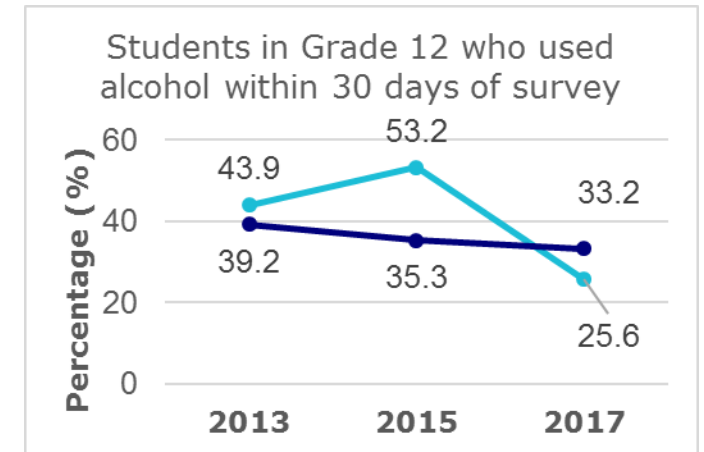
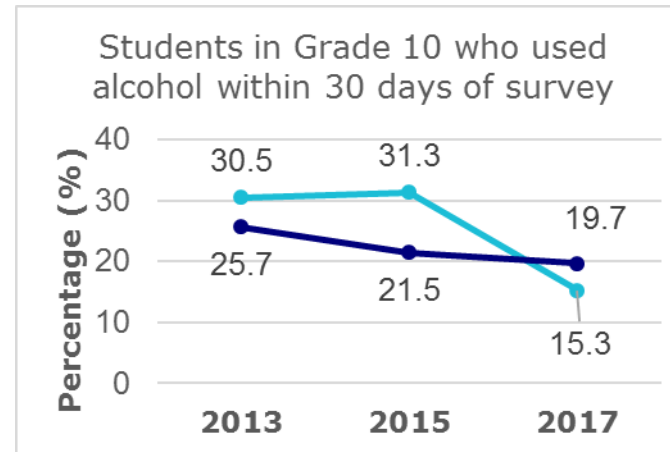
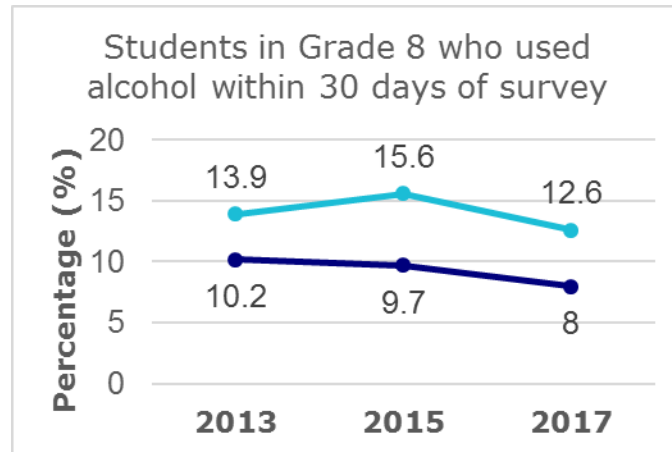
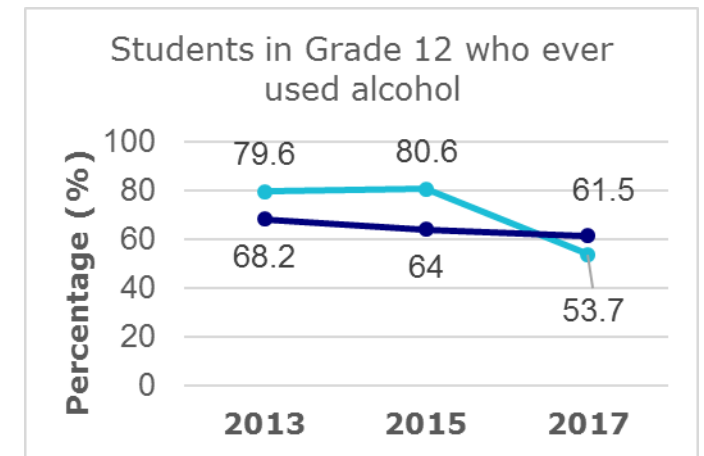
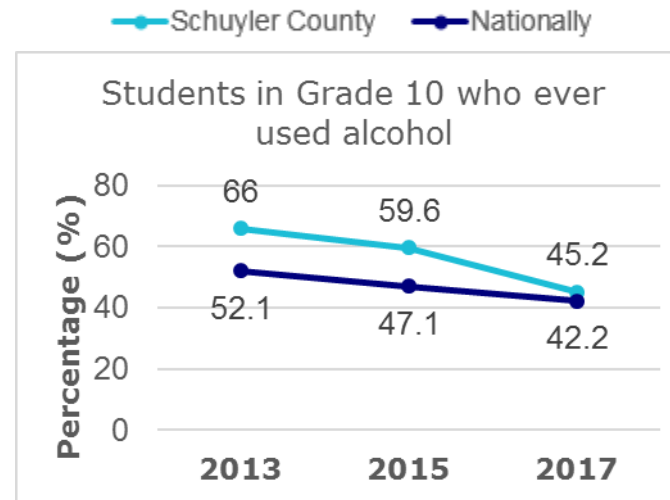
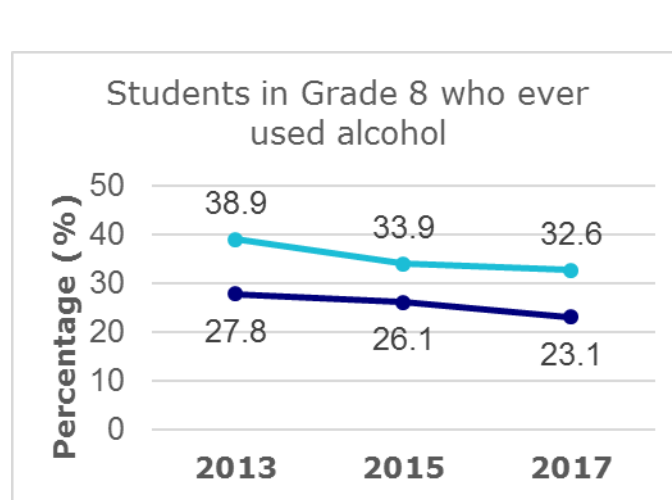


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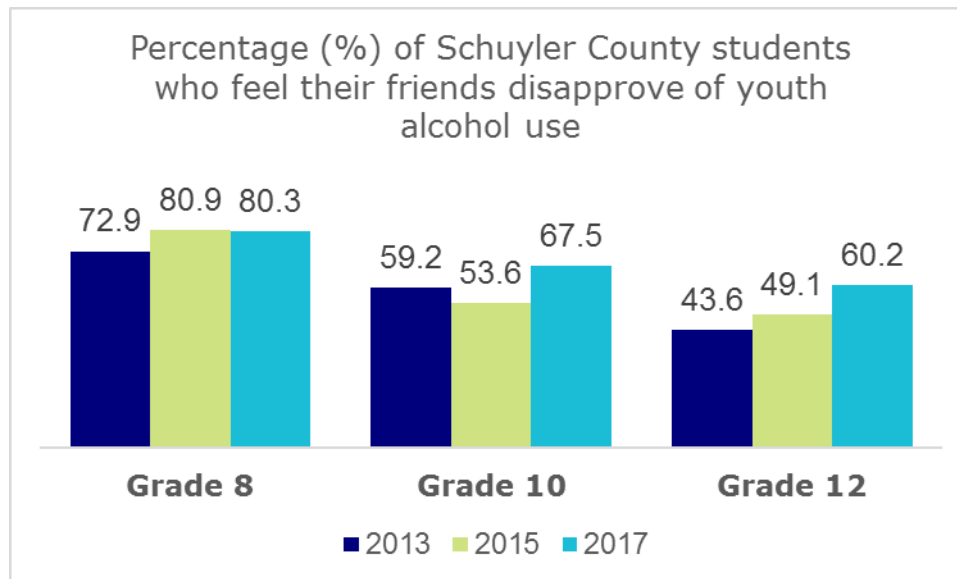
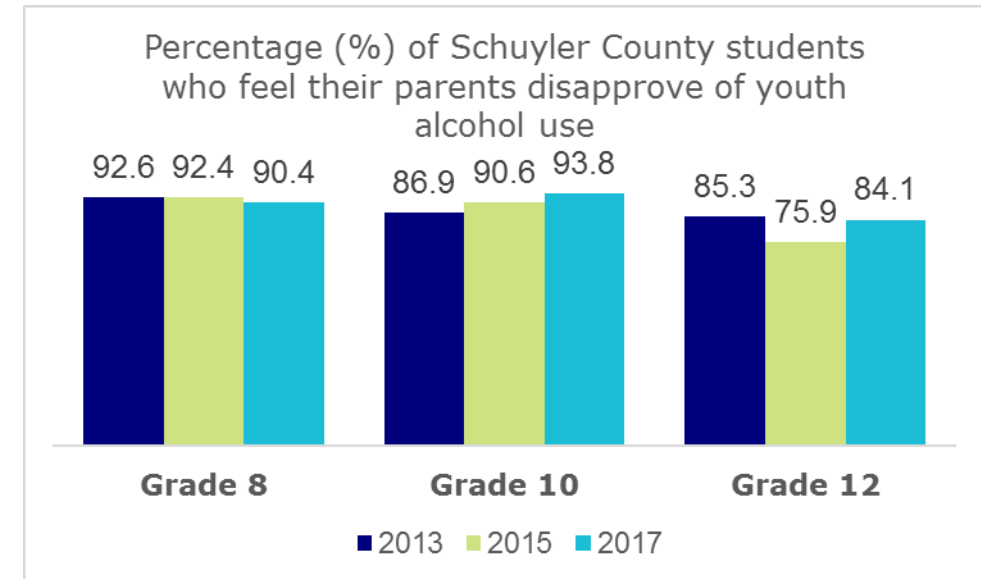
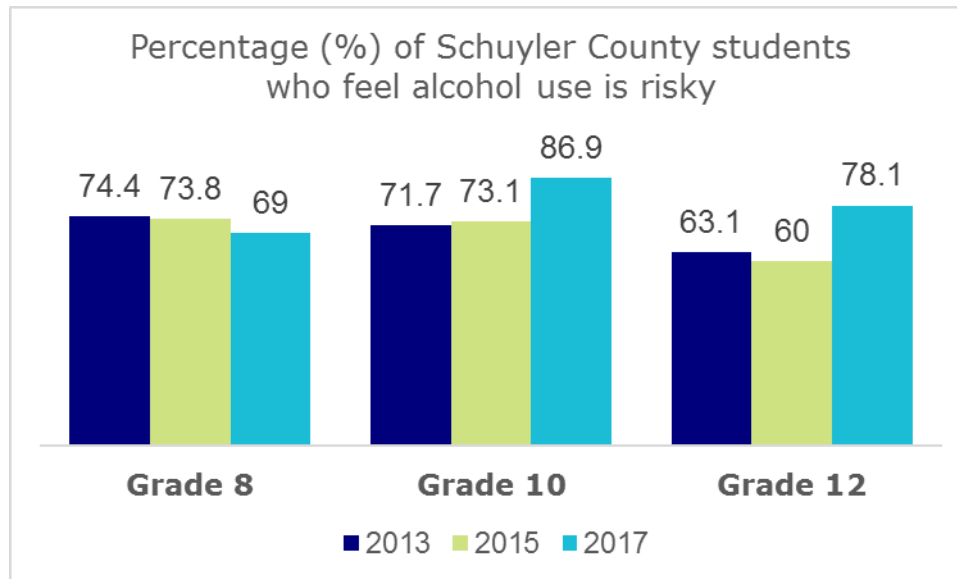


Students attending Watkins Glen, Odessa Montour, and Bradford schools were surveyed in 2013, 2015, and 2017 (Bradford was not involved in the 2015 survey). In 2013, 145 eighth graders, 141 tenth graders, and 114 twelfth graders took the survey. In 2015, 132 eighth graders, 100 tenth graders, and 63 twelfth graders took the survey. In 2017, 126 eighth graders, 107 tenth graders, and 79 twelfth graders took the survey.



Almost all (94.4%) students in Grades 9 through 12 who have used alcohol started before age 12. More than half (54.6%) started before they turned 10.

Risk Factors for Alcohol Use



Analysis from the 2017 Evalumetrics Youth Survey showed that:

- Students with ***favorable attitudes toward drug use*** are **1.98 times** more likely to have used alcohol in the 30 days before the survey. Nearly one in 10 (9.6%) Schuyler County students in grades 9-12 scored at risk for *favorable attitudes toward drug use*.
- Students who felt their ***parents had favorable attitudes toward drug use*** were **1.72 times** more likely to use alcohol. In Schuyler County, 10.0% scored at risk.
- Students who reported that their ***friends use drugs*** were **1.68 times** more likely to drink. In Schuyler County, 9.2% scored at risk.

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2013 Schuyler County Communities That Care Survey
 2015 Schuyler County Communities That Care Survey
 2017 Evalumetrics Youth Survey