



What Do You Know About Drugs? PRE/POST-TEST

Name: _____

Home Room Teacher: _____

The following statements are about drugs. Read each statement and write "T" in the space for the statements you think are true and "F" for the statements you think are false.

1. _____ It is safe to take medicine a doctor prescribes for someone else.
2. _____ Medicines from a friend are safe to use.
3. _____ It is harmful to breathe chemical fumes even if only done once.
4. _____ It is dangerous to ride in a car with a driver who has been drinking a few beers.
5. _____ Tobacco makes a person's heart beat faster.
6. _____ Alcohol advertisers do not encourage under age persons to drink alcohol.
7. _____ All drugs, including medicines, can become habit forming if used regularly.
8. _____ Drug Abuse means the wrong use of drugs including medicine.
9. _____ Nicotine is the active ingredient in tobacco.
10. _____ According to National Surveys about 1/2 of all eighth grade students smoke cigarettes regularly.
11. _____ Using the DARE Decision-Making Model can help you make better choices.
12. _____ Inhalants are not drugs.
13. _____ Smoking marijuana is more harmful to your lungs than smoking regular cigarettes.
14. _____ If a friend offers you something like a drug or medicine, it is probably safe to take.
15. _____ Television commercials about alcohol are usually true.
16. _____ Some people start using alcohol or other drugs because their friends do.
17. _____ According to National Surveys Most eighth grade students have used alcohol in the past month.
18. _____ Alcohol slows down the functions of the brain and body.
19. _____ Someone who pressures you to do something you don't want to is not being a true friend.
20. _____ It is OK to confidently walk away from someone who asks you to smoke a cigarette.

Answer Key for Elementary

The correct answers for the Elementary (5th-6th) Test are as follows: 1=F, 2=F, 3=T, 4=T, 5=T, 6=F, 7=T, 8=T, 9=T, 10=F, 11=T, 12=F, 13=T, 14=F, 15=F, 16=T, 17=F, 18=T, 19=T, 20=T