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Drug and Alcohol Information
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Video

Stop, Ask First



Evidence ratings:

This resource has undergone expert review. See our Help/Q&A section for more details.

Year: Foundation Year, Year 1–2

Targeted Drugs: Prescription Medication

Tags: poisons around the house, medicines

Time Allocated: Partial lesson (under 45mins)

Links to National Curriculum:
ACPPS006 (Fdn Yr), ACPPS018 (Yr 1–2), ACPPS021 (Yr 1–2), AC9HPFP06 (Fdn Yr), AC9HP2P06 (Yr 1-2)

Origin: International

Cost:
Free

Available

This video is available on YouTube

Watch 'Stop, Ask First' video

Developers

New York State Poison Control Centers, USA.

Summary

Video length: 6:00

Stop! Ask First is a simple animation that introduces the concept of 'poison' and uses a catchy tune to remind young children to ask parents before handling any household products.

Expected Benefits

- Increased knowledge of the dangers of poisons and medicines around the house.

Evidence Base

Expert Review*:

This simple animated video is aimed towards very young students at the beginning of their drug education. The simplicity of the message, and use of repetition and song is appropriate for the intended audience. The content maps directly onto the Alcohol and other Drugs (AD) components of the Australian Health and Physical Education curriculum for Years K-2.

* Review provided by researchers at the Matilda Centre for Research in Mental Health and Substance Use at the University of Sydney.

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