



Gateway Middle School

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

During June your student's Lifetime Fitness class will address topics in HIV AIDS education. Consistent with [district policy 2123](#), this content will address HIV AIDS education, including information about life-threatening dangers and its spread and prevention.

The following topics will be addressed:

- Creating the Classroom Environment
- What is HIV and AIDS
- Myths and Facts
- How HIV is Spread
- STI/HIV Transmission
- Living with HIV
- Testing for HIV
- HIV Prevention including Abstinence
- Condoms Usage
- Refusal Skills
- Resources and Conclusion

If you have questions, please contact your student's Lifetime Fitness teacher.

District policy allows you to opt out your student of all or a portion of this instruction. If you do NOT want your student to receive HIV AIDS instruction, please notify your student's teacher through email or complete an [opt out form](#) in the school's main office. Students who opt out of instruction will receive alternative class assignment(s) not addressing HIV AIDS topics. Teachers will begin the lessons to all students who have NOT opted out during June.

Please do not hesitate to contact your student's teacher with questions.

Sincerely,

Matt Bennett