

Da Vinci Communications High School Permission Slip



December 11, 2015

Dear Parent or Guardian:

On Tuesday, January 19, 2016, 9th and 10th grade Da Vinci Communications High School students will have the opportunity to see a dramatic performance entitled "What Goes Around." This performance is sponsored by Kaiser Permanente and tells the story of five students and how their behavior and connections to each other also connect them to other people who are unknown to them. The play uses visual monitors, text messaging, cellular and computer technology to better reach its audience and to clearly illustrate its message: there are epidemic rates of sexually transmitted diseases (STD) in the high school age group.

"What Goes Around" provides health information about STDs in a topical way. Students hear the facts and myths about STDs and see how the choices they make have a lasting impact on the lives of other people. The fifty minute play is followed by a fifteen-minute talkback session in which the actor-educators answer audience questions about sexually transmitted diseases. The key message points of "What Goes Around" are:

- The option of abstinence
- The importance of testing
- Prevention

Because the play involves sexual education, it is necessary that each student has parent permission in order to attend. Any student not attending the assembly will report to a study hall for the duration of the play. For more information about the play you can visit their website: http://xnet.kp.org/etp/scal/std_prevention/index.html and/or view the Program information sheet: http://xnet.kp.org/etp/scal/std_prevention/docs/ETP_STDprev.pdf

Please indicate whether or not you give your student permission to participate in the lessons in the space below, and have your student turn this form to the box marked "Sex Ed Permission Slips" in the office by Thursday, December 17, 2015. Without the form your student cannot participate.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to call me at 310-725-5800 ex. 2101.

Best regards,

Brittany Goodacre
Counselor

To the Parent(s) / Guardian(s):

- I give my child permission to be a part of the sexual education play given by Kaiser Permanente.
- I do NOT give my child permission to be a part of the sexual education play given by Kaiser Permanente.

Student Name (printed): _____

Parent / Guardian Name (printed): _____

Parent / Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

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Dear Parent or Guardian:

Between the weeks of January 12, 2016 - January 22, 2016, Da Vinci Communications High School students will participate in a number of lessons around the topic of sexual health education in their advisory classes.

It is necessary that each student has parent permission in order to participate. Any student not attending the advisory lessons will report to a study hall for the duration of the periods. These lessons are all created, vetted and implemented in the Seattle school system, and have come recommended to Da Vinci by counselors. The lessons that will be covered are:

- Tuesday, January 12, 2016: Introduction to Sex Education: What is Sex? + Myths and Reality
- Wednesday, January 13, 2016: Q&A
- Thursday, January 14, 2016: Sexually Transmitted Diseases (STD) Prevention and HIV units
- Friday, January 15, 2016: Preventing Pregnancy and Sexually Transmitted Diseases (STD): and HIV: Birth Control Methods and Abstinence
- Tuesday, January 19, 2016: Kaiser Play (9th and 10th Grade students only)
- Wednesday, January 20, 2016: Healthy relationships
- Thursday, January 21, 2016: Q&A

For more information about the content of the lessons you can visit the website where lessons are based upon:

<http://sexetc.org/videos/meet-the-contraceptives/>

<http://www.sexedlibrary.org/index.cfm?pageId=722>

https://www.plannedparenthood.org/educators/resources/curricula-manuals?ccm_paging_p=1

<http://teachers.teachingsexualhealth.ca/resources/print-resources/>

<http://teachers.teachingsexualhealth.ca/wp-content/uploads/Grade-7-Social-Influences-Lesson-11.pdf>

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- I give my child permission to participate in the sexual health education lessons during advisory.
- I do NOT give my child permission to participate in the sexual health education lessons during advisory.

Student Name (printed): _____

Parent / Guardian Name (printed): _____

Parent / Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____