Fitness Education Project--Grades 1-2

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Name of project: The New HD: Healthy Habits for Defeating Disease

Educational purpose:

- 1. Students will think critically about how to enhance physical activity and healthy habits of themselves and family members.
- 2. Students will understand the benefits of making healthy choices throughout their life.
- Enhance safety techniques
- Increase knowledge of benefits of physical activity, training principles, and factors that influence physical activity choices
- Increase physical activity participation and self-monitor physical activity outside of school
- Increase knowledge of basic nutritional recommendations and assess personal eating habits
- Work to improve fitness
- Demonstrate positive social interaction skills and respect differences
- Advocate for healthy behaviors with a family member

Skill practice desired:

- Participation in physical activity
- Helping others
- Keeping records
- Analyzing records
- Verbal Presentation

Resources needed:

- Area for physical activity instruction and associated materials
- Parent letters
- Student tracking logs
- Presentation materials

Project evaluation: Students will complete the student response logs and will present, in their chosen format "We used to... Now we...".

Element	Ideas for this Project		
1. Create the need to know (anticipatory set)	 Video describing individuals with diabetes (or other health-related diseases) and their habits Class discussion 		
 2. Possible driving questions a. Captures heart of project b. Sense of challenge c. Linked to Purpose d. Answers for students what is the point of this 	 How would you feel if a friend or family member was diagnosed with diabetes? What can you do to help this person AND others that you care about? Guiding/Lesson Questions What types of physical activities do you like to do with your family? What are your family's favorite foods? What can you do to make your family healthier? What are the guidelines for living healthy? Why should you and your family make healthy choices? 		
 3. Student voice and choice a. What can students choose b. What is required 	 Requirements Physical Activity Analysis Log 1 week of PA for self and a family member Identify deficiencies in PA habits and tell what changes they want to make Log 1 week of PA for self and a family member Identify if they made their changes and tell why Nutrition Analysis Complete a food log for 1 week for self and a family member Identify deficiencies in eating habits and tell what changes they want to make Complete another food log for 1 week for self and a family member Identify if they accomplished their changes and tell why Nutrition Analysis Complete another food log for 1 week for self and a family member Identify if they accomplished their changes and tell why 3rd Habit Analysis (Personal Choice) Verbal Presentation 		
	 Family member Paper v. Online Tracking Type of Presentation Poster, Booklet, Video 3rd Healthy Habit 		

 4. 21st Century Skills a. Needed b. Explicitly taught 	Requires Instruction CDC guidelines for MVPA Recommendations for healthy eating General health guidelines Vocabulary Facilitator Barrier Intensity Safety Monitor
 5. Inquiry and Innovation a. Possibilities for own research b. Ways to create culture of hypothesizing 	 Students are able to explore their own personal choice for monitoring a habit that will influence their health and the health of a family member Project Extension Students can do extended research with a family member to better understand a healthy habit in which they are interested.
 6. Feedback & Revision a. Formalized feedback process b. Rubrics needed c. Self/Peer assessment opportunities (coach how to use rubrics) d. Teacher checks e. Feedback from others 	 Feedback Teacher feedback after each analysis of weekly logs Peer reviews after weekly logs to help in determining/accomplishing changes Assessment Do students make changes that increase health and fitness? Can students explain why they make the choices they do? Rubrics
7. Publicly presented product	 Verbal presentation to the class My family used to, Now we Poster with pictures Booklets with pages for each healthy behavior Videos of before/after Family Healthy Fun Night Family members and students demonstrate in small groups their favorite PA changes, healthy recipes, etc.

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Timeline	Activity		
Week 1	Content		
	Health-Related Diseases		
	Benefits of physical activity/Dangers of inactivity		
	Physical activity safety		
	Introduce and Explore Driving Question		
Week 2	Content		
	Physical Activity recommendations		
	• Types of physical activity and safety requirements		
	Student work		
	• Log 7 days of PA for self and family member		
Week 3	Content		
	• Types of physical activity and safety requirements		
	• Facilitators and barriers of physical activity		
	Student work		
	Analyze PA log		
	Identify PA deficiencies		
Week 4	Content		
	Physical activity levels and intensities		
	Physical activity safety		
	Student work		
	Implement PA changes		
	• Log 7 days of PA for self and family member		
Week 5	Content		
	Nutrition/Healthy Eating		
	Benefits of good food choices/Dangers of malnutrition		
	Student Work		
	Construct first part of presentation		
	Summarize PA changes for self and family member		
Week 6	Content		
	Go, Slow, Whoa Foods		
	Student Work		
	Log 7 days of eating habits		
Week 7	Content		
	Go, Slow, Whoa Foods		
	Student Work		
	Analyze eating log		
	Identify potential deficiencies in nutrition log		
Week 8	Content		
	Go, Slow, Whoa Foods		
	• Water is a food group		
	Student Work		
	Implement nutrition changes		

	Log 7 days of eating habits					
Week 9	Content					
	• General Health (Sleep, Hygiene, Hydration, Skin care [in sun], posture,					
	etc.)					
	Student Work					
	Construct second part of presentation					
	Summarize nutrition changes for self and family member					
Week 10	Content					
	General Health					
	Student Work					
	Log 7 days of chosen healthy habit					
Week 11	11 Content					
	General Health					
	Student Work					
	Analyze general health habit log					
	Identify deficiencies in healthy habit					
Week 12	Content					
	General Health					
	Student Work					
	Implement habit change					
	Log 7 days of chosen healthy habit with changes					
Week 13	Content					
	Planning for health and fitness					
	Student Work					
	Construct third part of presentation					
	Summarize habit changes for self and family member					
Week 14	Public Presentations					

The New HD: Healthy Habits for Defeating Disease Grades 1-2: Rubric

Project	Excellent (4)	Meets	Needs	Unacceptable
Components		Expectations (3)	Improvement (2)	•
Analysis/Content Knowledge (10%)	Important deficiencies in logs are identified and appropriately adjusted according to classroom content	Deficiencies in logs are identified and the student makes plans to change habits	Student incorrectly identifies changes that need to be made in their habits	No effort is given to use classroom knowledge to make changes to habits
Physical Activity Log (20%)	Student accurately completes log and makes changes to meet CDC guidelines of 60 minutes MVPA per day	Student completes the log and makes changes to meet CDC guidelines at least 4 days a week	Students logs are incomplete and do not show that they meet CDC guidelines for MVPA	Information is not included
Nutrition Log (20%)	Student accurately completes log and makes changes to meet nutritional guidelines	Student completes the log and makes changes to meet nutritional guidelines most of the time	Student logs are incomplete and do not show that they meet nutritional guidelines	Information is not included
Choice Habit Log (20%)	Student accurately completes log and makes changes to meet recommended guidelines for chosen health habit	Student completes the log and makes changes to meet recommended guidelines for chosen health habit most of the time	Student logs are incomplete and do not show that they meet recommended guidelines for chosen health habit	Information is not included
Family Participation (10%)	Student consistently shows how family members are involved in the project	Student chooses a family member to help and completes activity with them	Student chooses a family member but it is evident that the person is not involved in the project	Little to no family participation is evident
Presentation (20%) Total	Student clearly explains the habits of him/herself and their family member and gives reasons for the changes they made	Student provides healthy habit information and the changes they made	Student tells the habits the activities that they participated in but no information about how or why they changed their habits	Student does not provide any useful information about their habits or changes they made