k-2 Unit - Wellness and Safety

Content Area: **Physical Education & Health**
Course(s):
Time Period: **Marking Period 1**
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Unit Overview

This unit is intended to explore the following core ideas:

- Personal hygiene and self-help skills promote healthy habits.
- Many factors influence how we think about ourselves and others.
- There are different ways that individuals handle stress, and some are healthier than others.
- People in the community work to keep us safe.
- Exploring wellness components provide a foundational experience of physical movement activities.
- Nutritious food choices promote wellness and are the basis for healthy eating habits.
- The environment can impact personal health and safety in different ways.
- Potential hazards exist in personal space, in the school, in the community, and globally.
- Any time children feel uncomfortable or in an unsafe situation, they should reach out to a trusted adult for help.
- People need food, water, air, waste removal, and a particular range of temperatures in their environment to stay healthy.
- The use of alcohol, tobacco, and other drugs in unsafe ways is harmful to one's health.
- Substance abuse is caused by a variety of factors.
- There are many ways to obtain help for treatment of alcohol, tobacco, and other substance abuse problems.

Standards

- 2.1.2.PGD. 2: Develop an awareness of healthy habits (e.g., wash hands, cough in arm, brush teeth).
- 2.1.2.PGD.3: Explain what being “well” means and identify self-care practices that support wellness.
- 2.1.2.PGD.4: Use correct terminology to identify body parts and explain how body parts work together to support wellness.
- 2.1.2.EH.1: Explain the meaning of character and how it is reflected in the thoughts, feelings and actions of oneself and others.
- 2.1.2.EH.2: Identify what it means to be responsible and list personal responsibilities.

- 2.1.2.EH.3: Demonstrate self-control in a variety of settings (e.g., classrooms, playgrounds, special programs)
- 2.1.2.EH.4: Demonstrate strategies for managing one's own emotions, thoughts and behaviors.
- 2.1.2.EH.5: Explain healthy ways of coping with stressful situations
- 2.1.2.SSH.1: Discuss how individuals make their own choices about how to express themselves.
- 2.1.2.CHSS.1: Identify community professionals and school personnel who address health emergencies and provide reliable health information to us.
- 2.1.2.CHSS.2: Determine where to access home, school and community health professionals.
- 2.1.2.CHSS.3: Demonstrate how to dial and text 911 in case of an emergency.
- 2.1.2.CHSS.4: Describe how climate change affects the health of individuals, plants and animals.
- 2.2.2.N.1: Explore different types of foods and food groups.
- 2.2.2.N.2: Explain why some foods are healthier to eat than others.
- 2.2.2.N.3: Differentiate between healthy and unhealthy eating habits.
- 2.3.2.PS.1: Demonstrate personal habits and behaviors that contribute to keeping oneself and others healthy and the environment clean and safe.
- 2.3.2.PS.2: Discuss healthy and safe choices both indoors and outdoors (e.g., using equipment, wearing bike helmets, vehicle, water, weather safety).
- 2.3.2. PS.3: Recognize and demonstrate safety strategies to prevent injuries at home, school, in the community (e.g., traffic safety, bicycle/scooter safety, fire safety, poison safety, accident prevention).
- 2.3.2. PS.4: Develop an awareness of warning symbols and their meaning (e.g., red light, stop sign, poison symbol).
- 2.3.2.HCDM.1: Explain the consequences on a person’s health if he or she does not have adequate food and a clean environment.
- 2.3.2.HCDM.2: Demonstrate personal hygiene and the use of necessary and appropriate
- 2.3.2.ATD.1: Explain what medicines are, how they are used, and the importance of utilizing medications properly.
- 2.3.2.ATD.2: Identify ways in which drugs, including some medicines, can be harmful.
- 2.3.2.ATD.3: Explain effects of tobacco use on personal hygiene, health, and safety.
- 2.3.2.DSDT.1: Recognize that some people may have difficulty controlling their use of alcohol, tobacco, and other drugs.
- 2.3.2.DSDT.2: Explain that individuals who abuse alcohol, tobacco, and other drugs can get help.

Exemplar Learning Activities

Lessons within this unit will explore:

- 3Rs – Understanding our Bodies
- 3Rs- The circle of life
- Identifying the need for school safety rules
- Demonstrating safe school behavior
- Steps to take in an emergency
- Personal hygiene concepts
- Germs
- Common Illnesses
- Spreading germs and preventing disease
- Diseases and health conditions (Lyme, cancer, diabetes)
- Fire Safety rules
- Practicing fire safety
- Resolving Conflicts
- Giving and sharing
- Grouping Foods by Nutrients ABC's of healthy foods
- Balance & Variety of Food Choices
- What is a drug?
- Drugs are confusing
- Where poisons are found
- Identifying emotions
- Community helpers (under social studies/communities).
- Safe street behavior & signs
- Red Light/green light game
- Self Esteem & Emotional Health
- Setting Personal Goals

Materials

Core Materials:

- Advocates for Youth: 3rs.org
- Brainpop.com
- Kidshealth.org

Supplemental Materials:

- Health and Phys Ed shared Google Drives
- Districted provided Boxlight and projector

Technology

Technology - Data & Analysis

8.1.5.DA.4: Organize and present climate change data visually to highlight relationships or support a claim.

Evidence of Learning/Assessment

Formative Assessment

- Teacher Observation
- Exit Tickets
- Peer Assessment
- Self-Assessment

Summative Assessment

- Rubrics
- Peer Assessment
- Self-Assessment

Accommodations & Modifications

Special Education

Follow IEP Plan which may contain some of the following examples…

- In-class support with special ed assistant
- Preferred seating
- Questions read aloud
- Extended time for completing tasks
- Graphic organizers
- Vocabulary support
- Mnemonic devices

- Songs/videos to reinforce concepts
- Limit the number of questions
- Scribe

504

Follow 504 Plan which may contain some of the following examples…

- In-class support with special assistant
- Preferred seating
- Questions read aloud
- Extended time for completing tasks
- Graphic organizers
- Vocabulary support
- Mnemonic devices
- Songs/videos to reinforce concepts
- Limit the number of questions
- Scribe

ELL

- Translation device/dictionary
- In class/ support with special ed assistant
- Preferred seating
- Questions read aloud
- Extended time for completing tasks
- Graphic organizers
- Vocabulary support

- Mnemonic devices
- Songs/videos to reinforce concepts
- Limit number of questions
- Scribe

At-risk of Failure

- In-class/pull-out support with special ed teacher
- Preferred seating
- Questions read aloud
- Extended time for completing tasks
- Graphic organizers
- Vocabulary support
- Mnemonic devices
- Songs/videos to reinforce concepts
- Study Guides
- Limit the number of questions
- Scribe

Gifted & Talented

- Independent projects

Interdisciplinary Connections

Connections to NJSLS - English Language Arts

- RI.2.1 Ask and answer such questions as who, what, where, when, why, and how to demonstrate understanding of key details in a text. (2-PS1-4)
- RI.2.3 Describe the connection between a series of historical events, scientific ideas or concepts, or steps in

technical procedures in a text. (2-PS1-4)
- W.2.8Recall information from experiences or gather information from provided sources to answer a question. (2-PS1-1), (2-PS1-2), (2-PS1-3)
- NJSLSA.SL1. Prepare for and participate effectively in a range of conversations and collaborations with diverse partners, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.

Connections to NJSLS - Mathematics

- MP.2 Reason abstractly and quantitatively. (2-PS1-2)
- MP.4 Model with mathematics. (2-PS1-1), (2-PS1-2)
- MP.5 Use appropriate tools strategically. (2-PS1-2)
- MP.6 Attend to precision.

Connections to NJSLS - Science

- K-2-ETS1-1 Ask questions, make observations, and gather information about a situation people want to change (e.g., climate change) to define a simple problem that can be solved through the development of a new or improved object or tool
- • 2-LS2-2 Develop a simple model that mimics the function of an animal in dispersing seeds or pollinating plants.
- • 3-PS2-1 Plan and conduct an investigation to provide evidence of the effects of balanced and unbalanced forces on the motion of an object.
- • 3-PS2-2 Make observations and/or measurements of an object's motion to provide evidence that a pattern can be used to predict future motion.

Connections to NJSLS - Social Studies

- 6.1.2.Geo.HE.2: Describe how human activities affect the culture and environmental characteristics of places or regions (e.g., transportation, housing, dietary needs).
- 6.1.2.Geo.GI.2: Use technology to understand the culture and physical characteristics of regions.
- 6.1.2.CivicsPD.1: Engage in discussions effectively by asking questions, considering facts, listening to the ideas of others, and sharing opinions.
- 6.1.2.CivicsPD.2: Establish a process for how individuals can effectively work together to make decisions.

Climate Change: Technology - Effects on the Natural World

- 8.2.2.ETW.2: Identify the natural resources needed to create a product.

Connection to NJDOE SEL Competencies

- Self-Awareness
- Self-Management
- Social Awareness
- Responsible Decision-Making
- Relationship Skills

Amistad Law:

N.J.S.A. 18A 52:16A-88 Every board of education shall incorporate the information regarding the

contributions of African-Americans to our country in an appropriate place in the curriculum of elementary and secondary school students. Historical figures in science and sports.

Holocaust Law:

N.J.S.A. 18A:35-28 Every board of education shall include instruction on the Holocaust and genocides in an appropriate place in the curriculum of all elementary and secondary school pupils. The instruction shall further emphasize the personal responsibility that each citizen bears to fight racism and hatred whenever and wherever it happens.

Bullying and respect for others.

Asian American and Pacific Islander Studies Legislation:

Every board of education shall incorporate the information regarding the contributions of Asian American and Pacific Islander musicians to our country in an appropriate place in the curriculum of elementary and secondary school students.

DEI

Beginning in the 2021-2022 school year, each school district shall incorporate instruction on diversity and inclusion in an appropriate place in the curriculum of students in grades kindergarten through 12 as part of the district's implementation of the New Jersey Student Learning Standards P.L. 2021 Ch 32.

NJ Curriculum Mandates: Galloway Teacher Resource Crosswalk

Historical figures in science and sports.

Career Readiness, Life Literacies, and Key Skills

Critical Thinking and Problem Solving:

- 9.4.2.CT.1: Gather information about an issue, such as climate change, and collaboratively brainstorm ways to

solve the problem (e.g., K-2-ETS1-1, 6.3.2.GeoGI.2).

- 9.4.2.CT.2: Identify possible approaches and resources to execute a plan (e.g., 1.2.2.CR1b, 8.2.2.ED.3).
- 9.4.2.CT.3: Use a variety of types of thinking to solve problems (e.g., inductive, deductive).

Career Ready Practices

- CRP6. Demonstrate creativity and innovation.
- CRP8. Utilize critical thinking to make sense of problems and persevere in solving them.