Youth Voices in Prevention: Baseline Survey Results

In the Fall of 2017 we collected data from 7-10th grade students in 3 high schools and 5 middle schools in the Rapid City Area School District.

These schools included:
- Central High School
- Rapid City High School
- Stevens High School
- East Middle School
- North Middle School
- South Middle School
- Southwest Middle School
- West Middle School

Below are results from some of the survey questions we administered to 2,291 students in the Fall of 2017.

Who took the survey?

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<th>Age</th>
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Feelings of Mattering

Depression and Suicide

Positive Coping

Victimization

Social Norms

Views About the Future

Community Responses

Adult Responses
- “I’m glad that you are taking time out to listen and find out what our kids are concerned about.”
- “I’m so pleased to hear the school district is supporting this effort against violence.”
- “We must be really important if Rapid was chosen to be part of this.”

Student Responses
- “Thanks for coming in and asking us what’s going on here.”

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