



North East ISD Athletic Department

VIRGIL T. BLOSSOM ATHLETIC CENTER

Comalander Stadium	Heroes Stadium	Littleton Gymnasium	Baseball Stadium	Soccer Stadium
Davis/Walker Aquatic Center		Tennis Center	Piper-Bass Memorial Student Center	

Executive Director Karen Funk	Director/Athletics Terry Peel	Director/Athletics Timothy Woods	Director/Athletics Stacey Moore	Director/Athletics Kelly Parker
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8th Grade Human Sexuality and Abstinence Education

Dear Parent/Guardian:

We are excited to inform you about our human sexuality and abstinence education program. The new program was adopted in May of 2016 and will be implemented in the 2016-2017 school year. ***Draw the Line, Respect the Line***TM is a seven-lesson curriculum that your child has the opportunity to participate in during their 8th grade Physical Education or Athletic class. These lessons will focus on using refusal skills in dating situations and on the written steps of utilizing barrier protection properly. Abstinence is reinforced as the healthiest and safest choice for young people and setting limits and refusal skills against peer pressure are a major focus. At the end of select lessons, a parent interview activity will be sent home with the student to encourage parent-student discussion about the material being presented in class. Our belief is that this is an invaluable educational process best shared by the home and school. We hope that you will take advantage of the opportunity to review this important material at the parent information session held on your campus (information located below) to better prepare yourself for the parent interview activities and to help reinforce material taught in the classroom at home.

Please complete the permission slip below, detach it, and send the form back to your student's 8th grade Physical Education teacher or Athletic coach. **A student will not be able to participate in this valuable program without your written permission slip.** If your student does not have written permission to participate in the program, alternate educational activities will be planned for the student. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact your child's teacher. Their contact information is below.

Sincerely,

Rachel Naylor
Director for Physical Education, Health & Athletics

For your convenience, if you are unable to attend one of the parent sessions offered, you can access an online version through Parent Portal.

Parent Information Session

Date: _____ Time: _____

Location: _____

Please join us for an information session and preview of the curriculum materials.

8th grade Human Sexuality and Abstinence Education Program

Campus: _____

Student's Name: _____

(Please a box below)

- Yes, my student has permission to participate in the human sexuality and abstinence education class.
- No, my student does not have permission to participate in the human sexuality and abstinence education class.

Program Information

Program Instruction Begins: _____

Please Return Form By: _____

Teacher's Name: _____

Teacher's Email: _____

Teacher Phone: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date