

**Vermont Department of Education
Safe and Healthy Schools
Hazing and Harassment Complaints Reported By Vermont Schools
2009-2010 School Year**

Hazing or Harassment Related To Victim's:

Type of Offender	Type of Victim	Hazing/Harassment	Total	Color	Creed	Disability	Sex	Natl origin	Race	Sexual orient	Gender identity-related	%
Student attending this school	Other adult	Harassment	2			1	1					0.3%
Student attending this school	School personnel	Harassment	25		2		5	4	2	10	1	3.4%
Student attending this school	Student attending this school	Harassment	692	27	27	56	328	19	53	171	7	94%
Student attending this school	Student from another school	Harassment	7	1			6					1%
Student attending this school	Unknown	Harassment	7				1	1		5		1%
Student from another school	Student attending this school	Harassment	2	1						1		0.3%
Student attending this school	Student attending this school	Hazing	1									0.1%
Totals:			736	29	29	57	341	24	55	187	8	
Percentages:				3.9%	3.9%	7.7%	46.3%	3.3%	7.5%	25.4%	1.1%	

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Student attending this school	Student attending this school	Harassment	429	21	6	36	218	11	28	97	11	99.8%
Unknown	Student attending this school	Harassment	1			1						0.2%
Totals:			430	21	6	37	218	11	28	97	11	
Percentages:				4.9%	1.4%	8.6%	50.7%	2.6%	6.5%	22.6%	2.6%	

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2007-2008 School Year**

Hazing or Harassment Related To Victim's:

Type of Offender	Type of Victim	Hazing/Harassment	Total	Color	Creed	Disability	Sex	Natl origin	Race	Sexual orient	Gender identity- related	%
School personnel	Unknown	Harassment	4		1					3		0.6%
Student attending this school	Other adult	Harassment	12			1	7			4		1.7%
Student attending this school	School personnel	Harassment	27	2		1	14		2	8		3.9%
Student attending this school	Student attending this school	Harassment	618	25	46	48	282	16	48	130	23	90.1%
Student attending this school	Student from another school	Harassment	7			2	1	1	3			1%
Student attending this school	Unknown	Harassment	15	1	8		3	1		2		2.2%
Student attending this school	Student attending this school	Hazing	3									0.4%
Totals:			686	28	55	52	307	18	53	147	23	
Percentages:				4.1%	8%	7.6%	44.8%	2.6%	7.7%	21.4%	3.4%	

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2006-2007 School Year
260 Schools Reporting (71%)**

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Type of Offender	Type of Victim	Hazing/Harassment	Total	Color	Creed	Disability	Sex	Natl origin	Race	Sexual orient	Other	%
Student attending this school	Data Missing	Harassment	15			1	10	1		2		1.9%
Student attending this school	School personnel	Harassment	35	1	2	2	15	1	2	12		4.3%
Student attending this school	Student attending this school	Harassment	725	31	13	65	364	24	63	163		90%
Student attending this school	Student from another school	Harassment	4			1	2	1				0.5%
Student attending this school	Unknown	Harassment	24		1					1	22	3%
Student attending this school	Student attending this school	Hazing	3									0.4%
Totals:			806	32	16	69	391	27	65	178	22	
Percentages:				4%	2%	8.6%	48.5%	3.3%	8.1%	22.1%	2.7%	

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2005-2006 School Year
263 Schools Reporting (100%)**

Type of Offender	Type of Victim	Hazing/Harassment	Total	Hazing or Harassment Related To Victim's:								%
				Color	Creed	Disability	Gender	Natl origin	Race	Sexual orient	Other	
Student attending this school	Other adult	Harassment	3				2				1	0.4%
Student attending this school	School personnel	Harassment	43		1	2	12	3	5		20	5.4%
Student attending this school	Student attending this school	Harassment	693	41	7	55	258	22	41		264	87.5%
Student attending this school	Student from another school	Harassment	12				7		1		4	1.5%
Student attending this school	Unknown	Harassment	36	3	2	2	3	1	4		21	4.5%
Student from another school	Student attending this school	Harassment	2				2					0.3%
Student from another school	Student from another school	Harassment	1			1						0.1%
Unknown	Student attending this school	Harassment	2								2	0.3%
Totals:			792	44	10	60	284	26	51		312	
Percentages:				5.6%	1.3%	7.6%	35.9%	3.3%	6.4%		39.4%	

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2004-2005 School Year
317 Schools Reporting (100%)**

Hazing or Harassment Related To Victim's:

Type of Offender	Type of Victim	Hazing/Harassment	Total	Color	Creed	Disability	Gender	Natl origin	Race	Sexual orient	Other	%
School personnel	Student attending this school	Harassment	1								1	0.1%
Student attending this school	Data Missing	Harassment	12				1			2	9	1.3%
Student attending this school	Other adult	Harassment	3				1			2		0.3%
Student attending this school	School personnel	Harassment	44	1	3	1	8	2	2	20	7	4.9%
Student attending this school	Student attending this school	Harassment	820	34	7	53	252	18	45	265	146	91.4%
Student attending this school	Student from another school	Harassment	5	2			2				1	0.6%
Student attending this school	Unknown	Harassment	5		1		3			1		0.6%
Student from another school	Student attending this school	Harassment	2			1	1					0.2%
Unknown	School personnel	Harassment	1				1					0.1%
Student attending this school	Student attending this school	Hazing	4			1	1				2	0.4%
Totals:			897	37	11	56	270	20	47	290	166	
Percentages:				4.1%	1.2%	6.2%	30.1%	2.2%	5.2%	32.3%	18.5%	

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Hazing and Harassment Reported by Vermont Schools 2003 - 2004 School Year With Other Category

(Pursuant to Act 120 of the 2000 Legislative Session)

	Race	Creed	Color	National Origin	Marital Status	Sex	Sexual Orientation	Disability	Other	Number of Complaints
Harassment - Student by (another) student	80	9	31	16	1	233	271	66	361	1068
Harassment - Student by (another) student from another school										
Harassment - Student by Staff										
Other Adult						1			1	2
Hazing									1	1
Other										
Total	80	9	31	16	1	234	271	66	363	1071
Percentage	7%	1%	3%	1%	0%	22%	25%	6%	34%	

2003 - 2004 School Year Without Other Category*

	Race	Creed	Color	National Origin	Marital Status	Sex	Sexual Orientation	Disability	Number of Complaints
Harassment - Student by (another) student	81	13	31	16	1	308	272	68	790
Harassment - Student by (another) student from another school									
Harassment - Student by Staff									
Other Adult									
Other									
Total	81	13	31	16	1	308	272	68	790
Percentage	10%	2%	4%	2%	0%	39%	34%	9%	

*When schools reported harassment as "other", they were required to describe the incident. This chart re-distributes those incidents which should have been categorized as harassment and eliminates those that did not meet the legal definition at all (i.e. bullying, harassment based on socio-economic status, body shape, etc.).

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2002 - 2003 School Year**

(Pursuant to Act 120 of the 2000 Legislative Session)

309 Schools Reporting (95%)

	Race	Creed	National Origin	Marital Status	Sex	Sexual Orientation	Disability	Other	Number of Complaints
Harassment - Student by (another) Student	109	19	13	3	477	331	69	431	1452
Harassment - Student by Staff	3	0	0	0	3	0	0	4	10
Hazing	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	17	18
Total	113	19	13	3	480	331	69	452	1480
Percentage	8%	1%	1%	0%	32%	22%	5%	31%	

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2001 - 2002 School Year**

(Pursuant to Act 120 of the 2000 Legislative Session)

304 Schools Reporting (Preliminary Data - Unverified)

	Race	Creed	National Origin	Sex	Sexual Orientation	Disability	Other	Number of Incidents
Harassment - Student by (another) Student	340	11	28	525	428	148	149	1629
Harassment - Student by Staff	3	0	1	9	4	12	15	44
Hazing	0	0	0	0	4	1	15	20
Bullying*	295	23	2	190	68	65	215	858
Total	638	34	31	724	504	226	394	2551
Percentage	25%	1%	1%	28%	20%	9%	15%	

*At the time of this data collection, there was no definition for bullying in state law.

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Three Year Comparison

	Race			Creed			Color			National Origin			Marital Status			Sex			Sexual Orientation			Disability			Other			Number of Incidents		
	01-02	02-03	03-04	01-02	02-03	03-04	01-02	02-03	03-04	01-02	02-03	03-04	01-02	02-03	03-04	01-02	02-03	03-04	01-02	02-03	03-04	01-02	02-03	03-04	01-02	02-03	03-04	01-02	02-03	03-04
Harassment - Student by (another)	340	109	80	11	19	9			31	28	13	16		3	1	525	477	233	428	331	271	148	69	66	149	431	361	1629	1452	1068
Harassment - Student by Staff	3	3	0	0	0	0			0	1	0	0		0	0	9	3	0	4	0	0	12	0	0	15	4	0	44	10	0
Other Adult			0			0			0			0			0			1			0			0			1			2
Hazing	0	1	0	0	0	0			0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	1	0	0	15	17	1	20	18	1
Bullying	295			23						2						190			68			65			215			858		
Total	638	113	80	34	19	9			31	31	13	16		3	1	724	480	234	504	331	271	226	69	66	394	452	363	2551	1480	1071
Percentage	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%			1%	1%	1%	1%		1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0

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Student to Student Harassment
Three Year Comparison - Race, Sex and Sexual Orientation

