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Mrs. Smith/Period 2

*Romeo & Juliet Project:
Action Plan and Presentation Confirmation Form*

Directions: In this project, you will apply the themes and issues within *Romeo and Juliet* to modern life and work on solutions to age-old problems that are presented in the play: communicating with parents, dealing with peer pressure, maintaining self-control, making good decisions, combating hate crimes, and preventing suicide. Part of the assignment involves sharing your ideas and solutions to a wider audience than just your classmates. Use the information below to plan and document your presentation to an outside audience. Remember the steps for any successful action plan:

- Step 1: Determine what problem or issue you want to address
- Step 2: Plan what you can do to change it
- Step 3: Decide what resources you need
- Step 4: Act on your plan
- Step 5: Evaluate and celebrate your success!

(Source: <http://www.nationaltcc.org/tcc/?pg=7064>)

Pre-Planning

Problem or issue you want to address: teenage suicide

Targeted Audience: friends of teenagers who may be suicidal

Ideas where you could find this audience: counselor's office, mental health department, hospital, school, peer mediation group

Possible contacts to set up a presentation: school counselor, school nurse, librarian

Ideas for the presentation/ways your team can help make a difference: put on a skit at the next assembly; create poster board with a holder for brochures to put in school library; present warning signs during home room, talk to student groups at lunch.

Planning

Type of presentation (what will you do?): Present to five home rooms over a week's time, giving a five minute talk about warning signs and what to do and hand out brochures. Put up poster in library with brochures and put in a morning announcement about brochures being available in the library.

Who else could help you? Local mental health office

Presentation date set for: week of Dec 3rd

Expected audience and quantity: 20-30 students per class, so around 125 students, plus brochures in library will reach other students

Location: school

Contact name and phone number: school librarian, Mrs. Smith, Ms. Jones, Mr. Johnson, Mr. Wright, Ms. Waters

Any "advertising" or publicity done to ensure a good-sized audience: morning announcement

Materials needed (computer/files, handouts, props, signs, etc.): brochures, poster

Presentation

Description of the audience (all adults, children between 8-10, etc.)

teenagers between 14-18 and their teachers

Number of attendees 135 students + 5 teachers

Summary of experience (What did you do? How did it go? How well was it received? What kind of feedback did you get? Do you think it will make a difference?):

Students were interested and teachers said we did a good job. We hope it made a difference-- even if just in the life of one student. Everyone was given a brochure so they all now have the resources to contact in case they need help. They didn't have that before.

Other comments: _____

Parent/Guardian Confirmation

The presentation was completed to an outside audience as is stated above.

Comments about the presentation or assignment: Signatures below are from the teachers of the homerooms.

Signature of a team member's parent/guardian

Date