#### Seatbelt Use

- 49% of students always wear a seat belt when riding in a car; 9% report never or rarely wearing a seat belt
- Among drivers, 9% never or rarely wear a seat belt when driving; 65% always wear a seat belt when driving
- 40% of males and 29% of females did not always wear a seat belt when driving

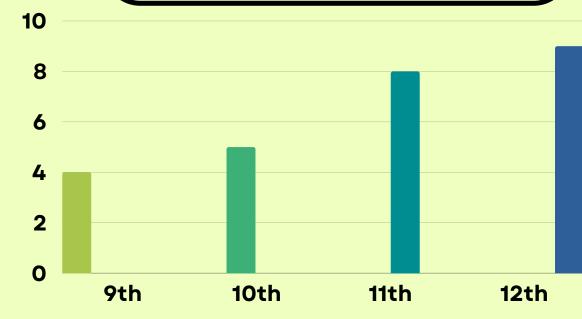


# MONTANA STUDENT DRIVING BEHAVIORS

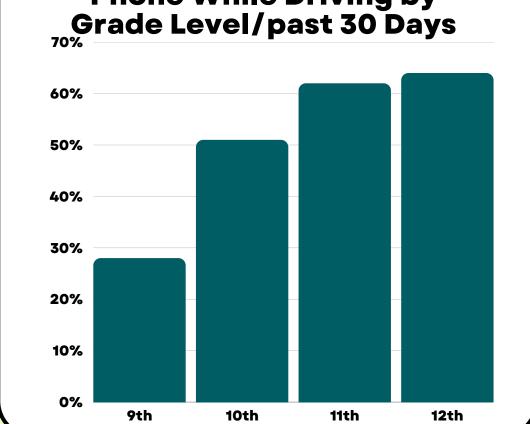
#### **Alcohol and Driving**

- 21% of students rode
   with a driver who had
   been drinking alcohol
   during the past 30 days
- 7% of students drove when they had been drinking alcohol during the past 30 days

Percent of students who drove while drinking by grade level/past 30 days.



## Percentage of DriversWho Used the Internet or Apps on a Cell Phone While Driving by



### Number of Montana students in a class of 30 who:

Used the Internet or Apps on a cell phone while driving

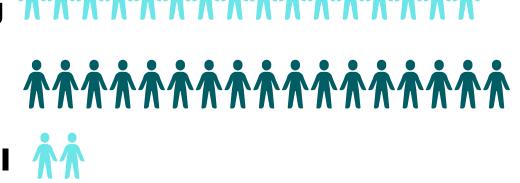
Texted or e-mailed while driving

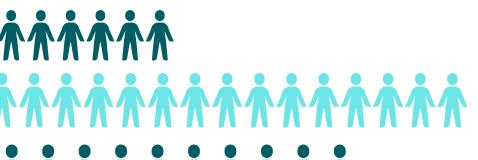
Drove while drinking alcohol

Rode with a driverwho had been drinking alcohol

Always wore a seat belt when driving a car

Always wore a seat belt when riding in a car





### Distracted Driving



- 57% of students who drove a car during the past 30 days texted or e-mailed while driving
- 53% of students who drove a vehicle during the past 30 days used the Internet or Apps on their cell phone while driving

Among students who Drive, the Percentage Who Always Wore a Seat Belt When Driving a Car by Grade Level.

