East Penn School District

Curriculum and Instruction

Curriculum for: Grade 6 Health

Course(s): Grade 6 Health

Grades: 6th

Department: Wellness/Fitness minutes): 43 minutes

Periods per cycle: 6

Length of Period (average

Length of Course (yrs): 0.333

Type of offering: _____ required ______elective

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Enduring Understanding	Essential Questions	Content	Standard	S
Health Concepts are essential for wellness and health-enhancing lifestyle.	 What choices should you make to act and grow responsibly? What can you observe and infer about the way your personal choices affect the functioning of the body? 	 Many factors such as peers, body image, and stress are factors that influence teens' health. Factors such as physical, social, mental, emotional wellness affect your body's functioning. 	10.1.6A A. Describe growth and development changes that occur between childhood and adolescence and identify factors that can influence these changes.	•
Health Concepts are essential for wellness and health-enhancing lifestyle.	• What are the different systems in the body and how do they work together to sustain healthy living?	 Circulatory Respiratory Excretory Reproductive Digestive 	 10.1.6B B. Identify and describe the structure and function of the major body systems. circulatory respiratory excretory reproductive digestive 	•
Health Concepts are essential for wellness and health-enhancing lifestyle.	 How does understanding food labels and identifying food choices enable you to make better nutritional choices? What factors influence changes in nutritional requirements on an individual basis? How can food production and preparations impact an individual's nutritional choices? 	 Total caloric intake; calculate grams of carbohydrates, fats and proteins. Identifying the impact of vitamins, minerals and water on meeting dietary requirements. Age, gender, weight, physical activity level, and specific conditions. Prepackaged/ pre-made foods, organic, free-range, whole foods, food preparation, additives 	 10.1.6C Analyze nutritional concepts that impact health. caloric content of foods intake and physical activity (energy output) nutrient requirements label reading healthful food selection and food preparation 	•
Health Concepts are essential for wellness and health-enhancing lifestyle.	 What factors positively or negatively influence adolescent attitudes and decisions related to tobacco use? How does the media influence decision making? 	• Including: family, peer pressure, low self esteem, media, stress, refusal skills, current state laws, informative advertising and programs, retail, financial, short	 10.1.6D Explain factors that influence childhood and adolescent drug use. peer influence self-esteem 	•

		 term and long term consequences. Including social media, Internet, billboards, magazines (non-teen), 	 stress media influence refusal skills rules, regulations and laws 	
Health Concepts are essential for wellness and health-enhancing lifestyle.	 What kinds of health problems can occur throughout life? How are communicable and noncommunicable diseases contracted/spread? How can one minimize health risks in order to positively impact their overall health? 	 entertainment. Communicable diseases (caused by viruses, bacteria, protozoans, fungi and other pathogens) and non-communicable diseases (cancer, heart disease, arthritis, diabetes, stroke, allergies, etc) Direct and indirect contact, contact with infected animal/insects, contaminated food/water Avoid high risk behaviors, lifestyle choices, environment, diet, hygiene, inherited factors, use universal precautions, protective factors 	 consequences 10.1.6E Identify health problems that can occur throughout life and describe ways to prevent them. diseases (ex. Cancer, diabetes,, cardiovascular diseases preventions (ex. not smoking, maintaining proper weight, eating balanced diet, physical activity) 	•
Health Concepts are essential for wellness and health-enhancing lifestyle.	 What are health care services that could impact your well being?. What individual practices does a person do to positively impact their well-being? 	 Physicals performed by a physician, immunizations, mental health services, religious entities good personal health, self-exams, nutrition, exercise, stress management, environment 	 10.2.6.A. Explain the relationship between personal health practices and individual well-being. immunizations health examinations 	•
Community well-being is dependent upon a balance of personal and social responsibility.	COVERED in 4 th Grade		10.2.6.B.	
Community well-being is dependent upon a balance of personal and social responsibility.	• How can media positively and negatively affect a persons health choices ?	 .Smoking nutrition food selection 	10.2.6C Explain the media's effect on health and safety issues.	•
Community well-being is	• What steps are needed to make	DECIDE Model	10.2.6.D.	,

dependent upon a balance of personal and social responsibility.	decisions to improve your health.		Describe and apply the steps of the decision making process to health and safety issues.	
Community well-being is dependent upon a balance of personal and social responsibility.	COVERED in 5 th Grade		10.2.6E:	
Safety impacts individual and community well-being.	COVERED in 5 th Grade Guidance and Library		10.3.6 A.	
Safety impacts individual and community well-being	 What first aid/Heimlich maneuver/CPR skills should be used based on given scenarios? Identify common universal precautions 	 First Aid, CPR, AED latex gloves, protective clothing/eye wear, etc 	 10.3.6.B. Know and apply appropriate emergency responses. basic first aid Heimlich maneuver Universal precautions 	•
Safety impacts individual and community well-being	 What are some common healthy vs. unhealthy ways to manage anger? What are helpful strategies/techniques used to reduce conflicts and/or violence? 	 Healthy examples: exercise, I messages, relaxation strategies. Unhealthy examples: drug and alcohol use, violence, bullying, verbal outbursts Role of peers, body language/expressions, ignoring conflict, where/when/how, etc 	 10.3.6.C Describe strategies to avoid or manage conflict and violence. anger management peer mediation reflective listening negotiation 	•
Safety impacts individual and community well-being	 What are important considerations in exercise safety? Covering in 6th grade PE 	• Weather, facility, equipment, nutrition, hydration, phases of exercise, medical history.	10.3.6.D Identify and use safe practices in physical activity settings.(e.g., proper equipment, knowledge of rules, sun safety, guidelines of safe play, warm-up/cool-down)	•