

## Percent of US Working High School Seniors Spending at Least Half of Their Earnings on Selected Categories, 2001

|                       | Total |
|-----------------------|-------|
| Savings for education | 17%   |
| Car expenses          | 27%   |
| Long-range savings    | 19%   |
| Personal items        | 60%   |
| Family expenses       | 13%   |

Source: US Dept. of Education, Youth Indicators, 2005. Data from Monitoring the Future Survey.