

Girls Inc. Supergirl Dilemma Survey 06/07

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TOT (224)	133	113	94	107	99	103	100	62	75	91		176	146	106	95	96	58	49	73	32		159	141	157	177	152	135
MS (129)	76	66	57	59	61	49	65	31	41	50		99	75	55	55	54	39	40	44	24		86	79	79	96	82	69
HS (95)	57	47	37	48	38	54	35	31	34	41		77	71	51	40	42	19	9	29	8		73	62	78	81	70	66

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TOT (224)	43	77	40	23	108	74		155	138	125	130	102	28	111	69	106	105	97	117
MS (129)	32	51	30	18	57	47		77	84	83	77	70	21	72	56	58	74	75	90
HS (95)	11	26	10	5	51	27		78	54	42	53	32	7	39	13	48	31	22	27

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	LOCAL						NATIONAL		
	TOT (224)	%	MS (129)	%	HS (95)	%	TOT	Natl MS	Natl HS
1. Which of these statements are true?									
Girls are under a lot of pressure to dress the right way.	133	59%	76	59%	57	60%	84%		
Girls are expected to spend a lot of their time on housework and taking care of younger brothers & sisters.	113	50%	66	51%	47	49%	50%		
Girls are under a lot of pressure to please everyone.	107	48%	59	46%	48	51%	74%		
People think girls are only interested in love and romance.	103	46%	49	38%	54	57%	52%		
The most popular girls in school are very thin.	100	45%	65	50%	35	37%	60%		
People don't think girls are good leaders.	99	44%	61	47%	38	40%	35%		
In my school, boys think they have a right to discuss girls' bodies in public.	94	42%	57	44%	37	39%	55%		
Girls are not supposed to be strong and tough.	91	41%	50	39%	41	43%	36%		
People think that the most important thing for girls to do is get married and have children.	75	33%	41	32%	34	36%	35%		
The smartest girls in my school are not popular.	62	28%	31	24%	31	33%	44%		
2. What do you want to do/expect to do after high school?									
Go to college full time	176	79%	99	77%	77	81%	N/A		
Travel to exciting places	146	65%	75	58%	71	75%	N/A		
Go to work part time	106	47%	55	43%	51	54%	N/A		
Get married	96	43%	54	42%	42	44%	N/A		
Do volunteer work	95	42%	55	43%	40	42%	N/A		
Go to work full time	73	33%	44	34%	29	31%	N/A		
Have a child	58	26%	39	30%	19	20%	N/A		
Go to college part time	49	22%	40	31%	9	9%	N/A		
Join the military	32	14%	24	19%	8	8%	N/A		

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N = 129 Middle School students; 95 High School students

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	TOT (224)	%	MS (129)	%	HS (95)	%	TOT	Natl MS	Natl HS
3. These descriptions are a lot like me/somewhat like me:									
I have been happy at school this year	177	79%	96	74%	81	85%		82%	74%
I have a lot of friends	159	71%	86	67%	73	77%		89%	79%
I get good grades	157	70%	79	61%	78	82%		85%	90%
I often feel stressed	152	68%	82	64%	70	74%		56%	74%
I get along well with my parents	141	63%	79	61%	62	65%		84%	84%
I feel safe	135	60%	69	53%	66	69%		88%	87%
I am always bored	77	34%	51	40%	26	27%		52%	52%
I often feel sad and unhappy	43	19%	32	25%	11	12%		32%	42%
I get into trouble a lot	40	18%	30	23%	10	11%		23%	15%
I am too fat	108	48%	57	44%	51	54%	34%		
I am too thin	74	33%	47	36%	27	28%	6%		
I am about the right weight	23	10%	18	14%	5	5%	59%		

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	TOT (224)	%	MS (129)	%	HS (95)	%	TOT	Natl MS	Natl HS
4. What are you worried about?									
Getting good grades in school	155	69%	77	60%	78	82%		67%	70%
That someone close to me will get sick or die	138	62%	84	65%	54	57%		60%	58%
That college will be too expensive for me	130	58%	77	60%	53	56%		35%	56%
My weight	125	56%	83	64%	42	44%		54%	62%
Other people thinking I'm cool	117	52%	90	70%	27	28%		36%	21%
Being teased or made fun of	111	50%	72	56%	39	41%		58%	37%
Being pressured to have sex	106	47%	58	45%	48	51%		21%	26%
Getting AIDS	105	47%	74	57%	31	33%		13%	18%
How I look	102	46%	70	54%	32	34%		61%	60%
Being beaten up or attacked at school	97	43%	75	58%	22	23%		25%	18%
Dying young	69	31%	56	43%	13	14%		28%	38%
Getting in an accident	28	13%	21	16%	7	7%		26%	40%

1. Which of these statements are true?

	Middle School	High School
Girls are under a lot of pressure to dress the right way.	59%	60%
Girls are expected to spend a lot of their time on housework and taking care of younger brothers & sisters.	51%	49%
The most popular girls in school are very thin.	50%	37%
People don't think girls are good leaders.	47%	40%
Girls are under a lot of pressure to please everyone.	46%	51%
In my school, boys think they have a right to discuss girls' bodies in public.	44%	39%
Girls are not supposed to be strong and tough.	39%	43%
People think girls are only interested in love and romance.	38%	57%
People think that the most important thing for girls to do is get married and have children.	32%	36%
The smartest girls in my school are not popular.	24%	33%

2. What do you want to do/expect to do after high school?

	Middle School	High School
Go to college full time	77%	81%
Travel to exciting places	58%	75%
Go to work part time	43%	54%
Do volunteer work	43%	42%
Get married	42%	44%
Go to work full time	34%	31%
Go to college part time	31%	9%
Have a child	30%	20%
Join the military	19%	8%

3. Descriptions (Body Image Only)

	Middle School	High School
I am too fat	44%	54%
I am too thin	36%	28%
I am about the right weight	14%	5%

3. Descriptions (Excluding Body Image)

	Middle School	High School
I have been happy at school this year	74%	85%
I have a lot of friends	67%	77%
I often feel stressed	64%	74%
I get along well with my parents	61%	65%
I get good grades	61%	82%
I feel safe	53%	69%
I am always bored	40%	27%
I often feel sad and unhappy	25%	12%
I get into trouble a lot	23%	11%

4. What are you worried about?

	Middle School	High School
Other people thinking I'm cool	70%	28%
That someone close to me will get sick or die	65%	57%
My weight	64%	44%
Getting good grades in school	60%	82%
That college will be too expensive for me	60%	56%
Being beaten up or attacked at school	58%	23%
Getting AIDS	57%	33%
Being teased or made fun of	56%	41%
How I look	54%	34%
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Dying young	43%	14%
Getting in an accident	16%	7%

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The smartest girls in my school are not popular.	28%	44%

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I am too thin	33%	6%
I am about the right weight	10%	59%

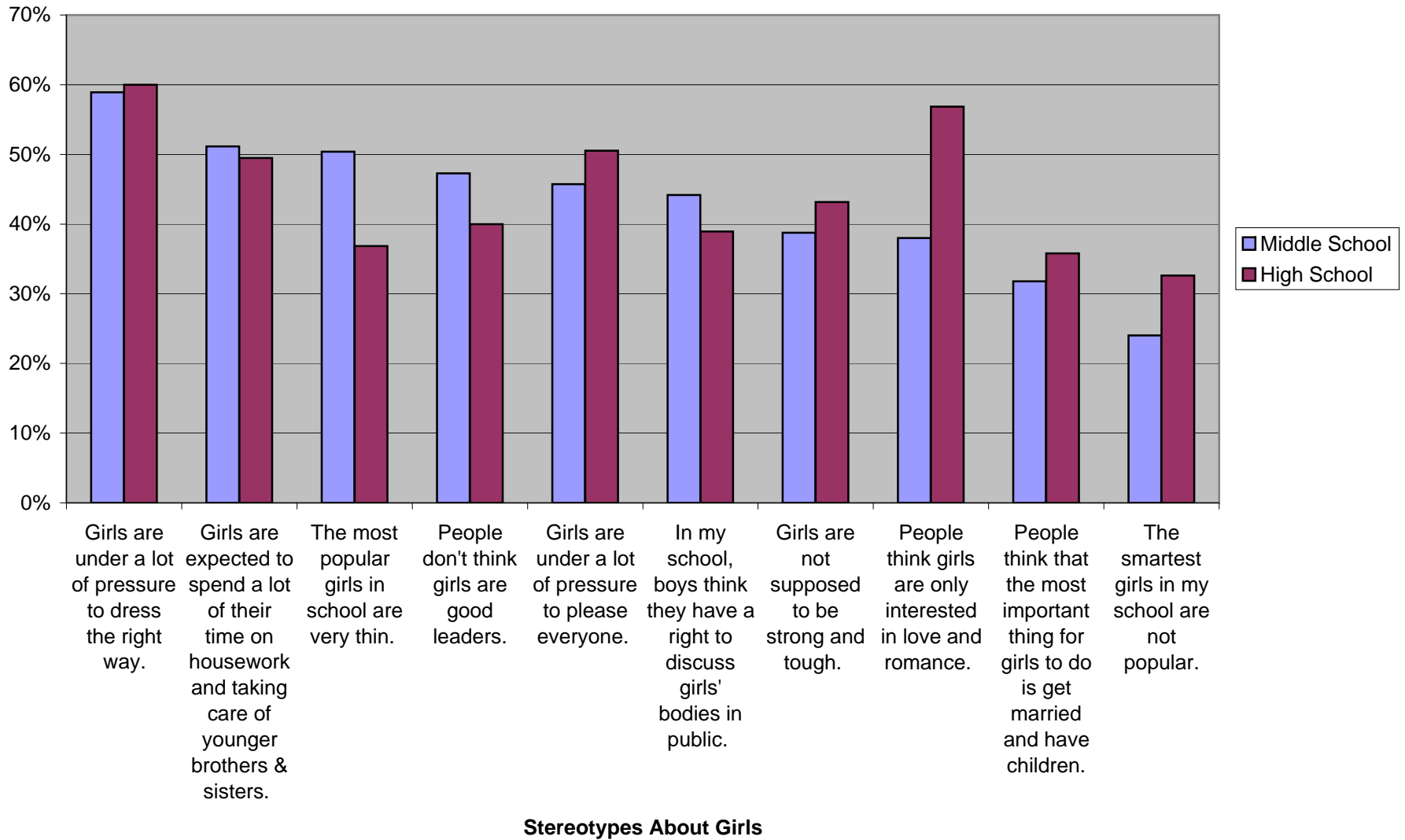
4. What are you worried about?	Local MS	National MS
Getting good grades in school	60%	67%
That someone close to me will get sick or die	65%	60%
That college will be too expensive for me	60%	35%
My weight	64%	54%
Other people thinking I'm cool	70%	36%
Being teased or made fun of	56%	58%
Being pressured to have sex	45%	21%

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Getting in an accident	16%	26%

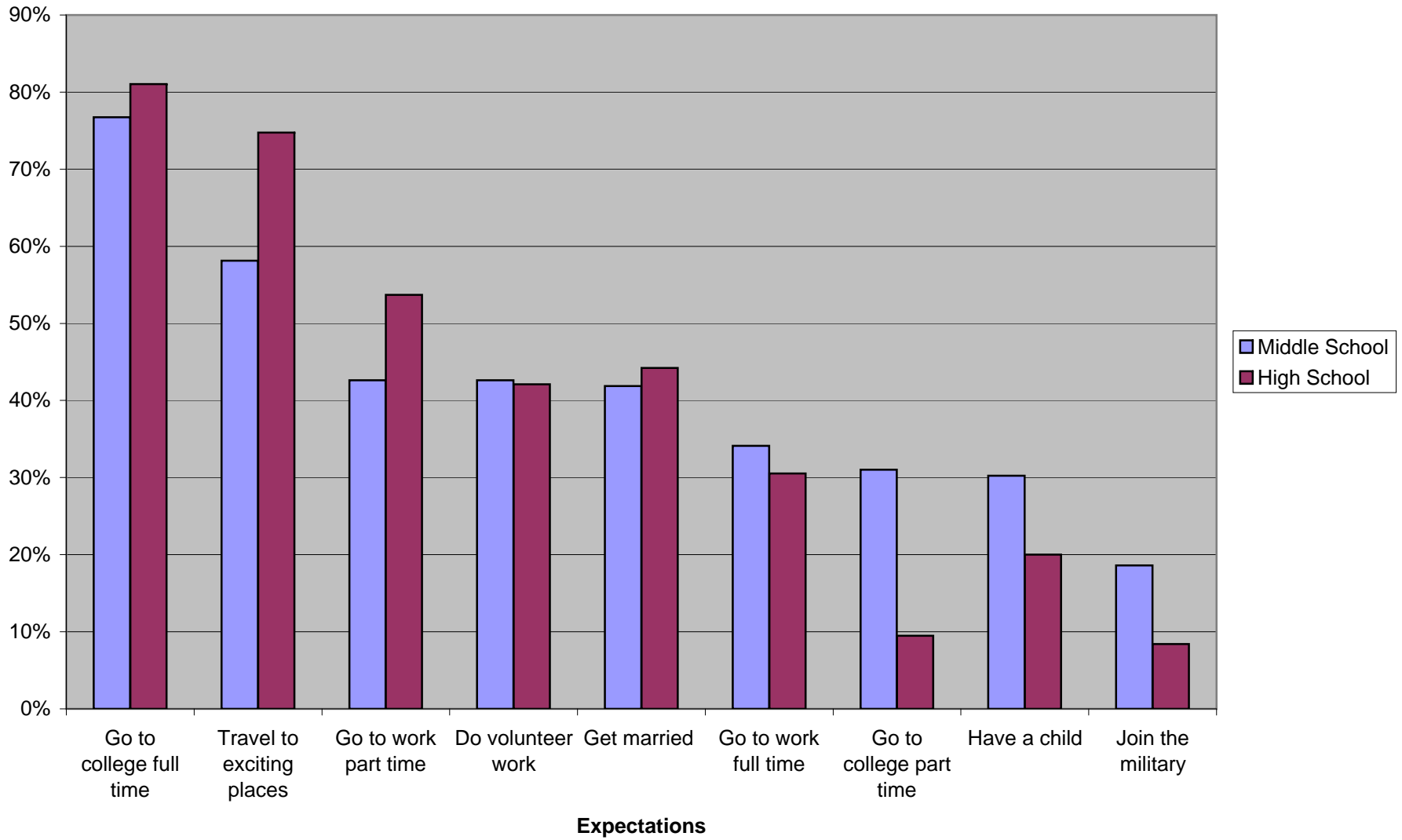
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Getting good grades in school	82%	70%
That someone close to me will get sick or die	57%	58%
That college will be too expensive for me	56%	56%
My weight	44%	62%
Other people thinking I'm cool	28%	21%
Being teased or made fun of	41%	37%
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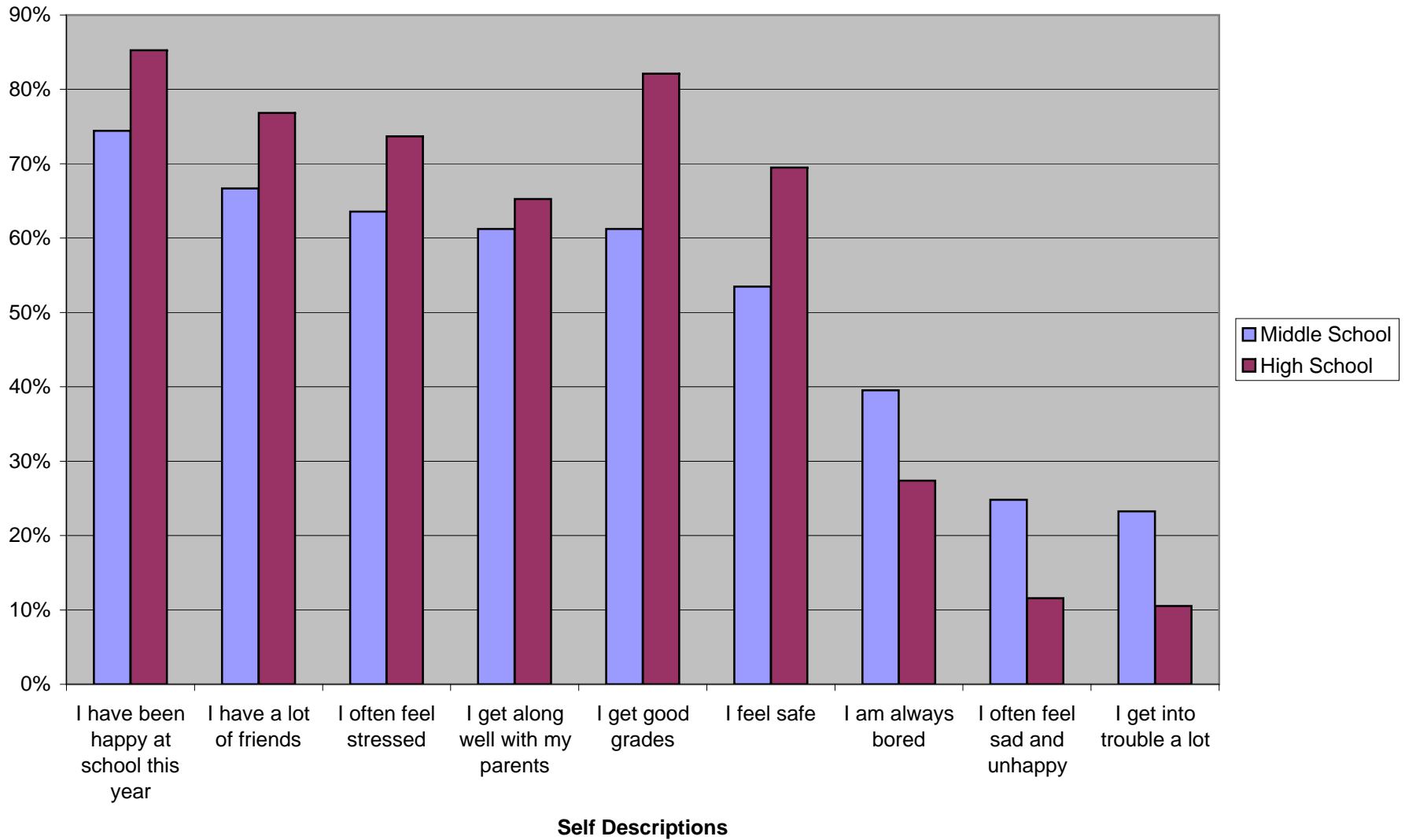
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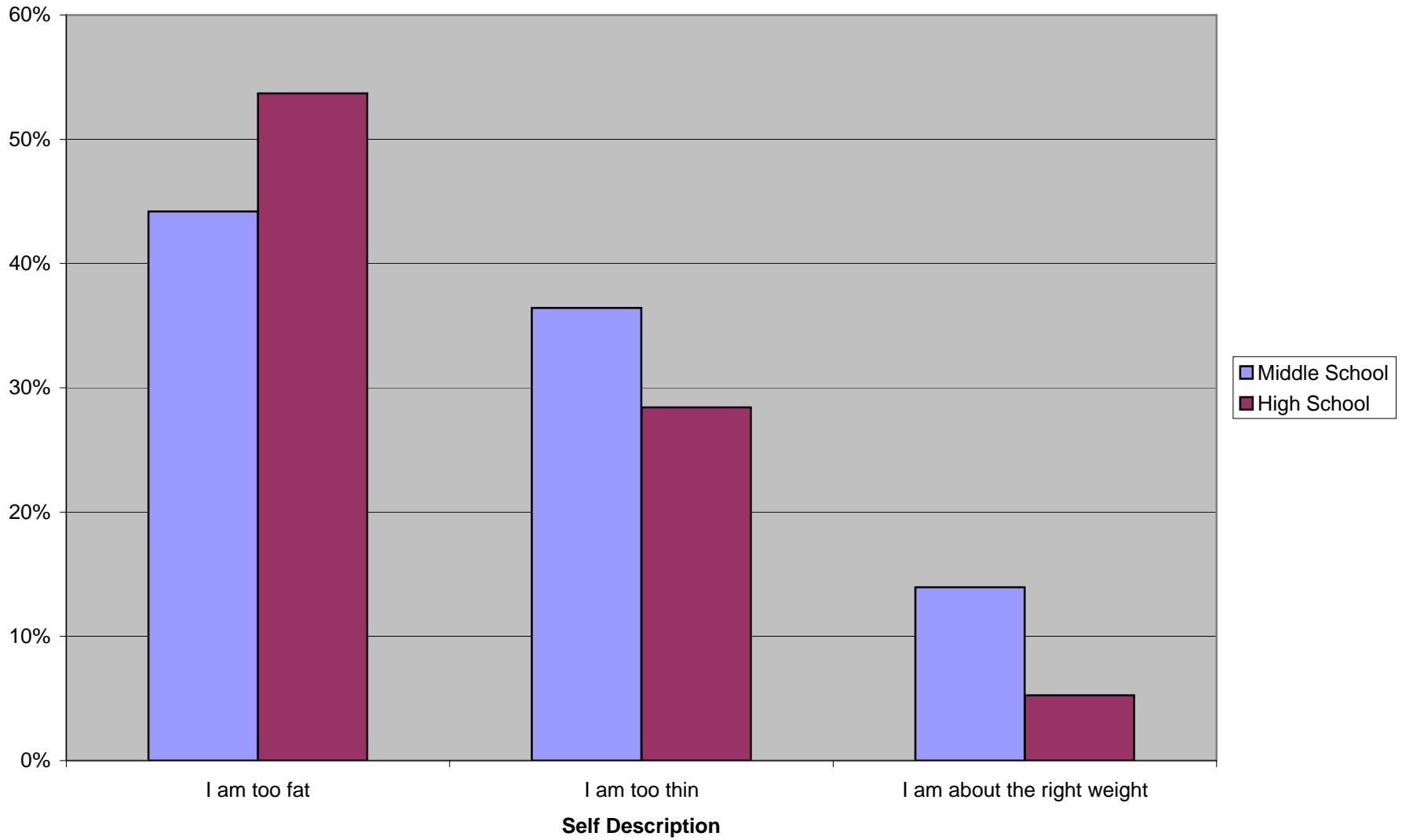
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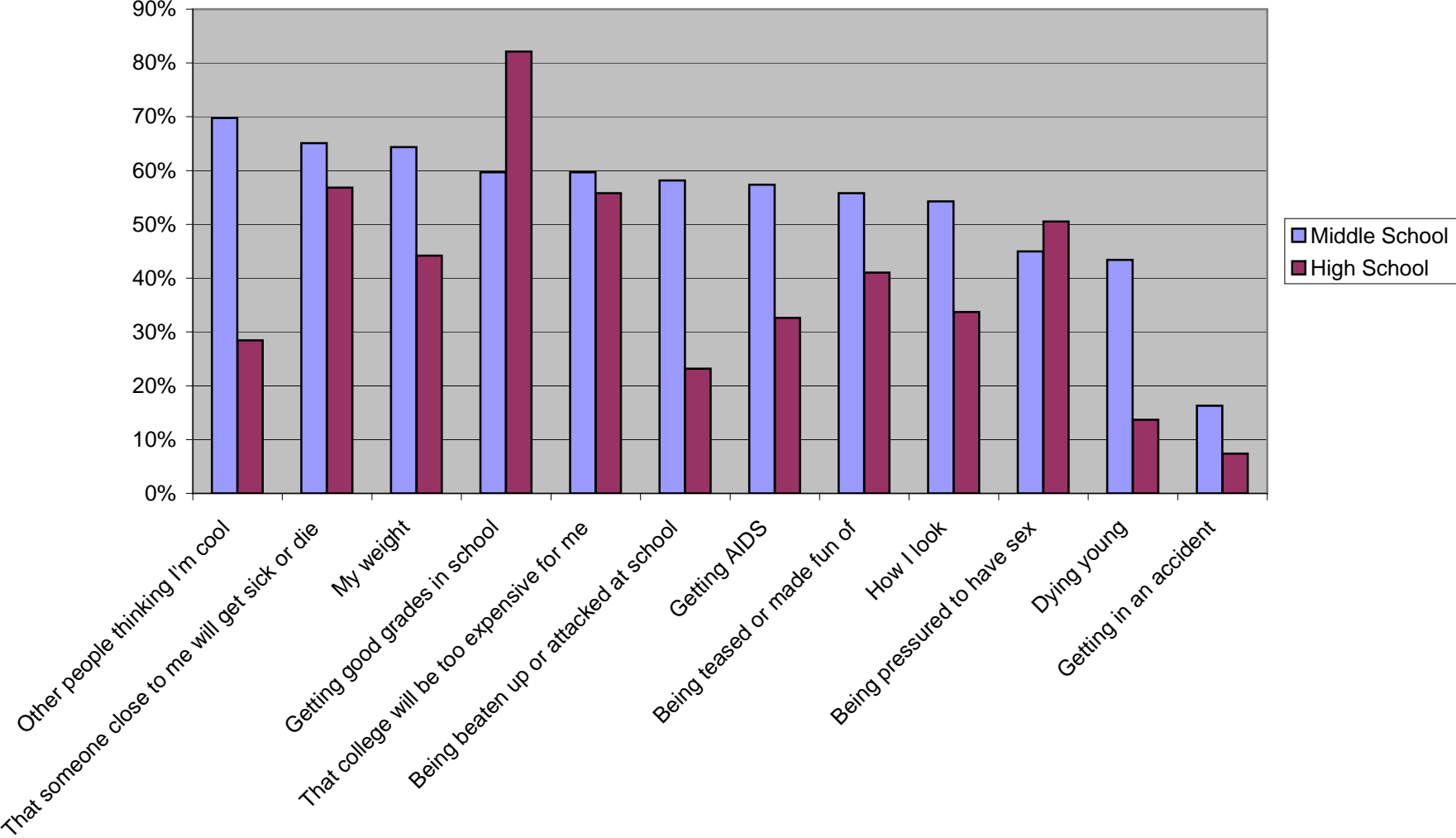
Q3 - Descriptions of Themselves: Excluding Body Image



Q3 - Descriptions of Themselves: Body Image

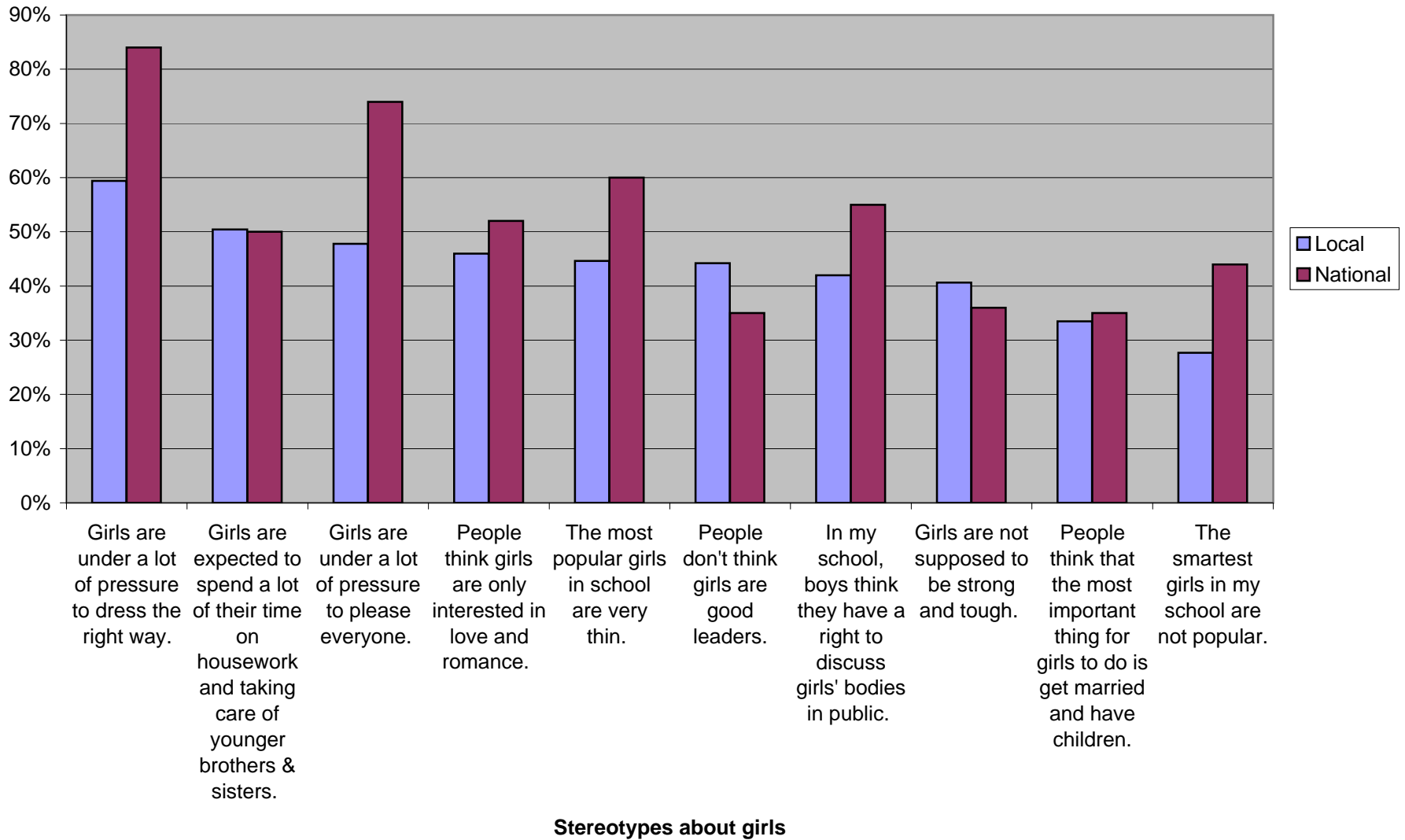


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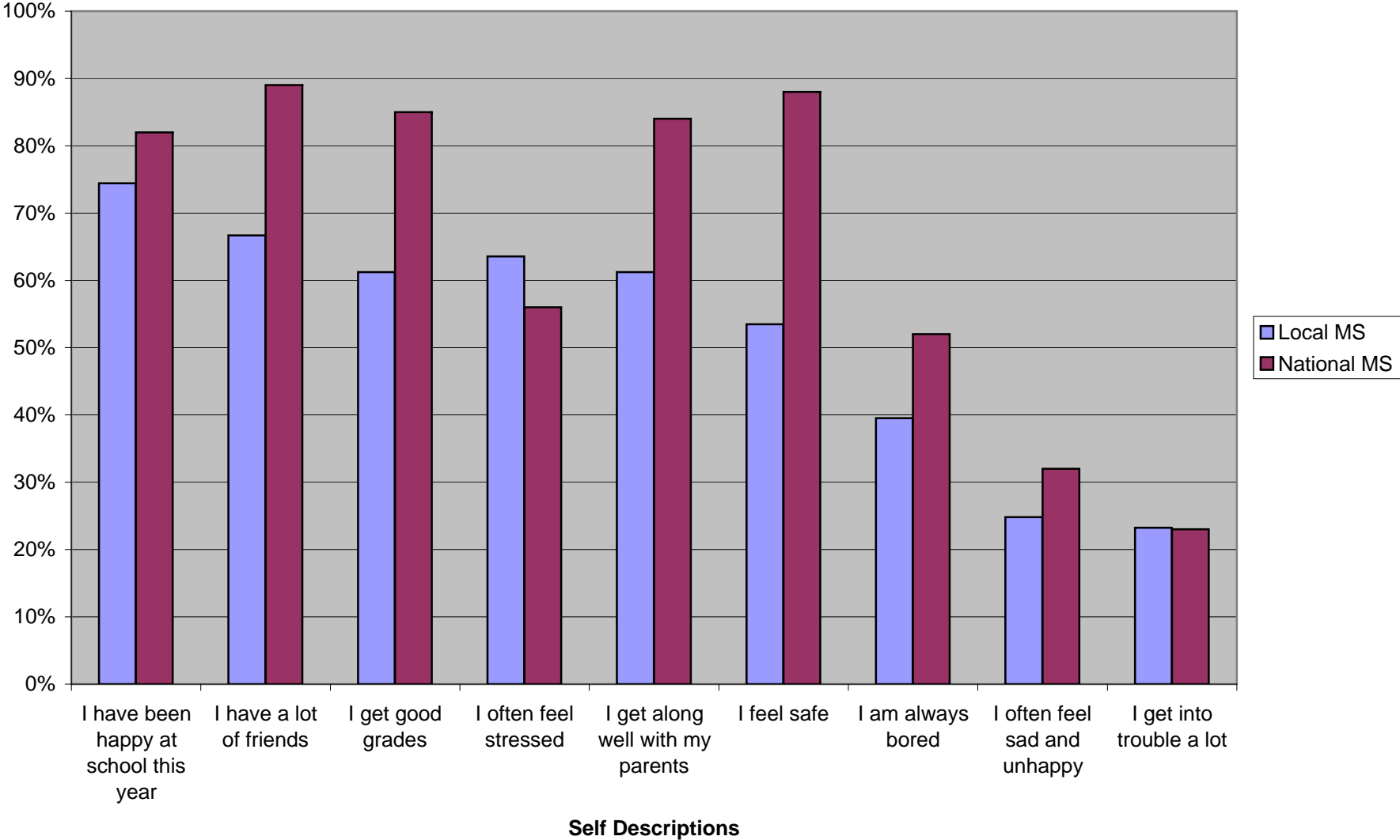


Worries

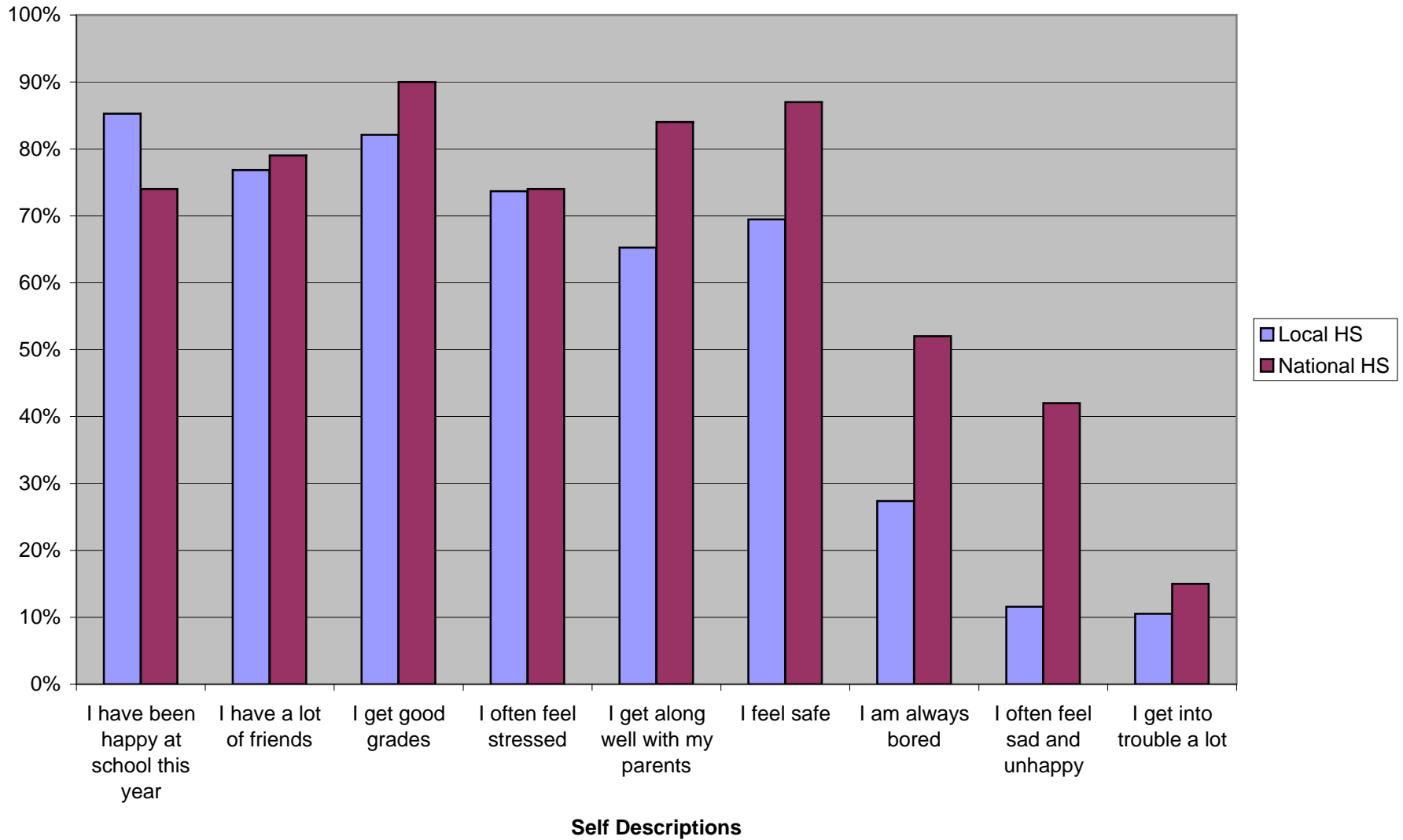
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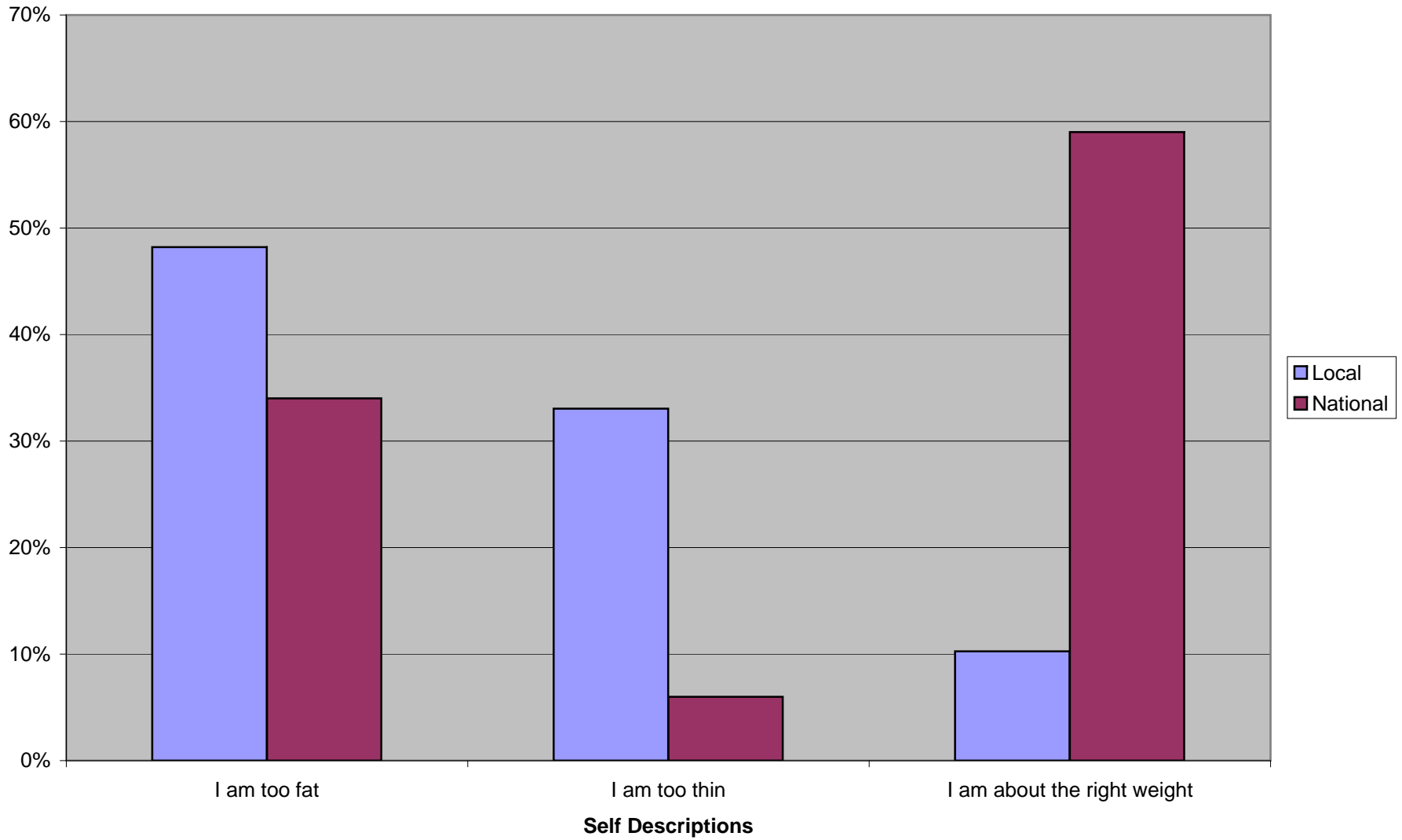
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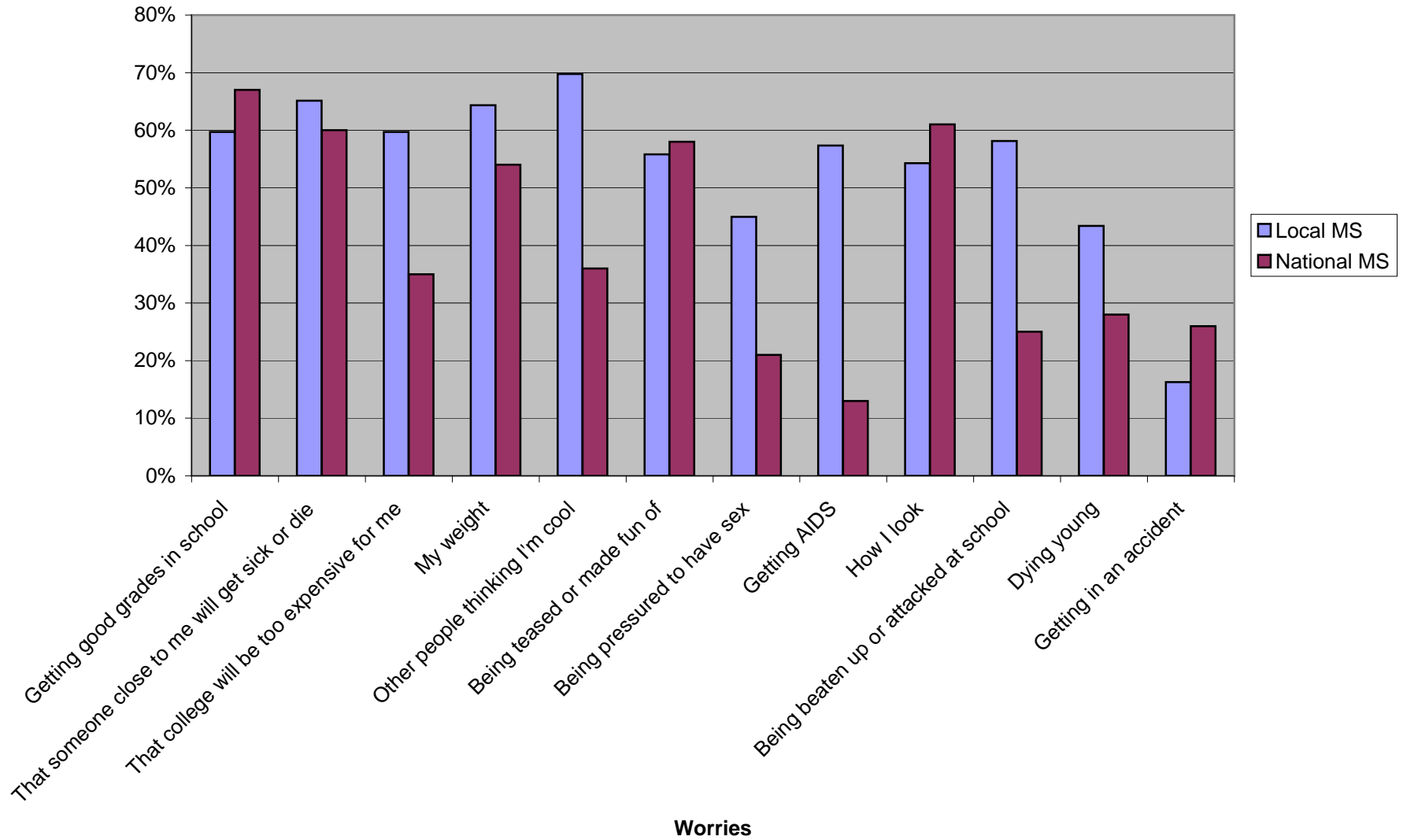
Q3 - Descriptions of Themselves: Local versus National High School



Q3 - Body Image: Local versus National



Q4 - Worries: Local versus National Middle School



Q4 - Worries: Local versus National High School

