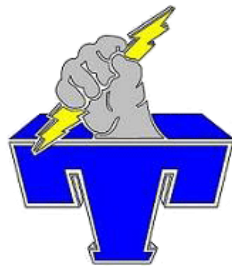


MIDDLE SCHOOL GOALS

1. To encourage communication between students and their families in the area of sexuality.
2. To inform students about the risks, behaviors, and practices which affect health, personal safety, and promote disease prevention.
3. To demonstrate to the students the use of goal setting and decision-making skills to enhance their individual health.
4. To provide the knowledge of how to access current research based information about HG&D.
5. To analyze the impact of culture, media, and technology on HG&D.
6. To teach students effective communication skills for the use in their interpersonal relationships.
7. To demonstrate advocacy skills for use in their personal, family, school, and community relationships in HG&D.



OBJECTIVES

- To increase self-awareness skills which will enhance a person's self-esteem while developing an understanding of mental health issues including depression and suicide prevention.
- To foster responsible decision-making skills with emphasis on technology and personal safety.
- To develop skills which promotes healthy interpersonal relationships along with an awareness of issues surrounding gender stereo types, sexual orientation and sexual harassment.
- To provide current information about human sexuality while examining human development from conception through adulthood encompassing the reproductive systems, a woman's fertility cycle, pregnancy risks, childbirth, and shaken baby syndrome.
- To teach facts, prevention and treatment of sexually transmitted diseases/infections including HIV/AIDS.
- To examine the advantages of postponement of one's sexual involvement and encourage sexual restraint and abstinence.
- To promote career options regardless of gender or stereotypes.



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Topics Included:

STD/STI's
Diseases & Disorders
Death & Dying
Nutrition & Wellness
Fitness
Harassment/Bullying
Anatomy & Physiology
Personal Hygiene
Homophobia/Sexual Orientation
Drugs, Alcohol, Tobacco
Friendships & Relationships
Gender Equality
Safety & First Aid w/ CPR
Team Building
Environmental Health
Career Options
Making Choices



Human Growth and Development (HG&D)

6th Grade
7th Grade
8th Grade

** An opt out option is available upon request. Please contact the school office for more information.

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