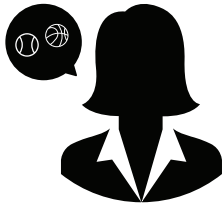


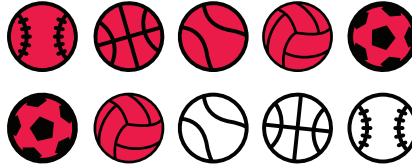
GIRLS INC. GIRLS ARE **STRONG**, SMART & BOLD

Girls Inc. is dedicated to making a measurable difference in the lives of girls, and has developed the Girls Inc. Strong, Smart, and Bold Outcomes Survey to measure indicators of girl success in a network-wide survey each year. In 2016, over 1,700 girls, ages 9 and up, across 22 Girls Inc. affiliate organizations participated. Selected results are below.

GIRLS INC. GIRLS LIVE HEALTHY & ACTIVE LIVES



74% of women executives agree that a background in sports can help accelerate a woman's leadership and career potential.



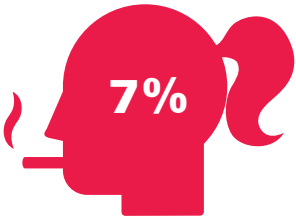
69% of Girls Inc. girls, played on at least one sports team in the past year.

Students who eat breakfast have improved cognitive function and are less likely to miss school.

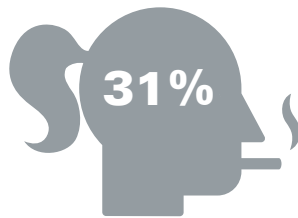


74% of Girls Inc. girls ate breakfast the morning of the survey.

THEY ABSTAIN FROM NEGATIVE LIFESTYLE CHOICES

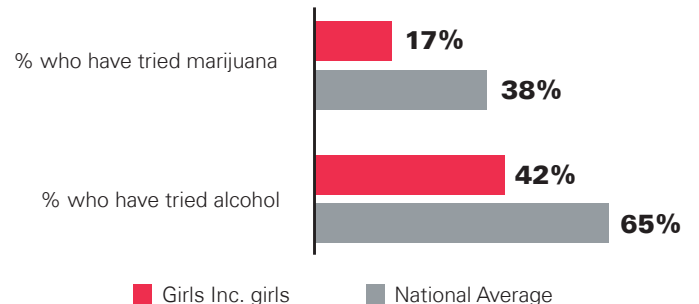


7% of Girls Inc. high school girls have ever used cigarettes.



31% of high school girls nationally have ever used cigarettes.

Girls Inc. high schoolers are more likely than their peers to abstain from risky behaviors.



THEY ARE CONFIDENT & MAKE HEALTHY SEXUAL DECISIONS

75% of Girls Inc. high schoolers say they are happy with their bodies.



The national average is **22%**.



- 14%** of Girls Inc. teens say they have ever had sex.
- Of sexually active teens, **73%** say they used some method of birth control the last time they had sex.
- 95%** of teen girls say that "getting pregnant would interfere with school."

QUESTIONS?

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