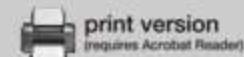


# TRENDS: Violence—Weapon Carrying



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**Q12:** During the past 30 days, on how many days did you carry a weapon such as a gun, knife or club?

**More students reported not carrying weapons.**

- The percentage of students who reported carrying a weapon has declined. Overall, a significant decrease was observed between 1993 and 2005.
- A significant decrease in carrying weapons was observed for males and students in the ninth grade between 1993 and 2005.

	1993	1997	1999	2003	2005
Total	11.5%	13.6%	16.6%	9.6%	8.6%
Male	15.5%	16.3%	20.1%	10.9%	10.7%
Female	7.2%	10.7%	13.1%	8.0%	6.4%

