

# Too Good for Violence – Social Perspectives

## Grade 4 Revised Edition

Correlated with Wisconsin Standards for Health Education

### Lesson 1: *Goal Boosters and Goal Busters* – Goal Setting

#### Objectives

Following this lesson, the student will be able to:

- Define a goal
- Differentiate short-term and long-term goals
- Identify and recite the goal-naming steps
- Name a personal goal
- Identify resources that can help someone reach a personal goal

#### Standard 6: Students will demonstrate the ability to use goal-setting skills to enhance health.

A. Identify ways to achieve a personal health goal.

6:2:A1 Identify resources to assist in achieving a personal health goal.

6:2:A2 Identify key family, school, and community members that can assist in achieving a personal health goal.

B. Practice appropriate goal-setting skills to achieve a personal health goal.

6:2:B1 Choose a clear and realistic personal health goal.

6:2:B2 Develop a plan for reaching the goal.

6:2:B3 Track progress toward goal achievement.

### Lesson 2: *Major Intersection* – Decision Making

#### Objectives

Following this lesson, the student will be able to:

- Identify and follow the steps of the decision-making model
- Identify the benefits and consequences of a particular decision
- Determine when decisions should be made alone or with the help of a trusted adult

#### Standard 5: Students will demonstrate the ability to use decision-making skills to enhance health.

A. Continue to identify health-related situations that require a decision.

5:2:A1 Identify situations that require a thoughtful decision.

5:2:A2 List healthy options to health-related issues or problems.

5:2:A3 Choose the healthiest option when making a decision.

B. Examine and apply how a decision-making process can enhance health.

5:2:B1 Determine when assistance is needed in making a health-related decision.

5:2:B2 Examine the potential outcomes of each option when making a health-related decision.

### Lesson 3: *I See Me* – Identifying and Managing Emotions

#### Objectives

Following this lesson, the student will be able to:

- Name a variety of emotions
- Recognize the physical signals associated with specific emotions
- Demonstrate an awareness of one's own feelings in a variety of situations
- Identify healthy and unhealthy ways to express emotions
- Identify the value of talking about feelings with parents and other trusted adults
- Demonstrate healthy ways to express and manage emotions

- Recognize the emotions of others by observing facial expressions

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B. Apply health knowledge to health-related situations.

1:2:B3 Compare various dimensions of health (e.g., emotional, mental, physical, social, environmental, and occupational).

**Standard 2: Students will analyze the influence of family, peers, culture, media, technology, and other factors on health behaviors.**

A. Identify influences.

2:2:A3 Describe internal factors, such as personal values, beliefs, and emotions, which can influence health behaviors.

B. Explore possible impacts of influences.

2:2:B1 Describe how internal and external factors interact to influence health behaviors.

## **Lesson 4: *More than Words* – Effective Communication**

### **Objectives**

Following this lesson, the student will be able to:

- Define effective communication
- Identify the roles of the speaker and the listener
- Differentiate effective and ineffective listening skills
- Differentiate effective and ineffective speaking skills

**Standard 4: Students will demonstrate the ability to use interpersonal communication skills to enhance health and avoid or reduce health risks.**

A. Demonstrate communication skills that can improve health.

4:2:A1 Demonstrate effective verbal and nonverbal communication skills to enhance health.

4:2:A2 Describe how to ask for assistance.

B. Demonstrate communication skills that prevent, resolve, or reduce health risks.

4:2:B1 Demonstrate ways to prevent health risks and conflict through communications.

## **Lesson 5: *Community Garden* – Bonding and Relationships**

### **Objectives**

Following this lesson, the student will be able to:

- Identify examples of pro-social behaviors
- Explain the importance of being sensitive to the feelings of others
- Compare healthy and unhealthy friendship qualities
- Apply effective communication skills to support others

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A. Identify influences.

2:2:A1 Describe external factors, including family, peers, culture, media, technology, school environments, physical environments, and health care, which can influence health behaviors.

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## Lesson 6: *The Respect Effect* – Respect for Self and Others

### Objectives

Following this lesson, the student will be able to:

- Define respect
- Recognize the positive effects of self-respect on attitudes, behaviors, and relationships
- Discuss the role of cooperation, respect, and communication in friendships
- Identify that people can have different points of view about the same situation
- Demonstrate respectfully listening to and responding to different points of view

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A. Identify health-enhancing behaviors.

7:2:A1 Identify responsible personal health behaviors. These may include but are not limited to: proper hygiene, physical activity, healthy eating, and safety-related behaviors.

B. Demonstrate health-enhancing behaviors.

7:2:B1 Demonstrate behaviors that will maintain or improve personal health. These may include but are not limited to: engaging in regular, age-appropriate physical activity; making complex food choices that constitute healthy eating; and following medical instructions during illness.

**Standard 8: Students will demonstrate the ability to advocate for personal, family, and community health.**

B. Describe situations where advocacy is appropriate.

8:2:B2 List types of situations in which one could model health-enhancing behaviors.

## Lesson 7: *Work It Out* – Conflict Resolution

### Objectives

Following this lesson, the student will be able to:

- Define conflict
- Discuss conflict as universal, natural, and normal
- Discuss the possible consequences of an unresolved conflict
- Differentiate cooperation and competition
- Demonstrate the effectiveness of cooperation and the ineffectiveness of competition in a conflict situation
- Demonstrate problem solving skills and evaluate the effectiveness of the solution

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4:2:B1 Demonstrate ways to prevent health risks and conflict through communications.

4:2:B2 Identify refusal skills that avoid or reduce health risks.

4:2:B3 Discuss nonviolent strategies to reduce, manage, or resolve conflict.

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## **Lesson 8: *Cool Down & Turn it Around* – Anger Management**

### **Objectives**

Following this lesson, the student will be able to:

- Define “escalation” and “de-escalation” as they relate to conflict
- Describe the process of conflict escalation
- List signs that a conflict is escalating
- Identify verbal and non-verbal conflict escalators
- Effect the de-escalation of a conflict
- Construct neutral problem statements

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# Lesson 9: Building an Inclusive Community – Identifying and Managing Bullying Situations

## Objectives

Following this lesson, the student will be able to:

- Understand that bullying is different from conflict
- Recognize and identify different types of bullying behaviors
- Define bully, target, and witness
- Identify ways the target or the witness can stop a bullying situation
- Perform role plays to deal with aggression and/or bullying
- Demonstrate assertive responses to bullying behavior

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# Lesson 10: Positively Influential – 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

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