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Lesson Plan of the Month
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Topic: Consequences of Your Actions
Target Group: High School
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Objectives:

After this block of instruction the student will be able to:

- Help students to understand some of their basic rights, along with the responsibilities of those rights.
- Help students to understand the consequences of choosing or not choosing to do something.

Introduction:

I have been in the Police Department for 17 years. I have worked in Patrol, DARE, Drug/Gang intervention and SRO. I conduct classroom presentations on various topics to assist students in better understanding the police and the laws of society, so they can make better decisions throughout High School and their life. Today's topic is "Consequences of your actions."

Body:

- I. Discuss Basic Rights
 1. Be Safe
 2. Treat as equal
 3. Respect
 4. Speech
 5. Education
- II. Discuss Responsibilities to those rights
 1. Not to hurt others
 2. Don't discriminate or treat unfair

3. Don't disrespect others property
4. Be Quiet and listen
5. Allow others to be taught

Ensuring these rights keeps order

- 1) Laws – Society
- 2) Rules – School and Home

III. Discuss Consequences

1. If rules/laws are violated
 - a. Results of something you choose or choose not to do
 - b. Being aware of Consequences helps to make better decisions by students whether or not to do or not to do something.

Example:

- Fighting vs. Not Fighting
 - Discuss Consequences of Both
 - Escalation of assault from misdemeanor to felony.
- Having Sex in high school vs. Abstinence
 - Discuss Consequences of Both
- Using Drugs/Alcohol vs. Not Using
 - Discuss Consequences of Both

REVIEW

- I. Discuss / Recap
 - a. Rights / Responsibilities
 - b. Law / Rules – why we establish them?
 - c. Consequences of:
 - i. Fighting
 - ii. Having Sex in High School
 - iii. Drugs / Alcohol

PRACTICE

I. What maybe other situations students may have experienced or may want to know consequences about?

Documentation And/Or Sources:

- 17 years Freeport Police Department through youth interaction and Gang intervention
- “What are my rights? 95 questions and answers about teens and the law” by Thomas A. Jacobs
- “Preventing School Violence” Channing L. Bete, Inc. Scriptographic pamphlet

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