name	Values	Length
On how many of the last 30 days did you smoke one or more cigarettes? <i>Coverage: Respondents where Y_q18=1 (Whole Cigarette)</i>	Y_q24	1 = None 2 = 1 to 5 days 3 = 6 to 10 days 4 = 11 to 20 days 5 = 21 to 29 days 6 = 30 days (<i>every day</i>) 96 = Valid Skip	2
Thinking back over the last 30 days, on the days that you smoked, how many cigarettes did you <u>usually</u> smoke each day? <i>Coverage: Respondents where Y_q18=1 (Whole Cigarette)</i>	Y_q25	1 = I did not smoke in the last 30 days 2 = 5 or less cigarettes 3 = 6 to 10 cigarettes 4 = 11 to 15 cigarettes 5 = 16 to 20 cigarettes 6 = 21 to 25 cigarettes 7 = More than 25 cigarettes 96 = Valid Skip 99 = Not Stated	2

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Question	Variable Name	Values	Length
What brand of cigarettes do you <u>usually</u> smoke?	Y_q26	1 = I do not smoke 2 = I do not have a usual brand 3 = Craven "A" King Size 4 = DuMaurier King Size 5 = DuMaurier Light King Size 6 = DuMaurier Light Regular Size 7 = DuMaurier Regular Size 8 = Export "A" Medium Regular Size 9 = Export "A" Light Regular Size 10 = Export "A" Regular Size 11 = Number 7 12 = Player's Extra Light King Size 13 = Player's Extra Light Regular Size 14 = Player's Light King Size 15 = Player's Light Regular Size 16 = Player's Light Smooth 17 = Player's Regular Size 18 = Other 96 = Valid Skip 99 = Not Stated	2
<i>Coverage: Respondents where Y_q11 = 1 (Puffer)</i>			

Variables from the Student Questionnaire			
Question	Variable Name	Values	Length
<p>Why do you smoke the brand of cigarettes that you do?</p> <p>a) My friends smoke the same brand b) My parents smoke the same brand c) I like the packaging d) This brand costs less than other brands e) I like the image of this brand f) I like the taste g) They are the only ones that I can get h) They have less tar i) For the nicotine buzz j) Other</p> <p><i>Coverage: Respondents where $3 \leq Y_q26 \leq 18$ (Have Usual Brand)</i></p>	<p>Y_q27a Y_q27b Y_q27c Y_q27d Y_q27e Y_q27f Y_q27g Y_q27h Y_q27i Y_q27j</p>	<p>1 = Yes 2 = No 96 = Valid Skip 99 = Not Stated</p>	2
<p>During the past 12 months, have you switched cigarette brands?</p> <p><i>Coverage: Respondents where $3 \leq Y_q26 \leq 18$ (Have Usual Brand)</i></p>	<p>Y_q28</p>	<p>1 = I do not smoke 2 = I do not have a usual brand 3 = Yes 4 = No 96 = Valid Skip 99 = Not Stated</p>	2
<p>Where do you <u>usually</u> get your cigarettes?</p> <p><i>Coverage: Respondents where $Y_q11 = 1$ (Puffer)</i></p>	<p>Y_q29</p>	<p>1 = I do not smoke 2 = I buy them from a vending machine 3 = I buy them myself at a store 4 = I buy them from someone 5 = I ask someone to buy them for me 6 = I get them from friends 7 = I get them from my parent(s) 8 = I get them from my brother/sister 9 = Other 96 = Valid Skip 99 = Not Stated</p>	2

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Question	Variable Name	Values	Length
<p>How do <u>you</u> go about buying cigarettes from a store?</p> <p>a) I do not buy cigarettes from stores b) I try to look older c) I carry fake ID d) I make sure that I know the clerk e) I do not do anything special f) When I buy cigarettes, I do something else</p> <p><i>Coverage: Respondents where Y_q11= 1 (Puffer)</i></p>	<p>Y_q30a Y_q30b Y_q30c Y_q30d Y_q30e Y_q30f</p>	<p>1 = Yes 2 = No 96 = Valid Skip 99 = Not Stated</p>	2
<p>Have you ever been asked your age when <u>buying</u> cigarettes in a store?</p> <p><i>Coverage: All Respondents</i></p>	Y_q31	<p>1 = I do not smoke 2 = I have never bought cigarettes in a store 3 = Yes 4 = No 99 = Not Stated</p>	2
<p>Have you ever been asked for ID when <u>buying</u> cigarettes in a store?</p> <p><i>Coverage: All Respondents</i></p>	Y_q32	<p>1 = I do not smoke 2 = I have never bought cigarettes in a store 3 = Yes 4 = No 99 = Not Stated</p>	2
<p>Has anyone in a store refused to <u>sell</u> you cigarettes?</p> <p><i>Coverage: All Respondents</i></p>	Y_q33	<p>1 = I do not smoke 2 = I have never bought cigarettes in a store 3 = Yes 4 = No 99 = Not Stated</p>	2
<p>Have you ever asked a stranger to <u>buy</u> you cigarettes?</p> <p><i>Coverage: All Respondents</i></p>	Y_q34	<p>1 = I do not smoke 2 = Yes 3 = No 99 = Not Stated</p>	2
<p>Do you sometimes <u>buy</u> single cigarettes?</p> <p><i>Coverage: All Respondents</i></p>	Y_q35a	<p>1 = I do not smoke 2 = I do not buy single cigarettes 3 = Yes 99 = Not Stated</p>	2

Variables from the Student Questionnaire			
Question	Variable Name	Values	Length
<p>Do you sometimes <u>buy</u> single cigarettes? If you do, where do you buy them?</p> <p>a) I buy single cigarettes at a store b) I <u>buy</u> them from my brother or sister c) I <u>buy</u> them from a friend / someone else d) I ask someone else to buy them for me</p> <p><i>Coverage: Respondents where Y_q35 (Buys single cigarettes)</i></p>	<p>Y_q35ba Y_q35bb Y_q35bc Y_q35bd</p>	<p>1 = Yes 2 = No 96 = Valid Skip</p>	2
<p>Have you <u>ever</u> tried to quit smoking?</p> <p><i>Coverage: Respondents where Y_q11= 1 (Puffer)</i></p>	<p>Y_q36</p>	<p>1 = I have never smoked 2 = I have only smoked a few times 3 = I have never tried to quit 4 = I have tried to quit once 5 = I have tried to quit 2 or 3 times 6 = I have tried to quit 4 or 5 times 7 = I have tried to quit 6 or more times 96 = Valid Skip 99 = Not Stated</p>	2
<p>How old were you when you first tried to quit smoking?</p> <p><i>Coverage: Respondents where Y_q11= 1 (Puffer)</i></p>	<p>Y_q37</p>	<p>1 = I have never smoked 2 = I have only smoked a few times 3 = I have never tried to quit 5 = 8 years or younger 6 = 9 years 7 = 10 years 8 = 11 years 9 = 12 years 10 = 13 years 11 = 14 years 12 = 15 years 96 = Valid Skip 97 = I do not know 99 = Not Stated</p>	2

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Question	Variable Name	Values	Length
Have you tried to quit smoking in the last 6 months? <i>Coverage: Respondents where Y_q11= 1 (Puffer)</i>	Y_q38	1 = I have never smoked 2 = Yes 3 = No 4 = I have not smoked in the last 6 months 5 = I have only smoked a few times in the last 6 months 96 = Valid Skip 99 = Not Stated	2
If you have never tried to quit, have you ever <u>seriously thought</u> about quitting smoking? <i>Coverage: Respondents where Y_q11= 1 (Puffer)</i>	Y_q39	1 = I have never smoked 2 = Yes, I have seriously thought about quitting 3 = No, I have <u>not</u> seriously thought about quitting 4 = I have only smoked a few times 5 = I have already tried to quit 96 = Valid Skip 99 = Not Stated	2
Since starting smoking, what is the longest time you have <u>ever</u> stayed off cigarettes? <i>Coverage: Respondents where Y_q11= 1 (Puffer)</i>	Y_q40	1 = I have never smoked 2 = I have only smoked a few times 3 = I have never tried to quit 4 = 1 day or less 5 = 2 to 7 days 6 = 8 to 29 days 7 = 1 to 3 months 8 = 4 to 6 months 9 = 7 to 12 months 10 = Over a year 96 = Valid Skip 97 = I do not know 99 = Not Stated	2

Variables from the Student Questionnaire			
Question	Variable Name	Values	Length
<p>Do you think you would be able to quit smoking cigarettes if you wanted to?</p> <p><i>Coverage: Respondents where 2 ≤ Y_q24 ≤ 6 (Smoked last 30 days)</i></p>	Y_q41	1 = I do not smoke 2 = Definitely yes 3 = Probably yes 4 = Probably not 5 = Definitely not 96 = Valid Skip 99 = Not Stated	2
<p>How soon after you wake up do you <u>usually</u> smoke your first cigarette on a weekday (Monday through Friday)?</p> <p><i>Coverage: Respondents where 2 ≤ Y_q24 ≤ 6 (Smoked last 30 days)</i></p>	Y_q42	1 = I do not smoke 2 = Less than 15 minutes 3 = 15 to 30 minutes 4 = More than 30 but less than 60 minutes 5 = 1 to 2 hours 6 = More than 2 hours but less than ½ a day 7 = More than ½ day 8 = I do not smoke during the weekdays 96 = Valid Skip 99 = Not Stated	2
<p>How soon after you wake up do you <u>usually</u> smoke your first cigarette during the weekend (Saturday and Sunday)?</p> <p><i>Coverage: Respondents where 2 ≤ Y_q24 ≤ 6 (Smoked last 30 days)</i></p>	Y_q43	1 = I do not smoke 2 = Less than 15 minutes 3 = 15 to 30 minutes 4 = More than 30 but less than 60 minutes 5 = 1 to 2 hours 6 = More than 2 hours but less than ½ a day 7 = More than ½ a day 8 = I do not smoke during the weekends 96 = Valid Skip 99 = Not Stated	2

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Question	Variable Name	Values	Length
<p>If you are sick with a bad cold or sore throat, do you smoke cigarettes?</p> <p><i>Coverage: Respondents where 2 ≤ Y_q24 ≤ 6 (Smoked last 30 days)</i></p>	Y_q44	1 = I do not smoke 2 = No, I stop smoking when I am sick 3 = Yes, but I cut down on the amount I smoke 4 = Yes, I smoke the same amount as when I am not sick 96 = Valid Skip 99 = Not Stated	2
<p>How true is this statement for you? When I go without a smoke for a few hours, I experience cravings.</p> <p><i>Coverage: Respondents where 2 ≤ Y_q24 ≤ 6 (Smoked last 30 days)</i></p>	Y_q45	1 = I do not smoke 2 = Not at all true 3 = Not very true 4 = Fairly true 5 = Very true 96 = Valid Skip 99 = Not Stated	2
<p>How true is this statement for you? I sometimes have strong cravings for cigarettes where it feels like I am in the grip of a force that I cannot control.</p> <p><i>Coverage: Respondents where 2 ≤ Y_q24 ≤ 6 (Smoked last 30 days)</i></p>	Y_q46	1 = I do not smoke 2 = Not at all true 3 = Not very true 4 = Fairly true 5 = Very true 96 = Valid Skip 99 = Not Stated	2
<p>Have you <u>ever</u> tried any of the following?</p> <p>a) Smoking cigars or pipe tobacco b) Smoking bidis (<i>tobacco product from India</i>) c) Using chewing tobacco d) Using snuff (<i>tobacco powder that people sniff</i>) e) I have not tried these things</p> <p><i>Coverage: All Respondents</i></p>	Y_q47a Y_q47b Y_q47c Y_q47d Y_q47e	1 = Yes 2 = No 99 = Not Stated	2

Variables from the Student Questionnaire			
Question	Variable Name	Values	Length
<p>Have you ever <u>seriously thought</u> about trying smokeless tobacco (e.g. chewing tobacco, snuff...)?</p> <p><i>Coverage: All Respondents</i></p>	Y_q48	1 = Yes 2 = No 3 = I already use smokeless tobacco 4 = I have already tried smokeless tobacco 99 = Not Stated	2
<p>Does your father, or the person who is like your father, smoke cigarettes?</p> <p><i>Coverage: All Respondents</i></p>	Y_q49	1 = I do not live with a father or anyone who is like a father 2 = He has never smoked 3 = He used to smoke 4 = He smokes now 97 = I do not know 99 = Not Stated	2
<p>How does your father, or the person who is like your father, feel about <u>your</u> smoking?</p> <p><i>Coverage: Respondents where Y q11= 1 (Puffer)</i></p>	Y_q50	1 = I do not smoke 2 = I do not live with a father or anyone who is like a father 3 = He approves 4 = He does not care 5 = He does not like it 6 = He does not know that I smoke 96 = Valid Skip 97 = I do not know 99 = Not Stated	2
<p>Does your mother, or the person who is like your mother, smoke cigarettes?</p> <p><i>Coverage: All Respondents</i></p>	Y_q51	1 = I do not live with a mother or anyone who is like a mother 2 = She has never smoked 3 = She used to smoke 4 = She smokes now 97 = I do not know 99 = Not Stated	2

Variables from the Student Questionnaire			
Question	Variable Name	Values	Length
How does your mother, or the person who is like your mother, feel about <u>your</u> smoking? <i>Coverage: Respondents where Y_q11= 1 (Puffer)</i>	Y_q52	1 = I do not smoke 2 = I do not live with a mother or anyone who is like a mother 3 = She approves 4 = She does not care 5 = She does not like it 6 = She does not know that I smoke 96 = Valid Skip 97 = I do not know 99 = Not Stated	2
Do any of your sisters smoke cigarettes? <i>Coverage: All Respondents</i>	Y_q53	1 = I do not have any sisters 2 = None of my sisters smoke 3 = At least 1 of my sisters used to smoke 4 = At least 1 of my sisters smokes now 97 = I do not know 99 = Not Stated	2
Do any of your brothers smoke cigarettes? <i>Coverage: All Respondents</i>	Y_q54	1 = I do not have any brothers 2 = None of my brothers smoke 3 = At least 1 of my brothers used to smoke 4 = At least 1 of my brothers smokes now 97 = I do not know 99 = Not Stated	2
Have your parents <u>ever</u> talked to you about not smoking? <i>Coverage: All Respondents</i>	Y_q55	1 = Yes 2 = No 99 = Not Stated	2

Variables from the Student Questionnaire			
Question	Variable Name	Values	Length
<p>What are the rules about smoking in your home?</p> <p><i>Coverage: All Respondents</i></p>	Y_q56	1 = No one is allowed to smoke in my home 2 = Only special guests are allowed to smoke in my home 3 = People are allowed to smoke only in certain areas in my home 4 = People are allowed to smoke anywhere in my home 99 = Not Stated	2
<p>Excluding yourself, how many people smoke <u>inside</u> your home every day or almost every day? Do not count those who smoke outside.</p> <p><i>Coverage: All Respondents</i></p>	Y_q57	1 = None 2 = 1 person 3 = 2 people 4 = 3 people 5 = 4 people 6 = 5 or more people 99 = Not Stated	2
<p>Do <u>you</u> ever smoke <u>inside</u> your home?</p> <p><i>Coverage: All Respondents</i></p>	Y_q58	1 = Yes 2 = No 99 = Not Stated	2
<p>During the past 7 days, on how many days did you ride in a car with someone who was smoking cigarettes?</p> <p><i>Coverage: All Respondents</i></p>	Y_q59	1 = 0 days 2 = 1 or 2 days 3 = 3 or 4 days 4 = 5 or 6 days 5 = All 7 days 99 = Not Stated	2
<p>Your closest friends are the friends you like to spend the most time with. How many of your closest friends smoke cigarettes?</p> <p><i>Coverage: All Respondents</i></p>	Y_q60	1 = None 2 = 1 friend 3 = 2 friends 4 = 3 friends 5 = 4 friends 6 = 5 or more friends 99 = Not Stated	2

Variables from the Student Questionnaire			
Question	Variable Name	Values	Length
How many people in your grade, from your school, do you think smoke cigarettes? <i>Coverage: All Respondents</i>	Y_q61	1 = 91 to 100% 2 = 81 to 90% 3 = 71 to 80% 4 = 61 to 70% 5 = 51 to 60% 6 = 41 to 50% 7 = 31 to 40% 8 = 21 to 30% 9 = 11 to 20% 10 = 0 to 10% 99 = Not Stated	2
Why do you think people your age <u>start to smoke</u>? a) Their friends smoke (peer pressure) b) Their mother or father smokes c) Their brother or sister smokes d) The popular kids smoke e) They think it is relaxing f) Curiosity - just to try it g) Because it is not allowed h) To lose weight or stay slim i) For something to do j) They think it is cool k) I do not know l) Other <i>Coverage: All Respondents</i>	Y_q62a Y_q62b Y_q62c Y_q62d Y_q62e Y_q62f Y_q62g Y_q62h Y_q62i Y_q62j Y_q62k Y_q62l	1 = Yes 2 = No 99 = Not Stated	2

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Question	Variable Name	Values	Length
<p>According to the law in <u>your province</u>, how old does a person have to be in order to buy cigarettes?</p> <p><i>Coverage: All Respondents</i></p>	Y_q63	1 = 13 years old 2 = 14 years old 3 = 15 years old 4 = 16 years old 5 = 17 years old 6 = 18 years old 7 = 19 years old 8 = 20 years old 9 = 21 years old 97 = I do not know 99 = Not Stated	2
<p>What health problems can people get if they smoke for many years?</p> <p>a) Asthma b) Premature Death c) Lung Cancer d) Heart Disease e) Gum or Mouth Disease</p> <p><i>Coverage: All Respondents</i></p>	Y_q64a Y_q64b Y_q64c Y_q64d Y_q64e	1 = Yes 2 = No 99 = Not Stated	2

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Question	Variable Name	Values	Length
<p>Please answer the following questions based on your opinion.</p> <p>a) Do people have to smoke for many years before it will hurt their health?</p> <p>b) Is there any danger to your health from an occasional cigarette?</p> <p>c) Can smoking help people when they are bored?</p> <p>d) Does smoking help people relax?</p> <p>e) Does quitting smoking reduce health damage even after many years of smoking?</p> <p>f) Does smoking help people stay slim?</p> <p>g) Can people become addicted to tobacco?</p> <p>h) Can tobacco smoke be harmful to the health of non-smokers?</p> <p>i) Is it nicer to date people who do not smoke?</p> <p>j) Can smokers quit anytime they want?</p> <p>k) Do you think smoking is cool?</p> <p>l) Should smoking be allowed around kids at home?</p> <p>m) Should smoking be allowed around kids in cars?</p> <p><i>Coverage: All Respondents</i></p>	<p>Y_q65a</p> <p>Y_q65b</p> <p>Y_q65c</p> <p>Y_q65d</p> <p>Y_q65e</p> <p>Y_q65f</p> <p>Y_q65g</p> <p>Y_q65h</p> <p>Y_q65i</p> <p>Y_q65j</p> <p>Y_q65k</p> <p>Y_q65l</p> <p>Y_q65m</p>	<p>1 = Yes</p> <p>2 = No</p> <p>97 = I do not know</p> <p>99 = Not Stated</p>	2
<p>How strongly do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?</p> <p>a) I feel close to people at my school.</p> <p>b) I feel I am part of my school.</p> <p>c) I am happy to be at my school.</p> <p>d) I feel the teachers at my school treat me fairly.</p> <p>e) I feel safe in my school.</p> <p><i>Coverage: All Respondents</i></p>	<p>Y_q66a</p> <p>Y_q66b</p> <p>Y_q66c</p> <p>Y_q66d</p> <p>Y_q66e</p>	<p>1 = Strongly Agree</p> <p>2 = Agree</p> <p>3 = Disagree</p> <p>4 = Strongly Disagree</p> <p>99 = Not Stated</p>	2
<p>How are you doing in school compared to other students in your class?</p> <p><i>Coverage: All Respondents</i></p>	<p>Y_q67</p>	<p>1 = Better than average</p> <p>2 = Average</p> <p>3 = Below average</p> <p>99 = Not Stated</p>	2

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Question	Variable Name	Values	Length
Have you <u>ever</u> been taught in school about health problems due to smoking tobacco? <i>Coverage: All Respondents</i>	Y_q68	1 = Yes 2 = No 97 = I do not know 99 = Not Stated	2
At your school, what are the rules about smoking tobacco? <i>Coverage: All Respondents</i>	Y_q69	1 = I do not think there are any rules 2 = Smoking is allowed only in some areas on school property 3 = Smoking is not allowed anywhere on school property 97 = I do not know 99 = Not Stated	2
Do most students who smoke cigarettes obey the rules about smoking at <u>your</u> school? <i>Coverage: All Respondents</i>	Y_q70	1 = I do not think there are any rules 2 = Yes 3 = No 97 = I do not know 99 = Not Stated	2
How do the rules about smoking tobacco at your school affect <u>you</u> ? <i>Coverage: All Respondents</i>	Y_q71	1 = I do not smoke 2 = I do not think there are any rules 3 = I do not smoke at school 4 = I smoke less at school 5 = It does not make any difference; I smoke at school as much as I want 6 = It does not make any difference; I would not smoke at school anyway 7 = Other 99 = Not Stated	2

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Question	Variable Name	Values	Length
<p>About how much money do you usually get <u>each week</u> to spend on yourself or to save? (<i>Remember to include all money from allowances and jobs like babysitting, delivering papers...</i>)</p> <p><i>Coverage: All Respondents</i></p>	Y_q72	1 = Zero 2 = \$1 to \$5 3 = \$6 to \$10 4 = \$11 to \$20 5 = \$21 to \$40 6 = \$41 to \$100 7 = More than \$100 97 = I do not know how much money I get each week 99 = Not Stated	2
<p>Have you <u>ever</u> had a drink of alcohol, that is more than just a sip? (a beer, wine cooler, glass of wine or shot of liquor)</p> <p><i>Coverage: Respondents in grade 7-9</i></p>	Y_q73	1 = Yes 2 = No 96 = Valid Skip 99 = Not Stated	2
<p>How old were you when you first had a drink of alcohol that is more than a sip?</p> <p><i>Coverage: Respondents in grade 7-9 where Y_q73= 1 (Had a drink of Alcohol)</i></p>	Y_q74	1 = I have never drank alcohol 2 = I have only had a sip of alcohol 4 = 8 years or younger 5 = 9 years 6 = 10 years 7 = 11 years 8 = 12 years 9 = 13 years 10 = 14 years 11 = 15 years 96 = Valid Skip 97 = I do not know 99 = Not Stated	2

Variables from the Student Questionnaire			
Question	Variable Name	Values	Length
In the last year, how often did you drink alcohol? <i>Coverage: Respondents in grade 7-9 where Y_q73= 1 (Had a drink of Alcohol)</i>	Y_q75	1 = I have never drank alcohol 2 = I have not drank alcohol in the last year 3 = I have only had a sip of alcohol 4 = Once a month or less often 5 = 2 or 3 times a month 6 = Once a week 7 = 2 or 3 times a week 8 = 4 or 5 times a week 9 = Almost every day - 6 or 7 times a week 96 = Valid Skip 97 = I do not know 99 = Not Stated	2
Have you ever had 5 drinks or more of alcohol on one occasion? <i>Coverage: Respondents in grade 7-9 where Y_q73= 1 (Had a drink of Alcohol)</i>	Y_q76	1 = Yes 2 = No 96 = Valid Skip 99 = Not Stated	2
How old were you when you first had 5 drinks or more of alcohol on one occasion? <i>Coverage: Respondents in grade 7-9 where Y_q76= 1 (5 or more drinks of Alcohol on one occasion)</i>	Y_q77	1 = I have never done this 3 = 8 years or younger 4 = 9 years 5 = 10 years 6 = 11 years 7 = 12 years 8 = 13 years 9 = 14 years 10 = 15 years 96 = Valid Skip 97 = I do not know 99 = Not Stated	2

Variables from the Student Questionnaire			
Question	Variable Name	Values	Length
In the last year, how often did you have 5 drinks of alcohol or more on one occasion? <i>Coverage: Respondents in grade 7-9 where Y_q76= 1 (5 or more drinks of Alcohol on one occasion)</i>	Y_q78	1 = I have never done this 2 = 1 or 2 times 3 = 3 to 5 times 4 = 6 to 9 times 5 = 10 to 19 times 6 = 20 to 39 times 7 = 40 or more times 96 = Valid Skip 97 = I do not know 99 = Not Stated	2
Why do you think people your age start to drink alcohol? a) Their friends drink (peer pressure) b) Their mother or father drinks c) The popular kids drink d) They think it is relaxing e) Curiosity - just to try it f) Because it is not allowed g) For something to do h) They think it is cool i) To get drunk j) To get high k) I do not know l) Other <i>Coverage: Respondents in grade 7-9</i>	Y_q79a Y_q79b Y_q79c Y_q79d Y_q79e Y_q79f Y_q79g Y_q79h Y_q79i Y_q79j Y_q79k Y_q79l	1 = Yes 2 = No 96 = Valid Skip 99 = Not Stated	2
Have you ever used or tried marijuana or cannabis? (a joint, pot, weed, hash...) <i>Coverage: Respondents in grade 7-9</i>	Y_q80	1 = Yes 2 = No 96 = Valid Skip 99 = Not Stated	2

Variables from the Student Questionnaire			
Question	Variable Name	Values	Length
How old were you when you first used marijuana or cannabis? <i>Coverage: Respondents in grade 7-9 where Y_q80 = 1 (Used Marijuana)</i>	Y_q81	1 = I have never used marijuana 3 = 8 years or younger 4 = 9 years 5 = 10 years 6 = 11 years 7 = 12 years 8 = 13 years 9 = 14 years 10 = 15 years 96 = Valid Skip 97 = I do not know 99 = Not Stated	2
In the last year, how often did you use marijuana or cannabis? <i>Coverage: Respondents in grade 7-9 where Y_q80 = 1 (Used Marijuana)</i>	Y_q82	1 = I have never used marijuana 2 = 1 or 2 times 3 = 3 to 5 times 4 = 6 to 9 times 5 = 10 to 19 times 6 = 20 to 39 times 7 = 40 or more times 96 = Valid Skip 97 = I do not know 99 = Not Stated	2
Do you think in the future you <u>might try</u> marijuana or cannabis? <i>Coverage: Respondents in grade 7-9</i>	Y_q83	1 = I have already tried marijuana 2 = Definitely yes 3 = Probably yes 4 = Probably not 5 = Definitely not 96 = Valid Skip 99 = Not Stated	2

Variables from the Student Questionnaire			
Question	Variable Name	Values	Length
<p>Do you think it would be difficult or easy for you to get marijuana or cannabis if you wanted to use it?</p> <p><i>Coverage: Respondents in grade 7-9</i></p>	Y_q84	1 = Difficult 2 = Easy 96 = Valid Skip 97 = I do not know 99 = Not Stated	2
<p>Why do you think people your age start to use marijuana or cannabis?</p> <p>a) Their friends use it (peer pressure) b) Their mother or father uses it c) The popular kids use it d) They think it is relaxing e) Curiosity - just to try it f) Because it is not allowed g) For something to do h) They think it is cool i) To get high j) I do not know k) Other</p> <p><i>Coverage: Respondents in grade 7-9</i></p>	Y_q85a Y_q85b Y_q85c Y_q85d Y_q85e Y_q85f Y_q85g Y_q85h Y_q85i Y_q85j Y_q85k	1 = Yes 2 = No 96 = Valid Skip 99 = Not Stated	2
<p>Which do you think is more harmful to your health, smoking cigarettes or marijuana (cannabis)?</p> <p><i>Coverage: Respondents in grade 7-9</i></p>	Y_q86	1 = Smoking cigarettes is more harmful 2 = Smoking marijuana is more harmful 3 = Both are the same 96 = Valid Skip 97 = I do not know 99 = Not Stated	2

Variables from the Student Questionnaire			
Question	Variable Name	Values	Length
<p>Have you ever used this:</p> <p>a) Amphetamines (speed, ice, meth...) b)MDMA (ecstasy, E, X...) c) Hallucinogens (LSD, PCP, acid, magic mushrooms...) d)DACS (links...) e) Heroin (smack, junk, crank...) f) Cocaine (coke, crack, blow, snow...) g) Steroids (testosterone, growth hormones, Dianabol, juice, roids...)</p> <p><i>Coverage: Respondents in grade 7-9</i></p>	<p>Y_q87a Y_q87b Y_q87c Y_q87d Y_q87e Y_q87f Y_q87g</p>	<p>1 = Yes 2 = No 96 = Valid Skip 99 = Not Stated</p>	2
<p>How old were you when you first used or tried this:</p> <p>a) Amphetamines (speed, ice, meth...) b) MDMA (ecstasy, E, X...) c) Hallucinogens (LSD, PCP, acid, magic mushrooms...) d)DACS (links...) e) Heroin (smack, junk, crank...) f) Cocaine (coke, crack, blow, snow...) g) Steroids (testosterone, growth hormones, Dianabol, juice, roids...)</p> <p><i>Coverage: Respondents in grade 7-9</i></p>	<p>Y_q87a_age Y_q87b_age Y_q87c_age Y_q87d_age Y_q87e_age Y_q87f_age Y_q87g_age</p>	<p>1 = 12 or younger 2 = 13 3 = 14 4 = 15 96 = Valid Skip 99 = Not Stated</p>	2

Variables from the Student Questionnaire			
Question	Variable Name	Values	Length
<p>Have you ever tried this:</p> <p>a) Sniffed glue, gasoline or other products (solvents) to get high?</p> <p>b) Used or tried medication like Ritalin NOT for medical purposes?</p> <p>c) Used or tried painkillers (Talwin, Oxycontin...) to get high and NOT for medical purposes?</p> <p>d) Used or tried any other medications or natural health products to get high and NOT for medical purposes?</p> <p><i>Coverage: Respondents in grade 7-9</i></p>	<p>Y_q88a</p> <p>Y_q88b</p> <p>Y_q88c</p> <p>Y_q88d</p>	<p>1 = Yes</p> <p>2 = No</p> <p>96 = Valid Skip</p> <p>99 = Not Stated</p>	2
<p>How old were you when you first used or tried this</p> <p>a) Sniffed glue, gasoline or other products (solvents) to get high?</p> <p>b) Used or tried medication like Ritalin NOT for medical purposes?</p> <p>c) Used or tried painkillers (Talwin, Oxycontin...) to get high and NOT for medical purposes?</p> <p>d) Used or tried any other medications or natural health products to get high and NOT for medical purposes?</p> <p><i>Coverage: Respondents in grade 7-9</i></p>	<p>Y_q88a_age</p> <p>Y_q88b_age</p> <p>Y_q88c_age</p> <p>Y_q88d_age</p>	<p>1 = 12 years or younger</p> <p>2 = 13 years</p> <p>3 = 14 years</p> <p>4 = 15 years</p> <p>96 = Valid Skip</p> <p>99 = Not Stated</p>	2

Derived and Assigned Variables			
Question	Variable Name	Values	Length
Smoking Status <i>Coverage: All respondents</i>	DVTY1ST	1 = Current Smoker 2 = Former Smoker 3 = Never Smoker	1
Smoking Detailed Classifications <i>Coverage: All respondents</i>	DVTY2ST	1 = Current Daily Smoker 2 = Current Occasional Smoker 3 = Former Daily Smoker 4 = Former Occasional Smoker 5 = Experimental Smoker (Beginner) 6 = Past Experimental Smoker 7 = Puffer 8 = Never Smoker	1
Do either of your parents smoke cigarettes <i>Coverage: All respondents</i>	P_SMOKE	0 = No parents smoke 1 = At least 1 parent smokes 97 = I don't know 99 = Not Stated	2
Do any of your siblings smoke cigarettes <i>Coverage: All respondents</i>	SIB_SMOKE	0 = No siblings smoke 1 = At least 1 sibling smokes 97 = I don't know 99 = Not Stated	2
Susceptible to smoking <i>Coverage: All respondents</i>	D_SUSCEPTIBLE	1 = No 2 = Yes 99 = Not Stated	2
General score to measure the child's overall self-esteem. <i>Coverage: All respondents</i>	DVSELF	0 : 20 99 = Not Stated	2
The average number of cigarettes smoked per day in the past week. <i>Coverage: Respondents where Y_q18=1 (Whole Cigarette)</i>	DVAMTSMK	0 = 0 Cigarettes smoked 1 : 36 Cigarettes smoked 96 = Valid skip 99 = Not Stated	2

Derived and Assigned Variables			
Question	Variable Name	Values	Length
Total number of cigarettes smoked in the past 7 days prior to the survey. <i>Coverage: Respondents where Y_q18=1 (Whole Cigarette)</i>	DVCIGWK	0 = 0 Cigarettes smoked 1 : 252 Cigarettes smoked 996 = Valid skip 999 = Not Stated	3
Number of days on which respondent smoked in the week prior to the survey. <i>Coverage: Respondents where Y_q18=1 (Whole Cigarette)</i>	DVNDSMK	0 = Did not smoke in the last 7 days 1 = Smoked 1 day in the last 7 days 2 = Smoked 2 days in the last 7 days 3 = Smoked 3 days in the last 7 days 4 = Smoked 4 days in the last 7 days 5 = Smoked 5 days in the last 7 days 6 = Smoked 6 days in the last 7 days 7 = Smoked every day in the last 7 days 96 = Valid skip 99 = Not Stated	2
Average number of cigarettes smoked on the days that the respondent smoked. <i>Coverage: Respondents where Y_q18=1 (Whole Cigarette)</i>	DVAVCIGD	0 = 0 Cigarettes smoked 1 : 36 Cigarettes smoked 96 = Valid skip 99 = Not Stated	2
Smoking pattern in the last 7 days. <i>Coverage: Respondents where Y_q18=1 (Whole Cigarette)</i>	DVSMKPTN	1 = Smoked every day 2 = Smoked week days only 3 = Smoked weekend days only 4 = Did not smoke in the last 7 days 5 = Other pattern 96 = Valid skip 99 = Not Stated	2
Are you an aboriginal person, that is, North American Indian, Métis or Inuit (Eskimo)? <i>Coverage: All respondents</i>	DVABORIG	1 = Yes 2 = No 99 = Not Stated	2
The weight assigned to each record	WTPP		8