

Too Good for Violence – Social Perspectives

Grade 5 Revised Edition

Correlated with Mississippi Department of Education Contemporary Health Curriculum

Lesson 1: *Preparing for Take Off* – Goal Setting

Objectives

Following this lesson, the student will be able to:

- Define a goal
- Identify the steps in the Goal-Setting model
- Identify and apply the Goal-Naming criteria
- Name a short-term personal goal using the Goal-Naming criteria

Competency 6: Demonstrate the ability to use goal-setting skills to enhance health.

- Identify health goals and evaluate strategies/skills for attaining personal health goals.

Competency 7: Demonstrate the ability to practice health-enhancing behaviors and avoid or reduce health risks.

Lesson 2: *Rocket Science* – Decision Making

Objectives

Following this lesson, the student will be able to:

- Define consequence
- List the steps of the decision-making model
- Identify a variety of options to any given decision
- Demonstrate the ability to choose healthy options when making a decision

Competency 5: Demonstrate the ability to use decision-making skills to enhance health.

- Explore the characteristics of habits and how habits affect personal health.

Competency 7: Demonstrate the ability to practice health-enhancing behaviors and avoid or reduce health risks.

Competency 8: Understand the importance of demonstrating the ability to advocate for personal, family, and community health.

- Develop strategies to encourage and influence others in making healthy choices (e.g., healthy food choices, abstaining from alcohol, tobacco, and illegal drug use).

Lesson 3: *Systems Check* – Identifying and Managing Emotions

Objectives

Following this lesson, the student will be able to:

- Name four basic emotions: happy, sad, angry, and scared and their variations
- Recognize the physical signals associated with particular emotions
- Identify the relationship between feelings and behavior
- Differentiate healthy and unhealthy ways to manage emotions

Competency 5: Demonstrate the ability to use decision-making skills to enhance health.

- Explore the characteristics of habits and how habits affect personal health.

Lesson 4: *This is Your Captain Speaking* – Effective Communication

Objectives

Following this lesson, the student will be able to:

- Define communication
- Identify the elements of communication, both verbal and nonverbal
- Differentiate assertive, aggressive, and passive speaking styles
- Identify active listening skills

Competency 4: Demonstrate the ability to use interpersonal communication skills to enhance health and avoid or reduce health risks.

- Demonstrate verbal and non-verbal skills to communicate care, self control, and respect for all.

Competency 7: Demonstrate the ability to practice health-enhancing behaviors and avoid or reduce health risks.

Lesson 5: *My Flight Crew* – Bonding and Relationships

Objectives

Following this lesson, the student will be able to:

- Compare healthy and unhealthy friendship qualities
- Understand how to be compassionate and empathetic toward others
- Recognize the benefits of belonging to a positive peer group
- Identify and bond with a positive peer group

Competency 2: Analyze the influence of family, peers, culture, media, technology, and other factors on health behaviors.

Competency 4: Demonstrate the ability to use interpersonal communication skills to enhance health and avoid or reduce health risks.

- Demonstrate verbal and non-verbal skills to communicate care, self control, and respect for all.
- Demonstrate refusal and conflict resolution skills needed to develop and maintain healthy relationships with peers, family, and others in socially acceptable ways

Competency 7: Demonstrate the ability to practice health-enhancing behaviors and avoid or reduce health risks.

Competency 8: Understand the importance of demonstrating the ability to advocate for personal, family, and community health.

- Develop strategies to encourage and influence others in making healthy choices (e.g., healthy food choices, abstaining from alcohol, tobacco, and illegal drug use).

Lesson 6: *Initiate Launch* – Respect for Self and Others

Objectives

Following this lesson, the student will be able to:

- Recognize the positive effects of self-respect on attitudes, behaviors, and relationships
- Demonstrate the ability to maintain perspective in different situations
- Discuss the effect of negative self-talk on feelings and actions
- Discuss the effect of positive self-talk on feelings and actions
- Discuss the role of cooperation, respecting differences, and communication on connecting with others

Competency 4: Demonstrate the ability to use interpersonal communication skills to enhance health and avoid or reduce health risks.

- Demonstrate verbal and non-verbal skills to communicate care, self control, and respect for all.

- Demonstrate refusal and conflict resolution skills needed to develop and maintain healthy relationships with peers, family, and others in socially acceptable ways

Lesson 7: *Smooth Landing* – Conflict Resolution

Objectives

Following this lesson, the student will be able to:

- Define conflict
- Distinguish cooperation from competition in conflict resolution
- Identify the emotions associated with conflict
- Identify the healthy and unhealthy approaches to conflict
- Demonstrate constructive conflict resolution skills
- Apply appropriate, effective conflict resolution approaches

Competency 4: Demonstrate the ability to use interpersonal communication skills to enhance health and avoid or reduce health risks.

- Demonstrate verbal and non-verbal skills to communicate care, self control, and respect for all.
- Demonstrate refusal and conflict resolution skills needed to develop and maintain healthy relationships with peers, family, and others in socially acceptable ways

Competency 7: Demonstrate the ability to practice health-enhancing behaviors and avoid or reduce health risks.

Competency 8: Understand the importance of demonstrating the ability to advocate for personal, family, and community health.

- Develop strategies to encourage and influence others in making healthy choices (e.g., healthy food choices, abstaining from alcohol, tobacco, and illegal drug use).

Lesson 8: *Initiate Countdown* – Anger Management

Objectives

Following this lesson, the student will be able to:

- Differentiate escalation and de-escalation as related to conflict
- List words and actions that escalate conflict
- List words and actions that de-escalate conflict
- Identify physical indicators of anger
- Distinguish healthy and unhealthy ways to manage anger
- Distinguish actions that escalate and de-escalate conflicts
- Apply anger management skills in decision making during anger- provoking situations
- Apply strategies to de-escalate a conflict

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- Demonstrate verbal and non-verbal skills to communicate care, self control, and respect for all.

Competency 7: Demonstrate the ability to practice health-enhancing behaviors and avoid or reduce health risks.

Lesson 9: *Shields Up* – Identifying and Managing Bullying Situations

Objectives

Following this lesson, the student will be able to:

- Define bully, target, and witness
- List strategies for bullies, targets and witnesses to use to prevent or reduce bullying
- Identify the three types of participants in a bullying situation
- Differentiate snitching and reporting
- Explain why it is important to report a bullying situation
- Demonstrate healthy ways for targets and witnesses to respond to bullying behavior
- Understand that bullying is different from conflict
- Recognize and identify different types of bullying behaviors

Competency 2: Analyze the influence of family, peers, culture, media, technology, and other factors on health behaviors.

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- Demonstrate verbal and non-verbal skills to communicate care, self control, and respect for all.
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Lesson 10: *Flight Academy* – Being a Positive Role Model

Objectives

Following this lesson, the student will be able to:

- Define role model
- Identify the qualities of a positive role model
- Name ways to influence others positively
- Recognize the role of personal responsibility when reflecting on decisions and their potential outcomes
- Recognize how student role models can positively impact school climate
- Recall and practice the skills taught in Too Good for Violence – Social Perspectives lessons 1-9

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- Demonstrate verbal and non-verbal skills to communicate care, self control, and respect for all.
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