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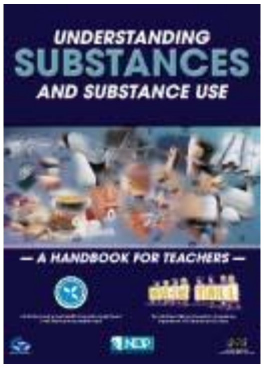
Polasaí Substaintí / Substance Use Policy

Aidhmeanna na Scoile:

1. Timpeallacht scoile atá sábháilte agus sláintiúil a chur ar fáil
2. Iompar dearfach sláintiúil a chur chun cinn
3. Cur leis an eolas atá ag na daltaí faoi shláinte an duine
4. Féinmhuinín agus féinmheas na ndaltaí a chur chun cinn
5. Obair i bpáirt le tuismitheoirí, páistí, foireann agus eagrais tacaíochta

Cláir Teagaisc/Eolais:

1. Misneach.
2. Curaclam na Bunscoile: OSPS
3. Leabhar Eolais: Understanding Substances.



Cur Chuige / Polasaithe:

Tobac:

1. Níl cead tobac a chaitheamh sa scoil nó ag aon imeacht scoile
2. Níl cead ag mic léinn tobac a chaitheamh nó toitíní a bheith ina seilbh acu sa bhfoirneamh nó ar thalamh na scoile
3. Caithfidh cuairteoirí cloí leis an bpolasaí nach bhfuil cead tobac a chaitheamh i bhfoirneamh nó ar thalamh na scoile ná aon ghníomh atá eagraithe nó faoi mhaoirseacht foirneann na scoile.
4. Cuirfear Príomhoide agus Príomhoide Ionad na scoile ar an eolas láithreach faoi dhaltaí a chaitheann tobac ar láthair na scoile agus go dtógfaií agus coigistigh an tobac ón dalta.
5. Cuirfidh an Príomhoide scéal chuig tuismitheoirí an dalta/na ndaltaí
6. Ní bheidh cead tobac/toitíní a bheith mar dúais in aon chrannchur scoile
7. Má bhriseann daltaí na rialacha seo cuirfear pionós orthu tríd an gcóras smachta

Alcól:

1. Níl cead ag daltaí alcól a ól sa bhfoirneamh nó ar thalamh na scoile
2. Níl cead ag daltaí alcól a bhreith leo ar scoil nó alcól a ól ar scoil nó i rith gníomhaíochtaí scoile nó iarscoile (turais, cluichí iarscoile srl. san áireamh)

3. Má cheapann múinteoir go bhfuil dalta faoi thionchar alcóil cuirfidh sé/sí an Príomhoide agus Príomhoide Ionad ar an eolas láithreach agus pléifear freagairt don eachtra leo. Tógfaidh agus coigistigh an alcóil nuair a bhíonn gá. Beidh an scoil I dteagmhail leis na tuistí / caomhnóir faoin eachtra agus beidh cinneadh réiteach déanta.
4. Sa chás go dtagann dalta ar scoil faoi thionchar alcóíl beidh ar na tuismitheoirí é/í a thógáil abhaile
5. Má bhriseann daltaí na rialacha seo cuirfear pionós orthu tríd an gcóras smachta

Drugaí Mí-dhleathacha:

1. Nil cead ag daltaí drugaí mí dleathacha / substaintí, nó fiú leigheas (os cionn méid atá conraithe idir thuismitheoir /chaomhnóir agus an scoil) dé réir polasaí dáileadh leigheas na scoile a bheith aige / aici istigh sa scoil nó amuigh ar talamh na scoile.
2. Ba chóir drugaí mí-dhleathacha a chur faoi ghlas go dtí go dtagann na Gardaí. Níor chóir do mhúinteoirí na drugaí a iompar ag am ar bith.
3. Má cheapann múinteoir go bhfuil dalta faoi thionchar drugaí cuirfidh sé/sí an Príomhoide agus Príomhoide Ionad ar an eolas láithreach agus pléifear freagairt don eachtra leo
4. Má cheapann an scoil go bhfuil dalta ag iompar/ag díol drugaí mí-dhleathacha déanfar fiosrú ar an gcás ar dtús, cuirfear tuismitheoirí an dalta atá i gceist ar an eolas agus rachfar chun comhairle ó na Gardaí
5. Glacann an Bord Bainistíochta Scoile leis go gcuirfí an Príomhoide nó an múinteoir ranga ar an eolas má cheapann tuismitheoirí/caomhnóirí go bhfuil a ndalta ag tógáil drugaí mí-dhleathacha.

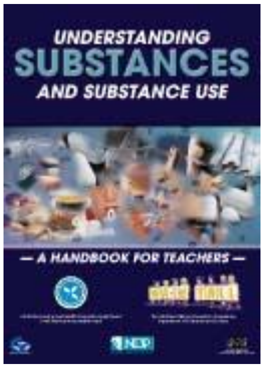
CF: Stóráil agus Bainistiú Leighis + Polasaí Sláinte agus Sábháilteacht NB Seomra Stórais faoi ghlas (Ceimicí)

Aims of the School:

1. The provision of a safe and healthy school environment
2. To promote positive and healthy behaviour
3. To enhance pupils' knowledge of personal health
4. To promote pupils' self-confidence and self-worth
5. To work with parents, children, staff and support agencies

Knowledge / Instructional Programmes:

1. Walk Tall and Alive-O
2. Primary School Curriculum: SPHE
3. Information Book: Understanding Substances.



<u>Approach / Policies:</u>

Tobacco:

- Tobacco is prohibited in school
- Pupils are forbidden to smoke or have cigarettes in their possession in the school building or on school grounds or an activity organised and supervised by school staff.
- Staff/Visitors to the school must also adhere to the policy i.e. that smoking is prohibited in the school building or on the school grounds
- The Principal and Deputy Principal will be informed immediately should pupils be found smoking at the school and the tobacco will be consificated.
- The Principal will contact the pupil(s)'s parents
- Tobacco/cigarettes will not be offered as prizes in any school raffles
- Breach of these rules will entail sanctions under the Code of Discipline

Alcohol:

- The consumption of alcohol is prohibited by students in the school building or grounds of the school.
- Pupils are forbidden to drink alcohol or have it in their possession at school or at any school organised or extra-curricular activities (including tours, after-school games etc.)
- If a staff member believes that a pupil is under the influence of alcohol he/she will report this to the Principal / Deputy Principal immediately. Where necessary the alcohol will be confiscated. Parents will be contacted and a response to the incident will be decided upon.
- In the case of a pupil coming to school under the influence of alcohol his/her parents will be asked to bring him/her home
- Breach of these rules will entail sanctions under the Code of Discipline

Drugs / Illegal Substances:

- It is prohibited for pupils to have in their possession in the school building or on school grounds any illegal drugs/substances or even medication above that agreed between parent / guardian and the school as per the administration of medicines policy.
- Illegal drugs will be locked away until Gardai arrive. Staff will not carry the drugs at any time.
- If a staff member believes a pupil to be under the influence of drugs he/she will report this to the Principal / Deputy Principal immediately and a response to the incident decided upon
- If the school believes a pupil is carrying/selling illegal drugs the case will be first investigated, the pupil's parents informed and Garda assistance requested
- The Board of Management trusts that a parent/guardian will inform the Principal or class teacher if their child is taking illegal drugs