

Tobacco

AND

Secondhand Smoke

Grades 9-12

Lesson 1 Summary: *Students conduct mock debates in cooperative learning groups to discuss controversial tobacco issues. Basic tobacco facts are reviewed as students attempt to answer the question, "To what extent should personal behaviors be restricted to protect the health of others?"*

Length:

- 90 minutes (or two, 45-minute sessions)

Preparation Difficulty: Minimal

Simple copying and cutting

Specific Objectives:

- List at least three negative consequences associated with tobacco use
- Describe and discuss the impact of tobacco use on public health and some of the societal controversies related to tobacco.

LESSON OVERVIEW

Due: (teacher discretion)

Essential Question: To what extent should personal behaviors be restricted to protect the health of others?

Vocab. Word(s): substance, addictive, nicotine, carcinogen, exposure

Agenda

- Opening
- Review
- Activity Introduction – Great Debates
- Great Debate Rotations (4)
- Class Discussion
- Review/Preview

Homework: (teacher discretion)

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