

Drug Awareness Project – Feb. 2021 Grade 8

Project Synopsis:

- During this drug prevention unit, you will have the opportunity to research about a specific drug and/or substance abuse. You will also have some options regarding the medium in which you share your learned knowledge with the teacher and/or class.

References:

- I know it's easy to do, but don't copy and paste. Put the information in your own words or quote it and cite it!
- All projects must be fact-based, thus all projects should include a list of any references that were utilized for the project.
- You can submit one list of all of your resources/references/citations when turning the project in; just specify which items were used in conjunction with each project.

http://www.theantidrug.com	http://www.abovetheinfluence.com
http://www.justthinktwice.com	http://www.drugabuse.gov/NIDAHome.html
http://www.usdoj.gov/dea/index.htm	http://www.teendrugabuse.us/index.html
http://www.whitehousedrugpolicy.gov/streettermss/	http://www.kidshealth.org/teen/drug_alcohol/

Poster

Create a poster that is neat, colorful, organized and fact-based about your specific drug.

Should include:

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Name of drug 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nicknames/street names of drug
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Short term effects of using drug 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Long term effects of using drug
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • At least 5 statistics related your drug 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Picture/illustration of drug should include all forms --Example: cocaine poster should include the coca plant, the powder form, and the rock (crack) form
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Impact on society (laws & policies regarding your drug; how it affects people's lives; how it affects crime/violence, etc.) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 things you can do other than drugs

	Level 1 (poor) (N/A)	Level 2 (acceptable) (N/A)	Level 3 (good) (N/A)	Level 3+ (really good) (N/A)	Level 4 (amazing) (N/A)
Completeness	<p>Level 1 (poor)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - missing 2 or more pieces of required information - information is sketchy - no examples 	<p>Level 2 (acceptable)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - missing 1 piece of required information - information given is missing a couple of points - few examples 	<p>Level 3 (good)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - all required information is present - information is thorough, with examples where possible 	<p>Level 3+ (really good)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - all required information is present - information is very thorough (with examples) and well organized 	<p>Level 4 (amazing)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - all required information is present - information is very thorough (with examples) and well organized - some extra information is given
Accuracy	<p>Level 1 (poor)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 3 pieces of information in the wrong category - 1 source (references) is given - 3 minor errors in your facts OR 2 major errors 	<p>Level 2 (acceptable)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 2 pieces of information in the wrong category - 2 sources (references) are given - 3 minor errors in your facts OR 1 major error 	<p>Level 3 (good)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 1 piece of information in the wrong category - 3 sources (references) are given - 2 minor errors in your facts 	<p>Level 3+ (really good)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 1 piece of information in the wrong category - 4 sources (references) are given - 1 minor error in your facts 	<p>Level 4 (amazing)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - more than 4 sources (references) are given on the back - information is correctly categorized according to ideas - no errors in your facts
Visual Effectiveness	<p>Level 1 (poor)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - barely organized - Titles, dates etc. are present - parts are less neat, legible - little use of colour - little effort is evident - few pictures 	<p>Level 2 (acceptable)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - somewhat organized - Titles, dates etc. are present - somewhat neat, legible - some use of colour - some effort is evident - some pictures 	<p>Level 3 (good)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - organized - Titles, dates etc. are clear - underlines etc. - reasonably neat, legible - some use of colour & pictures - effort is evident 	<p>Level 3+ (really good)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - clearly organized - Titles, dates etc. are clear - underlines etc. - neat, legible - use of colour & pictures - effort is evident 	<p>Level 4 (amazing)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - clearly organized - Titles, dates etc. are clear - underlines etc. - neat, legible, good font - use of colour & pictures - effort & creativity are evident
Written Conventions	<p>Level 1 (poor)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 4 errors in spelling, grammar or other writing conventions 	<p>Level 2 (acceptable)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 3 errors in spelling, grammar or other writing conventions 	<p>Level 3 (good)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 2 errors in spelling, grammar or other writing conventions 	<p>Level 3+ (really good)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 1 error in spelling, grammar or other writing conventions 	<p>Level 4 (amazing)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - no errors in spelling, grammar or other writing conventions
Oral Presentation	<p>Level 1 (poor)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - presentation sometimes clear - several pronunciation errors - voice is often hard to hear - rushed or too slow - distracting body language 	<p>Level 2 (acceptable)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - presentation mostly clear - few pronunciation errors - voice is sometimes hard to hear - rushed or too slow - minor distracting body language 	<p>Level 3 (good)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - presentation is clear - pronunciation is good - voice is projected to most of room - reasonable pacing, some rough bits - non-distracting body language 	<p>Level 3+ (really good)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - presentation is clear - pronunciation is good - voice is heard throughout the room - good pacing - confident body language 	<p>Level 4 (amazing)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - presentation is clear - pronunciation is excellent - voice is easily heard throughout the room - excellent pacing - confident, calm body language