

**GUERNSEY YOUNG PEOPLE'S SURVEY
2014
POST 16**

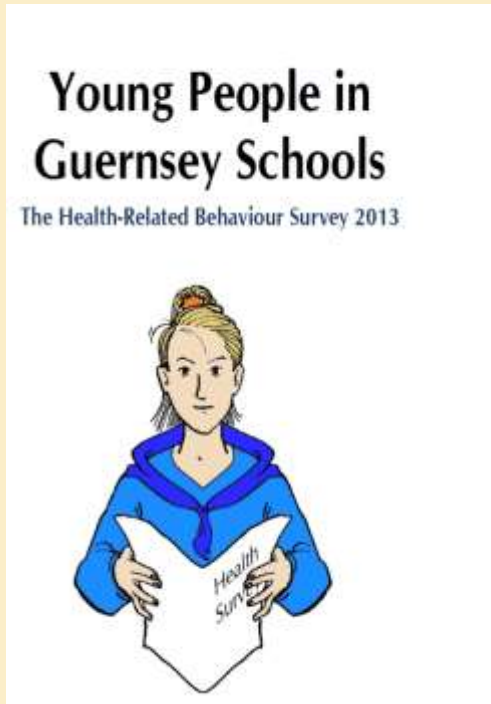
BACKGROUND

- In January/ February 2014 over 600 post-16 full-time students completed the post-16 version of the Young People's survey.
- The survey was a follow-up to the young people's survey that was completed by Guernsey primary and secondary students
- 60+ questions were completed on-line.
- The Survey was overseen and validated by the Schools Health Education Unit – who administer surveys for 70,000+ students in UK

QUESTIONS ASKED

- Over 60 questions were asked and covered the following aspects of young people's lives:
- **Being healthy-** incidence of smoking; drinking and drug use; levels of self-esteem; exercise and activity; concerns about weight.
- **Being Safe-** concerns about bullying/ levels of anxiety
- **Enjoying and Achieving-** What students like/ dislike about schools; plans for the future; involvement in after school activities; how much they participate in exercise.
- We also asked some general questions about ethnicity and family relationships.
- We worked with year 13 students to ask specific questions as a response to some of the issues raised by the young people's survey 2013. In particular we asked questions about mindset, resilience and who were role models for post-16 students

A REPORT PER SCHOOL



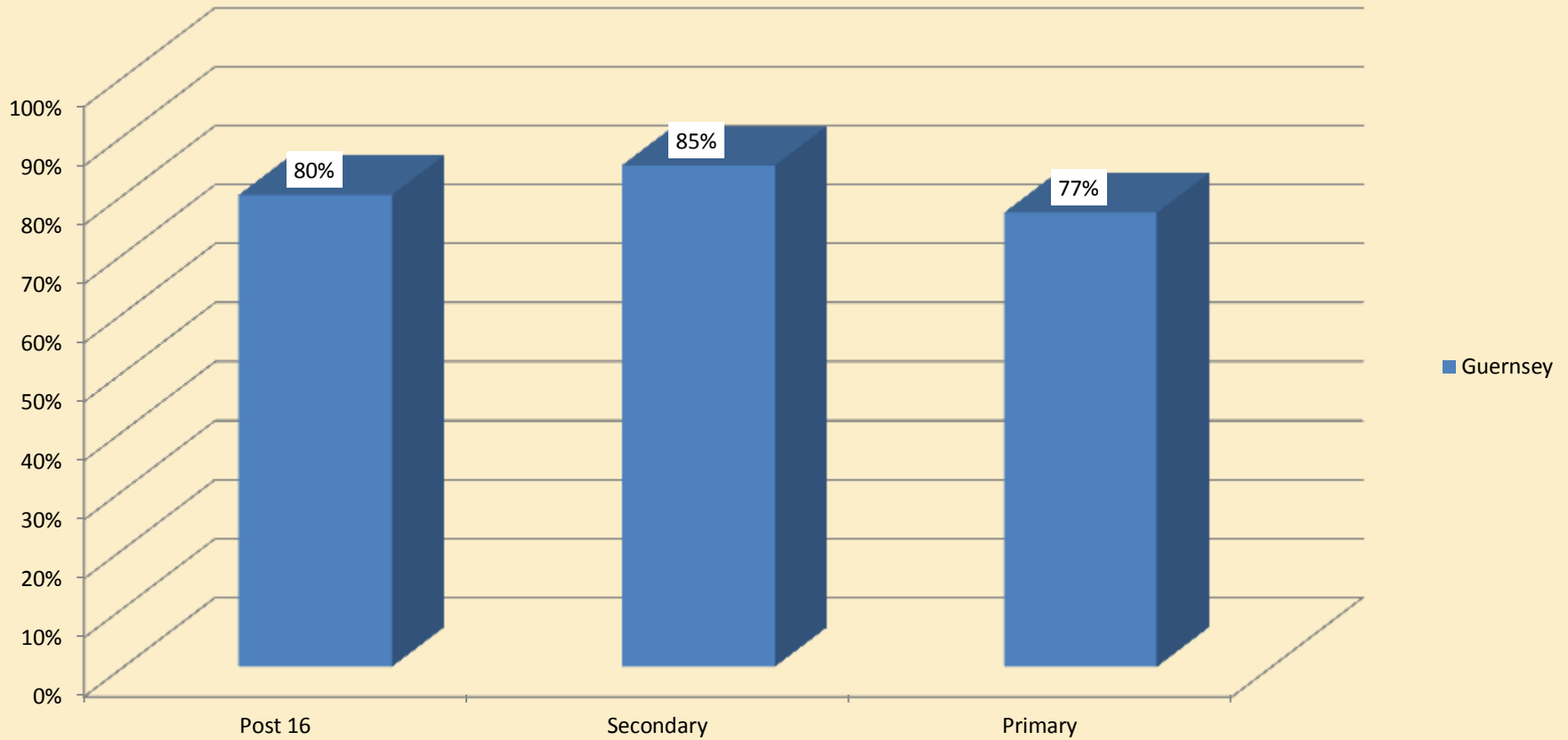
THE COMMUNITY

- Full report published on Education website – www.education.gg/ypsurvey
- The survey was used as the basis for the Deputies Forum held at the Grammar School Sixth Form Centre in February

HOW WE USE THE INFORMATION

ETHNICITY

Chart to show the % of students who classed themselves as 'Guernsey'



KEY FINDINGS

ALCOHOL

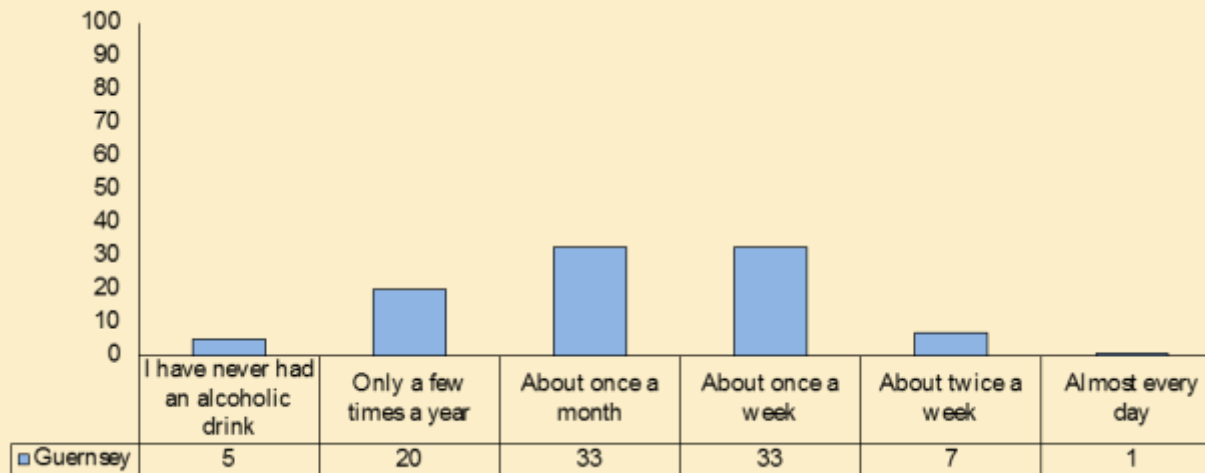
- Have you drunk Alcohol in the past seven days?

48% of respondents said that they had had an alcoholic drink in the past seven days

- 57% of respondents have been drunk at least once in the last month
- On average students were 15 when they first drank alcohol
- 82% of respondents think that people their age drink alcohol 'to get drunk'

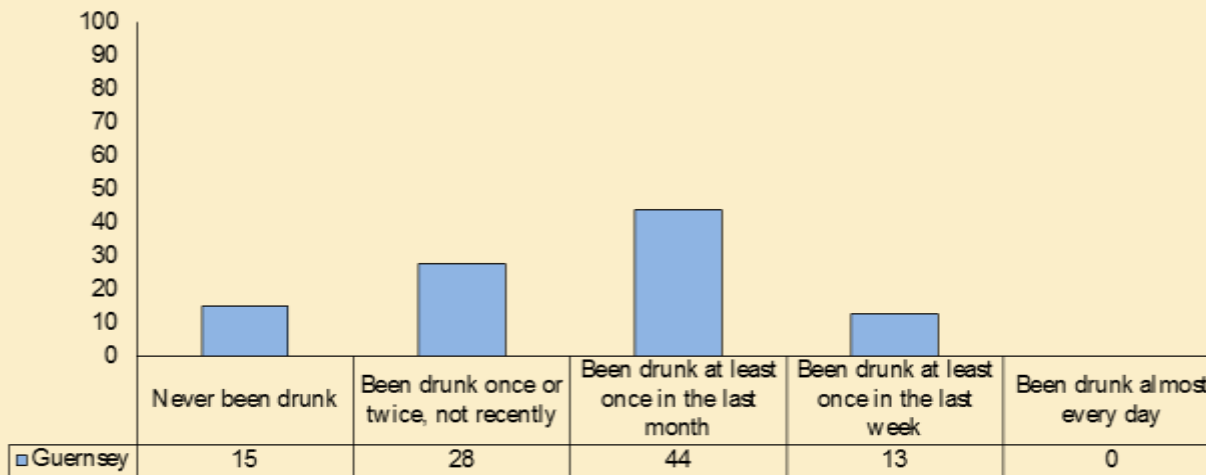
ALCOHOL

Q31. How often do you usually drink alcohol?



ALCOHOL

Q32. Getting drunk: Which statement describes you best?



KEY FINDINGS - DRUGS

- Do you know anyone who personally who takes drugs?

65% Fairly sure/ Certain they know someone

41% have been offered cannabis/ 14% have been offered ecstasy

68% have never taken cannabis

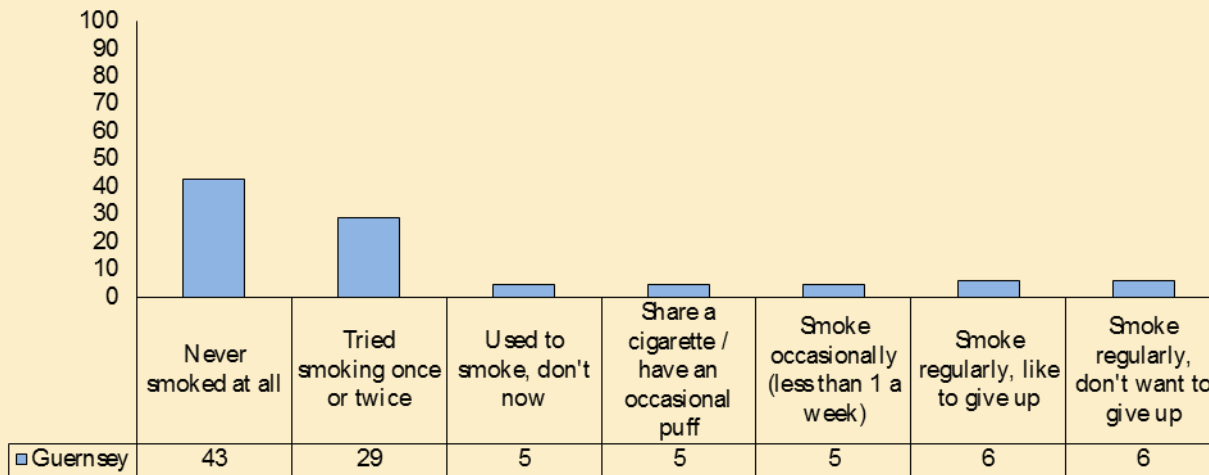
9% have taken cannabis in the last month

KEY FINDINGS TOBACCO

- 17% of post-16 students smoke regularly – at least once a week – UK 23%
- 22% smoke occasionally
- 28% of smokers began smoking since they attended their post-16 establishment

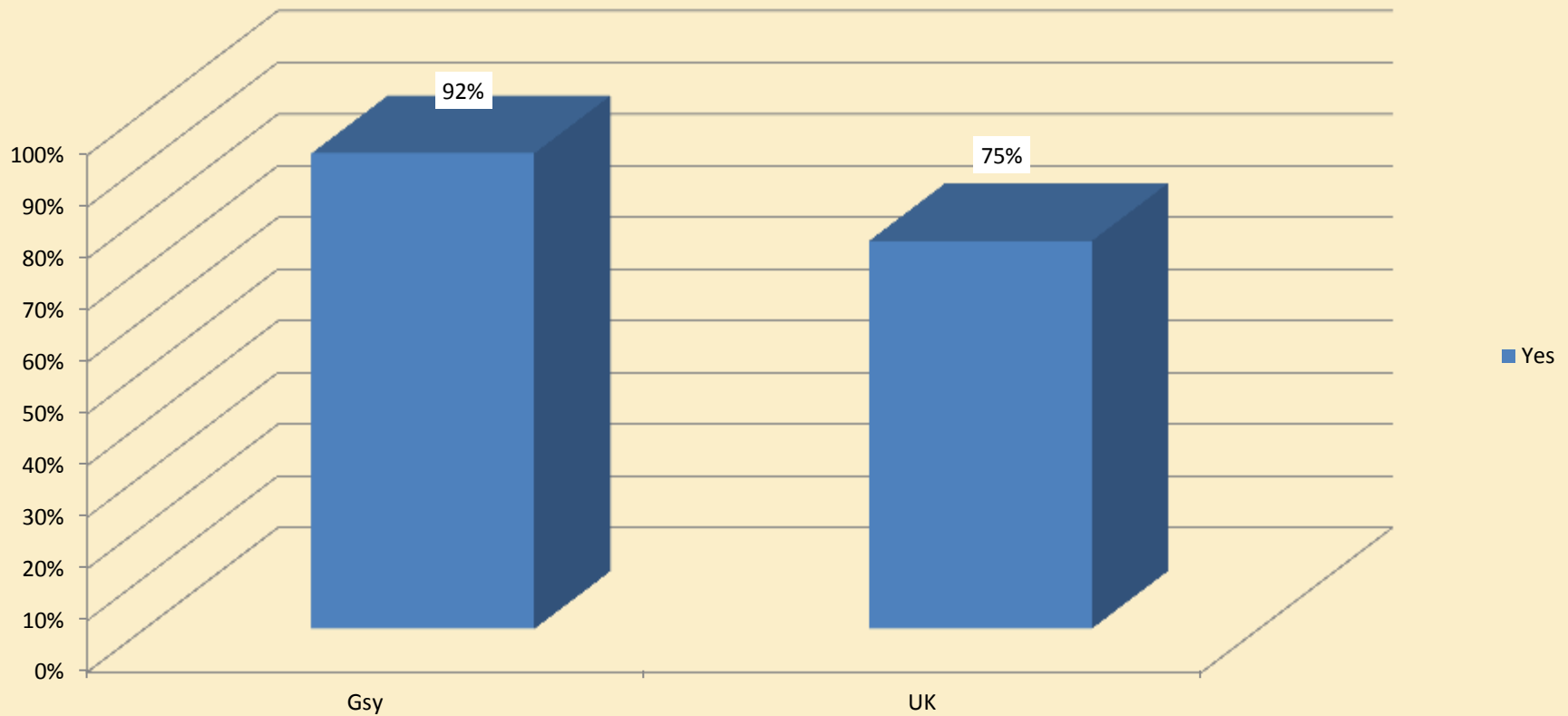
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Q22. Smoking: Which statement describes you best?



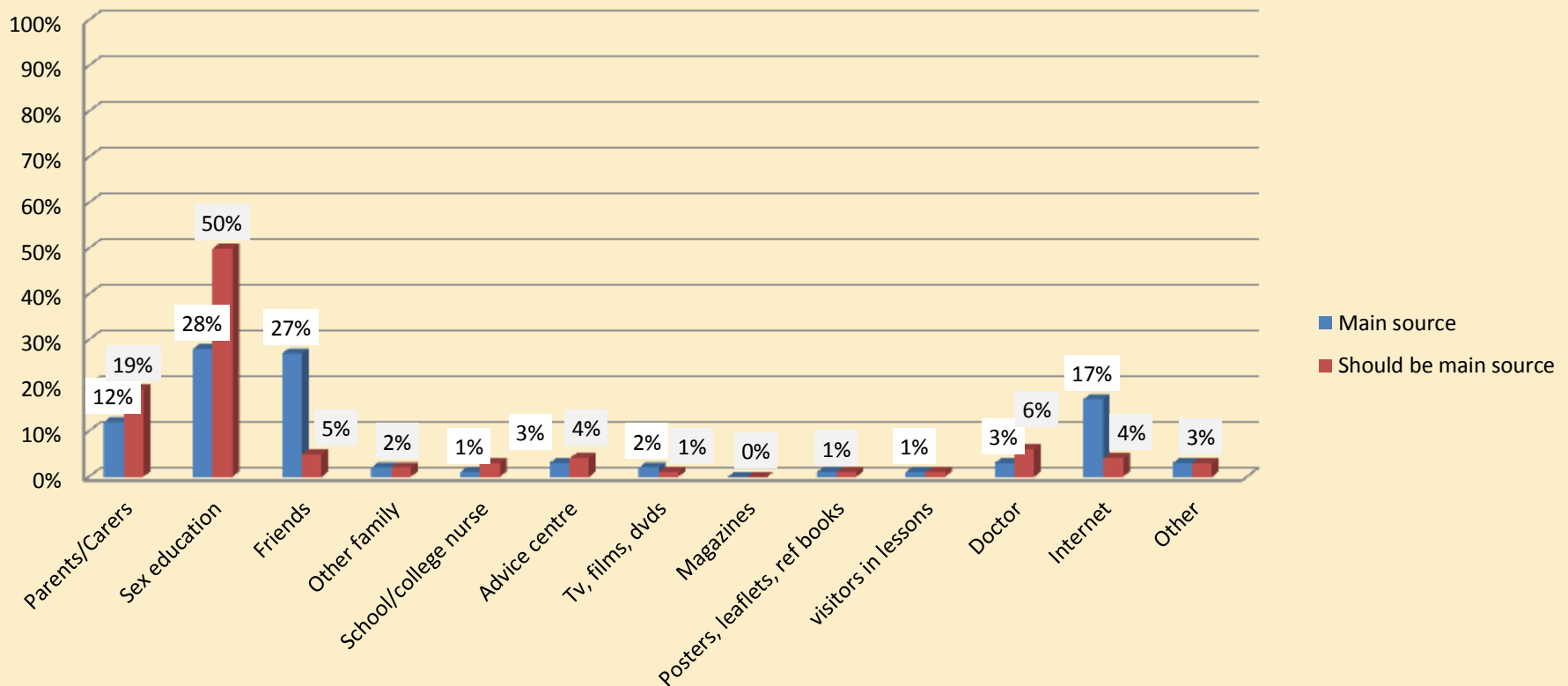
SEX AND RELATIONSHIPS

% of students who answered yes to the question ' Do you know where you can get condoms free of charge?'



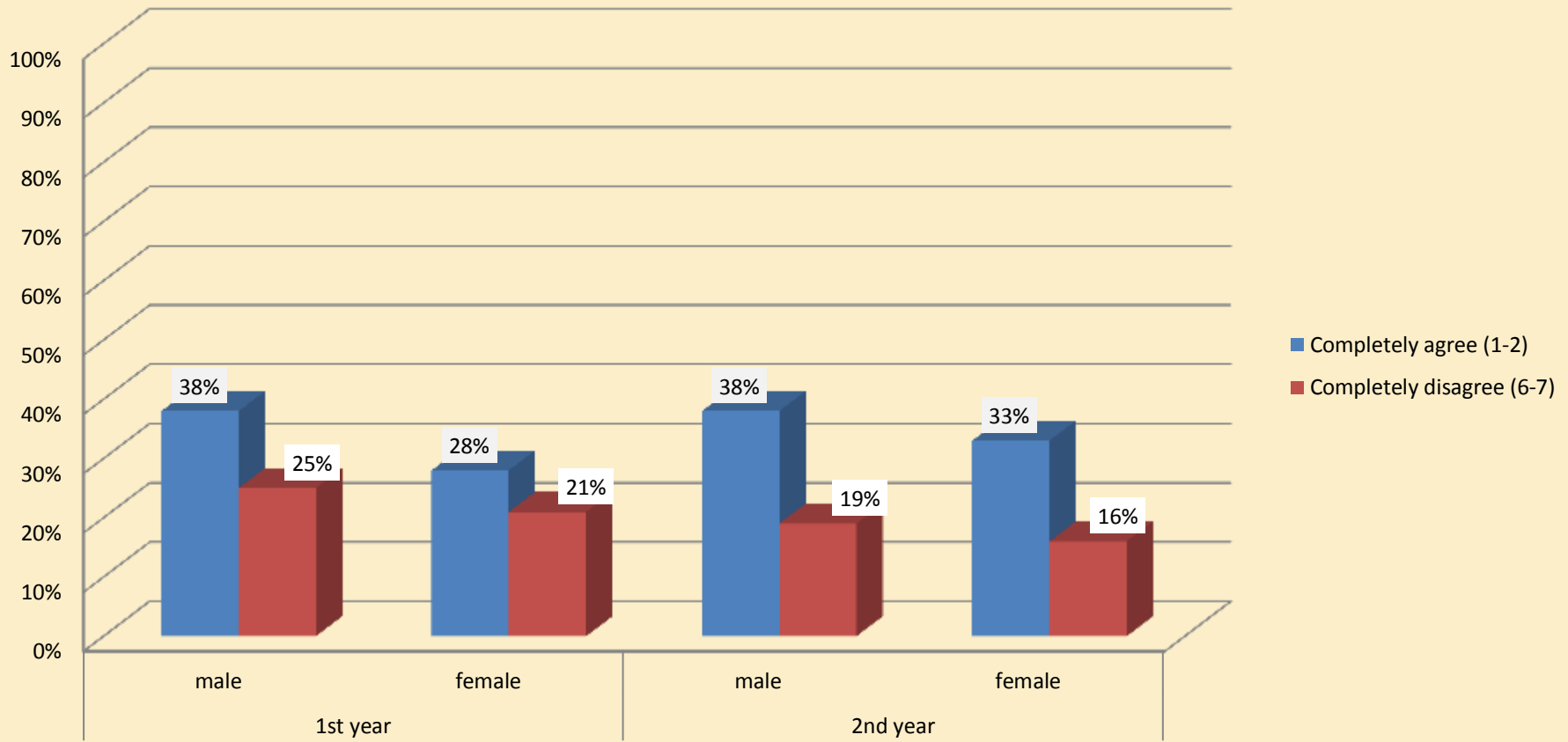
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Chart to show what sources students used to obtain information about sex vs the sources that they thought should be used.



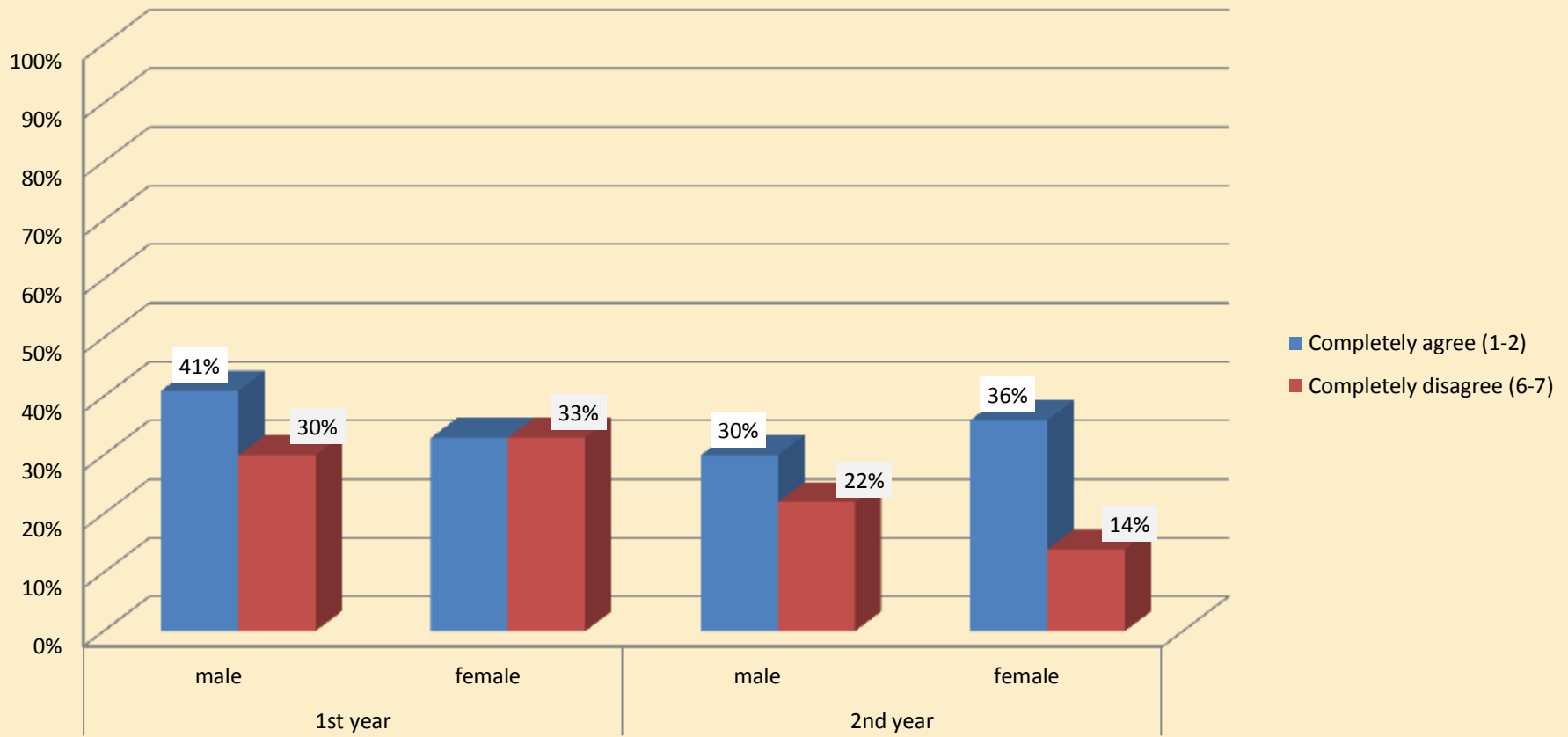
EMOTIONAL HEALTH AND WELLBEING

Responses of students to the statement 'I generally feel happy'



EMOTIONAL HEALTH AND WELLBEING

Responses of students to the statement ' I'm glad I am who I am'



HAPPINESS

- Year 6 85% 'Happy', 4% 'Not happy'
- Years 8+10 72% 'Happy', 12% 'Not happy'
- Years 12 and 13 67% 'Happy', 16% Not Happy

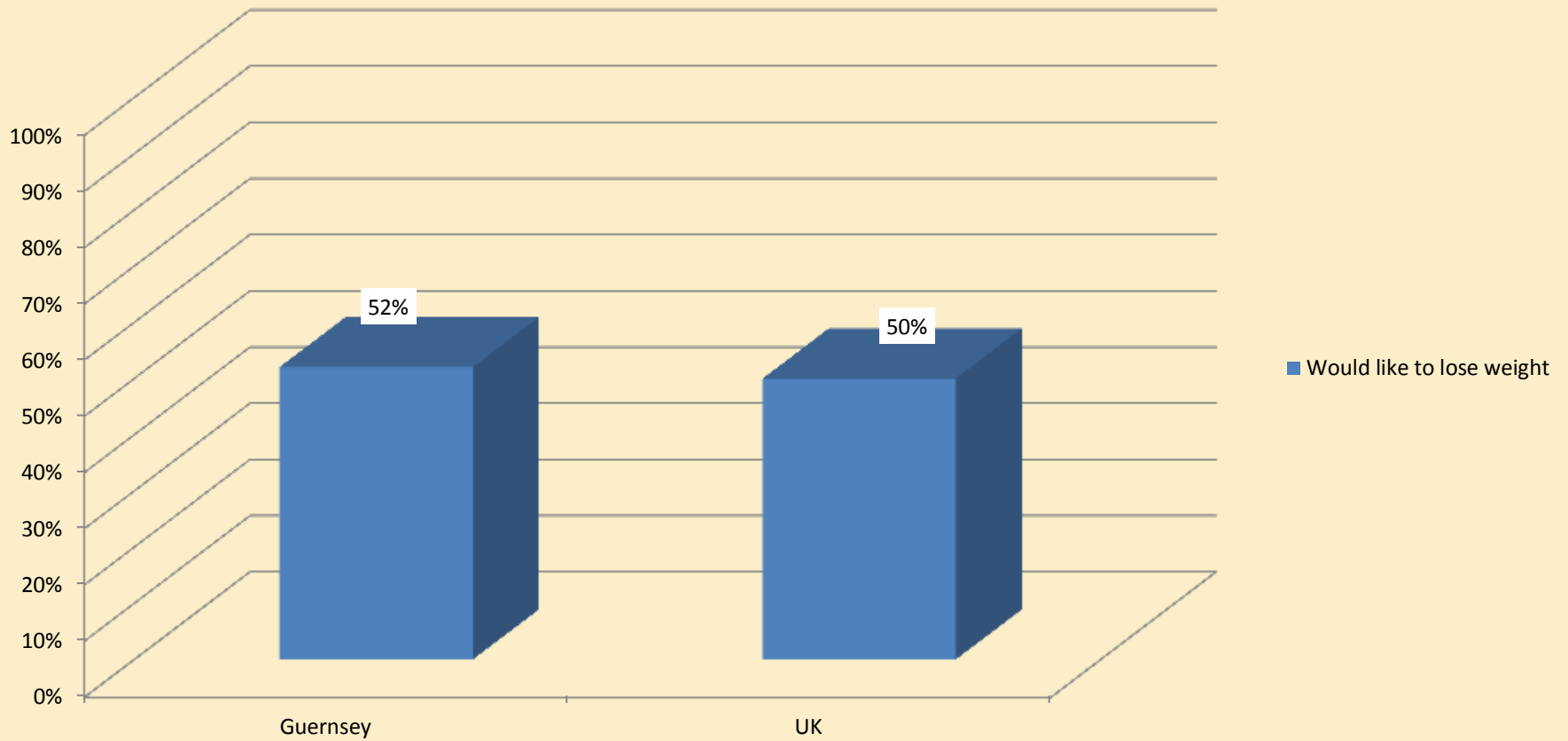
THE WAY YOU LOOK

	Year 6 Girls	Years 8 & 10 Girls	Years 12&13 Girls
I never think about the way I look	10%	3%	2%
I love the way I look	33%	21%	16%
I think I look ok	49%	33%	43%
I don't like the way I look/I hate the way I look	8%	43%	39%

	Year 6 Boys	Years 8 & 10 Boys	Years 12&13 Boys
I never think about the way I look	14%	22%	14%
I love the way I look	44%	31%	37%
I think I look ok	35%	37%	36%
I don't like the way I look/I hate the way I look	7%	10%	13%

LOSING WEIGHT

% of post - 16 students who said that they would like to lose weight.

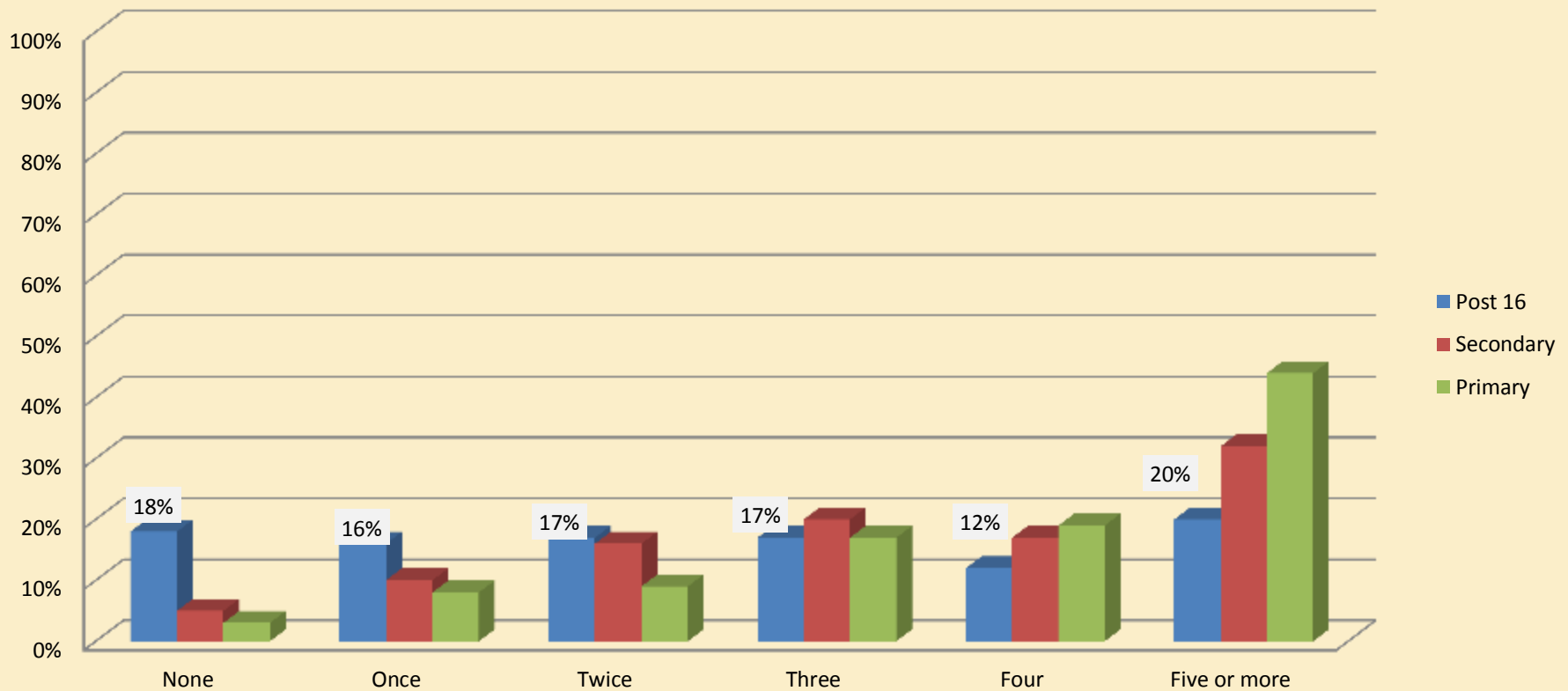


LOSING WEIGHT

- 70% of Year 12 and 13 girls would like to lose weight – UK 67%
- 63% of year 8 and 10 girls would like to lose weight
- 38% of year 6 girls would like to lose weight

EXCERCISE

How many times last week did you exercise for at least 30mins each time and have to breather harder and faster.

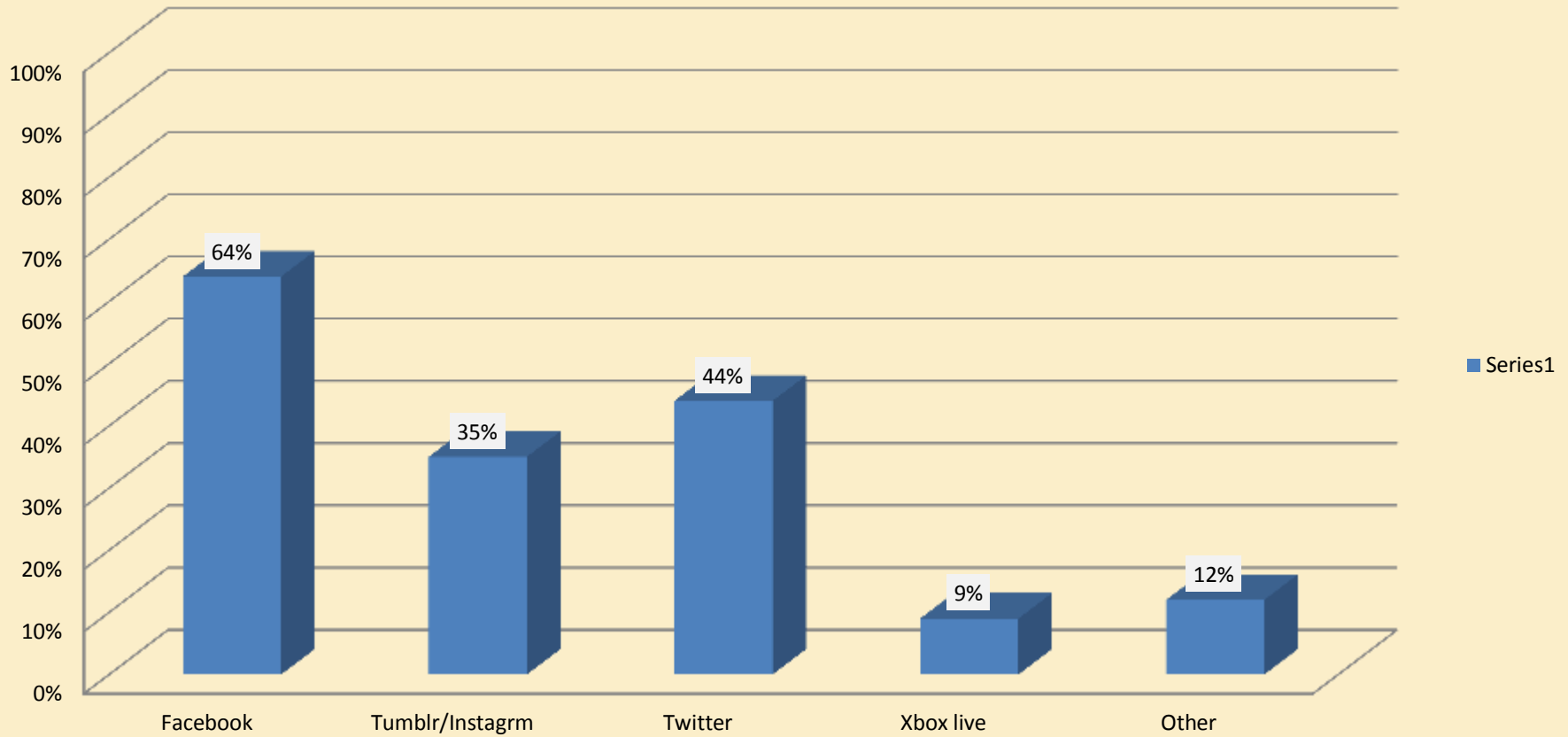


HOW OFTEN HAVE YOU WORRIED ABOUT THE THINGS LISTED BELOW?
POST -16 STUDENTS RESPONDING OFTEN/ MOST DAYS

	Gsy	UK
Study, workload problems	63%	37%
Money problems	39%	37%
Physical Health	30%	21%
Problems with friends	21%	14%
Problems with teachers	8%	6%
Family Problems	24%	19%

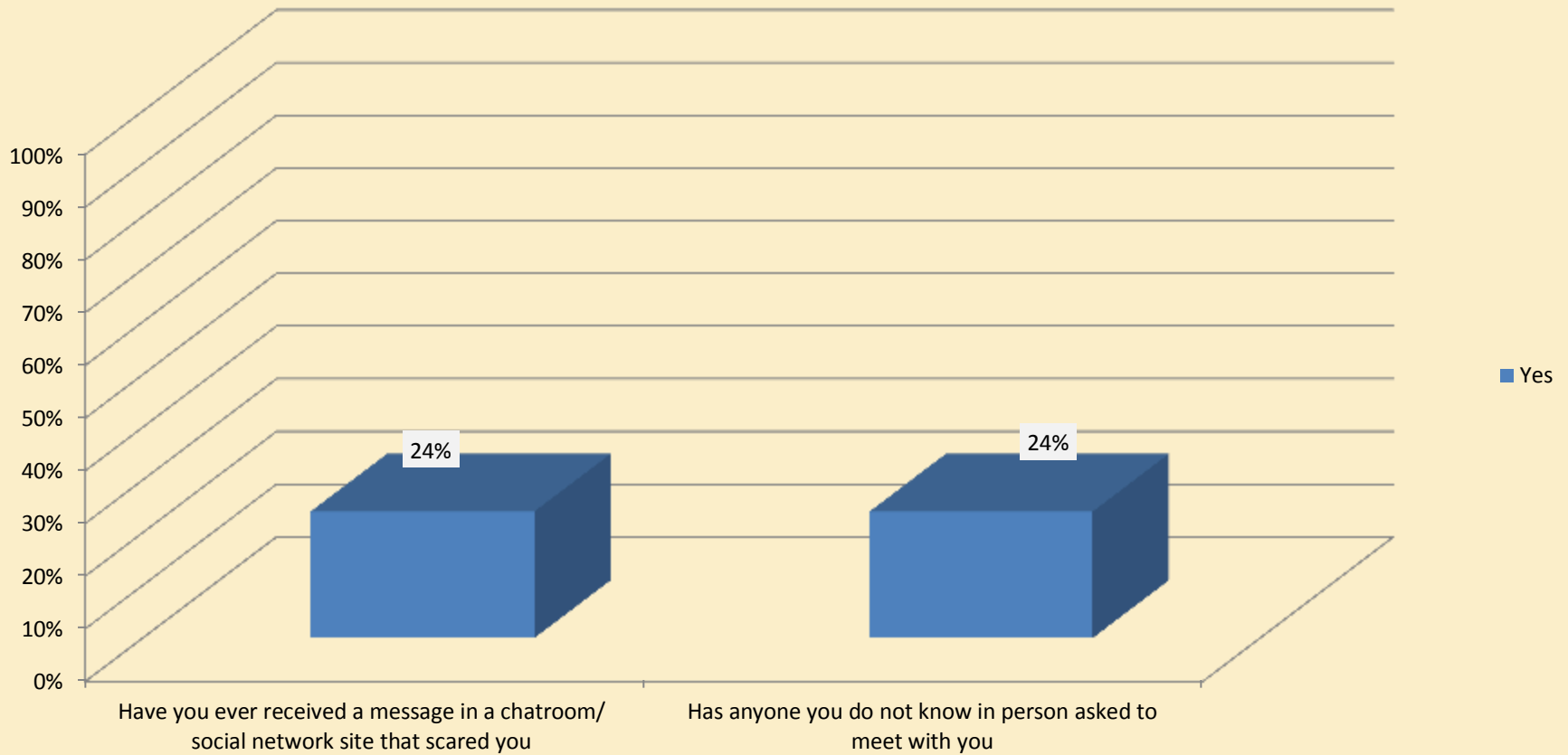
INTERNET USE

% of students who said they used the following social networking sites daily



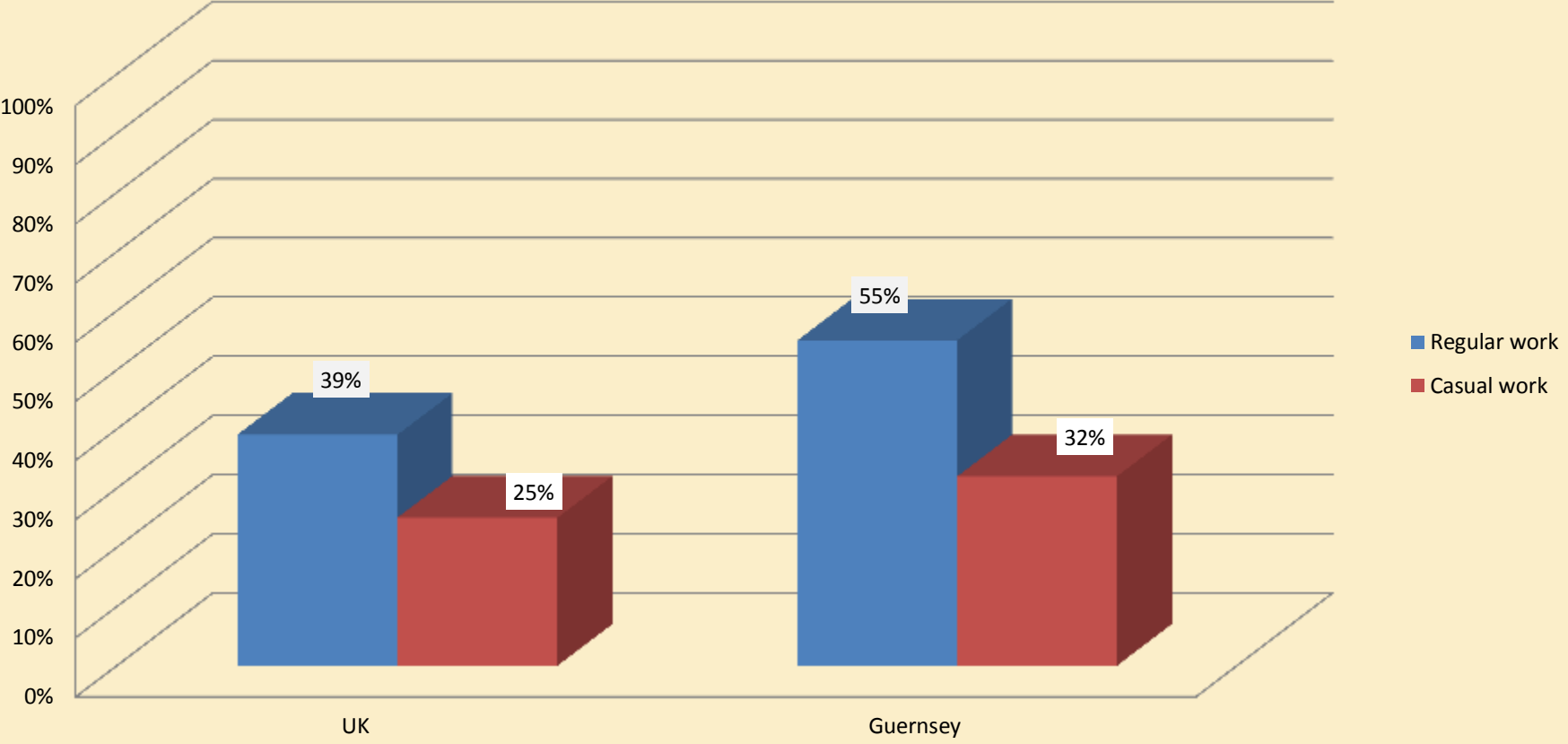
INTERNET SAFETY

% of students who answered yes to the questions below



PAID WORK

% of students who answered that they had done paid work during the term



FACILITIES AND SUPPORT AVAILABLE AT POST 16 ESTABLISHMENT.

Facility /support	% of students who said very good / good
Teaching rooms	84%
Social space	50%
Exercise facilities	47%
Sports	50%
Computers and networks (IT)	23%
Teachers /Lecturers	87%
Personal tutor	72%
Medical Support	51%
Financial Advice	31%

