

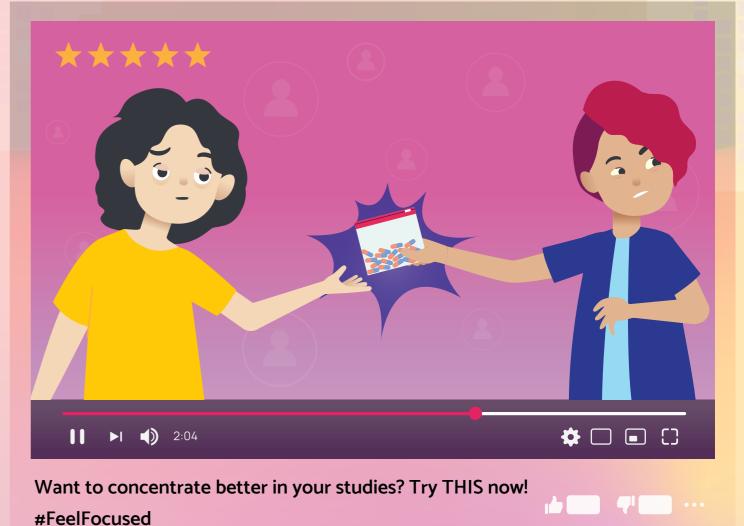
BOOKLET FOR PRIMARY 5 STUDENTS

# INTRODUCING... Villains CAPTAIN DRUG BUSTER PUTRI ASHMIN

## TheSTORY

Ashwin, Putri and Ivan are surfing a video website when they come across a popular livestreamer promoting "sweets" with the hashtag #FeelFocused. However, they notice that the streamer looks dazed, and that the "sweets" look very suspicious. Could it be... drugs?

"Let's alert Captain Drug Buster and look into this!", the trio decides.





## DRUGSand INHALANTS!

### **NEW PSYCHOACTIVE SUBSTANCES (NPS)**





Also known as Spice, K2, Bath Salts, Kronic, Bromo-Dragonfly

### **Harmful Effects**

- Severe intoxications
- Severe toxic reaction leading to death
- · Paranoia (irrational fear or suspicion)
- Hallucination
- Adverse cardiovascular problems
- Renal failure
- Seizures

### **METHAMPHETAMINE**

Also known as 'Ice', Glass, Crystal, Speed, Yaba

### **Harmful Effects**

- · Increased heart rate and body temperature
- · Fits, stroke and death
- · Damage to heart and nerves
- Liver and kidney diseases
- · Abnormal behaviour with mood swings, confusion, delusion and
- hallucination Anxiety and irritability



### **CANNABIS**

Also known as Marijuana,

## **Harmful Effects**

Inability to concentrate

Pot, Grass, Ganja, Weed

- Slow reaction
- · Distorted thinking and perception
- Poor balance and co-ordination
- · Extreme anxiety, depression, confusion and paranoia (irrational fear or suspicion)
- · Decline in motivation and drive in long-term abusers

### **HEROIN**

Also known as White, Smack, Junk, Powder, Putih, Medicine, Ubat

### **Harmful Effects**

- Lowered heart rate and respiration
- · Damage to lungs, kidneys and liver
- Dull feeling and tiredness
- · Difficulty in concentrating
- Constipation

## **INHALANTS**

Also known as Glue-Sniffing, Solvent Abuse, Solvent Inhalation, Solvent Sniffing

### **Harmful Effects**

- · Permanent damage to brain, liver and kidneys
- · Prone to bleeding and bruises
- Memory loss
- · Difficulty in learning and seeing things clearly
- Loss of control of body
- · Cramps, pains and bad cough





## Search for WARNING SIGNS

Throughout the livestream, the streamer's behaviour seems to get stranger. Ashwin, Putri and Ivan suspect that the "sweets" are actually drugs. Prove that they are drugs by spotting the signs of drug abuse!

### Find these words:

1. Dazed 2. Lethargic 3. Confused 4. Aggressive 5. Impulsive

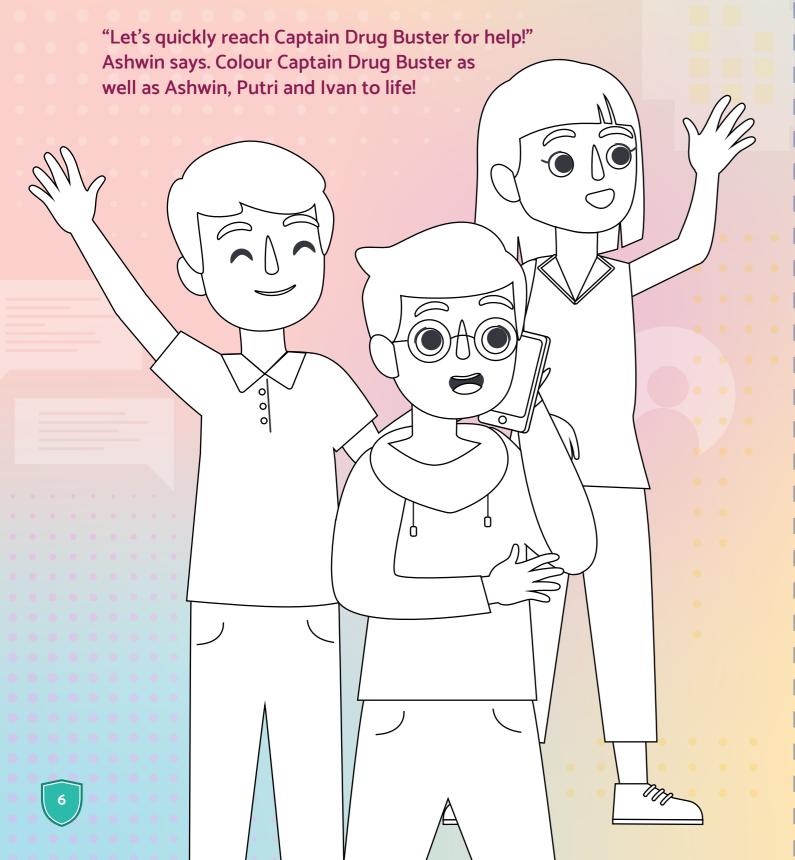
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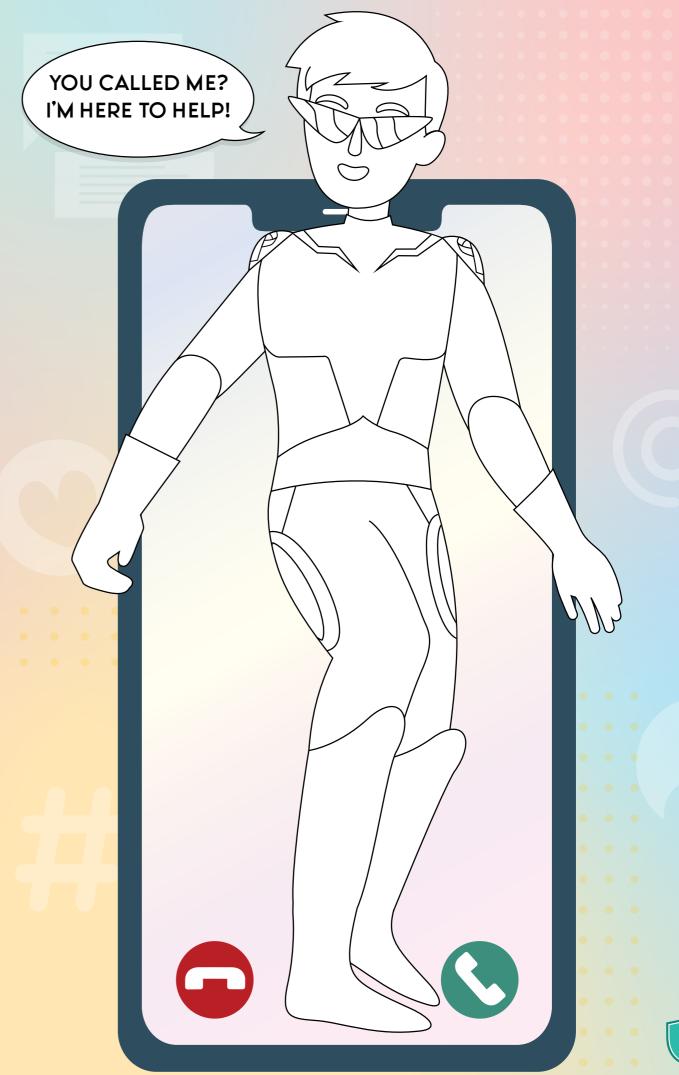




## SHADE, tinge and hue

With the streamer trying to show that drugs are cool, the hashtag #FeelFocused is trending fast. Oh no! This could mean more viewers are getting exposed to drugs! "How do we stop this?" Putri asks.





## Solve the PUZZLE

Captain Drug Buster, together with the trio, begins to investigate the streamer's account on the video website. Meanwhile, the website suddenly acts weirdly and blocks them with a crossword puzzle!

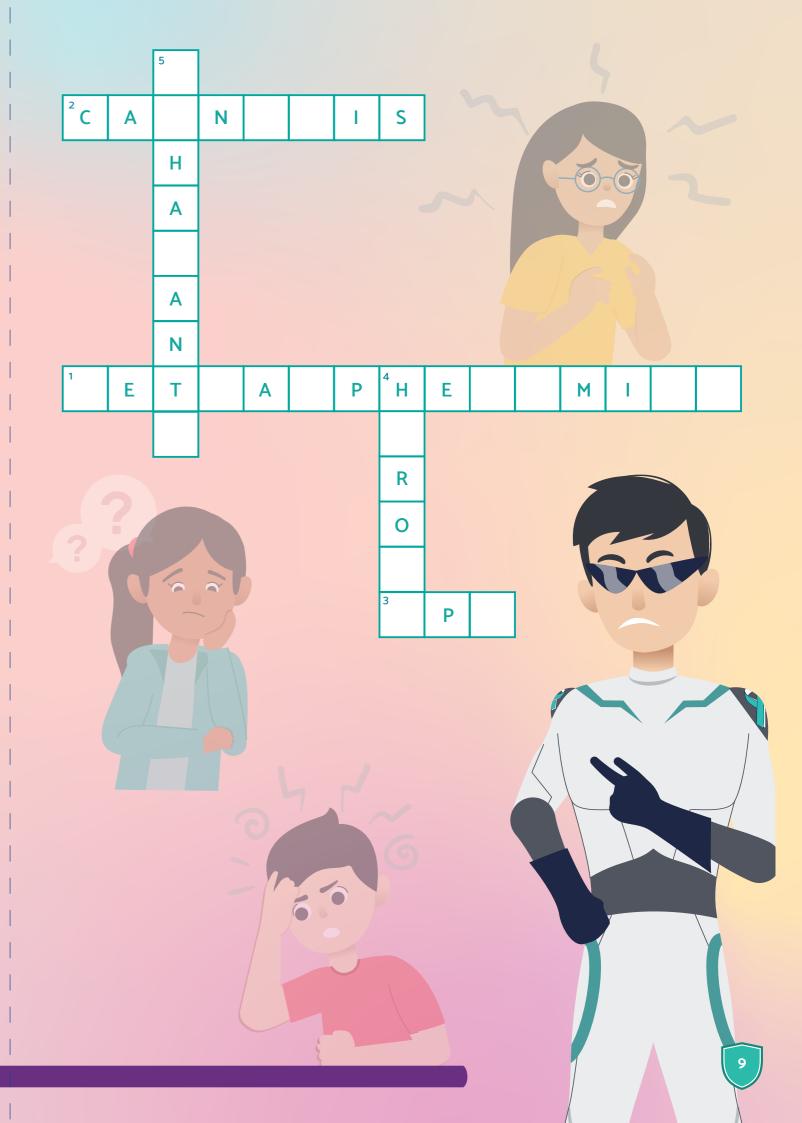
Can you solve the puzzle by guessing the names of the drugs?

- This drug is also known as 'lce'.
- This drug causes poor balance and coordination.
- 3 Its side effects include: seizures, renal failure and adverse cardiovascular problems.
- This drug lowers the heart rate and respiration.



This drug can cause cramps, pains and bad cough.

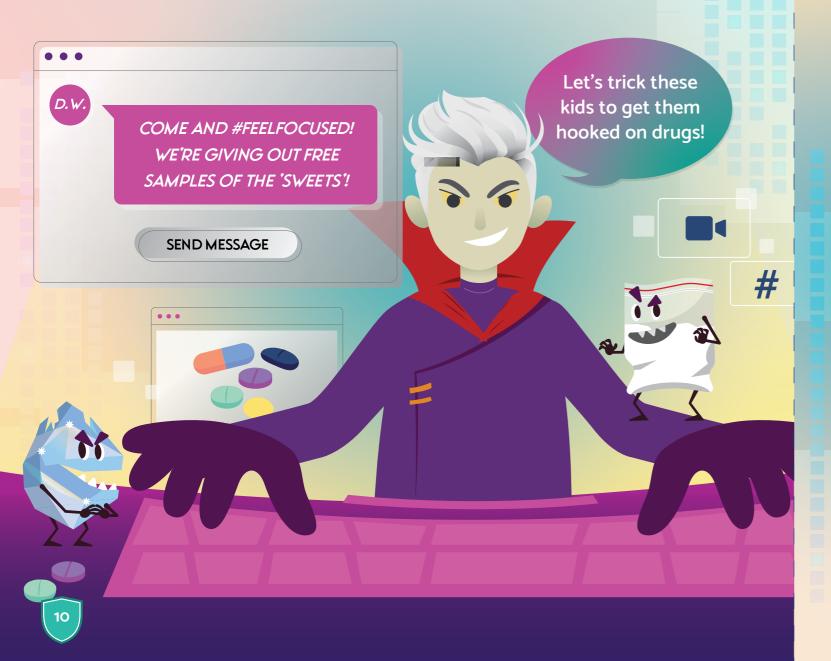
Hint: go to page 4 for clues!



## DON'T GET Tricked!

"Wait a minute!" Ivan discovers after solving the puzzle. "I just received a message from someone with the initial 'D.W.' Looks like Dr. Wacko has sent the message to other livestreamers too."

Turns out, Dr. Wacko and his Drug Minions have been controlling the various livestreamers to influence them into taking drugs!



## Spot the DRUGS

"Dr. Wacko has been expanding his evil plan through this website this whole time?" exclaims Captain Drug Buster. "This is bad! More livestreamers are falling prey to misinformation online!"

Can you identify the harmful drugs?













## Paste THE STICKERS

"Well done, we got rid of the drugs!" Putri cheers. However, there are multiple video screens popping up suddenly, showing different livestreamers - some look fine, but others seem to behave strangely.

Can you recognise the harmful effects and tell-tale signs of drug abuse?











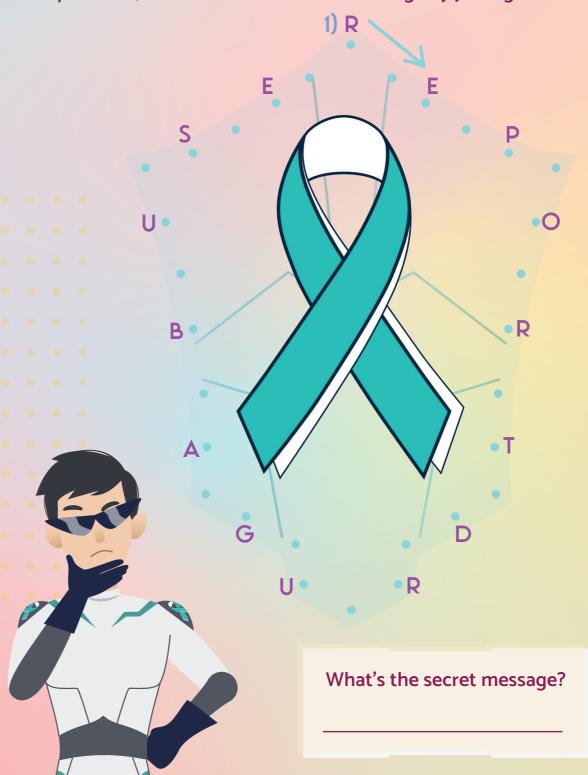


## Join THE DOTS!

"Oh no, looks like others are suffering from the harmful effects of drugs."
Ashwin is worried, looking at the livestreamers. "We need to stop Dr. Wacko before there are more victims!"

Captain Drug Buster has an idea. "Let's send out a secret message to expose Dr. Wacko's bad intentions!"

Help Ashwin, Putri and Ivan craft the message by joining the dots below!



## Mythbusters

Captain Drug Buster and the trio decide to start their own video livestream to share about the harms of drugs and warn streamers against Dr. Wacko.

Some streamers have questions - can you help the group debunk these myths?









Mythbuster 1

Drugs are probably harmless, since movies and shows depict them as fun.

TRUE

**FALSE** 

Mythbuster 2

NPS can cause toxic reactions leading to death.

TRUE

**FALSE** 

Mythbuster 3

Someone told me this unknown substance is safe, so it should be true.

**TRUE** 

FALSE

Mythbuster 4

Signs of drug abuse include changes in appearance and abnormal behaviour.

TRUE

**FALSE** 

Hint: go to page 4 for clues!



Scan the QR code to learn the buzz about cannabis.





## Unlock THE PASSWORD

At last, the group manages to get into Dr. Wacko's account! There's one final password.

Choose the ways to say "No" to drugs, and write down their number in ascending order!





Can you help Captain Drug Buster,
Ashwin, Putri and Ivan crack the code?

4

Standing firm and saying "No" bravely

6

Accepting the drug offer

2

Leaving the conversation

1

Keeping the drugs in your bag for a friend

3

Asking a trusted adult for help

5

Changing the subject to another topic

## TIPS TOWARDS A #DRUGFREE LIFESTYLE

Find out how you can help yourself and your loved ones turn away from drugs in this video here.



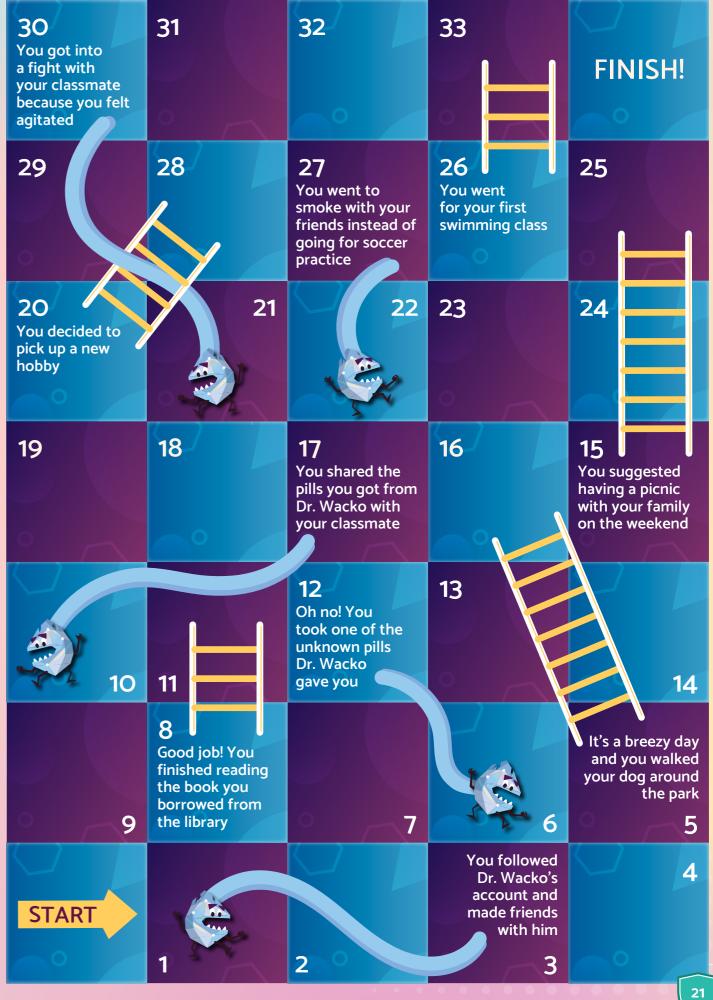


## DRUGS and LADDERS

"Yes, we got into Dr. Wacko's account!"

However, Ashwin, Putri and Ivan discover the screens of other streamers who have been trapped by Dr. Wacko and the harms of his drugs. Let's help them finish the snakes and ladders game to escape!





# PAIR

Great effort! Ashwin, Putri and Ivan have freed the streamers.

However, they are still suffering from the effects of drug abuse and might give in to Dr. Wacko's bad influence again.

"Don't worry, we'll show you how to lead a healthy, drug-free lifestyle," reassures Putri. Match the thought to a positive alternative!

"I'm feeling restless and bored. I want to try something new."

"My friends think I'm timid because when they offered me drugs, I said 'No'."

"I'm getting stressed out with my studies. What can I do to feel better?"

"My family thinks I'm too uptight. Maybe I should take something to calm myself down." "I can talk to a trusted adult, like my parents or school counsellor on how I'm feeling."

"I'll suggest other activities to do together with my friends. Drugs are harmful, they should not even try it."

"Exercising can help me relax. I'll try it out."

"There's a new park nearby - I'll go for a walk, or read a new book."

## Let's Play PRETEND

"Hey, you kids! What makes you think you're right?" Dr. Wacko appears at this moment, trying to convince Ashwin, Putri and Ivan that drugs are harmless.

To prove Dr. Wacko wrong, let's act out the script by Captain Drug Buster with a friend or family member and defeat Dr. Wacko!





I saw someone offering a special drug online! Taking drugs looks so cool. I think it will make me the most popular kid in school.

No, it will not. In fact, you will suffer from effects like heart problems and slow reactions. Do you think you will still look cool after that?





No way! I thought these effects will only be temporary?

That's what Dr. Wacko wants you to think. I bet he didn't tell you about the physical and mental health impacts.





That sounds awful. You're right, drugs are harmful. I'll say "no" firmly if someone ever offers them to me.



# Key Learning VALUES

"Let's deactivate Dr. Wacko's account for good before he can hurt more people," commands Captain Drug Buster.

But before signing out, he has one more thing to tell the audience on the livestream.

Unscramble the words below to reveal how we can stay drug-free!

E R VE

in saying "No" to drugs
(available letters: A, B, B)

B F R

in turning away from negative influences

(available letters: M, E, I)

B POS T V

in leading a healthy, drug-free life

(available letters: I, I, E, E)

## FOR A #DRUGFREESG

Find out why it's important to live in a drug-free Singapore where we can work, play and grow up safely.





# Pledge to be DRUG-FREE!

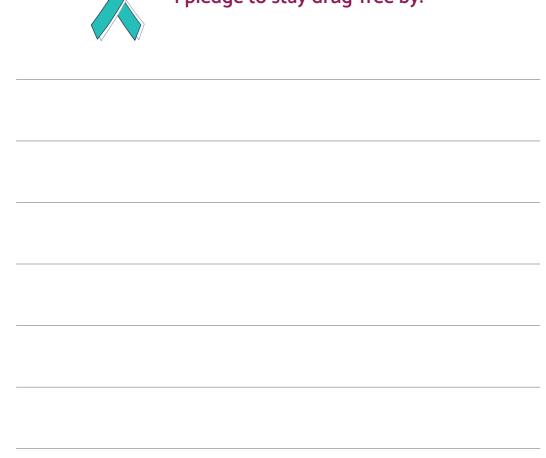
Well done! Your efforts have contributed to a successful mission.

Pledge together with your friends to stay drug-free and become a Drug Buster Buddy!





I pledge to stay drug-free by:



# STEP INTO THE WORLD OF Cugmented Reality!



Join Captain Drug Buster onboard as a Drug Buster Buddy! Can you complete all 3 missions successfully and top the leaderboard?



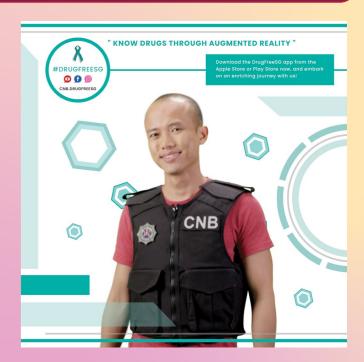






Want to embark on an exciting anti-drug journey? Download the DrugFreeSG app and scan the AR markers in the online brochure to interact with virtual characters!





# ANTI-DRUG montage competition

We commemorate the International Day Against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking, also known as World Drug Day, on 26 June every year. In conjunction with the Anti-Drug Abuse Campaign (ADAC), we hold an annual competition for primary school students to create anti-drug montages within their school premises.

Schools with the best anti-drug montages will stand to win cash prizes!

Check out more details from your teacher or follow CNB's social media handles @CNB.DrugFreeSG for updates!



## answers to ACTIVITIES

BE POSITIVE

**BE LIKM** 

BE BRAVE

**VALUES KEY LEARNING PAGE 26:** 

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**DASSWORD UNLOCK THE PAGE 18:** 



4. True

3. False

2. True

1. False

**MYTHBUSTERS** PAGE 15:

**DRUG ABUSE** REPORT

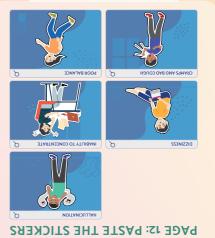
**JOIN THE DOTS! PAGE 13:** 

5. Inhalants

4. Heroin

2. Cannabis

3. NPS





PAGE 11:

1. Methamphetamine

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SEARCH FOR WARNING SIGNS PAGE 5:

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# STICKERS for the activity on page 12





