

Winston-Salem Police Department Crime Prevention Unit





Conflict Resolution

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Goals

- A goal is an aim or objective
- Adults have three goals for children:
 - Responsible – Stay out of trouble
 - Healthy- Physically and Mentally
 - Education



Problem Behaviors

- Drug/Alcohol Abuse
- Violence
- Juvenile Delinquency



PRIDE Survey

- Youth who were involved in after-school community activities were more than twice as likely to stay away from drugs
- Those who were involved in religious activities were also less likely to use drugs

Violence

- Arguments resulting in violence are a considerable problem for today's youth
- Teasing and "put downs" can lead to violence
- In most violent confrontations, the victim and offender know each other
- Most violence is not associated with drugs

Juvenile Delinquency 2007

- There were 1,560 juvenile victims
- There were 2,195 juvenile suspects
- 709 juveniles were identified as offenders in a crime

Prevention

- Respect Everyone
- Choose the Right Friends
 - Friends do what's right and have fun
 - Friends stay out of trouble
 - A good friend will never pressure you to do the wrong things

Prevention

- Make good decisions
 - Think about your options
 - Consider the consequences
 - Choose the option that has the best results
 - Do not choose an option that has a negative consequence

Conflict Resolution

- A conflict is a difference of opinion between two or more people



Solving A Conflict

- Calm down
- Talk it over (No name calling)
- Be truthful
- Listen to the other person's side
- Compromise
- Ask help from an adult you trust

Be of Good Character

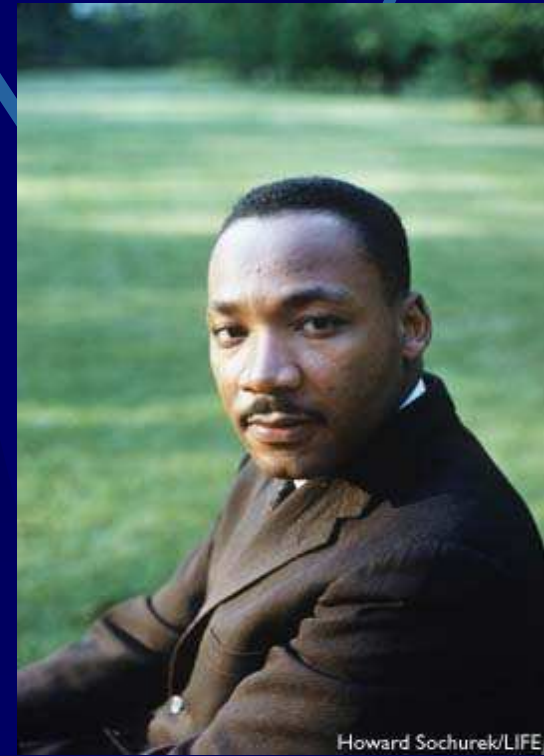
- Honest
- Responsible
- Respect Others
- Caring
- Integrity
- Perseverance
- Courage



Character

- “Intelligence plus character-that is the true goal of education.”

A quote by Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.



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