

CRIME STOPPERS OF HOUSTON

STATEWIDE MENU OF SERVICES

2023

The Statewide team facilitates presentations outside of the Greater Houston Area to school campuses and districts across major cities and small towns.

Inside this packet you will find a list of presentations, trainings and conversations offered to schools and their communities outside of Harris County.

To schedule, go to <u>crime-stoppers.org/presentation-request-outside-harris-county</u>





CRIME STOPPERS OF HOUSTON STUDENT PRESENTATIONS

These presentations promote personal safety to aid students in avoiding victimization and deterring delinquency and emphasizes the importance of reporting dangers and criminal activity on campus.

ACTIVE SHOOTER IN PARTNERSHIP WITH JETBLUE

The active shooter phenomenon in America has grown to very troubling proportions. JetBlue has created a 45-minute Social Responsibility initiative to bring awareness and personal education that they will facilitate virtually for our Greater Houston Area schools. Thank you to JetBlue for facilitating these presentations.

- Middle School 45 min
- High School 45 min

be nice. (MENTAL HEALTH)

For all ages, through a four-part action plan, students are taught to notice those around them, invite change and conversation, challenge themselves and others to get help and be empowered to take action. Elementary students learn how to utilzie the action plan by reading books "One" and "Zero" by Kathryn Otoshi. These books reinforce mental health best practices and effective communicaiton. Middle and High School students learn how to recognize signs and symptoms of depression and anxiety while destigmatizing mental illness. Follow up activities are provided for all ages.

- Pre-K-2nd grade 30 min
- Upper Elementary School 30 min
- Middle School 45 min
- High School 45 min

Thank you to the Mental Health Foundation of West Michigan and **be nice.**® MI for partnering with us to provide this valuable presentation.

BULLYING PREVENTION

For Elementary students, this presentation defines bullying, conflict, consequences, and provides action steps for resolution. Scenarios are used throughout to reinforce messaging. For Middle and High School, the presentation covers the different types of bullying, the Internet's effects, David's Law, and reporting tools. Students will learn how to utilize campus resources and understand the importance of being an upstander versus a bystander.

- PreK-2nd grade 30 min
- Upper Elementary School 45 min
- Middle School 45 min
- High School 45 min

Thank you David's Legacy Foundation for partnering with us to provide this valuable information.

CYBER SAFETY

Teaches primary students how to respond to inappropriate content, the importance of keeping personal information private, and recognizing cyberbullying behavior. Tweens and Teens will learn how to stay safe online, effectively combat and address cyberbullying, create a positive online community, and a positive online reputation.

- Pre-K 2nd grade 30 min
- Upper Elementary School 45 min
- Middle School 45 min
- High School 45 min

HUMAN TRAFFICKING

Defines Human Trafficking and provides statistics and information on traffickers. Illuminates where trafficking happens, who engages in it, strategies used by predators and traffickers to lure students. Most importantly the presentation discusses prevention and how to properly report Human Trafficking.

- Middle School 45 min
- High School 45 min

JUVENILE LAWS

Teens often inquire about the specificity of laws, and what consequences are warranted for particular behaviors. Emphasizes laws directly related to important topics such as, cyber safety, bullying, terroristic threats, right to privacy, law of parties, consent, human trafficking, and substance use.

- Middle School 45 min
- High School 45 min

SITUATIONAL AWARENESS

Educates students on understanding the importance of situational awareness and how to utilize it in everyday life to stay as safe as possible. Explains how criminals use opportunity to victimize their target, covers safety tips for common teenage situations, and provides resources for teens to reinforce lessons at home.

- Middle School 45 min
- High School 45 min

SUBSTANCE ABUSE PREVENTION

Details why using drugs and drinking alcohol as an adolescent will critically affect brain development into adulthood. Topics covered: illicit drugs, marijuana, prescription medication, vaping and alcohol. A comprehensive list of laws, consequences and protective factors are provided.

- Upper Elementary School 45 min
- Middle School 45 min
- High School 45 min

TEEN DATING AND SEXUAL MISCONDUCT

Clarifies and defines what teen dating violence is and explains the different forms of victimization within dating relationships. Students will learn what a healthy versus unhealthy relationship looks like and how to spot red flags before abuse occurs. Lastly, laws and policies are explained to help students understand their rights and how to hold themselves accountable.

- Middle School 45 min
- High School 45 min

THE NEXUS BETWEEN SOCIAL MEDIA AND MENTAL HEALTH

There is a undeniable link between how much time one spends on social media and the affect it has on an individual's mental health. This presentation explains the link by defining mental health, showing that there are both positive and negative outcomes of social media, and by providing law and policy. Students will hear peer testimonials as well as learn how to lead a balanced life by taking simple steps to improve social media habits.

Only eligible to book this presentation if previously booked a Cyber Safety and/or be nice. presentation

- Middle School 45 min
- High School 45 min

VAPING PREVENTION

There are many myths teens believe about the safety of using vape products, and each year more teens report trying vaping at least once. This presentation covers the chemicals used in vapes, myths, the stress of peer pressure, and laws. Teens will learn how vaping can impact their health, as well as refusal skills and how to quit. When teenage vaping is on the rise, so are concerns about their mental and physical well-being.

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CRIME STOPPERS OF HOUSTON EDUCATOR PRESENTATIONS*

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Educators can be the first people to recognize when a child's behavior is changing. This presentation educates school staff on how to spot and identify when a student is battling a mental illness, with an emphasis on depression and anxiety. Provides statistics and crucial information that illuminates the rise in suicide and bullying amongst youth. Through a four-part action plan, we will explain how to notice those around you, invite change, challenge yourself and others to be kind and empower yourself and others to take action.

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BULLYING PREVENTION | 60 MIN

This training discusses best practices on creating a bully-free climate. Learn to identify the different types of bullying, the Internet's effects on bullying, statistics, state laws, and how to best support your students on and off campus.



CYBER SAFETY AWARENESS | 60 MIN

There is a plethora of cyber safety concerns and forms on online victimization. In this presentation you will get an in depth overview of potential online dangers, trends, hidden features of popular social media apps, and a brief overview of gaming platforms, as well as long terms consequences and laws surrounding the internet and monitoring tools to assist you in keeping your students safe while use technology.

CYBERSAFETY AND HUMANTRAFFICKING AWARENESS | 60 MIN

There is an inseparable link between Human Trafficking and the Internet. This presentation will highlight the nexus between pornography, trafficking, and grooming techniques used by predators. Gain an understanding through examples of direct messages used to lure students away from their homes, and most importantly how to have the uneasy but necessary conversations with your student.

Thank you to Demand Disruption and Dr. Nissi Hamilton for partnering with us to provide valuable videos throughout this presentation!

GAMING SAFETY | 60 MIN

The rise of online gaming in mainstream culture has caused an increased risk of vulnerability and victimization in students. This presentation will teach you about video game basics, the impact of eSports on our culture and safety, how gaming could be affecting your students, and how to keep your student safe while gaming. We will end this presentation with monitoring tools and techniques to aid you in ensuring safe game play in your home.

HUMAN TRAFFICKING | 60 MIN

*TEA APPROVED VENDOR

There are many misconceptions regarding school-aged human trafficking. The reality is, human trafficking is happening in every neighborhood and does not discriminate. This presentation clarifies what human trafficking is, where is happens, how youth are lured in, exposes traffickers, and provides prevention strategies. We discuss the academic, behavioral, and physical signs of youth trafficking victims, as well as reporting protocol and best practices.

REPORTING DISCLOSED AND SUSPECTED CHILD ABUSE | 60-90 MIN *TEA APPROVED VENDOR

Signs and symptoms of all forms of child abuse are discussed, including neglect and human trafficking. Current laws are reviewed and resources provided on handling disclosures and required duties to respond.

TEEN DATING SAFETY / VIOLENCE AND SEXUAL MISCONDUCT | 60 MIN

Teens can become easily victimized by false promise of relationships. This presentation discusses different types of relationships, explains the importance of setting goals and boundaries, and reveals how to spot unhealthy behaviors. A detailed definition of consent is provided as well proactive steps students can take to protect themselves and peers. Learn when to emphasize protections through Title IX and legal orders as it's imperative to encourage students to take action when necessary.

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BULLYING PREVENTION | 60 MIN

Technology and the Internet has caused a whole new form of bullying: cyberbullying. This presentation looks at the difference between in-person bullying and cyberbullying, addresses parent and school responsibilities regarding bullying, covers current bullying laws, and provides guidance on what to do should your child become a victim of bullying.

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Adolescents who spend more than three hours a day on social media are at an increased risk of mental health problems. Join Crime Stoppers of Houston for an honest discussion about the nexus between social media and mental health. Come learn simple steps you can take to create a healthy social media environment in your home and how to use existing tools to help you do so.

SUBSTANCE USE PREVENTION | 60 MIN

Addiction is sweeping our nation and substance use is occurring at younger and younger ages. This presentation explains the effects of substance use on an adolescent brain, signs and symptoms of abuse, and laws surrounding underage usage.

TEEN DATING SAFETY / VIOLENCE AND SEXUAL MISCONDUCT | 60 MIN

This presentation identifies the difference in teen dating violence, abuse, sexual assault and sexual misconduct as well as discusses various forms of victimization, signs and symptoms of abuse, laws surrounding teen dating violence and sexual misconduct, and where and when to seek help if your child is victimized.

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