

SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL SEXUAL ASSAULT

This program highlights common myths and facts about sexual assault and the laws governing sexual assault in Pennsylvania. Using a scenario as a basis, the students discuss the dynamics of date rape and how to get help.

TIME REQUIRED: 40 to 45 minutes or one class period

OBJECTIVES:

- Students will become familiar with Pennsylvania's sexual assault laws
- Students will place responsibility on assaulter, creating an understanding that avoids victim blaming
- Students will identify resources available to victims of sexual assault;
- Students will understand the concept of consent and how it applies to the sexual assault laws
- Students will consider the role of the bystander in preventing sexual assault.

OUTLINE:

1. Introduction
2. Discussion of laws and role of consent, viewing the consent video
3. Presentation of Tom and Missy scenario
4. Handouts
5. Closure through discussion on role of bystander

MATERIALS:

Video: *Cup of Tea* and/or *The Consent Contract*
Tom and Missy scenario

HANDOUTS:

Sexual Assault, What's the Law?

FACILITIES:

Individual classroom
White/chalkboard
Ability to play a DVD