



2011 Youth Risk Behavior Survey

High School Statewide Representative Sample

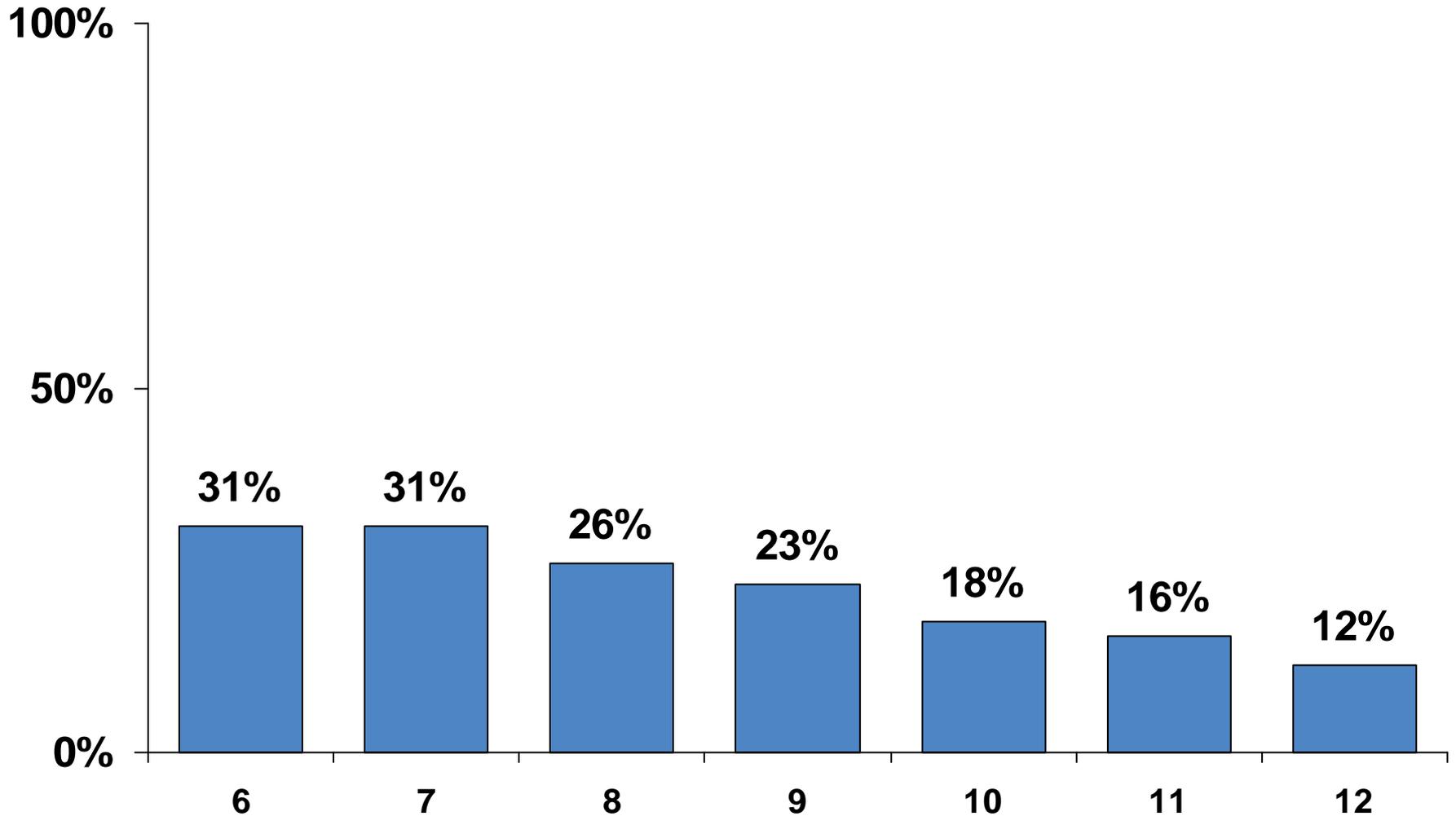
- 24 out of 25 schools participated
- 8,654 students took the survey
- School response rate: 96%
- Student response rate: 80%
- Overall response rate: 77% (96% x 80%)
- Results are weighted to represent all students in grades 9-12 (28,347 students) by grade, gender, and race/ethnicity

Middle School Statewide Representative Sample

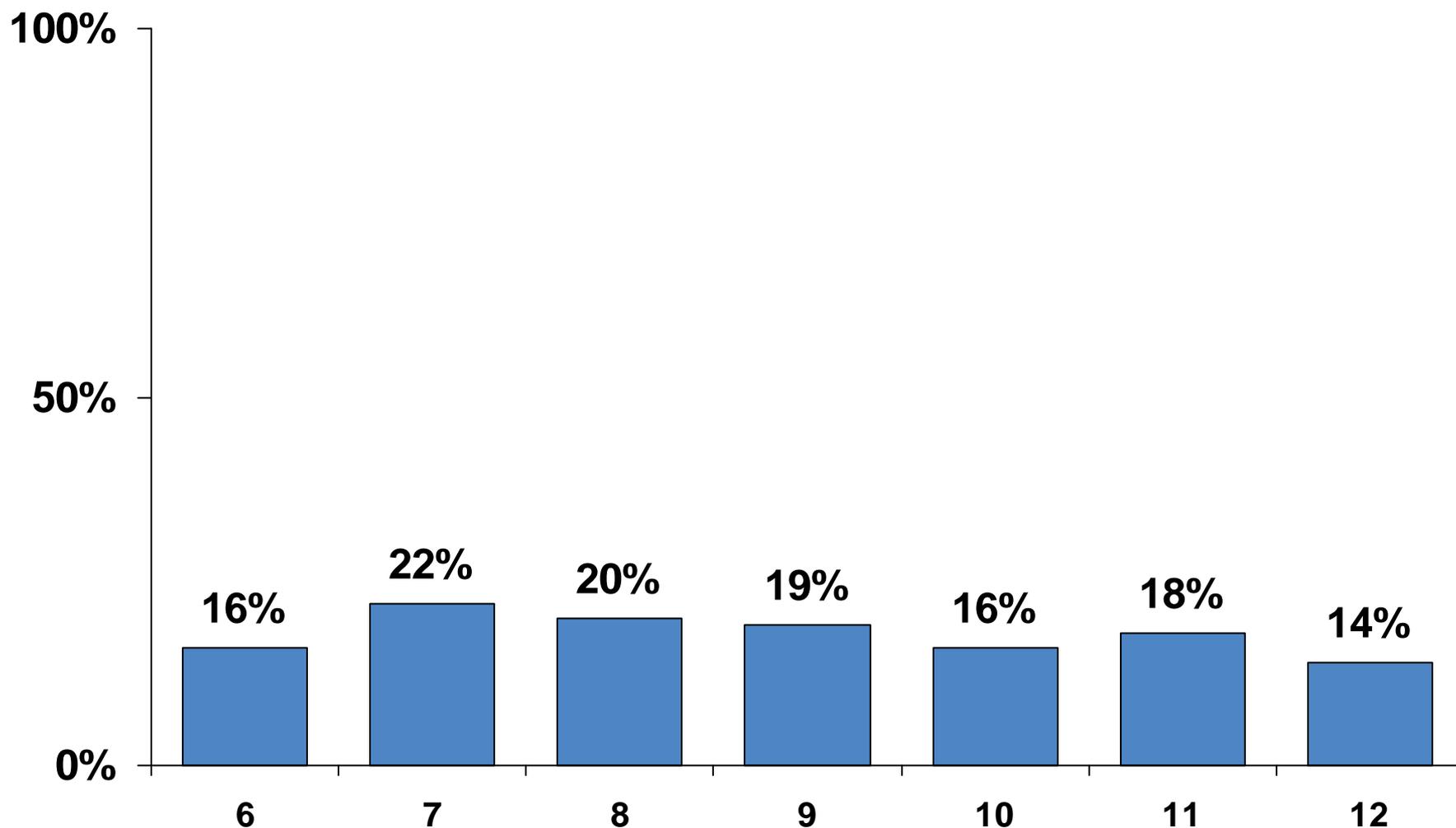
- 25 out of 25 schools participated
- 3,278 students took the survey
- School response rate: 100%
- Student response rate: 88%
- Overall response rate: 88% (100% x 88%)
- Results are weighted to represent all students in grades 6-8 attending middle schools (16,941 students) by grade, gender, and race/ethnicity

- These slides are graphs of some of the questions that appear on both the high school and middle school surveys
- The question wording is **exactly the same** on both surveys
- Questions that do not have exactly the same wording **should not be compared**
- *There are some additional questions on cigarette use that are the same on both surveys, but the prevalence of cigarette use among middle school students is too small to calculate. Therefore, there are no slides for those questions.*

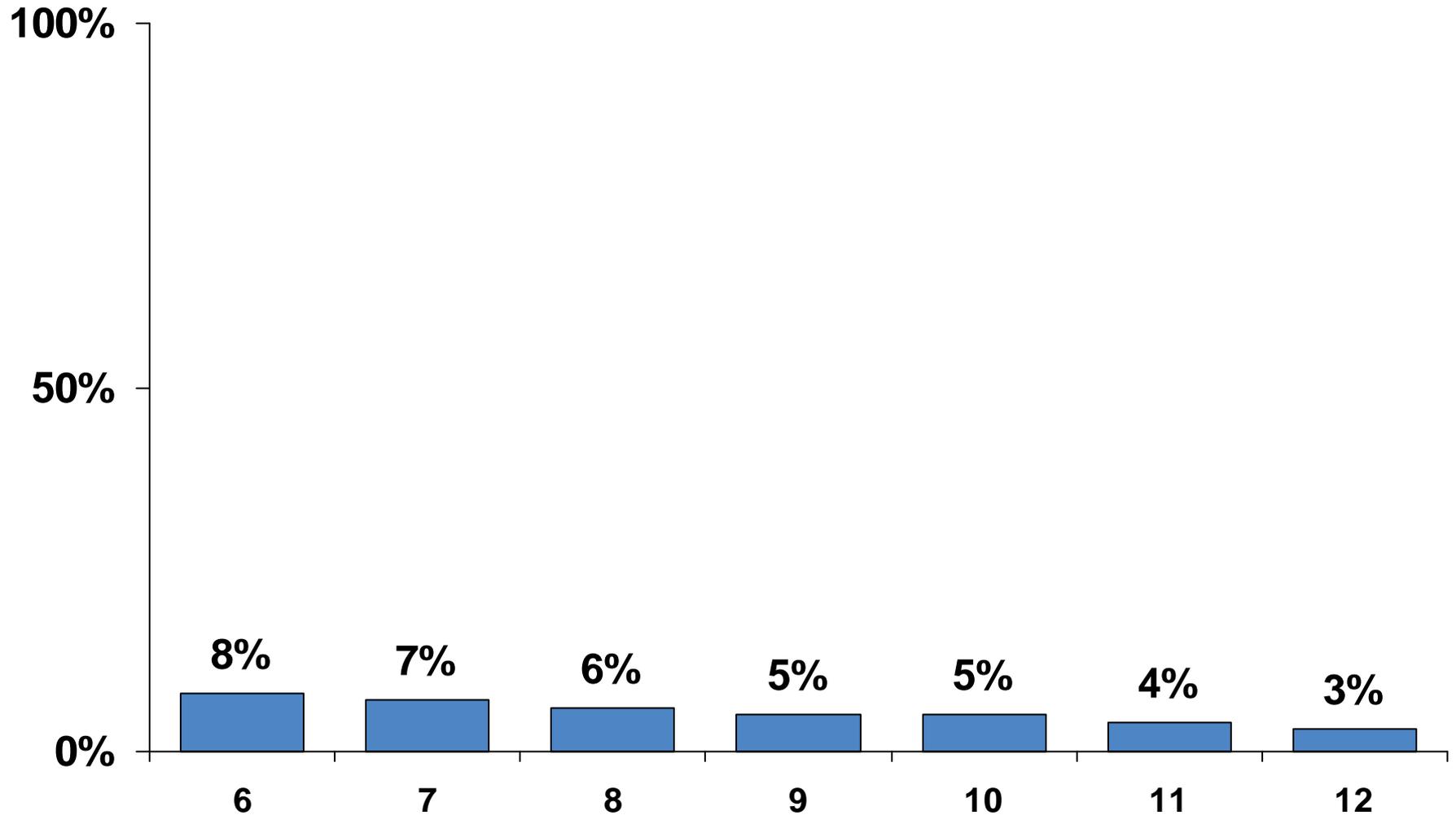
Were bullied in the past 30 days by grade



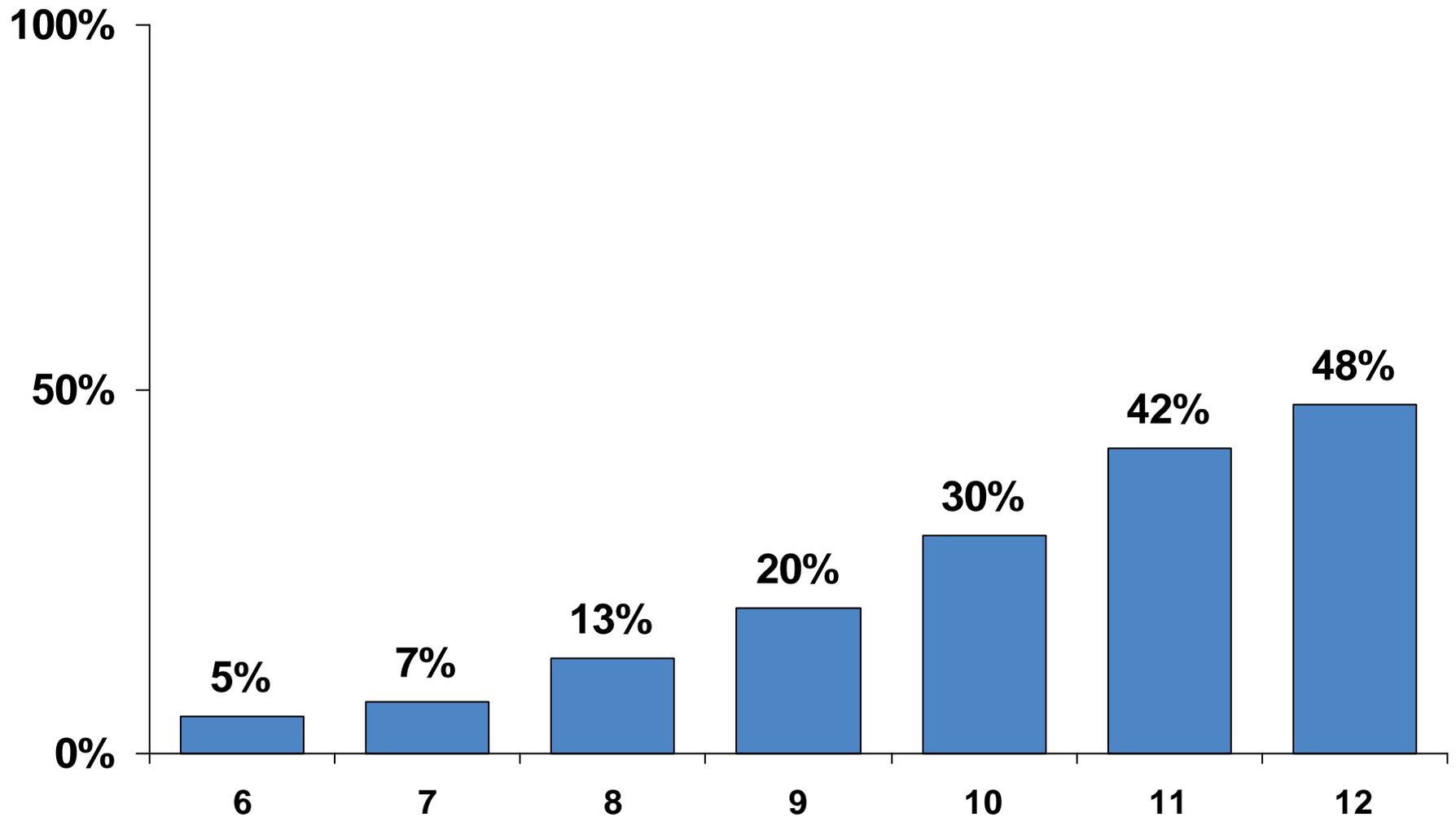
Bullied someone else in the past 30 days by grade



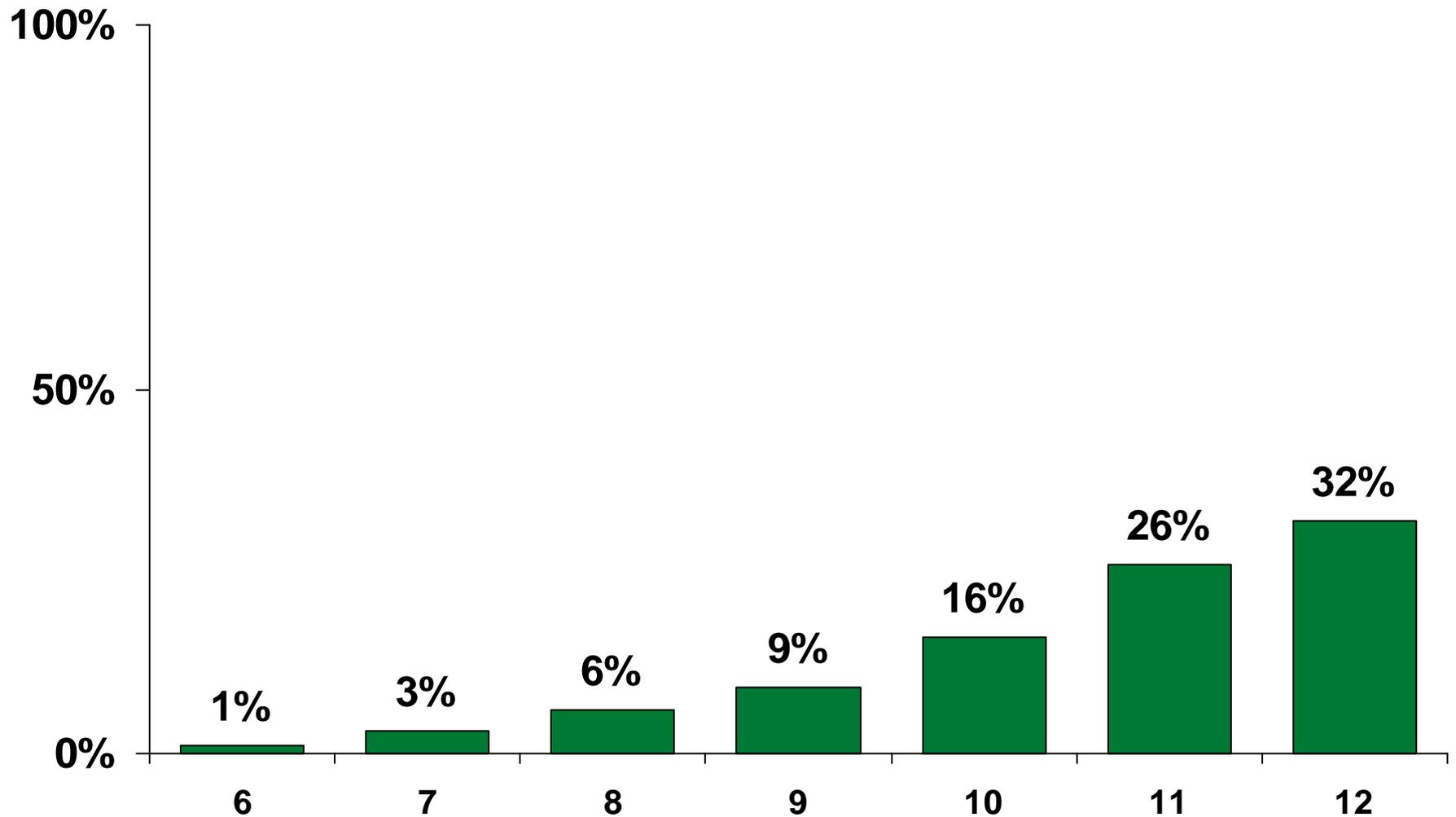
Did not go to school in past 7 days because felt unsafe at school or to/from school by grade



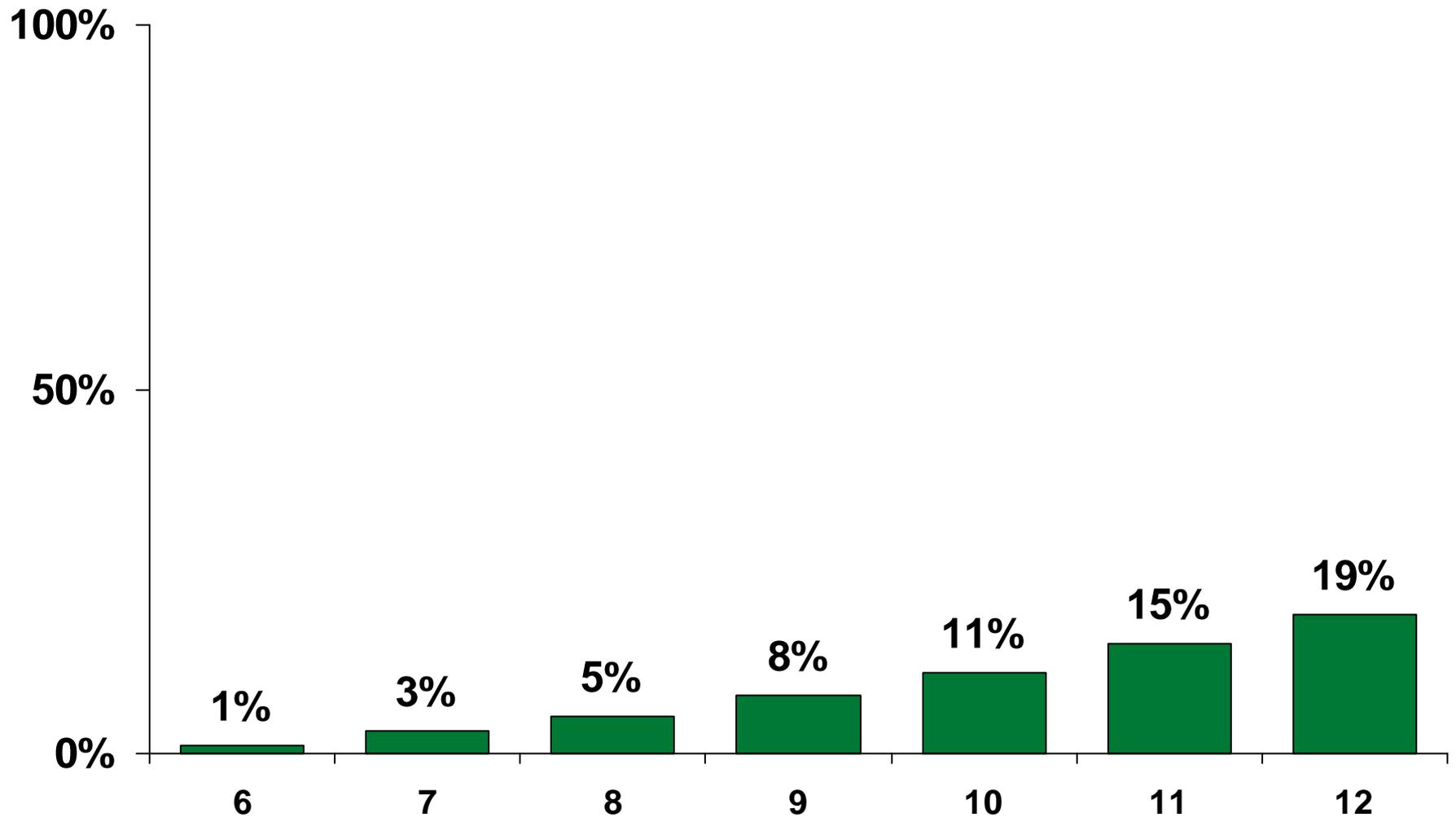
Alcohol use in the past 30 days by grade



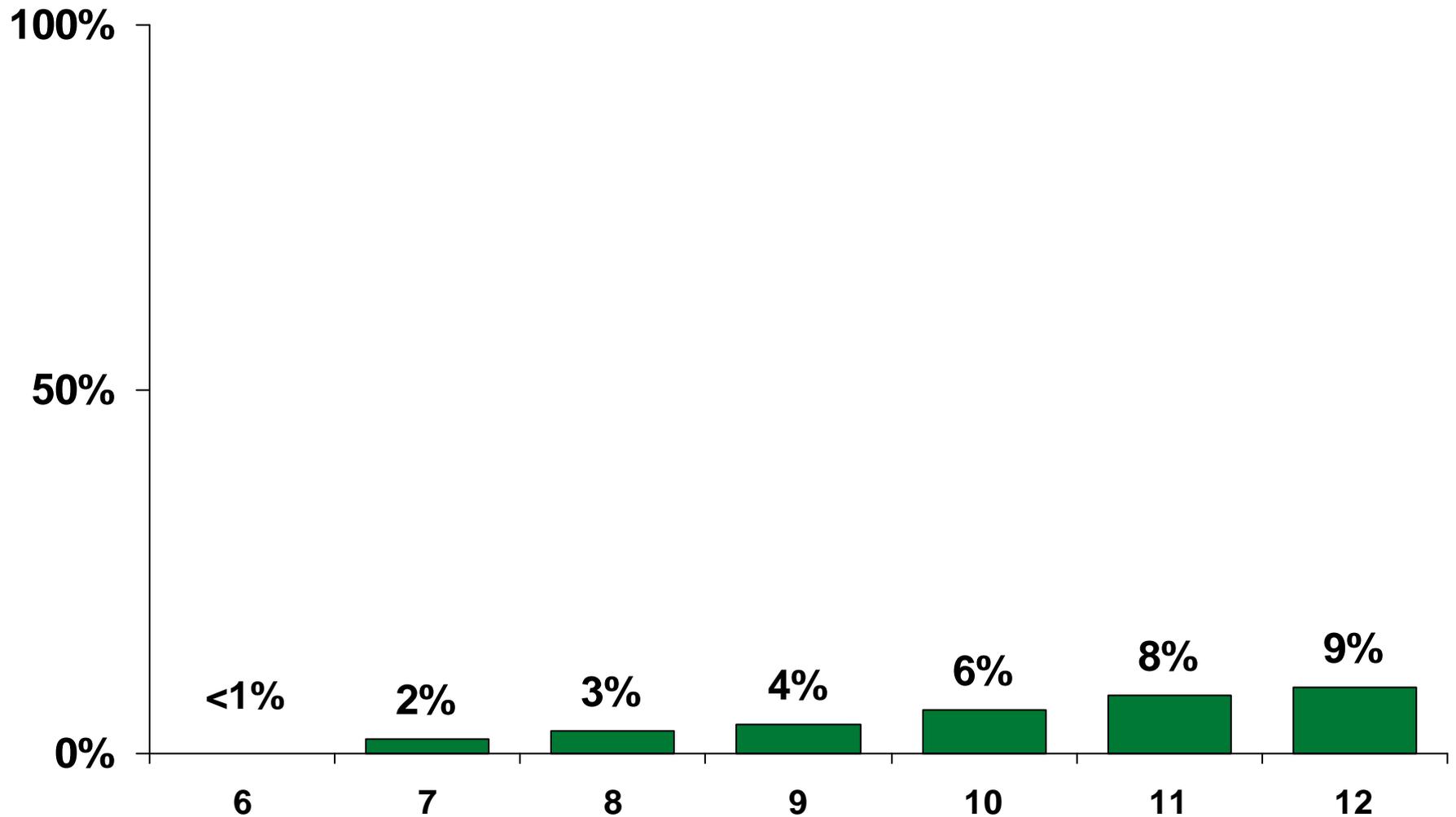
Binge drinking in the past 30 days by grade



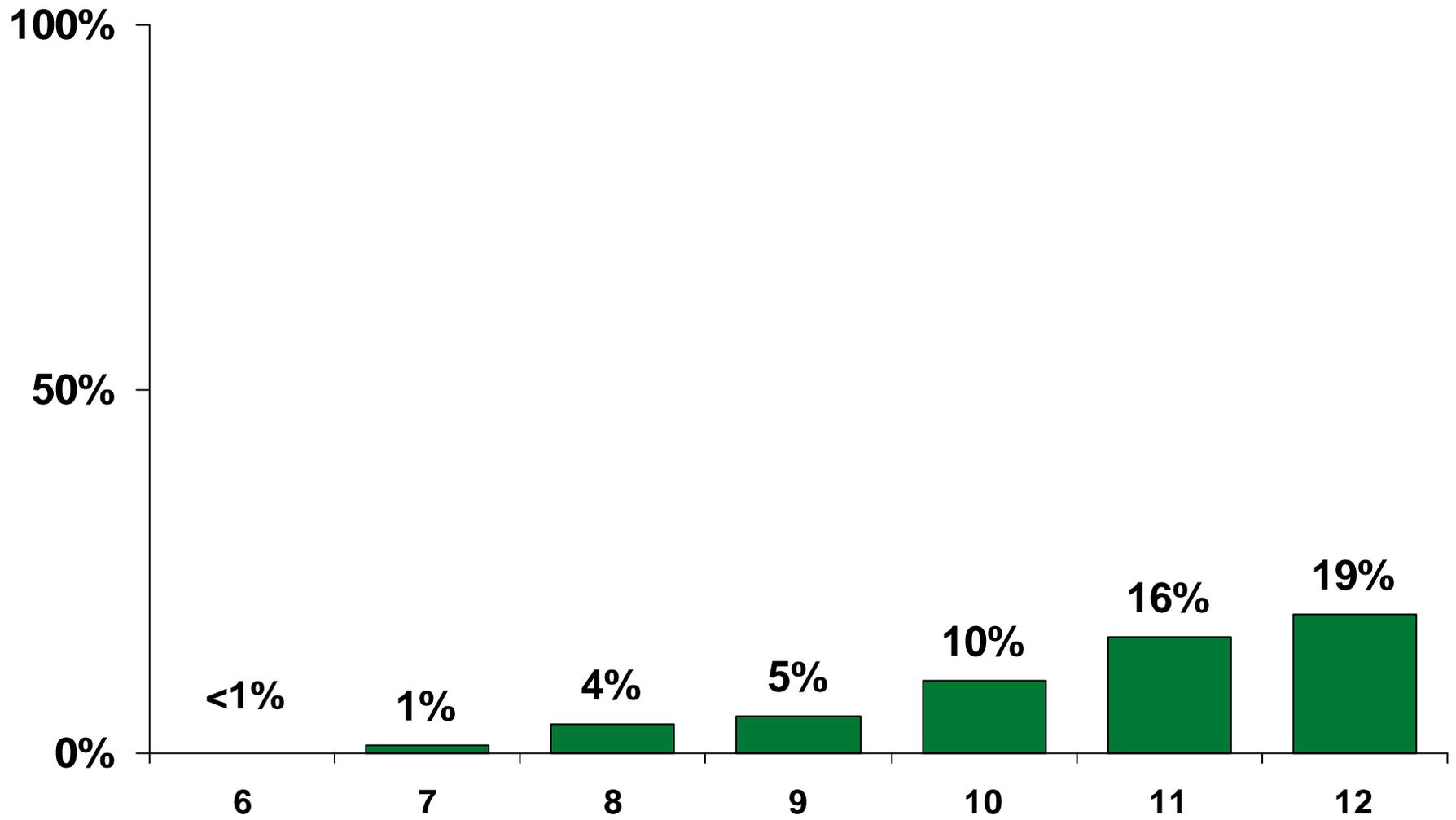
Cigarette use in the past 30 days by grade



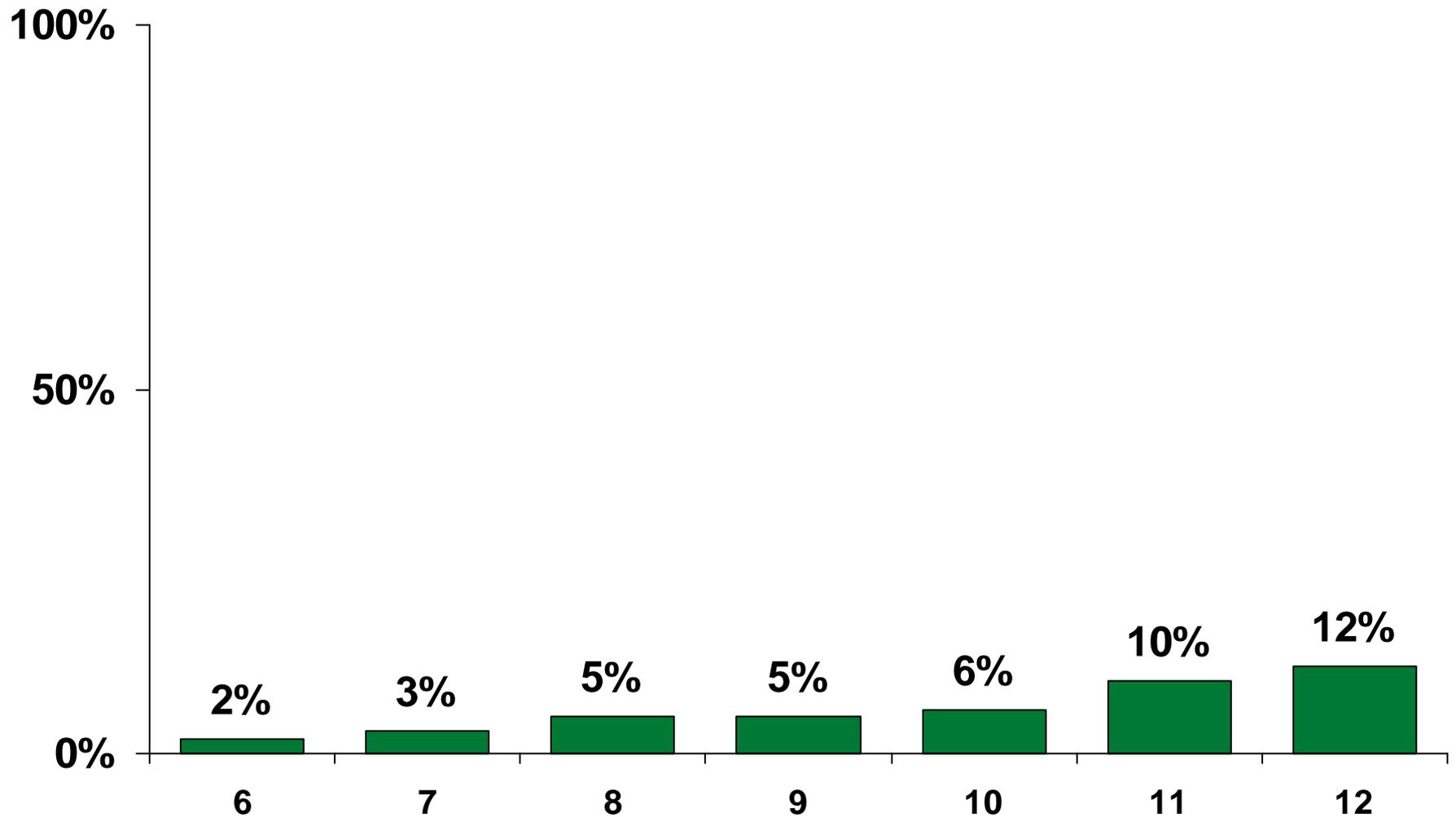
Chewing tobacco use in past 30 days by grade



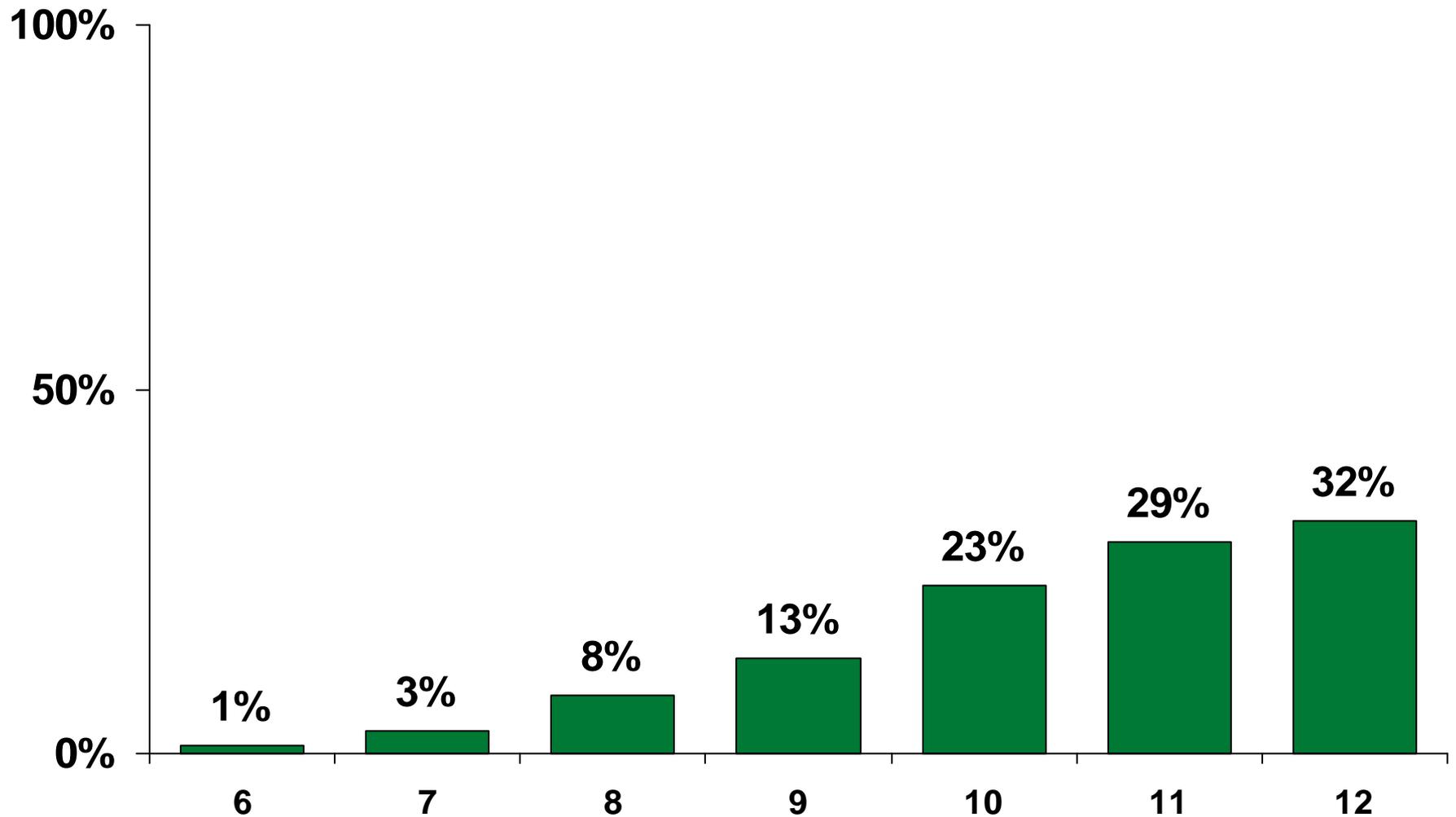
Cigar use in past 30 days by grade



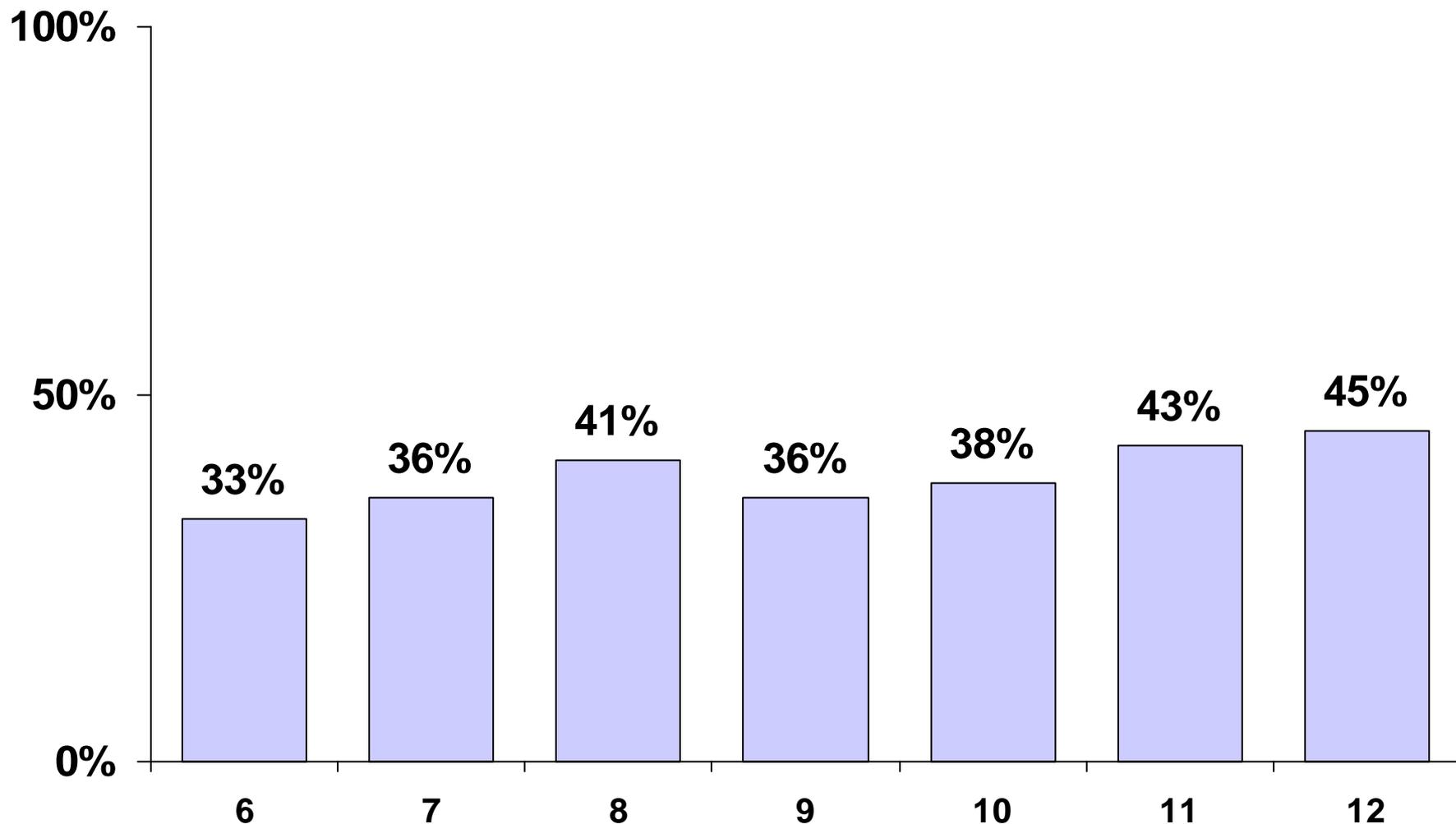
Ever used snus by grade



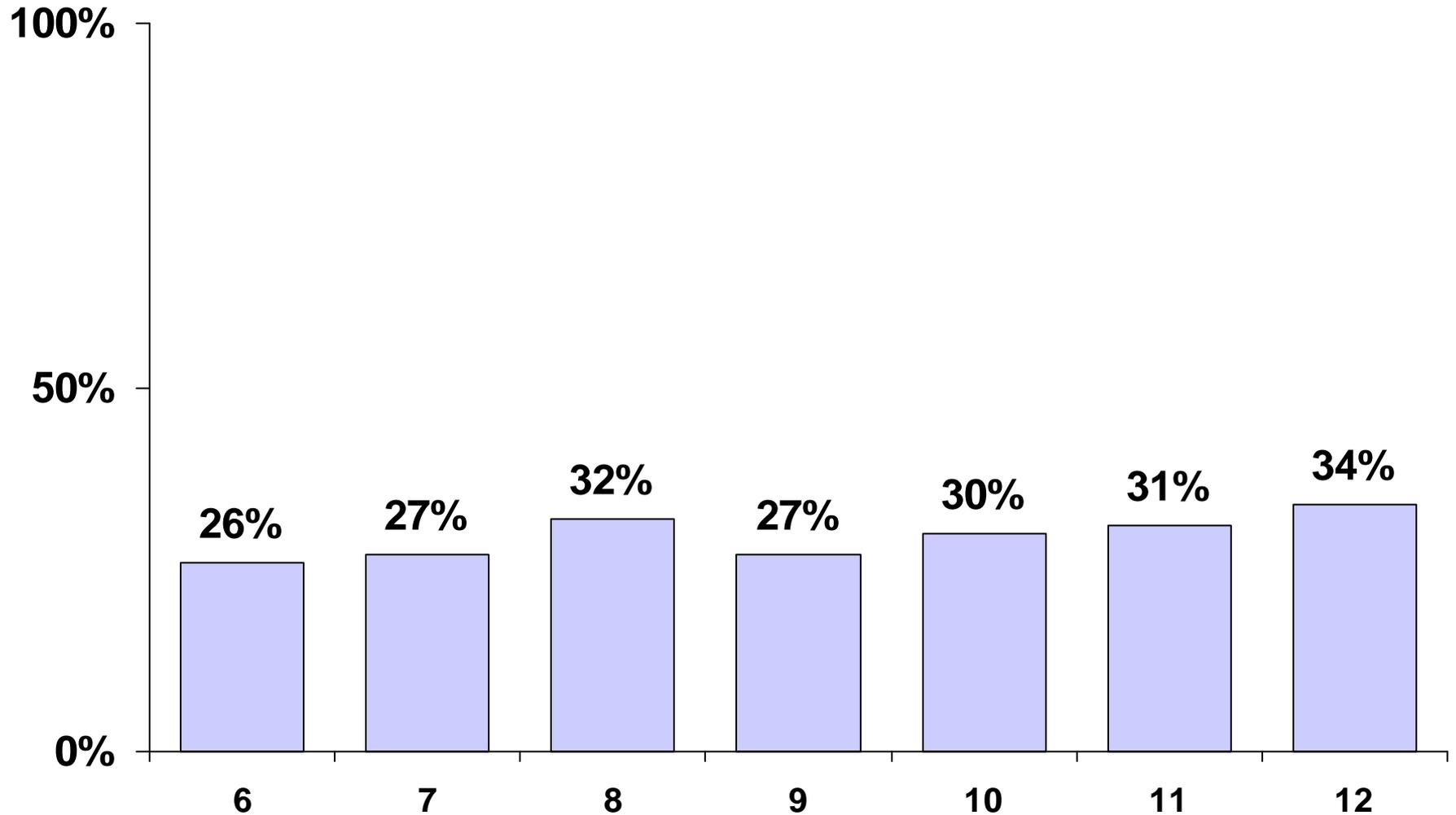
Marijuana use in the past 30 days by grade



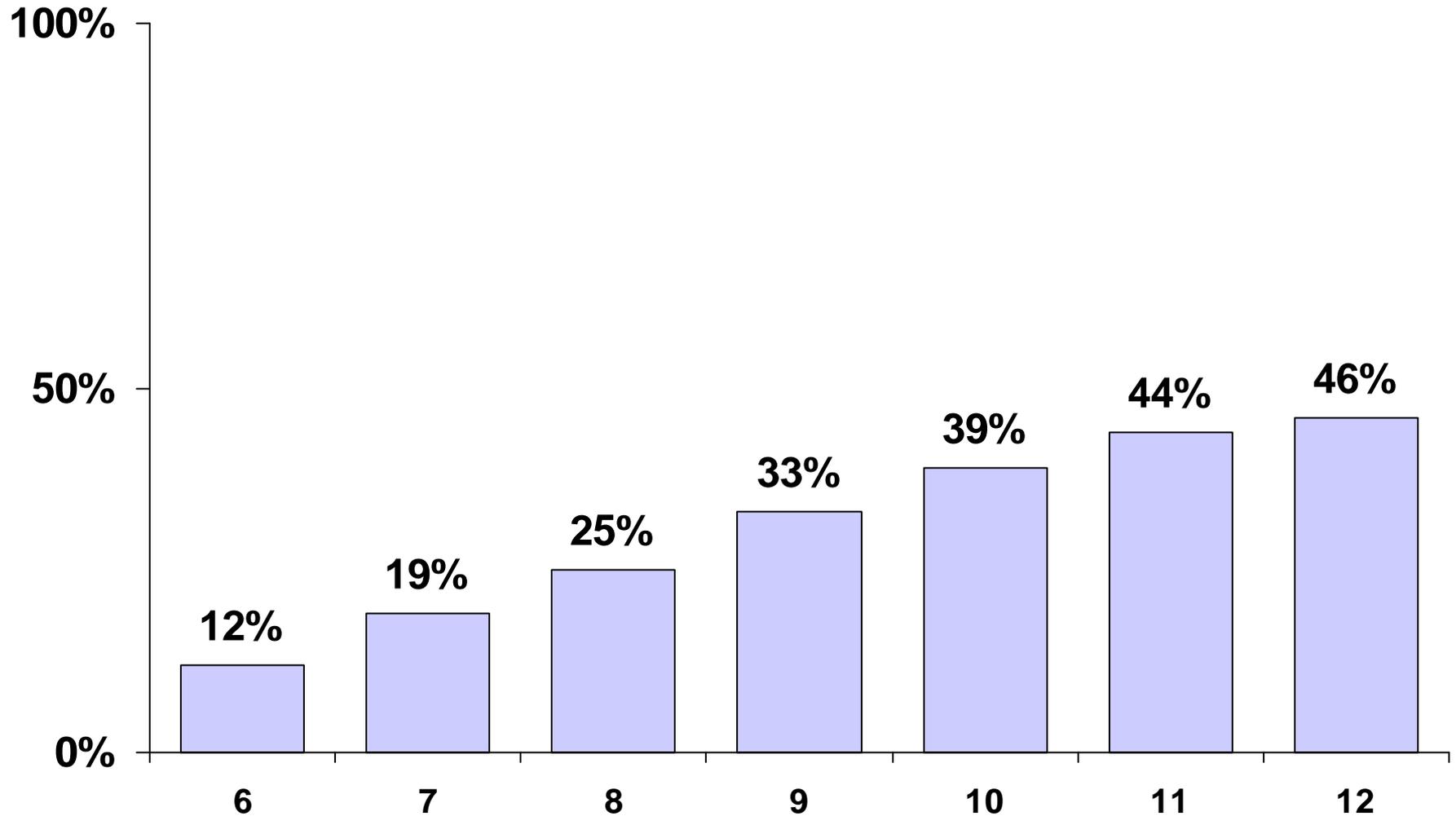
Were in the same room as someone who was smoking cigarettes by grade



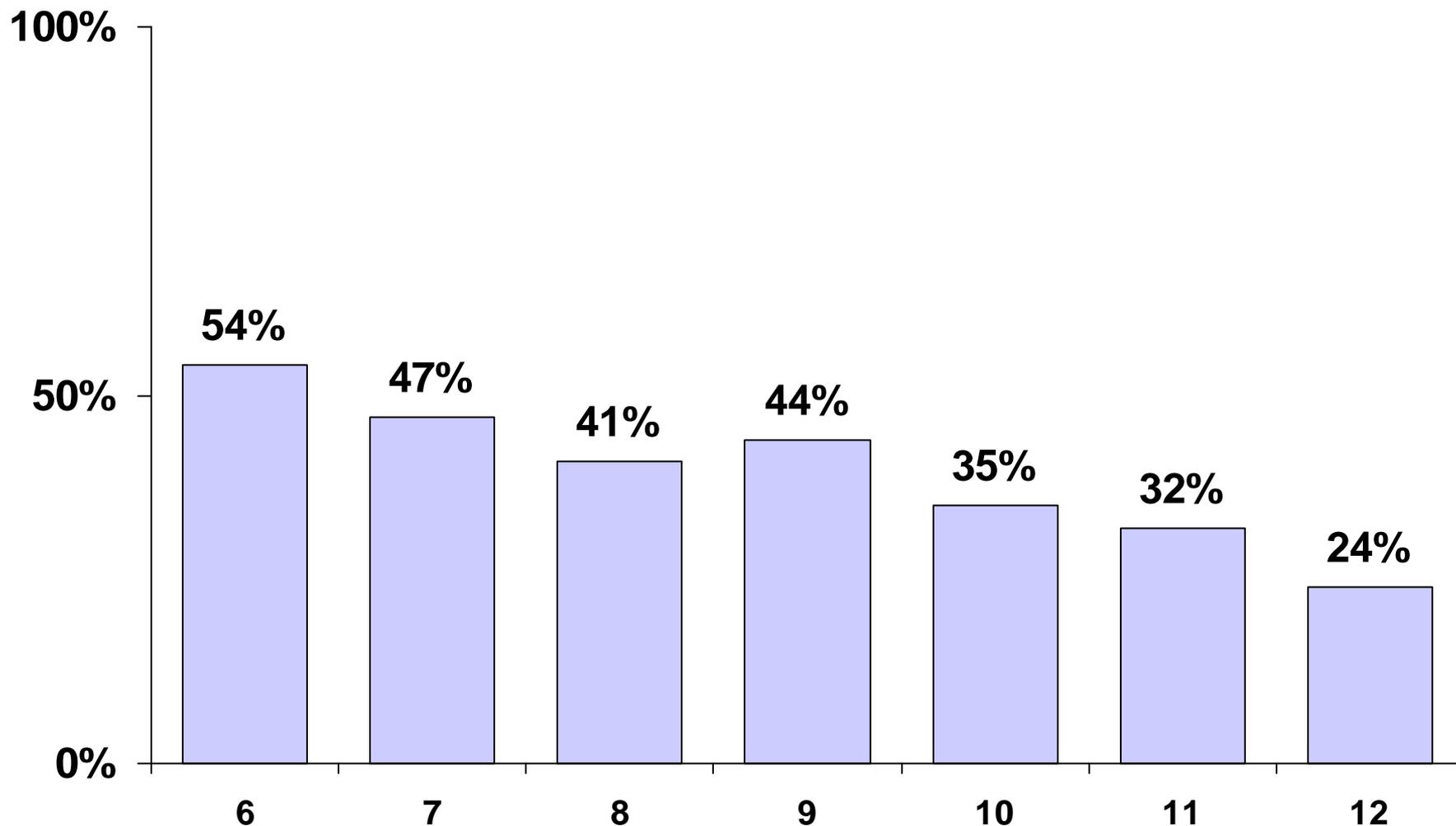
Were in the same car as someone who was smoking cigarettes by grade



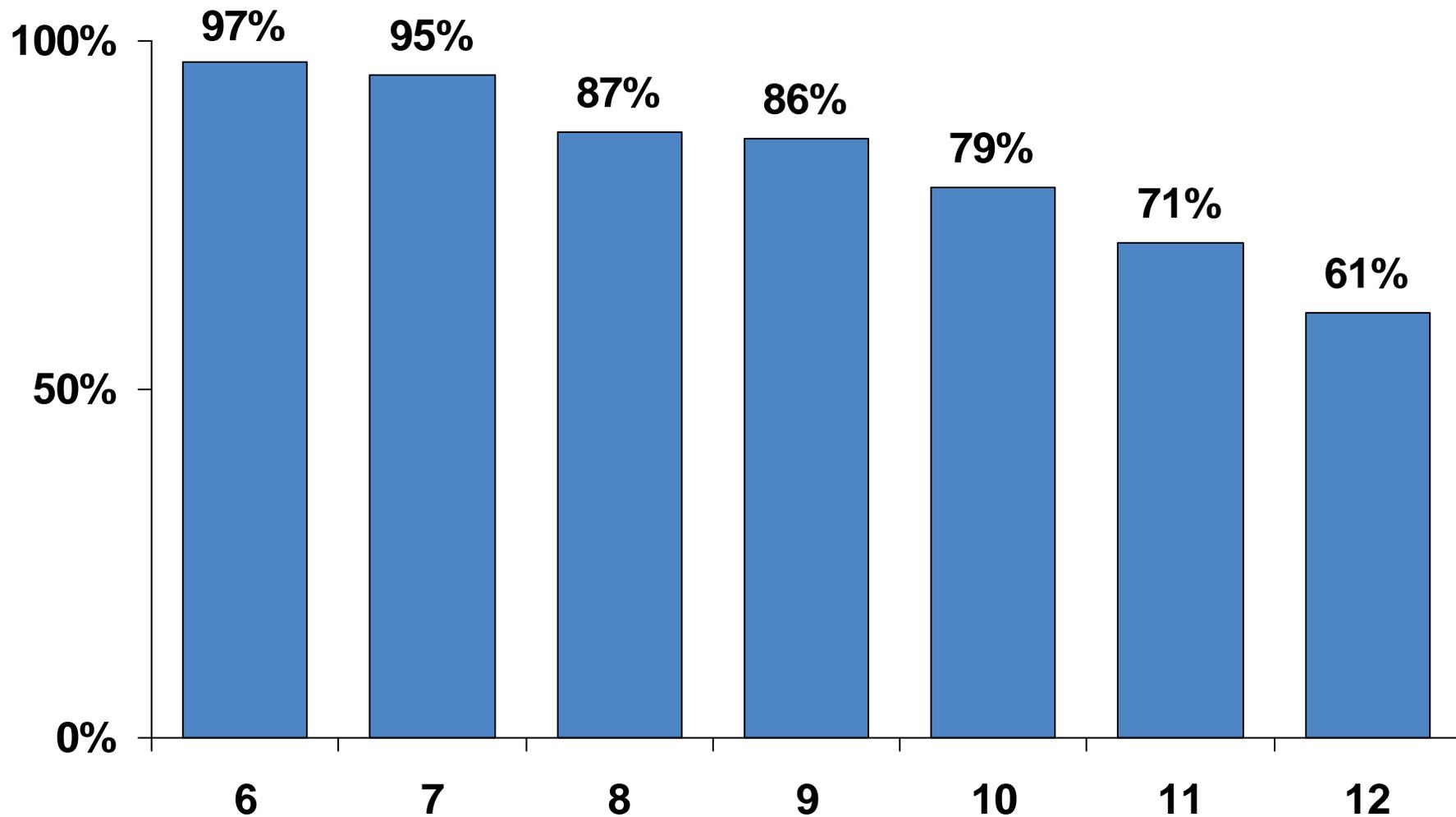
Were asked if they smoked by any doctor, dentist, nurse, or other health professional by grade



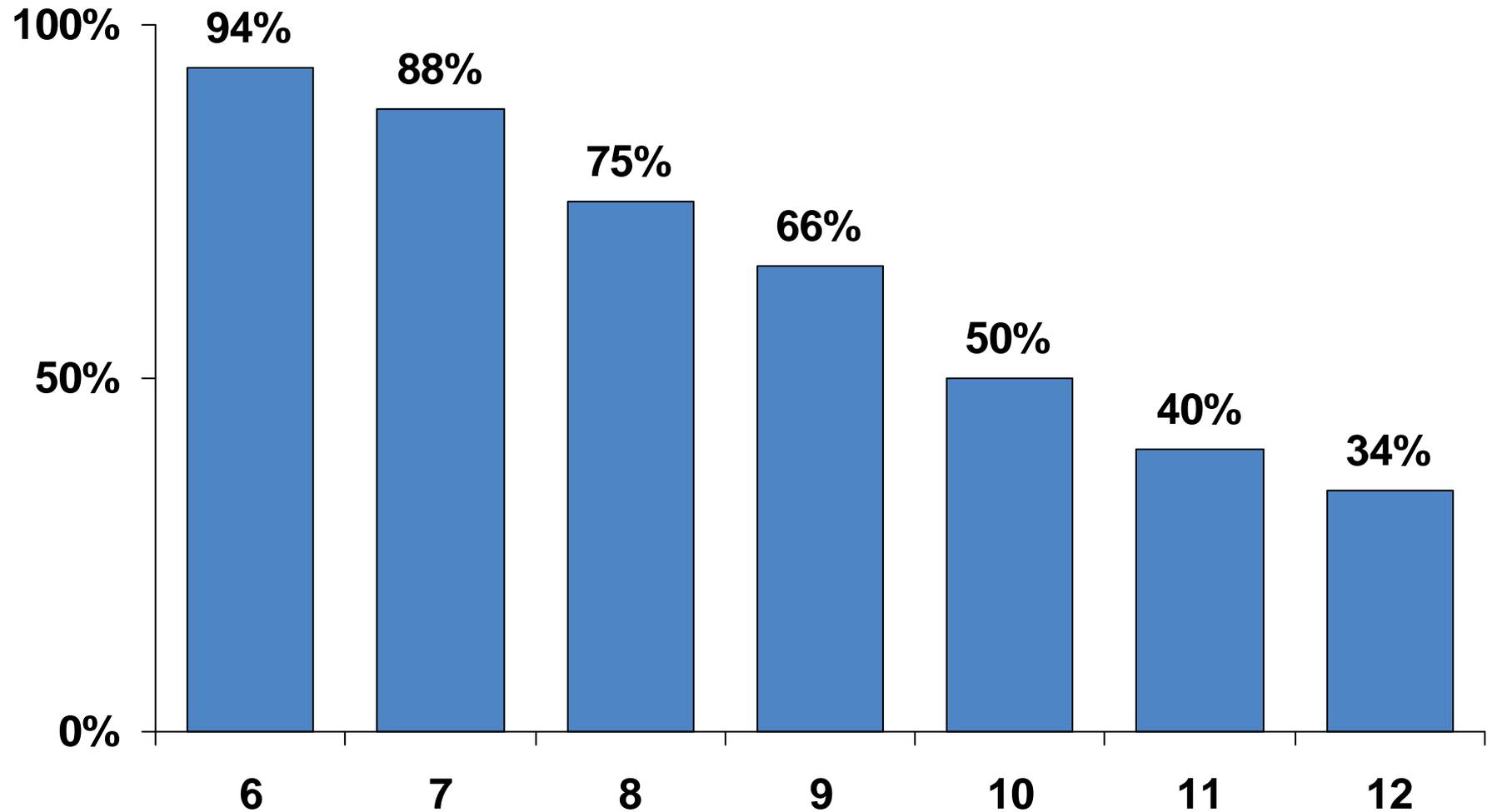
Discussed dangers of tobacco use with parents or guardians by grade



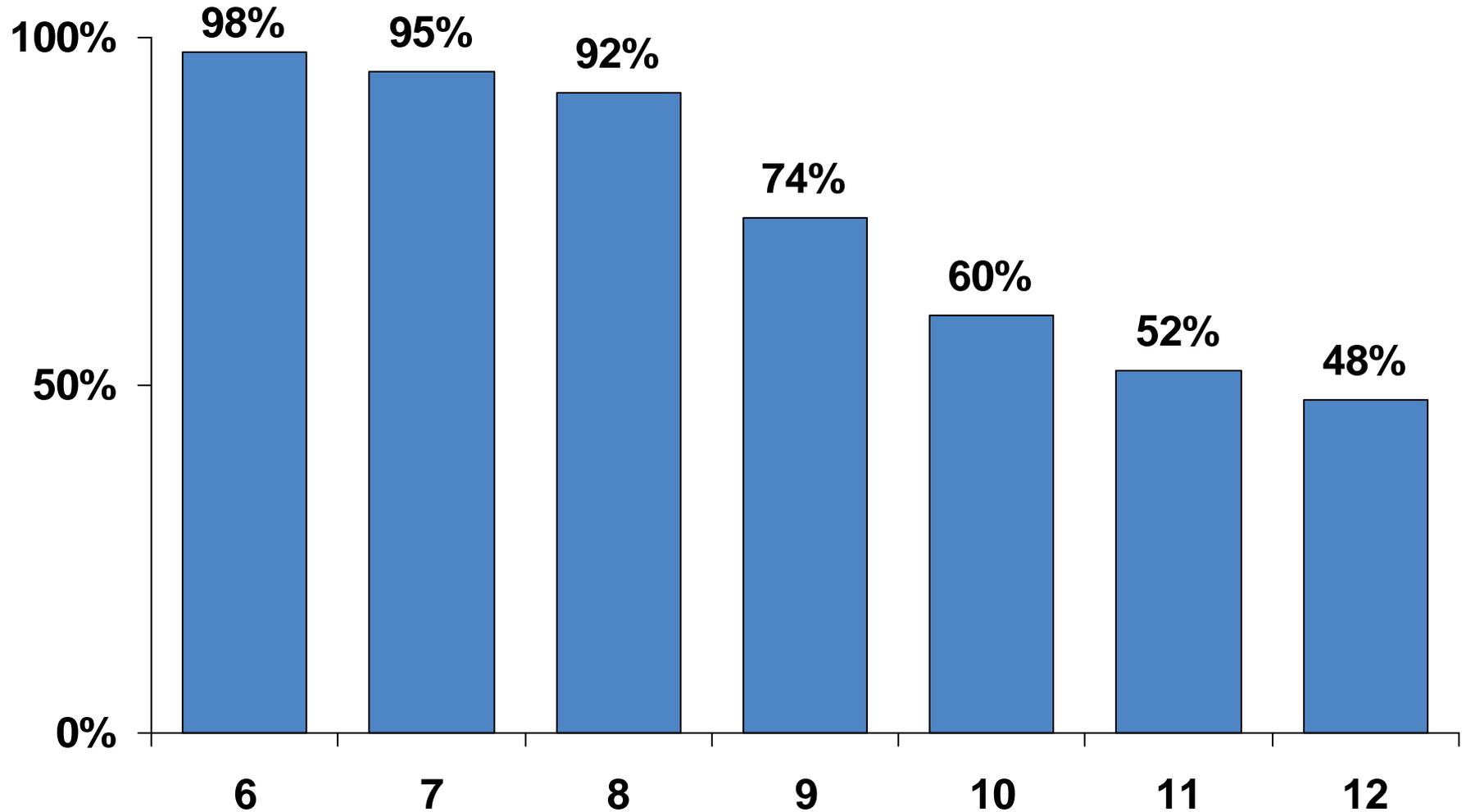
Wrong/very wrong for peers to smoke cigarettes by grade



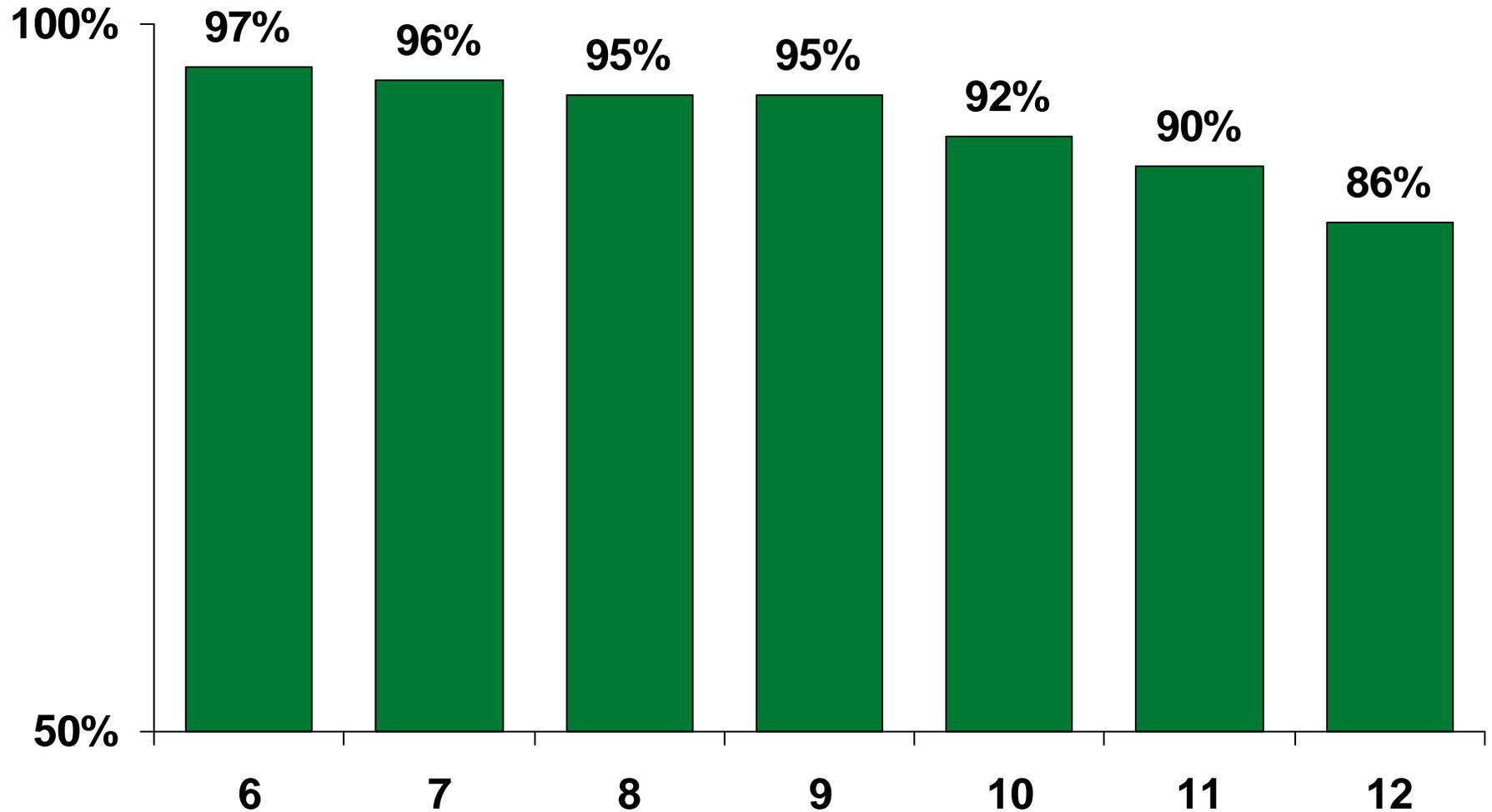
Wrong/very wrong for peers to drink alcohol by grade



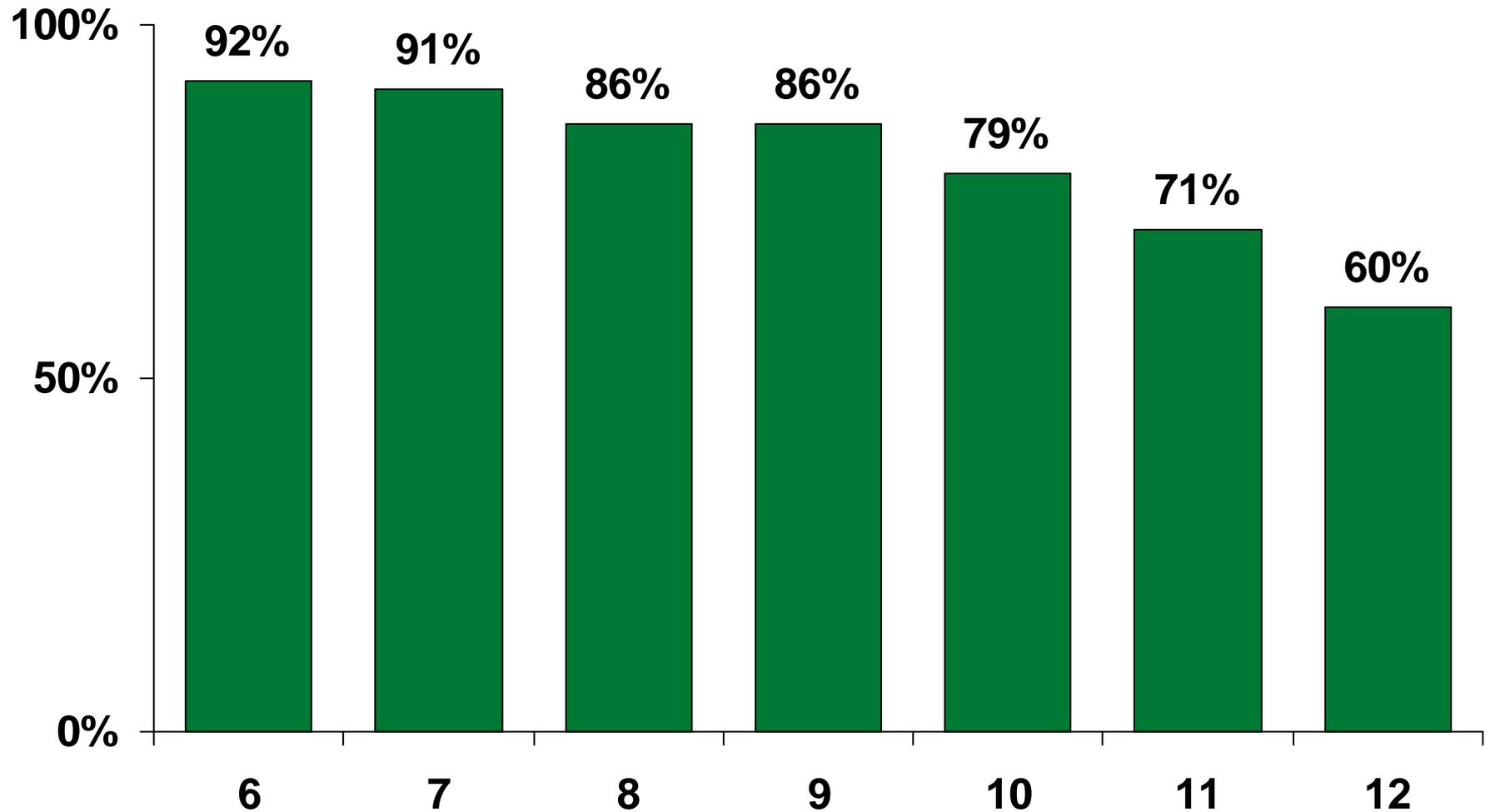
Wrong/very wrong for peers to smoke marijuana by grade



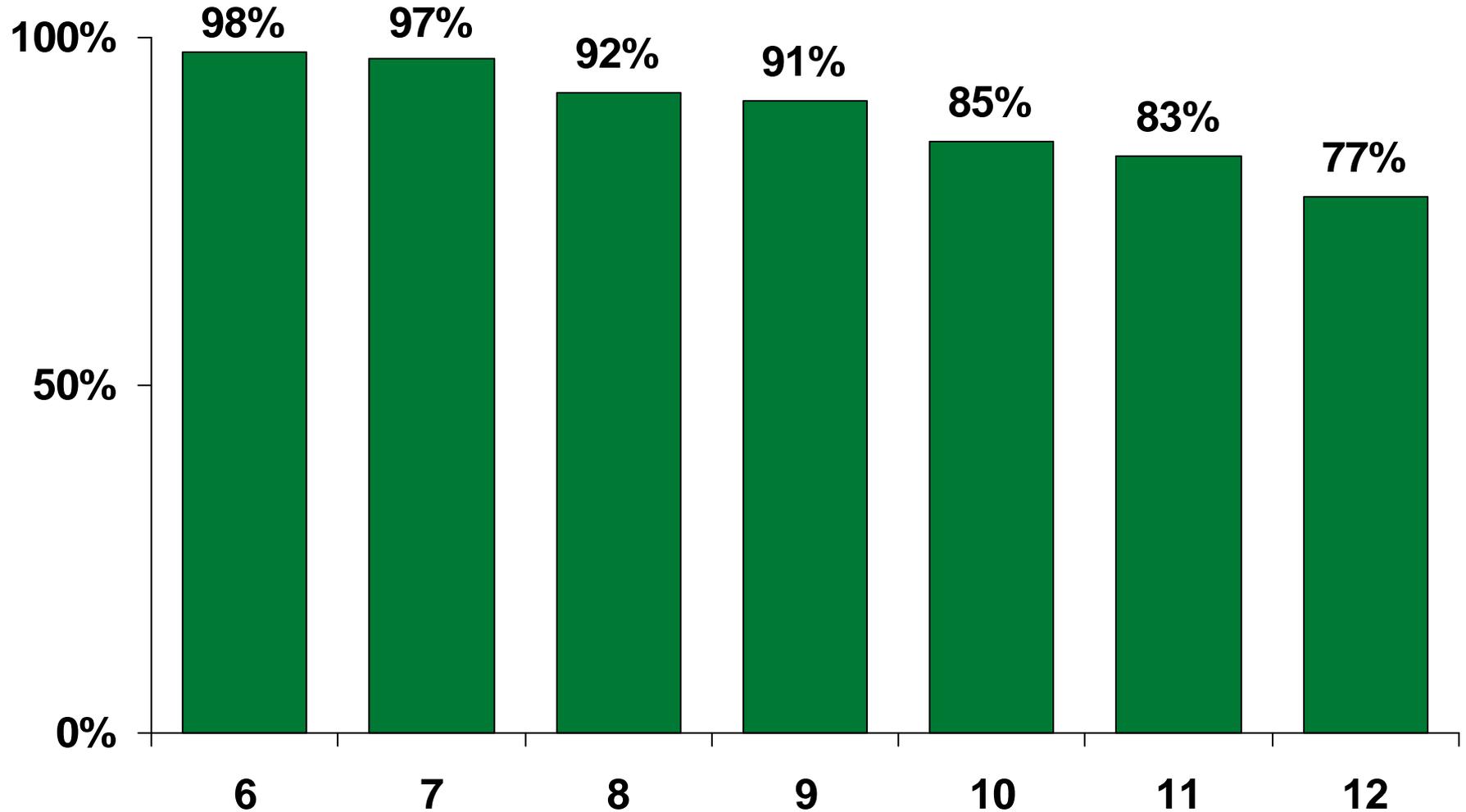
Think parents would think it is wrong/very wrong for you to smoke cigarettes by grade



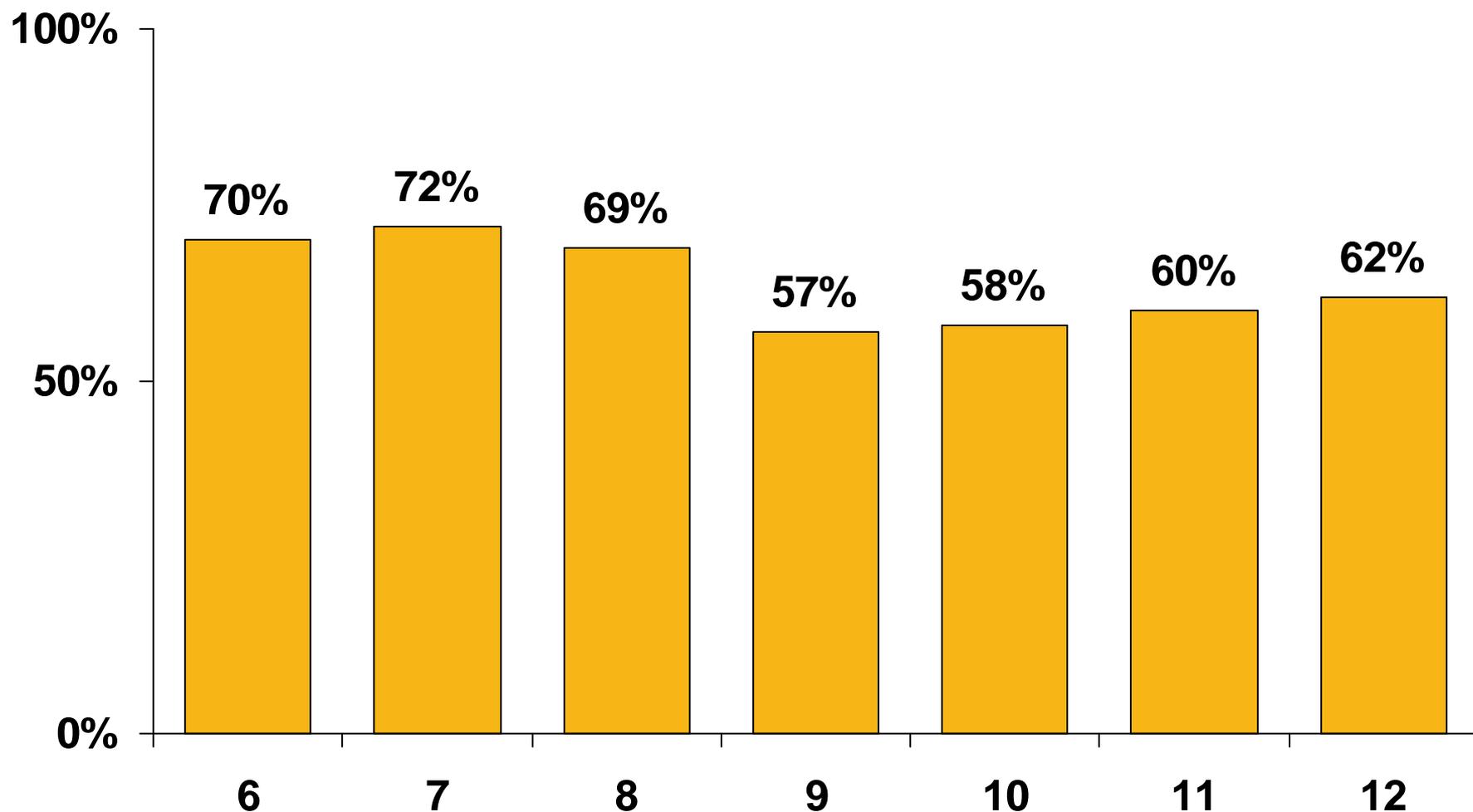
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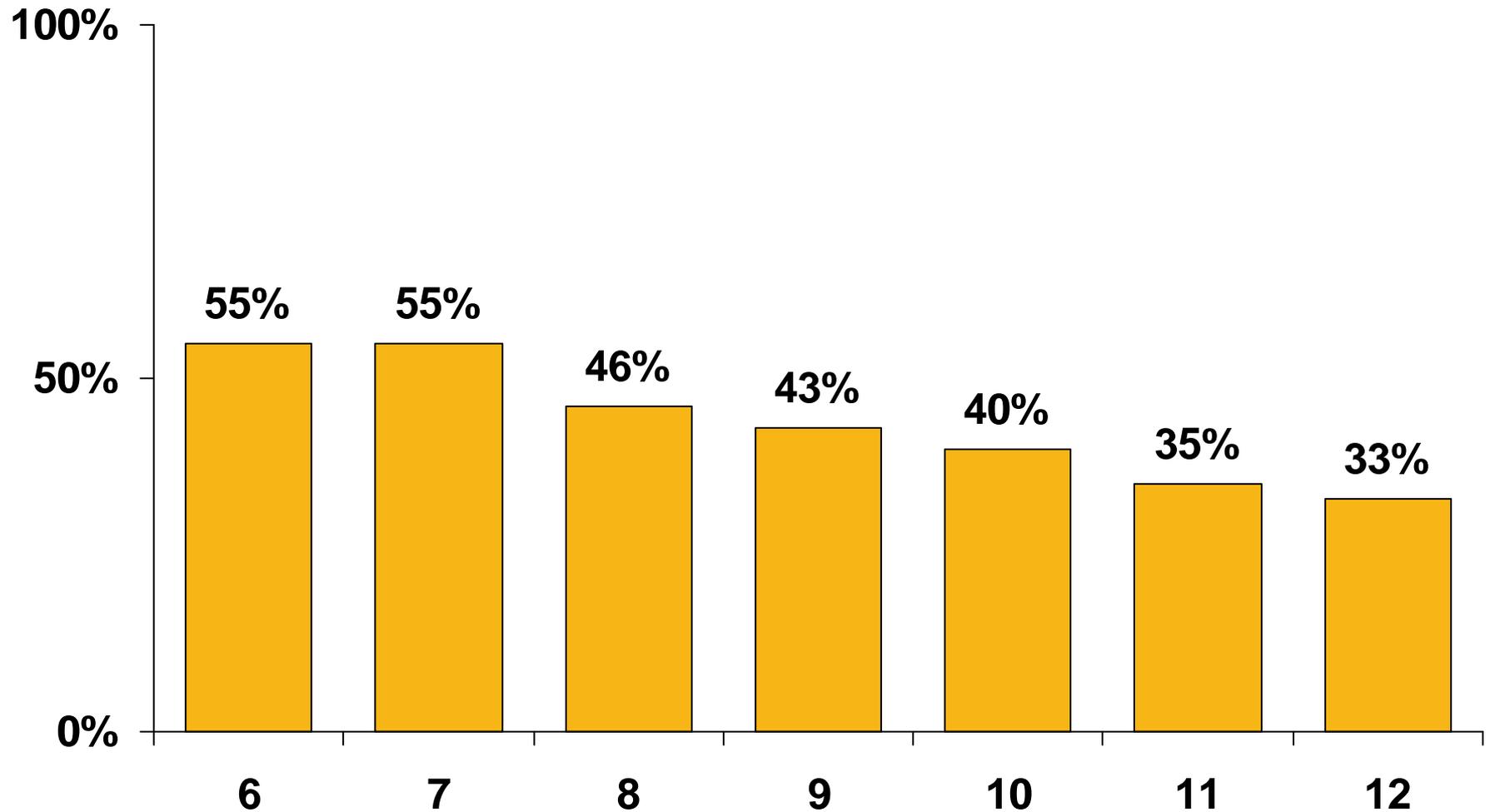
Think parents would think it is wrong/very wrong for you to smoke marijuana by grade



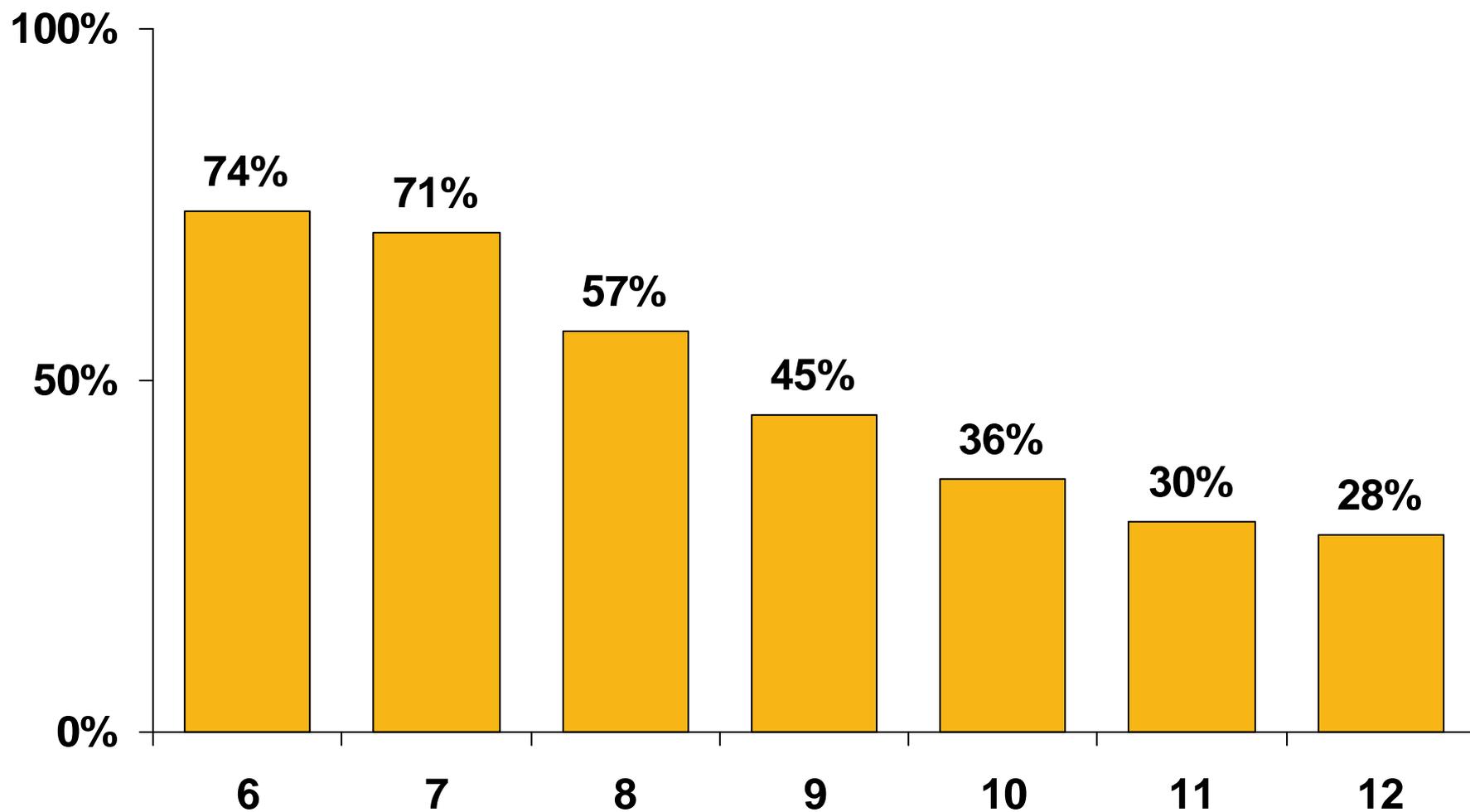
Great risk of harm to **people your age** from smoking 1-2 packs of cigarettes nearly every day



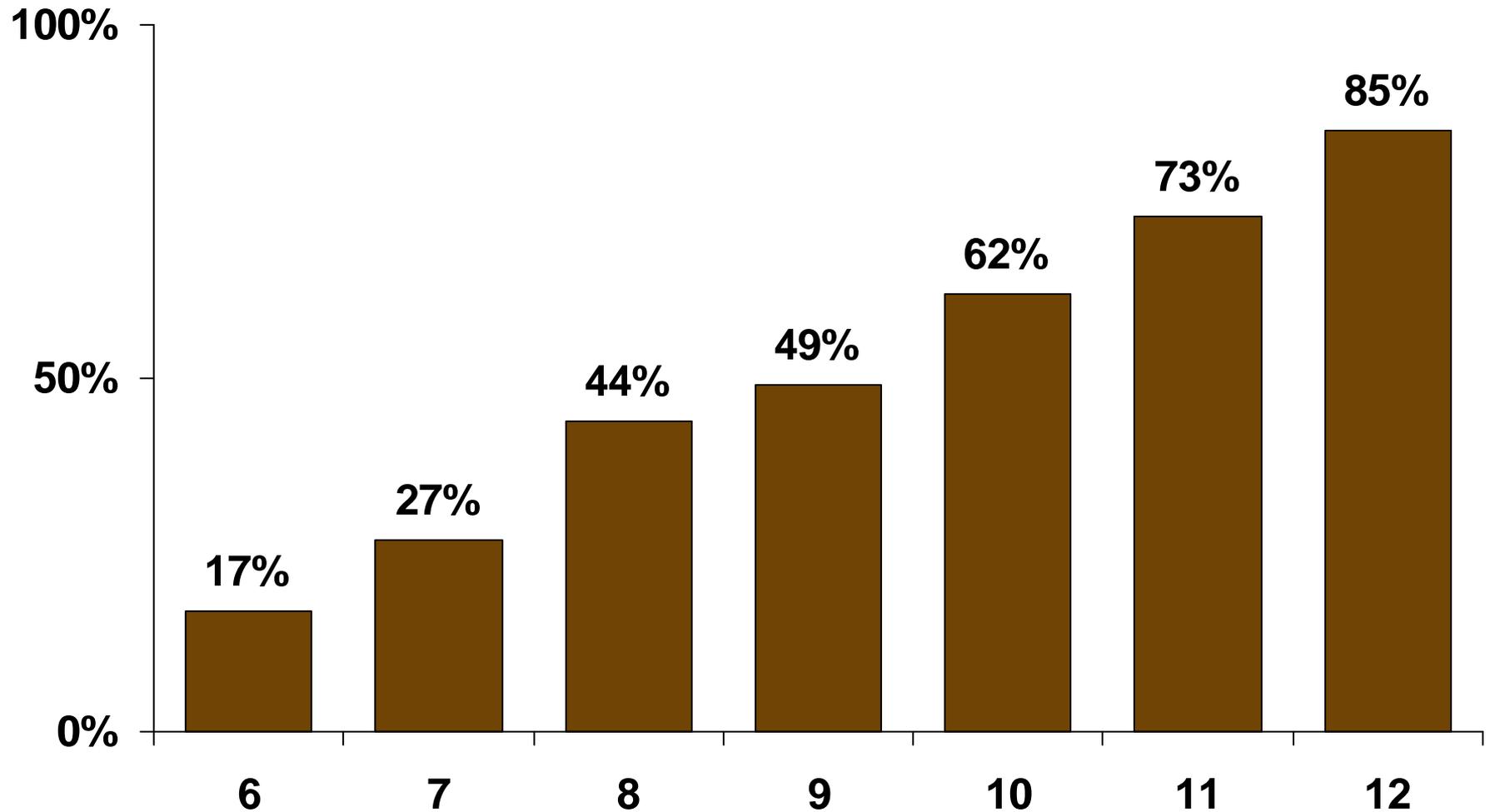
Great risk of harm to **people your age** from having 5 or more drinks once or twice each weekend



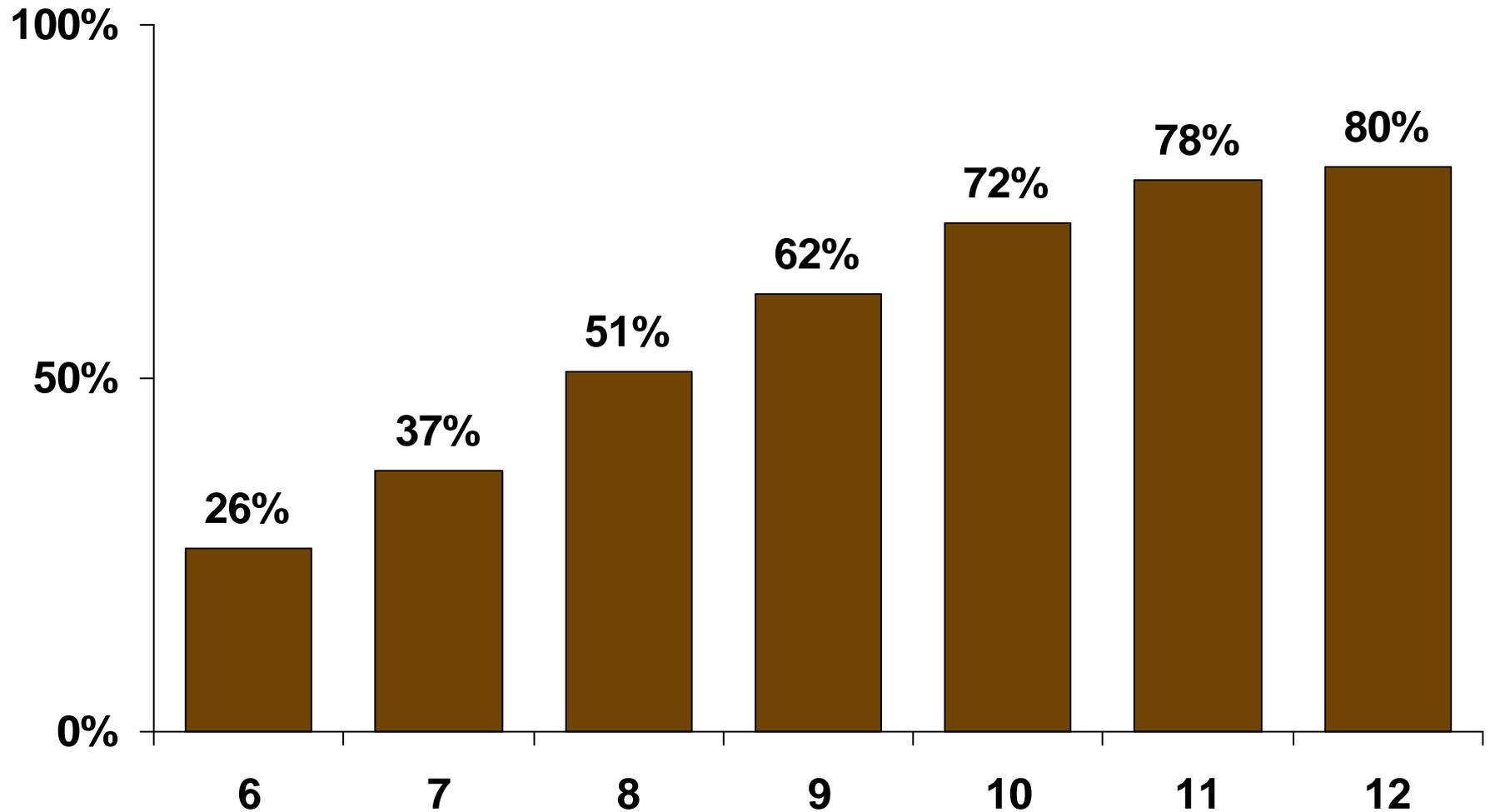
Great risk of harm to **people your age** from smoking marijuana regularly



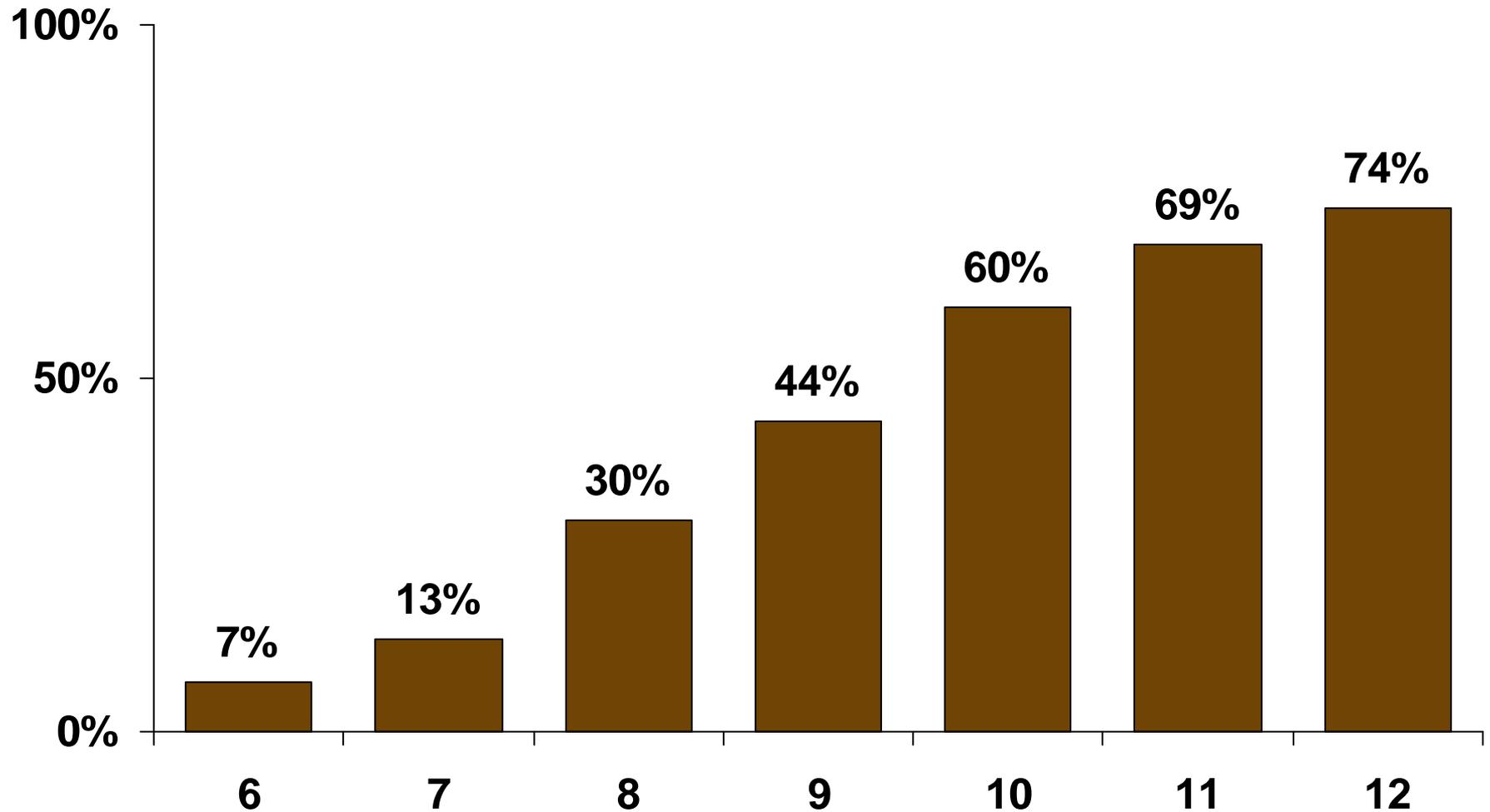
Cigarettes are easy or very easy to obtain



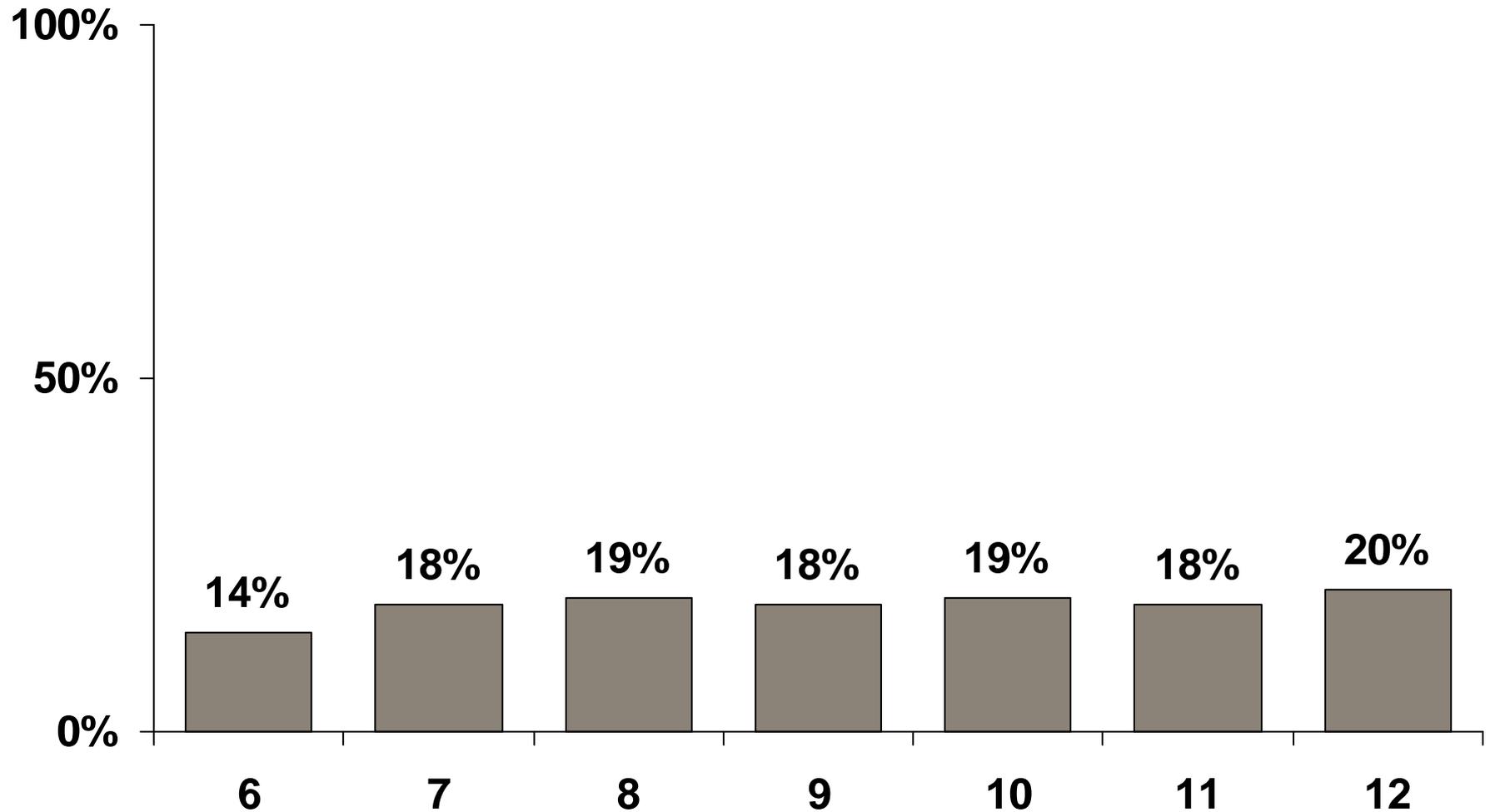
Alcohol is easy or very easy to obtain



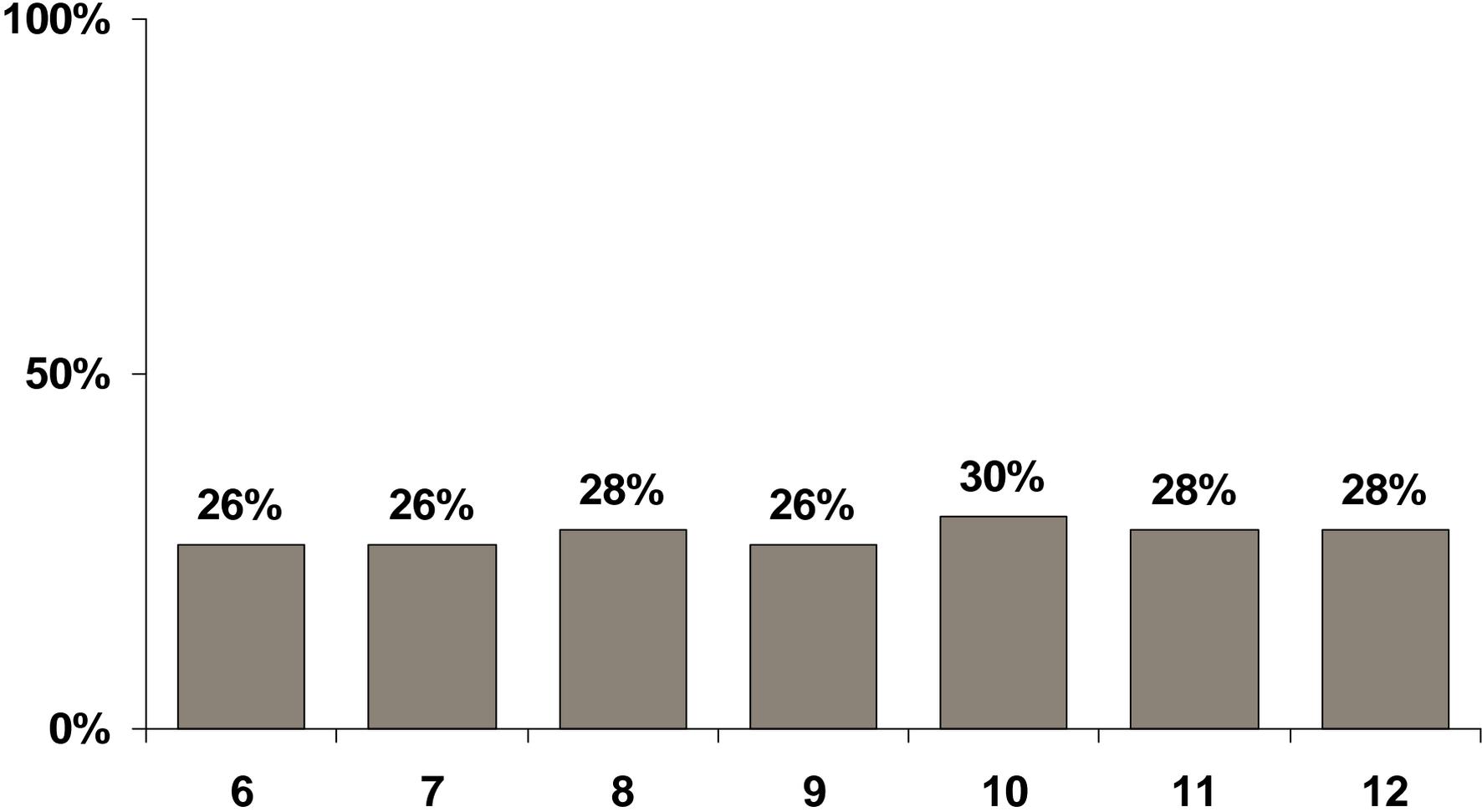
Marijuana is easy or very easy to obtain



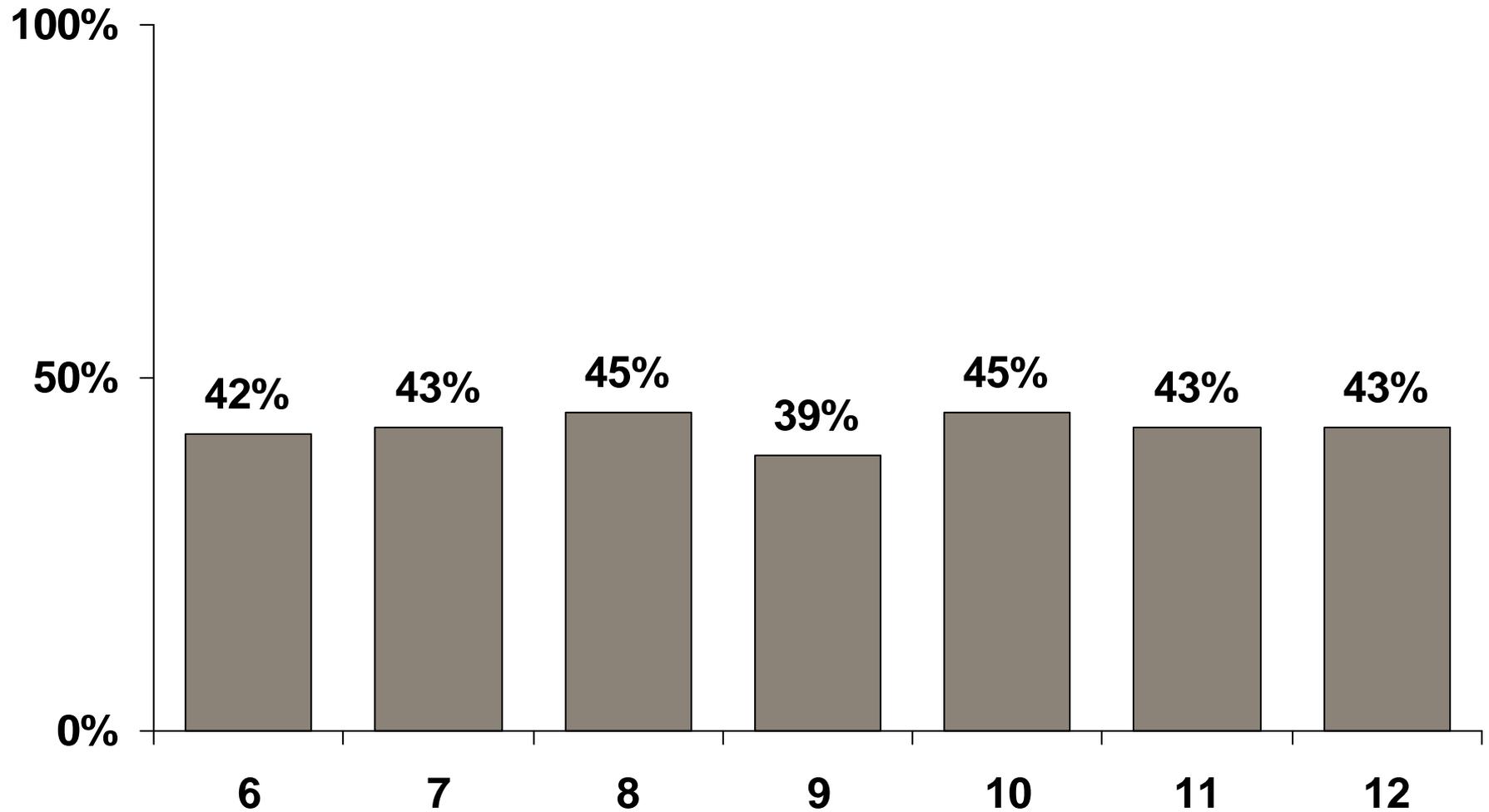
Skipped meals to lose weight or keep from gaining weight by grade



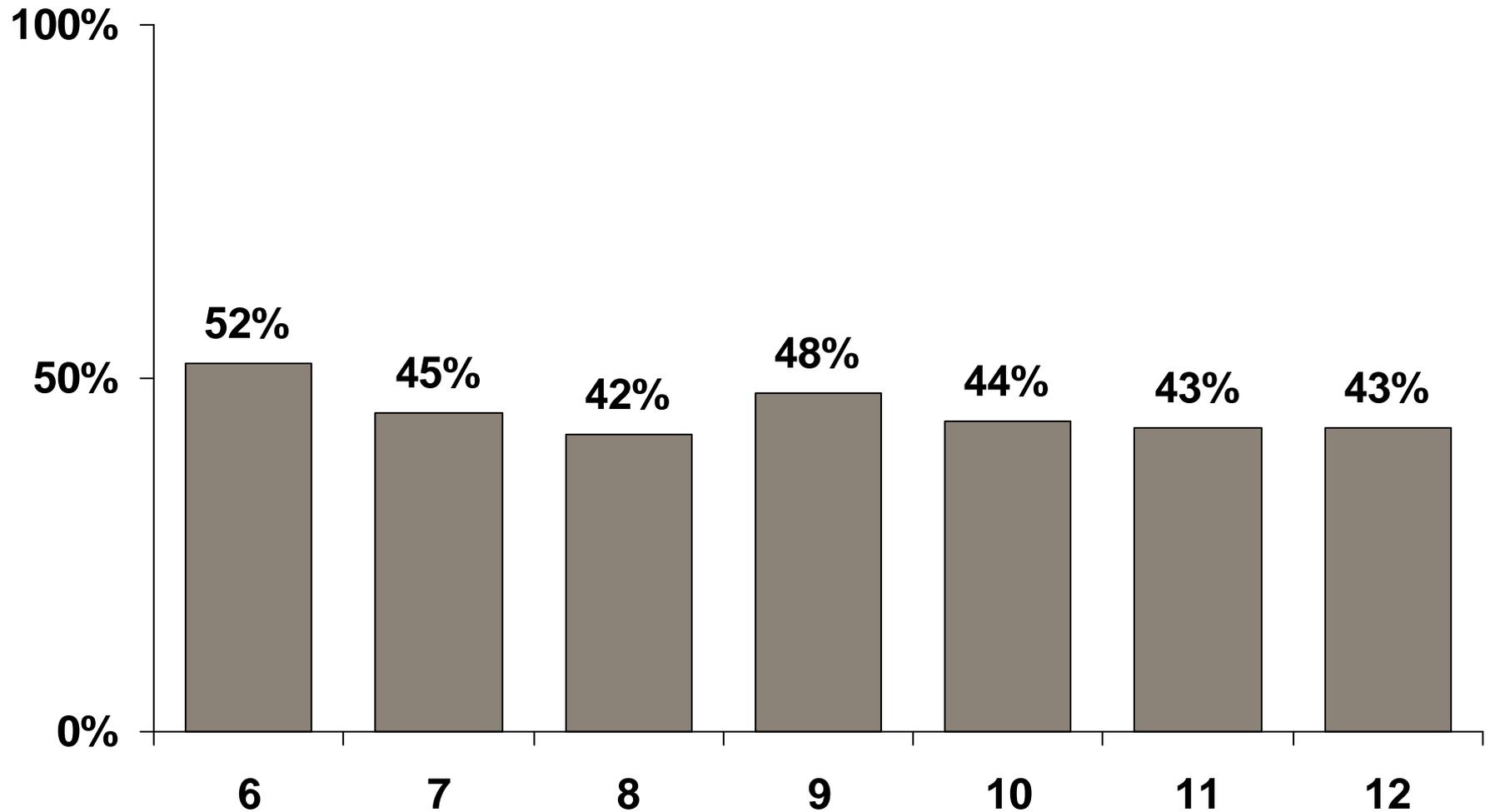
Describe self as slightly/very overweight by grade



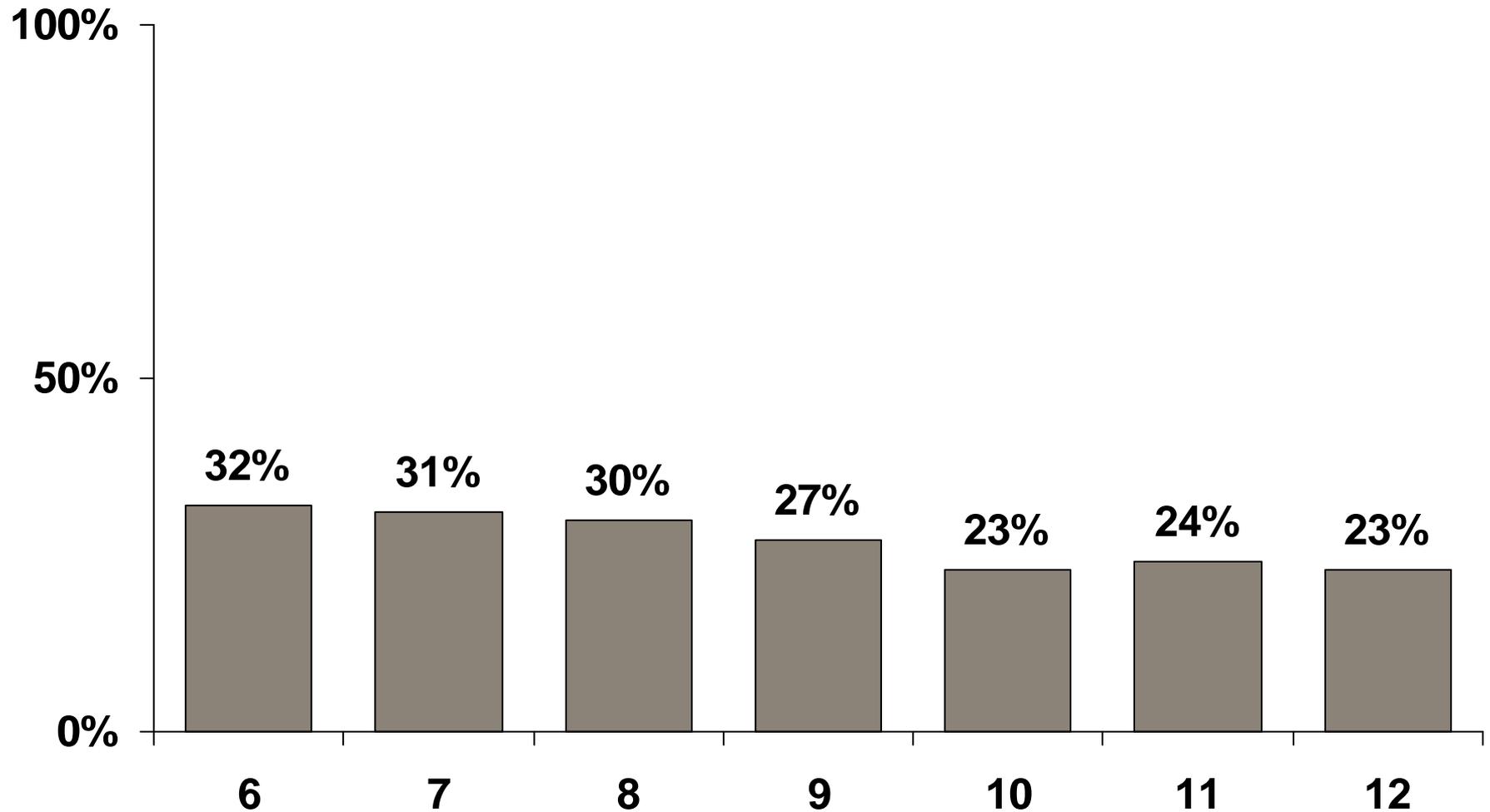
Trying to lose weight by grade



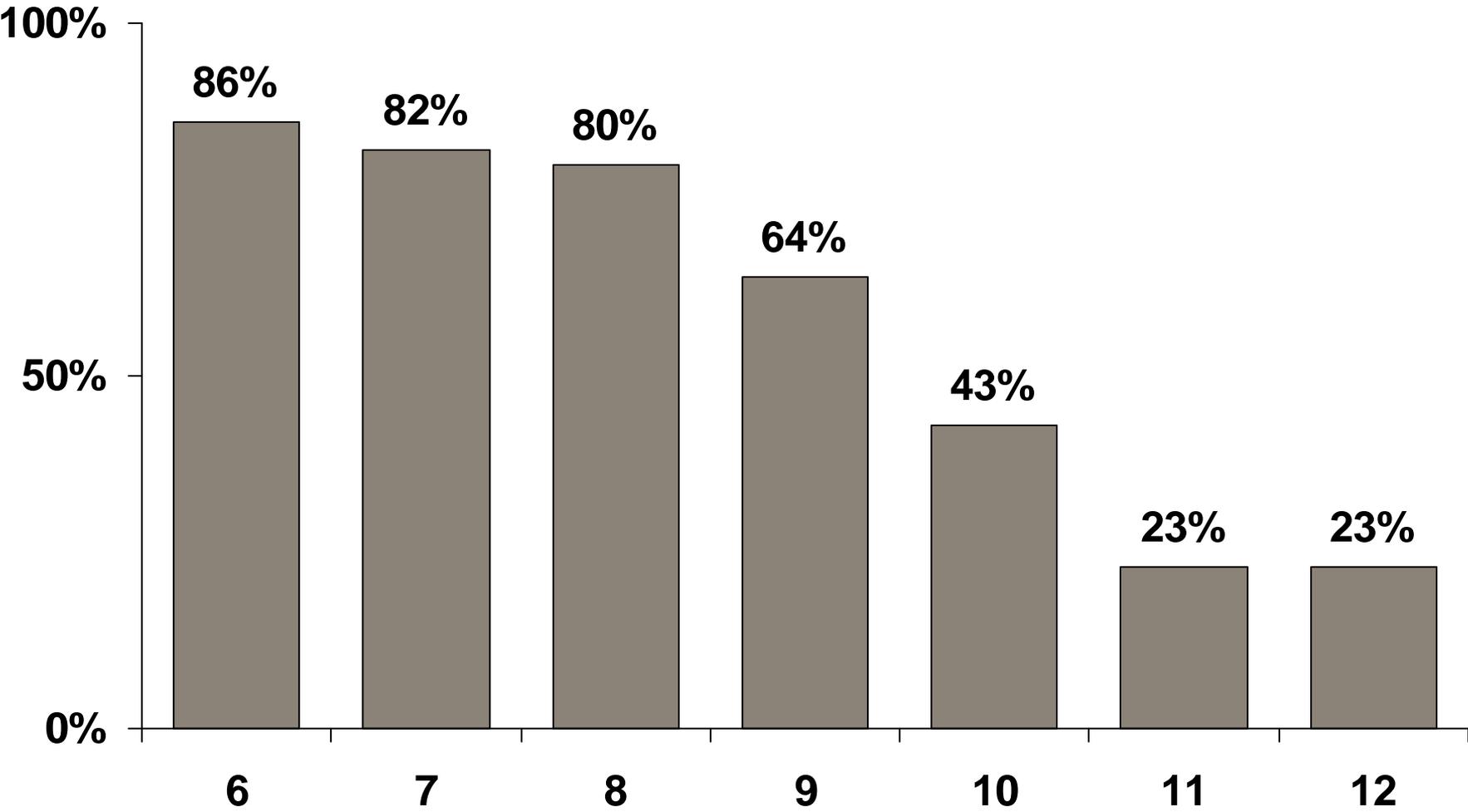
Ate breakfast every day in 7 days by grade



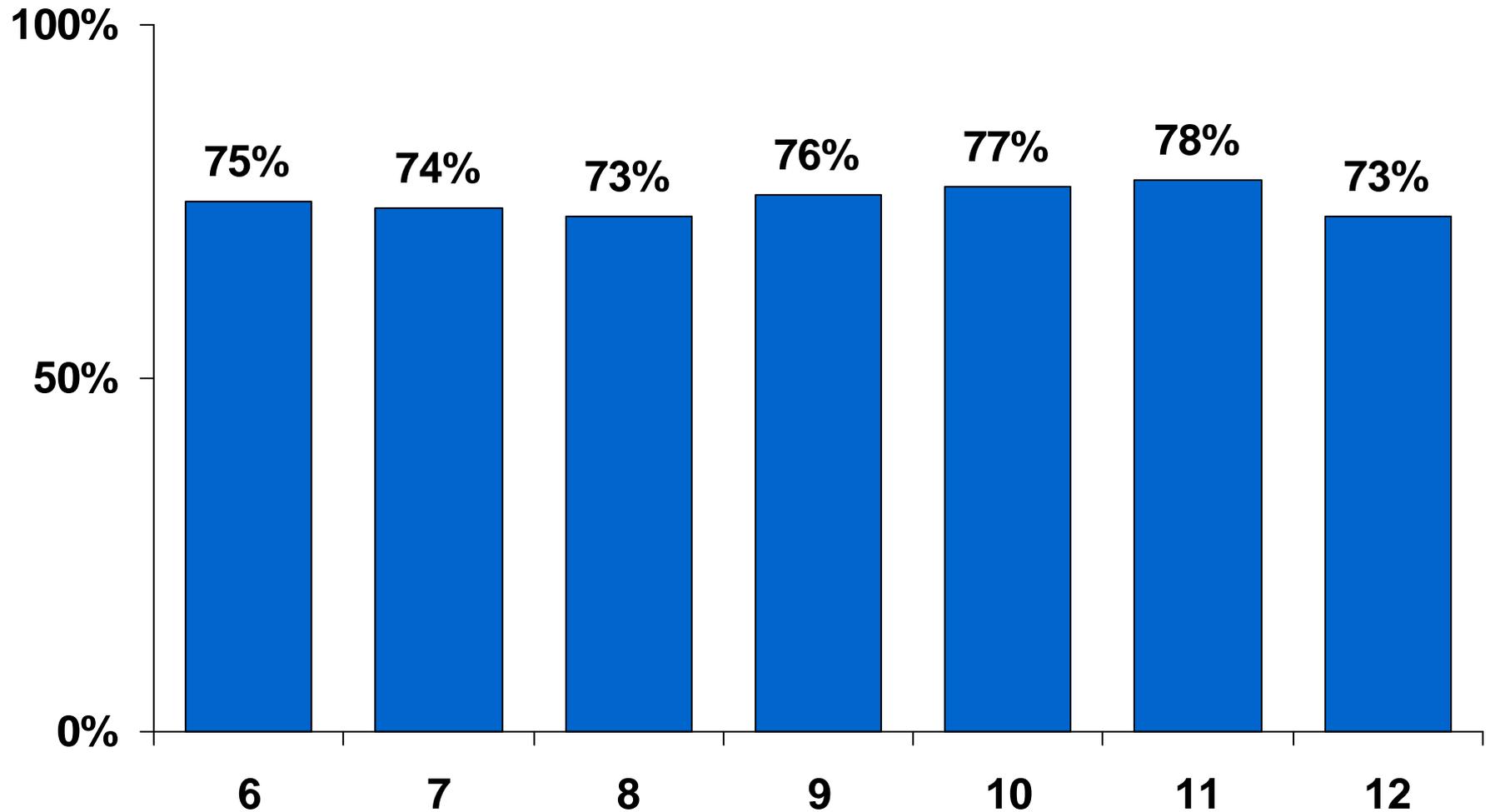
60 minutes of physical activity every day in past week by grade



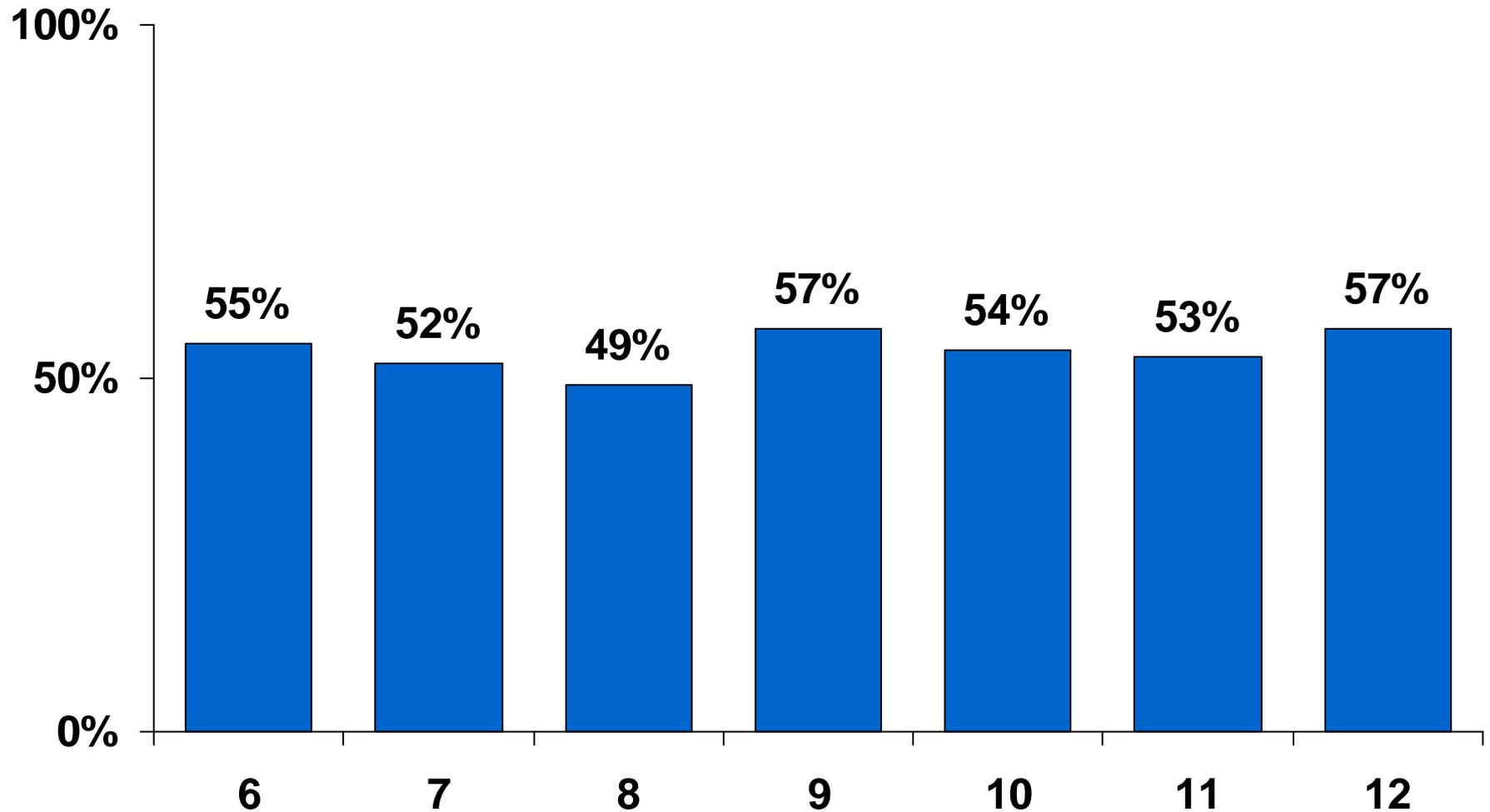
Physical education at least once a week by grade



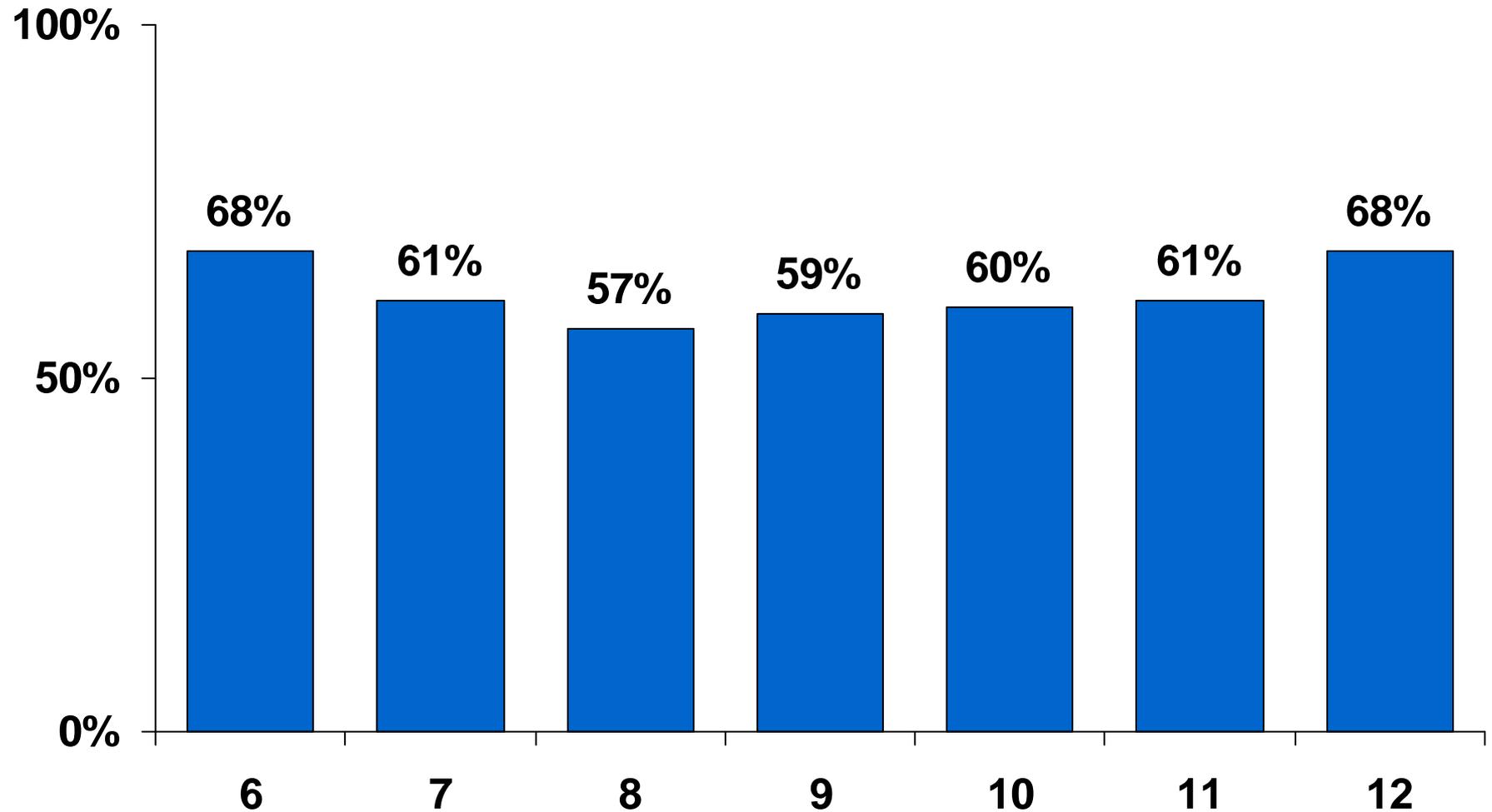
Talk to parents about school at least once a week by grade



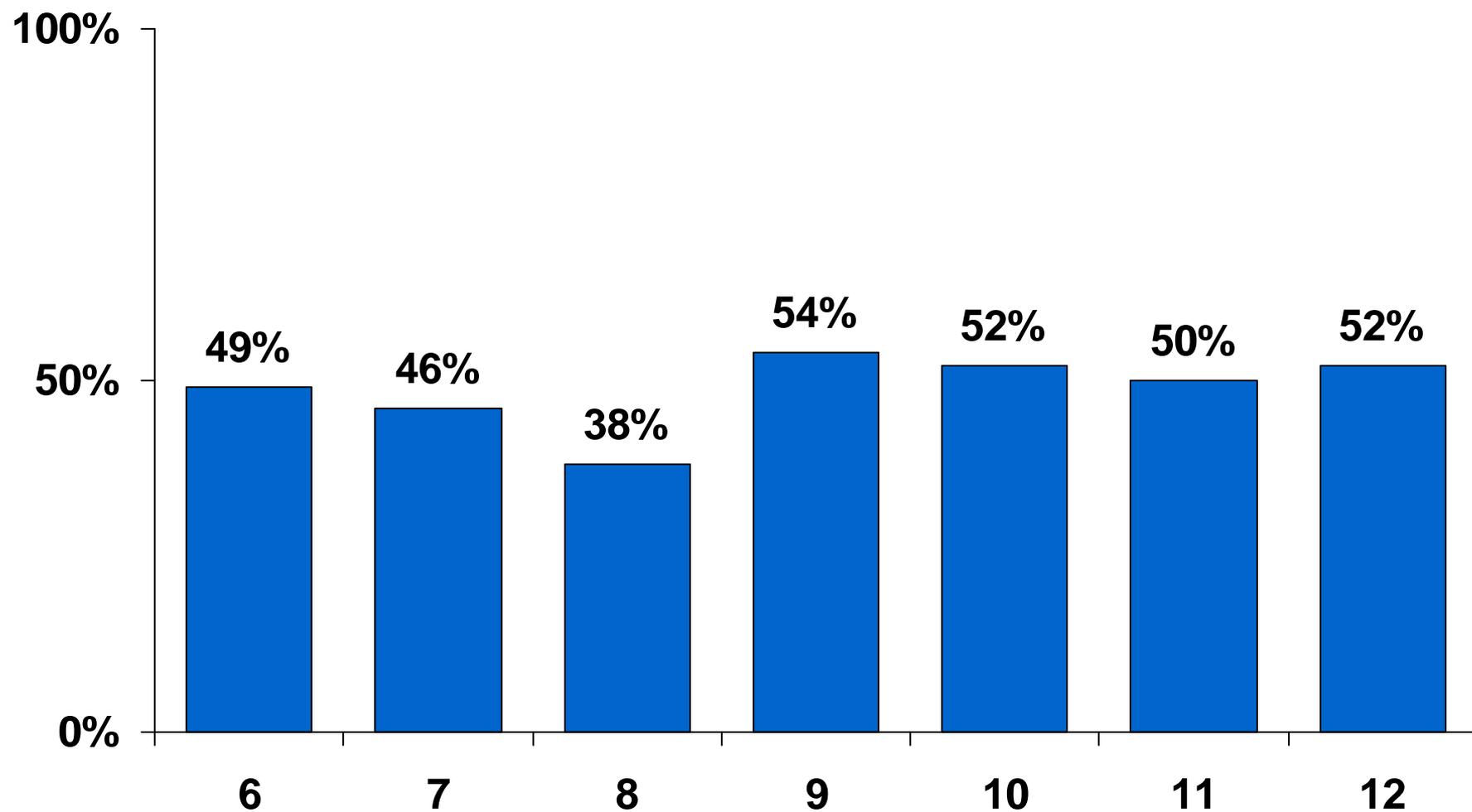
Agree/strongly agree that “in your community, you feel like you matter to people” by grade



Agree/strongly agree that your teachers really care about you, give you a lot of encouragement by grade



Agree/strongly agree that students help decide what goes on in school by grade



YRBS Online

- Statewide Report
- County and District Reports
- Questionnaires

<http://www.healthvermont.gov/research/yrbs/2011/index.aspx>