

Meth Prevention Lesson What Do You Know Worksheet - Teacher's Key

Description of tool: The "What Do You Know?" worksheet consists of a list of statements that are related to the topic the students will be exploring. The worksheet contains statements that provoke disagreement and challenge students' beliefs about the topic. An effort is made to use statements that will result in differences of opinion and thus lead to discussion and debate. Before learning about the material, the students complete the "Before the Lesson" column of the worksheet and can use the Reflection section to take notes while the teacher introduces new concepts that relate to the statements. After the lesson is presented, the students will complete the "After the Lesson" column of the worksheet and return it to the teacher/presenter at the end of the class. This guide will be the basis for conversation throughout the entire lesson. "What Do You Know?" worksheets serve two primary purposes:

- Elicit students' prior knowledge of the topic.
- Set a purpose for learning (Students learn to gather evidence that will either confirm their initial beliefs or cause them to rethink those beliefs.)

Before the Lesson After the Lesson

| Agree or Disagree | Statement | Reflections | Agree or Disagree |
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| Agree Disagree | Meth's key ingredients are common household items that are only dangerous when combined. | | Agree Disagree |
| Agree Disagree | Meth hooks people faster than almost any other drug, and users will keep taking it even though it stops giving them pleasure. | | Agree Disagree |
| Agree Disagree | Meth can make you hear, see, or even feel disturbing things that aren't really there—like bugs crawling under your skin. | | Agree Disagree |
| Agree Disagree | Meth causes rotting teeth, hair loss, foul body odor, and open sores. Users also develop strange, uncontrollable movements like facial tics. | | Agree Disagree |
| Agree Disagree | It's risky to use meth, even once. | | Agree Disagree |
| Agree Disagree | It's risky to use drugs. | | Agree Disagree |
| What is something you learned after seeing the lesson? | | | |

