

Bullying and Harassment in Maine High Schools

2017 MIYHS Data



were bullied on school property in the past year



were electronically bullied in the past year

7% white students

28% students of color

were the target of offensive comments or attacks based on their race or ethnicity at school (or on the way to or from school)

9% boys

22% girls

were the target of offensive sexual comments at school (or on the way to or from school)

all students

8%

33% lesbian, gay, bisexual students

were the target of offensive comments or attacks based on their perceived sexual orientation at school (or on the way to or from school)



report that adults in their school 'always' or 'most of the time' address conflict, negative language and bullying in positive ways to help students



For more information about bullying:

U.S. Health and Human Services: www.stopbullying.gov/

Maine Department of Education: www.maine.gov/doe/bullying/