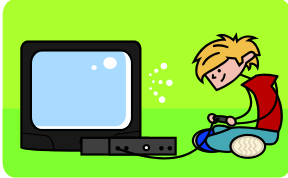


## Teen Health Study Trivia

During your third interview (administered between the summer of 2004 and the fall of 2005) we asked you several questions about things you liked—sports you played, magazines you read, and TV shows you liked, among other things. We thought you might like to know what was the most popular.



### First, the most popular video games:

- 1) Madden 2005
- 2) Tony Hawk's Underground
- 3) Racing games (various)
- 4) The Sims
- 5) Crash Bandicoot

### Most popular magazine subscriptions:

- 1) Sports Illustrated
- 2) Seventeen
- 3) Teen People
- 4) Cosmo Girl
- 5) YM



### Most popular TV shows

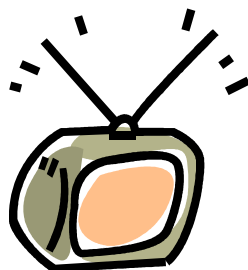
1) 7<sup>th</sup> Heaven. 7<sup>th</sup> Heaven, aired on the WB network, was originally scheduled to end in 2006. However, the intended final episode garnered such high ratings that the show was renewed (on a different network, CW) for an additional season—finally ending in 2007 after 11 seasons. It is the most watched WB series in the networks history.

2) SportsCenter. SportsCenter has been shown on ESPN every day since the network debuted in 1979. It was originally on once a day, but is now shown up to 12 times daily—resulting in over 30,000 unique episodes.

3) Family Guy. Family Guy premiered in 1999 on Fox, and its cancellation was first announced in 2000. Due to public outcry, the cancellation was postponed for a season. After it was cancelled, Family Guy gained a large following on the Cartoon Network's Adult Swim, resulting in strong DVD sales. This prompted Fox to revive the show in 2004. Family Guy is now in its 7<sup>th</sup> season.

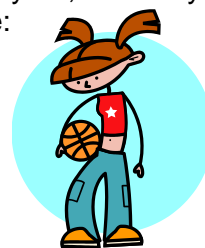
4) The Simpsons. The Simpsons is the longest-running American sitcom, as well as the longest-running American animated program. Hundreds of celebrities, politicians, athletes and musicians have made cameo appearances on The Simpsons, including Britney Spears, Mark McGwire, Stephen Hawking, Ludacris, 50 Cent, and Reese Witherspoon. The Simpsons Movie was released this past summer, and the show is currently in its 19<sup>th</sup> season on Fox.

5) Gilmore Girls. Like 7<sup>th</sup> Heaven, its final season was on CW, while all the others were on the WB. It aired for seven seasons and ended in 2007. Additionally, guest star Alex Borstein, who played harp player Drella in season 1 and fashion consultant Miss Celine in season 3, also voices Lois Griffin on Family Guy



Almost every year, we ask you what sports you play in school. In year 5 (last year, the last year of the Teen Health Study), **the most popular sports** were:

- 1) basketball
- 2) track
- 3) football
- 4) soccer
- 5) baseball



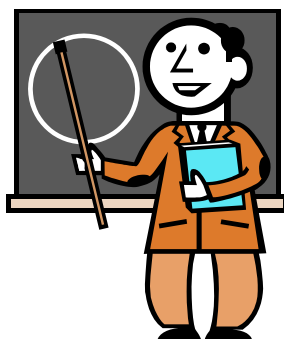
We also asked you to **describe yourself**—this is what you told us the most:

- 1) funny
- 2) nice
- 3) athletic
- 4) outgoing
- 5) smart

In year 4 (administered summer 2005 through summer 2006) we asked you about your dreams jobs, as well as what you thought you would actually end up doing. Here is what you told us:

**Dream job:**

- 1) Professional athlete
- 2) Doctor
- 3) Fine arts (acting, singing, photography, writing, etc)
- 4) Teacher
- 5) Tie – Lawyer or nurse



**Real job:**

- 1) Teacher
- 2) Doctor
- 3) Fine arts
- 4) Lawyer
- 5) Nurse

If all health field jobs were combined (including doctor, nurse, pharmacist, physical therapist, nutritionist, etc.,) they would rival athletics for first place.

Finally, last year we asked you what colleges you thought you might attend. The most popular were:

**Top 5 colleges**

- 1) University of Pittsburgh
- 2) Penn State University
- 3) Carnegie Mellon University
- 4) Duquesne University
- 5) Slippery Rock University