

Human Growth and Development in Wisconsin Schools-118.019

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Human Growth and Development REQUIRED SUBJECTS (2010)	Human Growth and Development REQUIRED SUBJECTS (2012)	Comments
Importance of communication about sexuality & decision making about sexual behavior between pupil and the pupil's parents, guardians, or other family members.		NEW LANGUAGE in <i>recommended subjects</i> : The importance of communication about sexuality between the pupil and the pupil's parents or guardians.
Reproductive sexual anatomy & physiology, including biological, psychosocial, and emotional changes that accompany maturation.		Adds <u>intellectual changes</u> in the <i>recommended</i> subjects.
Puberty, pregnancy, parenting, body image, and stereotypes.		Repealed from <i>recommended</i> subjects.
Skills needed to make responsible decisions about sexuality and sexual behavior throughout the pupil's life, including how to refrain from making inappropriate verbal, physical, and sexual advances and how to recognize, rebuff, and report any unwanted or inappropriate verbal, physical, and sexual behaviors.		Repealed from <i>recommended</i> subjects.
The benefits of and reasons for abstaining from sexual activity. Instruction under this subdivision shall stress the value of abstinence as the most reliable way to prevent pregnancy and STI's.	Emphasizes that abstinence from sexual activity before marriage is the <u>only reliable</u> way to prevent pregnancy and STD's, including HIV and AIDS.	Repealed from <i>recommended</i> list, but made this language change and inserted it into the new required list of subjects. Is also in the <i>recommended</i> subjects.
Health benefits, side effects, and proper use of contraceptives and barrier methods approved by the FDA to prevent pregnancy and barrier methods approved by the FDA to prevent STI's.		Repealed from <i>recommended</i> subjects.
Methods for developing healthy life skills, including setting goals, making responsible decisions, communicating, and managing stress.		Remains in the <i>recommended</i> subjects.
How alcohol and drug use effect responsible decision making.		Remains in the <i>recommended</i> subjects
The impact of media and one's peers on thoughts, feelings, and behaviors related to sexuality.		Remains in the <i>recommended</i> subjects
	Provides medically accurate information about HPV, HIV, and AIDS.	NEW REQUIRED SUBJECT
	Explains pregnancy, prenatal development, and childbirth.	NEW REQUIRED SUBJECT

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DESIGN/APPROACH		
Use instructional methods and materials that do not promote bias against pupils of any race, gender, religion, sexual orientation, or ethnic or cultural background or against sexually active pupils or children with disabilities.	An instructional program shall use methods and materials that do not discriminate against a pupil based upon the pupil's race, gender, religion, sexual orientation, or ethnic or cultural background or against sexually active pupils or children with disabilities.	Slight language change.
Promote self-esteem and positive interpersonal skills, with an emphasis on healthy relationships including friendships, marriage, and romantic and familial relationships.		NEW LANGUAGE: Address self-esteem and personal responsibility, positive interpersonal skills, and healthy relationships. Not in required subjects. (2)(c)
Identify counseling, medical, and legal resources for survivors of sexual abuse and assault, including resources for escaping violent relationships.		Remains in the <i>recommended</i> subjects
Instruction in marriage and parental responsibility.	Provides instruction in parental responsibility and the socio-economic benefits of marriage for adults and their children.	Adds socio-economic benefits.
Presents abstinence from sexual activity as the preferred choice of behavior in relationship to all sexual activity for unmarried pupils.	Present abstinence from sexual activity as the preferred choice of behavior for unmarried pupils.	
Emphasizes that abstinence from sexual activity before marriage is the most effective way to prevent pregnancy and STD's, including HIV and AIDS.		
The criminal penalties for engaging in sexual activities involving a child.	<u>Explains</u> criminal penalties for engaging in sexual activities involving a child.	Slight language change.
The sex offender registration requirements. Instruction to include who is required to report and what information must be reported; who has access to the information, and implications of being registered as a sex offender.	<u>Explains</u> the sex offender registration requirements. Instruction to include who is required to report and what information must be reported; who has access to the information, and implications of being registered as a sex offender.	Slight language change.

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NEW SUBJECTS LISTED-RECOMMENDED	COMMENTS
Present information about avoiding stereotyping and bullying, including how to refrain from making inappropriate remarks, avoiding engaging in inappropriate physical or sexual behaviors, how to recognize, rebuff, and report any unwanted or inappropriate remarks or physical or sexual behaviors.	
...Identify the skills necessary to remain abstinent.	Part of the teaching of abstinence as the only reliable way to prevent pregnancy and STI's. This skills language is in the recommended subjects but abstinence as the only reliable prevention method is in required subjects.
Adoption resources, prenatal care, and postnatal supports.	
The nature and treatment of STI's.	
Address the positive relationship between marriage and parenting.	