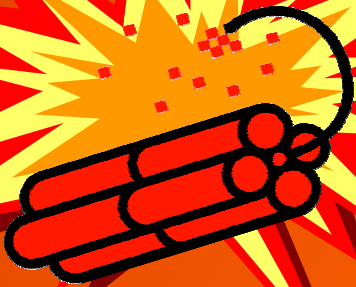


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The information on the pages that follow concerns incidents of youth violence in which the perpetrator

- ▶ was a student and the incident occurred in a school building or on a school bus,
- ▶ used or attempted to use a gun, knife or other sharp object, or explosive device to threaten, injure or kill self or others.

What follows *does not* include:

- ▶ incidents occurring during or after athletic events, on or off school grounds, involving students or non-students;
- ▶ incidents occurring during hours and days when schools are not in session, on or near school grounds, involving students or non-students;
- ▶ gang-related incidents near or in front of schools, or on school grounds, involving students or non-students;
- ▶ non-student related incidents occurring near schools or on school grounds;
- ▶ incidents in which the perpetrator is an adult or non-student on school grounds or near schools; or
- ▶ brawls in schools where no weapons were evident.

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Napa, California	May 14, 1992	John McMahan, 14
Details: Armed with a .357, McMahan allegedly opened fired in his first period science class, wounding 2 students.		
Grayson, Kentucky	January 18, 1993	Gary Scott Pennington, 17
Details: Allegedly held a high school English class hostage after killing 1 teacher and 1 custodian.		
Los Angeles, California	February 22, 1993	Robert Heard, 15
Details: Allegedly shot and killed a student at his high school.		
Red Hill, Pennsylvania	May 24, 1993	Jason Michael Smith, 15
Details: Allegedly shot and killed a classmate during first period Biology at his high school. The victim had allegedly been bullying the gunmen since the 7 th grade.		
Butte, Montana	April 12, 1994	James Osmanson, 10
Details: Allegedly shot a classmate on the school playground. His classmates had allegedly been teasing him because his parents had AIDS.		
Greensboro, North Carolina	October 12, 1994	Nicholas Atkinson, 16
Details: Allegedly shot and wounded assistant principal before killing himself. Student was suspended at time of shooting.		
Manchester, Iowa	November 8, 1994	Chad Welcher, 16
Details: Allegedly fired two shotgun blasts into the principal's office, hitting a secretary.		
Redlands, California	January 23, 1995	John Sirola, 14
Details: Allegedly shot a principal in the face and shoulder; died of self-inflicted wound which may have been accidental.		
Blackville, South Carolina	October 12, 1995	Toby Sincino, 16
Details: Allegedly shot and wounded 1 teacher, killed 1 teacher, then killed himself. Student was suspended at the time of the shooting.		
Tavares, Florida	September 29, 1995	Keith Johnson, 14
Details: Allegedly shot a classmate at his middle school.		
Richmond, Virginia	October 30, 1995	Edward Earl Spellman, 18.
Details: Allegedly shot and wounded 4 students outside his high school.		
Lynnville, Tennessee	November 15, 1995	Jamie Rouse, 17
Details: Armed with a rifle, Rouse allegedly killed 1 teacher, 1 student and wounded 1 teacher.		

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Moses Lake, Washington ¹	February 2, 1996	Barry Loukaitas, 14
<p>Details: Armed with a .30-.30 rifle and handguns stolen from his grandfather, Loukaitas is alleged to have walked into a Frontier Junior High classroom and killed 2 students and 1 teacher, and wounded 1 student. Loukaitas, an only child, was described in several newspaper accounts as "an outsider." Police reported finding a copy of <i>The Rage</i> by Stephen King, under a pseudo name, by his bed following the incident at Moses Lake. Jurors at his trial also watched a copy of a Pearl Jam video entitled "Jeremy" which "chronicles the angst and anger of a disenfranchised boy who, after taunting by his classmates and neglect from his parents, embarks on a shootout in his classroom that leaves the entire class dead" (Source: <i>Seattle Times</i>, September 9, 1997) which Loukaitas' defense attorney claimed triggered his rage. His mother, recently separated from his father (now divorced), testified at his trial that she had made several threats of suicide prior to her son's alleged rampage at Frontier Junior High. His father testified that during the arguments and feuds that preceded their ultimate divorce, Barry would hide in his room. Loukaitas was tried as an adult and sentenced to life in prison without the possibility of parole. He is incarcerated at Clallam Bay Corrections Center.</p>		
Los Angeles, California	July 26, 1996	Yohao Albert Rivas, 18
<p>Details: Allegedly shot and wounded two classmates in a stairwell on campus.</p>		
Decatur, Georgia	September 15, 1996	Male student, 14
<p>Details: Allegedly fired shots into a classroom killing his English teacher.</p>		
Scottsdale, Georgia	September 25, 1996	David Dubose, Jr, 16
<p>Details: A student of the school for less than a week, Dubose allegedly shot and killed a teacher.</p>		
St Louis, Missouri	October 31, 1996	Unknown
<p>Details: A student with a gun allegedly shot and critically wounded another student in a school hallway.</p>		
West Palm Beach, Florida	January 27, 1997	Tronneal Mangum, 13
<p>Details: Mangum allegedly shot and killed another student on the sidewalk in front of his middle school.</p>		
Bethel, Alaska	February 19, 1997	Evan Ramsey, 16
<p>Details: Armed with a shotgun, Ramsey allegedly killed 1 principal and 1 student, and wounded 2 other students at Bethel Regional High School. Ramsey was described as "an outcast" and troublemaker, frequently getting in fights and being suspended from school. Ramsey and his younger brother had been in foster care since their father, Don Ramsey – an Anchorage taxi-cab driver, had been sentenced to prison following a shooting rampage at the old Anchorage Times building (no one was hurt and he apparently was not targeting anyone in particular). The elder Ramsey was released one month prior to his son's shooting spree at Bethel Regional High School, killing one teacher and one student whom he had told friends earlier he intended to make "suffer", and wounding two other students. Ramsey was charged with 20 separate crimes and tried as an adult; he was sentenced to two consecutive 99-year terms, requiring that he serve at least 20 years on each count under Alaska law.</p>		
Pearl, Mississippi	October 1, 1997	Luke Woodham, 17
<p>Details: Armed with a .30-.30 rifle and a knife obtained from his home, Woodham allegedly killed 2 students and wounded 7 other students at Pearl High School; after killing his mother at the family home by beating her</p>		

¹ There were shooting incidents prior to February 1996 in Washington State, including:

- ▶▶ Garfield High School; Seattle; 2 Students Wounded; January 12, 1995
- ▶▶ Marcus Whitman Middle School; Seattle; 1 Teacher Killed; 1994
- ▶▶ Ballard High School; Seattle; Students Killed; 1994
- ▶▶ Rainier Beach High School; Seattle; Students Killed; 1993

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		with a baseball bat, then stabbing her with the knife he took to school. Woodham was distraught over a breakup with his girlfriend. He stabbed his mother to death, then tucked a rifle under his trenchcoat and headed for school in his mother's car. His ex-girlfriend was the first one shot, followed by eight other students, one of whom also died. Other students described Woodham as "picked on" by other students. Six other students and ex-students — loosely known as "The Kroth" — were subsequently charged with conspiring to kill their classmates over a 10-month period; three were subsequently bound over for trial. At his trial, Woodham blamed demons and his friends in the slayings. Woodham was given three life sentences and is incarcerated at Mississippi State Penitentiary.
West Paducah, Kentucky	December 1, 1997	Michael Carneal, 15
		Details: Armed with a .22-caliber Ruger, a handgun, and 4 rifles stolen from a neighbor's home, Carneal allegedly killed 3 students and wounded 5 others at Heath High School. Carneal was described as a self-professed atheist, who, along with others of like mind, would occasionally heckle the informal worship group who became Carneal's target in the shooting spree. Three of the prayer group were subsequently killed and five wounded. Under a plea agreement, Carneal pled guilty and was sentenced to life in prison without possibility of parole for 25 years. He is incarcerated at Daviess County Juvenile Detention Center.
Stamps, Arkansas	December 15, 1997	Joseph "Colt" Todd, 14
		Details: Allegedly shot 2 students
Jonesboro, Arkansas	March 24, 1998	Mitchell Johnson, 13 Andrew Golden, 11
		Details: Armed with 3 rifles and 7 handguns stolen from the home of Golden's grandfather, Johnson and Golden allegedly opened fire on students and teachers in the schoolyard of Westside Middle School, killing 4 students and 1 teacher and wounding 10 other students and 1 teacher. Johnson had recently moved from Minnesota with his mother who was divorced from his father in 1994. Johnson was described as a troubled youth who had begun bragging of joining a gang. Prior to the shooting spree, Johnson had been accused of molesting a toddler in Minnesota. Targeted in the shooting spree was Johnson's ex-girlfriend, who was injured. She indicated that Johnson had threatened her. The shootings occurred in the school yard as students and teachers exited the building after Johnson's co-shooter, Andrew Golden, triggered the school fire alarm. Johnson was charged under Arkansas juvenile law, found guilty, and turned over to juvenile authorities where he will remain incarcerated at the Alexander Youth Services Center until he is at least 18, and possibly until he is 21. Golden was the son of postmasters in neighboring towns. His father was listed as an officer for a gun club where he reportedly taught his son to handle and use a gun, including safe handling. Golden and Johnson were cousins. Golden was charged under Arkansas juvenile law, found guilty, and turned over to juvenile authorities where he will remain incarcerated at Alexander Youth Services Center until he is at least 18, and possibly until he is 21.
Coldwater, Michigan	March 24, 1998	Male student, 18
		Details: Allegedly sat in the parking lot of his school and shot himself in the head as classmates looked on.
Chapel Hill, North Carolina	March 30, 1998	Female student, 13
		Details: Allegedly committed suicide with a gun in the restroom at her middle school.
Edinboro, Pennsylvania	April 24, 1998	Andrew Wurst, 14
		Details: Armed with a .25-caliber handgun registered to his father, Wurst allegedly killed 1 teacher and wounded 2 other students and 1 teacher at Parker Middle school. Wurst was described as having a troubled home life. The shooting occurred at a dinner-dance held at a local banquet hall arranged by the slain teacher. When arrested, Wurst was carrying a small amount of marijuana. Wurst had talked of killing people and taking his own life a month before the shootings; he did not know the slain teacher. Wurst was charged as an adult with criminal homicide, three counts each of aggravated assault and reckless endangerment, and gun and drug charges; sentencing is not known.

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Fayetteville, Tennessee ²	May 19, 1998	Jacob Davis, 18
<p>Details: Armed with a rifle, Davis allegedly killed one student at Lincoln County High School. Davis was described as an honor student, who, three days before he was due to graduate, took a rifle to school and shot another boy in a dispute over a girl both had dated. Nothing is known of Davis' home life or school social life. He was charged with first-degree murder and is set to go on trial on July 26, 1999.</p>		
Springfield, Oregon	May 21, 1998	Kip Kinkel, 16
<p>Details: Armed with a stolen .22-caliber semi-automatic rifle and 2 handguns, Kinkel allegedly first killed his parents at their home, then killed 2 students and wounded 22 other students at Thurston High School. Kinkel was on the prescription drug, Prozac. Kinkel, described as "Most Likely to Start World War III," was constantly in trouble at school and, apparently, also at home. He was suspended the day before the shooting spree for having a stolen gun in his locker at school. Kinkel killed his parents – both teachers – with a stolen gun, then walked into the Thurston High School cafeteria and opened fire, killing two students and wounding 22 others before being subdued by another student who was also wounded. Following his arrest, Kinkel lunged at police officers with a knife that had been strapped to his leg. Police found numerous home-made bombs in his parents' home, an empty grenade and two empty howitzer canisters. Kinkel was arraigned on four counts of aggravated murder. Under Oregon law, because he is a juvenile, he cannot be executed if found guilty. The outcome of his trial is not known.</p>		
Onalaska, Washington	May 21, 1998	Male student, 15
<p>Details: Allegedly ordered his girlfriend off the school bus at gunpoint. He took her to his home then fatally shot himself as the girl's father was breaking down the front door.</p>		
Richmond, Virginia	June 15, 1998	Quinshawn Booker, 14
<p>Details: Armed with a .32-caliber Llama semi-automatic; Booker allegedly opened fire in the hallway of Armstrong High School, wounding 1 teacher and 1 aide, following an argument between two groups of students. Booker was charged with two counts of aggravated assault and two counts of using a firearm in a felony. Nothing is known of Booker's home life or school social circumstances.</p>		
Carrollton, Georgia	January 8, 1999	Male student, 17
<p>Details: Armed with a .22-caliber handgun, student allegedly entered a remote restroom at Central High School, shot his girlfriend, killing her, then shot and killed himself.</p>		
Notus, Idaho ³	April 16, 1999	Shawn Cooper, 16
<p>Details: Armed with a 12 gauge semi-automatic shotgun taken from his grandfather's home, Cooper allegedly wounded 1 student at Notus Junior-Senior High School. Two different sources reported that Cooper was on "anti-depressants" which includes Ritalin, Luvox, Prozac, Paxil and Zoloft. Cooper lived with his grandfather who gained legal custody of Shawn and his brother several years before, after the boys turned up at a local hospital suffering from malnutrition. Cooper had recently spent a month at a mental institution in Blackfoot, Idaho, and was on medication (anti-depressants) for abnormal mood swings. When arrested, Cooper was described as babbling incoherently. One student was injured when Cooper fired two shots, one hitting a door,</p>		

² There were shooting incidents prior to May 1998 in Tennessee, including:

- ▶▶ John Trotwood Moore Middle School; Nashville; 1 Wounded; April 21, 1994
- ▶▶ Richland High School; Lynnville; 1 Teacher Killed; 1 Teacher Wounded; 1 Student Killed; November 15, 1995

³ There were shooting incidents prior to April 1999 in Idaho, including:

- ▶▶ Pocatello Alternate Junior High School; Pocatello; a 14-year-old student carrying two weapons held police at bay for six hours with other students still in the building; no one was killed or injured; April, 1998.
- ▶▶ Clearwater Valley Primary School; Kooskia (koos-key); a 13-year-old female student pointed a handgun at the backs of two teachers and mouthed the words "bang, bang"; no shots were fired; later pleaded guilty to felony aggravated assault and misdemeanors of carrying a concealed weapon and carrying a gun on school property.

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Fort Gibson, Oklahoma	December 6, 1999	Seth Trickey, 13
Details: Alleged to have wounded 4 students outside Fort Gibson Middle School before surrendering.		
New Port Richey, Florida	January 19, 2000	Steven Moschella, 17
Details: Allegedly killed one student in the parking lot at Ridgewood High School.		
Flint, Michigan	February 29, 2000	Male student, 6
Details: Armed with a .32-caliber handgun, allegedly shot and killed 1 student at Buell Elementary School near Flint, Michigan.		
Savannah, Georgia	March 10, 2000	Darrell Ingram, 19
Details: Allegedly killed 2 students leaving a dance sponsored by Beach High School.		
Lake Worth, Florida	May 26, 2000	Nathaniel Brazill, 13
Details: After being sent home for horseplay with water balloons on the last day of school, Brazill allegedly returned to school with a gun, killing 1 teacher.		
Mount Healthy, Ohio	September 18, 2000	Male student, 14
Details: Student was arrested after allegedly firing into the ceiling of his middle school classroom; school resource officer convinced student to surrender the weapon.		
New Orleans, Louisiana	September 26, 2000	Male students, 13 and 14
Details: Two students wounded with same gun during a fight at Woodson Middle School.		
Charleston, South Carolina	October 6, 2000	Male student, 16
Details: Two girls were injured when a metal laced cherry bomb exploded in a crowd of students waiting to leave school.		
Orange County, California	October 11, 2000	Male student, 17
Details: Santa Ana High campus security officials allegedly found a live pipe bomb in the student's backpack.		
San Antonio, Texas	October 20, 2000	Male student, 18
Details: Allegedly planted five dummy bombs in corridors at Dilley High School.		
Grady, Georgia	October 26, 2000	2 male students, 15 and 16
Details: Allegedly set off three chemical-filled bottles outside high school and a smoke bomb in a school corridor.		
Denton County, Texas	November 8, 2000	Unknown
Details: Five elementary schools, three middle schools, three intermediate schools, and one high school were closed due to a bomb threat.		
San Diego, California	December 1, 2000	Male student, 15
Details: Student allegedly shot himself in the groin on the high school volleyball court before the start of gym class; he had bragged to a female student that he was going to use the gun to kill another student.		

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San Francisco, California	January 3, 2001	Male student, 16
Details: Student alleged to have accidentally shot another male student, 15, in the hip while showing off his gun in the classroom.		
Los Angeles, California	January 10, 2001	Male student, 17
Details: Allegedly fired shots at Huernerme High School before taking a student hostage. He was later shot and killed by police.		
Tazewell, Tennessee	February 6, 2001	3 students
Details: Two 16-year-olds and one 15-year-old allegedly planned to detonate a bomb in the high school.		
Dallas, Texas	February 7, 2001	Male student, 14
Details: A 14-year-old female student's hand was grazed by a bullet when a male student allegedly held a gun to her chest, asked if she was ready to die, then fired.		
Palm Harbor, Florida	February 11, 2001	Male student, 14
Details: Alleged to have made a bomb which he planned to set off at his school.		
Elmira, New York	February 14, 2001	Male student, 18
Details: Student was arrested at the high school. Is alleged to have had 18 bombs, a sawed-off shotgun and a loaded handgun in his possession.		
Tampa, Florida	February 27, 2001	3 students, 15
Details: Two males and one female were arrested after a small explosive device went off in a commons area of their high school.		
Santee, California	March 5, 2001	Charles Andrew Williams, 15
Details: Armed with a .22-caliber handgun, Williams allegedly killed 2 and wounded 13 at Santana High School in suburban San Diego.		
Williamsport, Pennsylvania	March 7, 2001	Elizabeth Catherine Bush, 14
Details: Allegedly wounded one student in the cafeteria of Bishop Neumann High School. Bush was said to be depressed and frequently teased.		
New Canaan, Connecticut	March 12, 2001	Male student
Details: High school sophomore allegedly brought explosive device to his high school; three more were found at his home.		
Haughton, Louisiana	March 14, 2001	Male student, 12
Details: Cylindrical cardboard fireworks tube with added powder and shrapnel was allegedly found in the student's briefcase at school.		
Myrtle Beach, South Carolina	March 22, 2001	Unknown
Details: All 44 schools in Horry County were closed and searched after the superintendent received mail stating that bombs would be placed in several county schools that day.		

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El Cajon, California	March 22, 2001	Jason Hoffman, 18
Details: 1 teacher and 3 students wounded when Hoffman allegedly opened fire at Granite Hills High School. Hoffman was wounded by a police officer.		
Gary, Indiana	March 30, 2001	Donald R Burt Jr, 17
Details: 1 student killed when Burt allegedly opened fire at Lew Wallace High School. Burt had been expelled from the school.		
Klein, Texas	April 3, 2001	Unknown, 13
Details: Student allegedly committed suicide in middle school restroom.		
Bronx, New York	April 5, 2001	Male student; 14
Details: Student arrested after school security officials allegedly discovered gasoline filled bottles in his backpack.		
Waukegan, Illinois	April 9, 2001	Teens, 16, 18 and 19
Details: Allegedly detonated two bombs in the high school and phoned bomb threats to the high school. Bomb making materials found at the home of one of the teens.		
Monroe, Louisiana	April 20, 2001	Male student; 14
Details: Student allegedly pulled semi-automatic as students and school officials waited outside the gym to check arriving students with a metal detector. The gun did not discharge. The principal held the gym door shut as the student fired 3 rounds into the door. Student entered the gym through another door and fired another shot.		
Ennis, Texas	May 15, 2001	Male student, 16
Details: Student allegedly committed suicide in front of his English teacher and another student.		
Dalton, Georgia	August 28, 2001	Teens, 14 and 16
Details: Teens allegedly tossed a homemade bomb into a plastic garbage can by one of the exit doors to the high school during school time.		
Haines City, Florida	September 12, 2001	Male student
Details: Middle school students and staff were evacuated after a student reported to school officials that another student had approached him with plans to blow up the school.		
Salt Lake City, Utah	October 12, 2001	Male student, 17
Details: Student allegedly committed suicide with a gun in the hallway at his high school.		
Petersburg, Virginia	October 22, 2001	2 Male students, 15
Details: One alleged to have used a cell-phone to make calls saying the high school would blow up on March 25 th or 26 th . The other student allegedly issued an e-mail to students to the same effect.		
Charlotte, North Carolina	October 31, 2001	Unknown
Details: Students were dismissed when a suspicious package was found in a restroom. The device turned out to be a hoax.		

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Caro, Michigan	November 12, 2001	Chris Buschbacher, 17
Details: Allegedly took 2 people hostage before killing himself at Caro Learning Center.		
Springfield, Massachusetts	December 5, 2001	Male student, 17
Details: Allegedly stabbed a school counselor five to six times in the stomach and chest during an argument in a classroom.		
Rosenberg, Texas	January 9, 2002	Male student, 13
Details: Student arrested after allegedly bragging to other students that he planned to blow up his junior high school. Five bombs and bomb making materials were found at his home.		
Forth Worth, Texas	January 11, 2002	3 Female Students
Details: Two 15-year-olds and one 16-year old alleged to have made bomb threats that forced the temporary lockdown of seven Forth Worth schools.		
Manhattan, New York	January 15, 2002	Students
Details: Two students, ages 17 and 18, were shot, one in the back, the other in the buttocks with a .380-caliber handgun in a dispute over a girl.		
Warren, Ohio	February 14, 2002	Male student
Details: Two sticks of dynamite and blasting caps were allegedly found in the high school teen's coat by the principal and assistant principal.		
Corpus Christi, Texas	February 20, 2002	Male student, 15
Details: Student alleged to have called in a bomb threat to his school.		
San Antonio, Texas	October 4, 2002	Female student, 13
Details: Student alleged to have committed suicide with 9mm handgun in front of a group of friends in the school parking lot.		
Hoover, Alabama	November 19, 2002	Male student 17
Details: Allegedly stabbed another 17 year-old-male student during a fight in the school hallway; victim died.		
Carson, Washington	December 12, 2002	Male student, 13
Details: Allegedly fired a rifle into a middle school, injuring two students with flying glass, then turned the gun on himself.		
Camden, Alabama	February 10, 2003	Female student
Details: A 16-year old female student was allegedly stabbed to death by another female student as she boarded a bus after school.		
Livingston, Alabama	March 5, 2003	Male student, 17
Details: Student allegedly stabbed another 17-year-old to death in the high school cafeteria during a fight.		
Guttenberg, Iowa	March 17, 2003	Male student, 17
Details: Allegedly attempted suicide by shooting himself in the stomach with a .22-caliber rifle in the		

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principal's office.		
Austin, Texas	March 28, 2003	Male student, 16
Details: Student allegedly stabbed his 15-year-old ex-girlfriend to death with an 11" butcher knife in the school hallway.		
Washington, DC	April 1, 2003	Male student, 15
Details: Allegedly shot a 16-year-old male student in the leg during an argument during lunch time.		
Red Lion, Pennsylvania	April 24, 2003	James Sheets, 14
Details: Allegedly killed the principal of Red Lion Area Junior High School before killing himself.		
Sidman, Pennsylvania	May 13, 2003	Male student, 18
Details: Allegedly committed suicide with a gun in his vehicle outside the school.		
Wellsboro, Pennsylvania	June 4, 2003	Male student, 12
Details: Allegedly committed suicide in the restroom at his school. Several weapons were found in his duffel bag.		
Erie, Pennsylvania	September 16, 2003	Male student, 11
Details: Student allegedly displayed a fake grenade and threatened to blow up his school bus.		
Eldersburg, Maryland	September 17, 2003	Male student, 13
Details: Student allegedly fired a single shot from a .44-caliber weapon in an apparent suicide attempt. The incident occurred in an empty middle school restroom between classes. The gun belonged to his father.		
Helena, Montana	September 18, 2003	Male student, 17
Details: Student allegedly took a .25-caliber handgun to school with the intent to harm or kill another student.		
Spokane, Washington	September 23, 2003	Sean Fitzpatrick, 17
Details: Armed with a semi-automatic handgun believed to have been obtained from his home, Fitzpatrick walked into a classroom at Lewis and Clark High School and fired one shot into the wall. Fitzpatrick would be shot at least three times by SWAT team members. Fitzpatrick left a 1½ page suicide note in which he stated he was seeking "suicide by cop".		
Davis, California	September 23, 2003	Male students, 11 and 13
Details: An elementary and a middle school were evacuated after two students allegedly took pipe bombs to school.		
Cold Spring, Minnesota	September 24, 2003	John Jason McLaughling, 15
Details: McLaughling alleged to have killed one student, seriously wounded another at Rocori High School with a handgun. The second student died on October 10, 2003		
Boston, Massachusetts	September 25, 2003	Male student, 12
Details: Student allegedly stabbed another 12-year-old in the chest during a fight on a bus full of students arriving at their middle school.		

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Lawndale, North Carolina	September 25, 2003	Male student
Details: Student alleged to have fired two shots inside Burns Middle School as students arrived for class; no one was hurt.		
Westfield, Indiana	September 30, 2003	Student, 15
Details: Student was allegedly found in possession of a hit list containing the names of 60 individuals, including the principal.		
Wickenburg, Arizona	September 30, 2003	Male student, 16
Details: Student allegedly plotted a massacre at a high school that he did not attend.		
Lovejoy, Georgia	October 1, 2003	Male student, 14
Details: Student allegedly plotted a Columbine-like massacre.		
Sacramento, California	October 1, 2003	Male student, 17
Details: Student allegedly armed with a 12-gauge shotgun, despondent over breakup with his girlfriend, pointed shotgun at police after wrestling with vice-principal. Student was shot by police.		
Des Moines, Iowa	October 8, 2003	Unknown
Details: Five girls and four boys, many freshman and sophomores, alleged to have entered into a suicide pact following the suicide of a 15-year-old boy after three of his friends died in a car crash.		
Cocoa, Florida	October 14, 2003	Unknown
Details: Approximately a dozen students were injured, four arrested and two subdued by stun guns after a brawl broke out during Cocoa High School's fifth bomb threat in eight days.		
Hopkinton, Massachusetts	October 22, 2003	Female student
Details: Student alleged to have scrawled a hit list on the wall in high school female restroom. List contained the names of 10 students and a teacher and included racial slurs.		
Yreka, California	October 23, 2003	Male student, 12
Details: Student allegedly stabbed another 12-year-old male student following an argument on an elementary school playground.		
Newark, New Jersey	October 29, 2003	Unknown
Details: Three teenagers, 17, 15, and 14 were attacked in a high school by approximately 15 other students and possibly non-students		
Marion, Louisiana	October 29, 2003	Male student, 14
Details: Student allegedly took a handgun to school, robbed his teacher of his car keys, took a 12-year-old student hostage, and lead law enforcement on a high-speed chase that lasted about 20 minutes but ended without injury.		
Vidor, Texas	November 10, 2003	Students
Details: Five students allegedly plotted to shoot more than 20 students and 4 school administrators.		

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Vandalia, Ohio	December 1, 2003	Unknown
Details: 16-year-old male student was stabbed in the leg while entering his high school restroom.		
Augusta, Georgia	December 4, 2003	Male student
Details: Male student was alleged to have been stabbed multiple times by another male student during an altercation on a school bus.		
Porter, Oklahoma	December 8, 2003	Male student
Details: 16-year-old male student allegedly stabbed to death by a fellow student on the school bus.		
Palm Beach Gardens, Florida	December 9, 2003	Male student, 18
Details: Student allegedly stabbed another 18-year-old three times in an altercation during lunch.		
Cleburne, Texas	December 9, 2003	Unknown
Details: Three middle school students received puncture wounds, believed from a small blade or utility-type knife.		
Sacramento, California	December 9, 2003	Female student, 14
Details: Student alleged to have stabbed a 15-year-old female student in the side with a steak knife during an altercation at lunch.		
New York, New York	December 11, 2003	Unknown, 16
Details: Student allegedly stabbed a 15-year-old classmate in the arm.		
Millersville, Maryland	December 17, 2003	Unknown
Details: School was locked down for approximately 2 hours after gun was discharged in a hallway. A .38-caliber handgun was found hidden in the boy's restroom.		
Huntingtown, Maryland	January 8, 2004	Male student, 16
Details: Student allegedly shot at a bus carrying children. Student is also alleged to have shot another driver earlier in the day.		
Dayton, Ohio	January 9, 2004	Male student, 16
Details: Student allegedly took a .38-caliber handgun to school and held it to the head of another student who had allegedly been harassing him. Gun was confiscated without incident.		
Dutchtown, Louisiana	January 13, 2004	Unknown, 17 and 19
Details: Students allegedly plotted a massacre on the fifth anniversary of the Columbine killings. Drawings found in the possession of the students showed bodies lying about the school and a teacher's head blown away.		
Pamona, California	January 15, 2004	2 male students
Details: 16-year-old female student was shot in the back when a gun was accidentally discharged by two male students.		
Holt, Alabama	January 22, 2004	Male student, 15
Details: Student allegedly threatened a classmate with a 9mm handgun for allegedly harassing him. The		

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		handgun was found to be unloaded.
Bloomington, Illinois	January 26, 2004	2 male students, 10 and 11 Details: 10-year-old took a gun from a relative's home onto the school bus. The gun discharged while being handled by an 11-year-old male student.
Rio Rancho, New Mexico	January 30, 2004	Male students, 15 and 17 Details: 15-year-old allegedly took a .357 handgun to school and threatened a classmate with it. The 17-year-old was holding ammunition for the gun.
Washington, DC	February 2, 2004	Unknown Details: A 17-year-old male student died from multiple gunshots to the chest near the school's cafeteria. An 18-year-old student was wounded.
Palmetto Bay, Florida	February 3, 2004	Male student, 14 Details: 14 year-old male student bled to death in a school restroom after being cut with a sharp object allegedly wielded by a fellow student.
Houston, Texas	February 3, 2004	Male student, 12 Details: Student accidentally shot himself with a .380-semi-automatic handgun, brought from home, which he had tucked in his pants. He took the gun out to show another student. The gun discharged when he returned it to his pants.
Frederick, Maryland	February 4, 2004	Male student Details: A 15-year-old male student was allegedly stabbed in the leg with a pocket knife during an altercation with another male student on the school bus.
Richland Township, Michigan	February 4, 2004	Female student, 15 Details: Student allegedly stabbed a 12-year-old girl 7 times in the back and arm without provocation while on the school bus.
El Grove, California	February 8 and 10, 2004	2 male students, 15 Details: Students were arrested for allegedly plotting a Columbine-style massacre in their school cafeteria on February 11, 2004
East Greenbush, New York	February 9, 2004	Male student, 16 Details: Student allegedly shot and wounded a special-education teacher in the high school hallway. Three shots were fired from a pump-action 12-gauge shotgun.
Woodbridge, Virginia	February 9, 2004	Male student, 14 Details: Student alleged to have written that he wanted to blow up his school. Police found caches of weapons belonging to his father, and bomb-making materials in his bedroom.
Kearns, Utah	February 10, 2004	4 male students Details: Four middle school students were arrested for allegedly plotting to set off a bomb inside their school. One student was detained at school with a home-made bomb in his pocket. Bomb-making material was found at the boy's home.

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Cicero, Illinois	February 12, 2004	Gang-related
Details: Two male students, 14 and 15, were stabbed during a fight in a high school hallway.		
Indian Head, Maryland	February 13, 2004	Female student, 16
Details: Student allegedly stabbed a 16-year-old male student with scissors after the male student snapped a rubber band at her in the high school hallway.		
San Francisco, California	February 18, 2004	Male student, 17
Details: Gun carried in student's backpack accidentally discharged during class at Mission High School.		
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania	February 19, 2004	Male student, 15
Details: Student allegedly slashed a 13-year-old male student's face at an elementary school just prior to afternoon dismissal.		
Houston, Texas	February 23, 2004	Unknown
Details: A 17-year-old male student was stabbed multiple times about the head and shoulders by a group while on the school bus.		
Miramar, Florida	February 24, 2004	Male students, 16 and 17
Details: 17-year-old alleged to have stabbed the 16-year-old with scissors during an altercation during class over a girl.		
Decatur, Georgia	February 25, 2004	Unknown
Details: .25-caliber handgun discharged when handed from one student to another in a school restroom.		
Anchorage, Alaska	February 25, 2004	Male student, 16
Details: Student allegedly stabbed another student in an altercation over a cell phone that occurred in the high school hallway.		
Mobile, Alabama	February 27, 2004	Unknown
Details: Two high school sophomores engaged in a fight in the high school; one allegedly stabbed the other in the stomach and neck.		
Lima, Ohio	February 27, 2004	4 male students
Details: Students were allegedly involved in a plot to commit violence at their school. The plot supposedly involved bombs at their school.		
Naples, Florida	March 1, 2004	3 male students, 14 and 15
Details: Students allegedly plotted to bomb their high school.		
Brick, New Jersey	March 5, 2004	Male student, 14
Details: Student's backpack, allegedly stuffed with homemade explosives, was found unattended in a school hallway.		
San Diego, California	March 5, 2004	2 male students, 14
Details: Students allegedly plotted to kill a teacher who had flunked one of them. Plot was foiled by another		

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		student who overheard the boys talking and told his parents.
Daleville, Alabama	March 15, 2004	Female student, 17 Details: Student allegedly stabbed an 18-year-old female student in the head and upper torso in the school lunchroom.
Malcolm, Nebraska	March 17, 2004	Male student, 17 Details: Approximately 20 homemade explosive devices, a rifle and several rounds of ammunition, small bottles of propane, and rigged containers of petroleum-based propellant were alleged to have been found in the trunk of the student's car in the high school parking lot. Student allegedly planned to spare only three people named on a list found on him.
Forsyth, Montana	March 17, 2004	3 male students, 8 and 11 Details: Two 8-year old male students and one 11-year-old male student allegedly plotted to kill a third-grade girl during recess. Police found a .22-caliber handgun, a knife and a box of bullets hidden on the playground.
Joyce, Washington	March 17, 2004	Male student, 13 Details: Student allegedly committed suicide in his classroom, in the presence of about 20 other students, with a .22-caliber rifle.
McComb, Mississippi	March 18, 2004	Unknown Details: A 12-year-old male student was stabbed in the abdomen with a steak knife during an altercation at the school. Perpetrator believed to be a 14-year-old female student.
Syracuse, New York	March 24, 2004	Gang-related Details: A 14-year-old male student was stabbed multiple times in the arms during an altercation in a school hallway.
Bellevue, Washington	March 24, 2004	Male student, 16 Details: Student allegedly took a loaded 9 mm handgun to school and pointed it to his own head while crying near the school's library. A teacher managed to confiscate the gun.
Seattle, Washington	March 31, 2004	Unknown Details: A female high school student was slashed in the face during an altercation with another student in the high school lunchroom.
Sioux City, Iowa	April 19, 2004	Male student, 15 Details: Student allegedly planned a Columbine-style massacre at his school on the anniversary of that incident.
Chicago, Illinois	April 23, 2004	Male student, 7 Details: 9mm semi-automatic handgun discharged in the backpack of the student while in class.
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania	April 27, 2004	Male student, 18 Details: Student alleged hanged himself in the high school auditorium. He was found by a group of 9 th grade students.

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Winder, Georgia	May 14, 2004	2 male students, 14
Details: Students allegedly planned a Columbine-style killing spree.		
Harrison Township, Michigan	May 19, 2004	Student
Details: One student was allegedly stabbed in the leg by another student during an altercation occurring in a school classroom.		
Kamas, Utah	May 24, 2004	Male students, 15
Details: Two high school sophomores were arrested for allegedly planning a rampage at South Summit High School that included killing and raping teachers and classmates.		
Pittsfield, Massachusetts	June 9, 2004	Unknown
Details: A bomb, filled with .22-caliber nail-gun charges, detonated near the schools rear entrance as students were arriving for classes.		
Gainesville, Virginia	June 18, 2004	Male student, 12
Details: Student allegedly took a loaded .30-06 rifle, another rifle, and a shotgun to school. He was found in a restroom stall loading one of the guns. He had changed into camouflage clothes. The student's mother worked at the school and knew the guns were in her car parked in the school parking lot.		
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania	June 28, 2004	Male student, 15
Details: Student allegedly planned to blow up his charter high school.		
Albuquerque, New Mexico	August 18, 2004	Male student, 15
Details: Student allegedly to have been involved in the stabbing of a 9 th grade male student shortly after lunch. Incident believed to be gang-related.		
Memphis, Tennessee	August 25, 2004	Male student, 16
Details: Student allegedly opened fire on a 17-year-old classmate when that student intervened in a fight between the shooter and other students.		
Simi Valley, California	September 10, 2004	Unknown
Details: A pipe bomb was found in an elementary school.		
Memphis, Tennessee	September 14, 2004	Gang-related
Details: A 15-year-old male student died following a gang initiation fight in a high school restroom.		
Clinton Township, Michigan	September 16, 2004	Male student, 17
Details: Police found explosives, weapons and drugs at the student's home after the student allegedly stated on the internet that he planned to bomb his high school.		
Gary, Indiana	September 15, 2004	Students
Details: Student allegedly fired a .380 semi-automatic into the ceiling in the commons area of his high school during a lunch period brawl that broke out. Three teens were believed to be involved with the gun.		

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Marshfield, Massachusetts	September 17, 2004	Male student, 17
Details: Student arrested for allegedly plotting a Columbine-style massacre in his school in April 2005. Multiple guns and ammunition, along with diagrams of the school were found in the student's home; also website information about weapons dealers, bombs and explosive devices.		
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania	September 21, 2004	Male student 16
Details: Student allegedly used a knife to slash the arm of a 9 th grade male student during a fight in their school.		
Carthage, Missouri	September 22, 2004	2 male students, 15
Details: Students allegedly found in possession of a 9mm handgun, two loaded magazines of ammunition, a pellet gun, two knives and a pair of brass knuckles in their school.		
Humble, Texas	September 27, 2004	Female student
Details: Student, a senior, allegedly cut the throat of a female high school junior with a box cutter during an altercation in the high school commons area.		
Baltimore, Maryland	September 29, 2004	Unknown
Details: Shots were fired as students evacuated a school due to a fire, one of at least 15 fires set in the school in recent weeks.		
Cedar Park, Texas	October 1, 2004	2 male students, 15 and 16
Details: Students arrested after another student reported to school officials that the two planned a Columbine-type massacre at their high school.		
St Paul, Minnesota	October 11, 2004	Male student, 16
Details: Student allegedly threatened to bring guns to the school and shoot staff and students. Information on the plot was found in the suspect's planner by other students who told adults.		
Dover, New Jersey	October 18, 2004	2 male students, 16
Details: One student alleged to have stabbed the other in the abdomen with a small knife in the high school restroom. Police believe the incident was staged by the two to get attention.		
Deerfield Beach, Florida	October 19, 2004	Male student, 15
Details: Student allegedly stabbed another 15-year-old male student five times in the neck and upper torso with a screwdriver in a high school classroom.		
Salt Lake City, Utah	October 27, 2004	4 students
Details: Students were arrested for an alleged plot was discovered to kill students, teachers and parents at their high school.		
Louisville, Kentucky	October 28, 2004	5 students
Details: Students were arrested for an alleged plot to attack their school was discovered.		
Hannibal, New York	November 10, 2004	Student, 14
Details: Students allegedly attacked and stabbed another student aboard a school bus.		

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Newburgh, New York	November 12, 2004	Male student, 16
<p>Details: Student allegedly returned to school while under suspension, punched an assistant principal in the face then attempted to stab her with a 10" butcher knife. A school security officer pulled the student away before he could stab the administrator.</p>		
Apopka, Florida	November 17, 2004	Male student, 14
<p>Details: Student allegedly fired a handgun in the boy's restroom. The bullet lodged in the wall of the female student restroom.</p>		
Joplin, Missouri	November 17, 2004	Female student, 14
<p>Details: Student allegedly plotted to kill 16 students at her high school.</p>		
Valparaiso, Indiana	November 24, 2004	Male student, 15
<p>Details: Student allegedly slashed five students in his Spanish class with a machete and folding tree saw.</p>		
Baltimore, Maryland	November 29, 2004	Unknown
<p>Details: Two 15-year-old male students were stabbed during an altercation on the main floor of their school.</p>		
Harvey, Illinois	November 29, 2004	Male student, 14
<p>Details: Student allegedly stabbed a 17-year-old male student with a 3" knife in the school hallway.</p>		
Tacoma, Washington	November 29, 2004	3 students, 16 and 18
<p>Details: Two 18-year-old students and one 16-year-old student were arrested after allegedly plotting to take over their school with weapons and bombs.</p>		
Greensboro, North Carolina	November 30, 2004	Unknown
<p>Details: A hit list, found in a middle school, contained the names of 21 students and an assistant principal.</p>		
New York, New York	December 3, 2004	3 male students, 19 and 18
<p>Details: Two 19-year-olds and one 18-year-old allegedly beat and stabbed a 15-year-old male in the high school locker room.</p>		
Charlotte, North Carolina	December 7, 2004	Unknown
<p>Details: A 15-year-old male was stabbed in the thigh at the high school.</p>		
Uwchlan Township, Pennsylvania	December 8, 2004	Unknown
<p>Details: A bomb, placed against a computer room door at an elementary school, exploded, blowing out a window when it did so.</p>		
Nine Mile Falls, Washington	December 10, 2004	Skyler Cullitan, 17
<p>Details: Student allegedly committed suicide with a .38-caliber handgun in the commons area at Lakeside High School</p>		
Denver, Colorado	January 4, 2005	Male student, 16
<p>Details: Student allegedly stabbed a 17-year-old male student to death during an altercation in the high school cafeteria.</p>		

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San Jose, California	January 5, 2005	Male student, 15
Details: Allegedly stabbed a 16-year-old male classmate inside their classroom.		
Oakdale, Pennsylvania	January 7, 2005	Male student, 16
Details: Allegedly stabbed another 17-year-old male alternative school student in the chest while the two were in an in-house suspension/detention room.		
Mead, Washington	January 11, 2005	Male student, 13
Details: 7 th grade student allegedly took a loaded .38-caliber handgun to Mead Middle School; stashing it in a bathroom where it was recovered by the principal; the boy was arrested.		
Spokane Valley, Washington	January 11, 2005	Male student, 15
Details: Student allegedly scrawled "I'm gong to blow this (expletive) school to bits" and "This school sucks" on the wall in a bathroom stall at Spokane Valley High School; student was arrested by school resource officer.		
Alex City, Alabama	January 12, 2005	Female student, 14
Details: Student allegedly stabbed a 16-year-old male student in the leg and another student was cut in the foot during an altercation in the school.		
Alvin, Texas	January 18, 2005	Male student
Details: 6 th grade student allegedly took a .22-caliber semi-automatic gun to school. He accidentally discharged the weapon in his classroom, the bullet grazing his leg.		
Minneapolis, Minnesota	January 19, 2005	5 students
Details: Students were arrested when a gun, stolen in an armed robbery of a pawn shop, was allegedly found in a school locker.		
Peoria, Illinois	January 26, 2005	Male student, 15
Details: Student allegedly shot at another student in the school hallway. Incident may have been gang-related.		
Lafayette, Tennessee	January 28, 2005	2 students, 13 and 14
Details: Students allegedly plotted an attack at their junior high school. A hit list of students and teachers was found.		
Spokane Valley, Washington	February 4, 2005	Male student, 15
Details: Allegedly took a .22-caliber handgun to East Valley High School where he pointed it at a teacher when she refused him admittance to her classroom where the boy's ex-girl friend was in class. The teacher talked the boy into putting the gun away and going to the counseling office. He was arrested and placed in Juvenile Detention.		
Boston, Massachusetts	February 8, 2005	Unknown
Details: Handgun allegedly fell from the pocket of a high school student and discharged on hitting the school hallway floor.		
Augusta, Maine	February 9, 2005	Unknown
Details: A high school sophomore was stabbed five times during a fight in a school hallway.		

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Greenville, Kentucky	February 9, 2005	2 students
Details: A 14-year-old high school female allegedly paid another student to kill a middle school 7 th grade student.		
Spring Branch, Texas	February 10, 2005	Male student, 16
Details: Student allegedly plotted to discharge a home-made bomb at his former high school. Bomb making materials, instructions on how to make bombs, and maps of the school were found at the student's home.		
Othello, Washington	February 11, 2005	2 students, 14 and 15
Details: Students were arrested and charged when an incendiary device was found at a local high school.		
Rockford, Illinois	February 15, 2005	Male student
Details: Sophomore arrested for allegedly having a hit list with 30 student names on it.		
Roselle, Illinois	February 16, 2005	Unknown
Details: A home-made bomb exploded in a second-floor high school locker.		
Anchorage, Alaska	February 16, 2005	Male student, 13
Details: Student taken into custody after allegedly stabbing another student during an altercation on a school bus.		
Dallas, Texas	February 17, 2005	Female Student
Details: Student allegedly pulled a knife on another student during an altercation in the school's cafeteria.		
Columbus, Ohio	February 28, 2005	Female student, 16
Details: Student allegedly stabbed another female high school student in the eye with a pair of scissors during an altercation.		
Mattawa, Washington	Early March, 2005	2 male students, 7 1 female student, 7
Details: Three students were expelled after allegedly hatching a plot to kill a second grade student who had kicked one of the three conspirators 2 years prior.		
Hamilton Township, New Jersey	March 1, 2005	Female student, 17
Details: A 16-year-old female student received facial lacerations from a razor blade during a fight in the school's female restroom.		
Sunrise, Florida	March 2, 2005	2 students
Details: A male and a female high school student were allegedly stabbed by another student in a classroom altercation.		
Columbus, Ohio	March 15, 2005	Male student, 7
Details: Student allegedly took his brother's .45-caliber handgun to school and was showing it to another student when the gun discharged, hitting the student in the leg.		

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New Orleans, Louisiana	March 17, 2005	Gang-related
Details: A 16-year-old male student was shot in the leg in the high school hallway as he observed an altercation between two rival groups.		
Red Lake, Minnesota	March 21, 2005	Jeff Weise, 16
Details: Allegedly killed his grandfather and his grandfather's companion at their home. At the school, he allegedly killed a security guard, a teacher and five students, injuring others before turning the gun on himself. Weise was on Prozac. The guns used were believed to belong to his grandfather who was a 30-year veteran police officer. Louis Jourdain, son of the tribal chairman, has been arrested in connection to this shooting. What his connection is, isn't clear at this time.		
Spokane, Washington	March 24, 2005	Jacob Carr, 14
Details: Carr allegedly left a suicide note in his bedroom; took his step-father's handgun and proceeded to Ferris High School where he planned to kill a teacher to whom he had sent a threatening e-mail in January and for which he was expelled. He was arrested before he could follow through with his plans. At one point he was within feet of the teacher he intended to kill but did not do so because others were standing near her.		



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By Year

1992: 1
 1993: 3
 1994: 3
 1995: 5
 1996: 5
 1997: 5
 1998: 8
 1999: 10
 2000: 12
 2001: 26
 2002: 8
 2003: 35
 2004: 76
 2005: 28 *

Total: 225

*to date

States having no incidents:**

Delaware
 Hawaii
 Kansas
 Nevada
 New Hampshire
 North Dakota
 Rhode Island
 South Dakota
 Vermont
 West Virginia
 Wisconsin
 Wyoming

**of type specified

State	Number of Incidents	Ranking
California	22	1
Texas	21	2
Florida	15	3
Washington	15	"
Pennsylvania	13	4
Georgia	11	5
New York	9	6
Illinois	8	7
Alabama	7	8
Maryland	7	"
Ohio	7	"
Louisiana	6	9
Massachusetts	6	"
Michigan	6	"
North Carolina	6	"
Tennessee	6	"
Virginia	5	10
Indiana	4	11
Iowa	4	"
Kentucky	4	"
Minnesota	4	"
New Jersey	4	"
Utah	4	"
Alaska	3	12
Missouri	3	"
Montana	3	"
New Mexico	3	"
South Carolina	3	"
Arkansas	2	13
Colorado	2	"
Mississippi	2	"
Oklahoma	2	"
Washington, DC	2	"
Arizona	1	14
Connecticut	1	"
Idaho	1	"
Maine	1	"
Nebraska	1	"
Oregon	1	"