



Week 5

D.A.R.E.

Dear Parent/ Guardian,

Today was the fifth lesson in the D.A.R.E. curriculum, and continued our discussion about alcohol. The goals of this lesson are to help children evaluate alcohol advertisements and their impact on young people, identify the harmful effects of inhalants and identify alternatives to using alcohol, tobacco and drugs. Your child:

- Looked at alcohol advertisements and how they try to influence young people.
- Identified alcohol advertisements in our community.
- Learned about the harmful and deadly effects of inhalants
- Played a game to review the health consequences of drug abuse, and to discover healthy alternatives to drug use.

Some of the possible topics for you to discuss with your child are:

- How do alcohol advertisements try to influence young people
- How do inhalants harm you
- What are some alternatives to drug use

Next weeks lesson is “Friendship Foundations”. We will be learning about peer pressure and what makes a person a friend.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions. 715-273-6877

Sincerely,

Steven Albarado/ D.A.R.E Officer