MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENTS USE ELECTRONIC VAPOR PRODUCTS

1 in 13

MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENTS HAVE USED MARIJUANA

1 in 15

EIGHTH GRADERS HAVE HAD AN ALCOHOLIC DRINK

Seventh graders (18%)
Sixth graders least likely (9%)

1 in 5

STUDENTS:
TALK to your parents or a trusted teacher if you are worried a friend is drinking, smoking, or using drugs.

BE A GOOD FRIEND.
Encourage smokers to quit, and help support them when they do quit.

NEVER GET IN THE CAR if the driver has been DRINKING.

PARENTS:
SET CLEAR RULES and boundaries and be open to discussions.

BE A GOOD ROLE MODEL.
If you smoke, quit.
Don't drink and drive.

TALK ABOUT WAYS TO RESPOND to peer pressure and avoid dangerous situations.

Source: Youth Risk Behavior Survey, Rhode Island, 2015