



High School Health

Unit Name: VI – Parenting and Paternity Awareness (State-Mandated)		Second 6 Weeks, Days to Teach:	
Date Taught	TEKS	Content/Vocabulary	Guiding Questions
	TEKS 14A. Demonstrate strategies for communicating needs, wants, and emotions.	Non-custodial Parent Custodial Parent	Session 1 What are your intentions, expectations, and prospects with regard to fatherhood?
	TEKS 9A. Describe the roles of parents, grandparents, and other family members in promoting a healthy family 9B. Analyze the dynamics of family roles and responsibilities relating to health behavior. 16A. Identify decision-making skills that promote individual, family, and community health.	Biological Parent Caregiver	Session 2 Why do children need to have at least one responsible parent? What is a dependable parent?
	TEKS 9A. Describe the roles of parents, grandparents, and other family members in promoting a healthy family 14B. Examine the legal and ethical ramifications of unacceptable behaviors such as harassment, acquaintance rape, and sexual abuse 16A. Identify decision-making skills that promote individual, family, and community health.	Biological Father Alleged Father Presumed Father Legal Father Visitation Access Child Support Inheritance AOP – Acknowledgement of Paternity DNA Vital Statistics Unit (VSU) Rescind Fraud Court Witness	Session 3 Explain the concept of paternity as legal fatherhood. How is paternity established?
	TEKS 9A. Describe the roles of parents, grandparents, and other family members in promoting a healthy family 14B. Examine the legal and ethical ramifications of unacceptable behaviors such as harassment, 15A. Apply communication skills that demonstrate consideration and respect for self, family, and others; 15B. Demonstrate empathy towards others 16A. Identify decision-making skills that promote individual, family, and community health.	Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)	Session 4 What are the rights, responsibilities, and benefits of establishing paternity for the child of unmarried biological parents, taking into account the interests of the mother, father, and baby?



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	<p>TEKS 3B. Explain the importance of the role of prenatal care and proper nutrition in promoting optimal health for both the baby and the mother such as breast feeding. 5D. Demonstrate decision-making skills based on health information. 7J. Analyze the effectiveness and ineffectiveness of barrier protection and other contraceptive methods including the prevention of Sexually Transmitted Diseases (STD's), keeping in mind the effectiveness of remaining abstinent until marriage. 9A. Describe the roles of parents, grandparents, and other family members in promoting a healthy family 9B. Analyze the dynamics of family roles and responsibilities relating to health behavior. 16A. Identify decision-making skills that promote individual, family, and community health 16B. Summarize the advantages of seeking advice and feedback regarding the use of decision-making and problem-solving skills. 17B. Demonstrate knowledge about personal and family health concerns.</p>	<p>Consistency Child Safety</p>	<p>Session 5 What are your expectations for babies and children of different ages? What are the age-appropriate methods which can be used to shape a child's behavior?</p>
	<p>TEKS 13A. Demonstrate communication skills in building and maintaining healthy relationships. 13D. Evaluate the effectiveness of conflict resolution techniques in various situations. 14A. Demonstrate strategies for communicating needs, wants, and emotions. 14B. Examine the legal and ethical ramifications of unacceptable behaviors such as harassment, acquaintance rape, and sexual abuse 15A. Apply communication skills that demonstrate consideration and respect for self, family, and others 15B. Demonstrate empathy towards others 15C. Analyze ways to show disapproval of inconsiderate and disrespectful behavior.</p>	<p>Net Income Gross Income Calculating Child Support</p>	<p>Session 6 What does it take to be a good parent, in terms of both tasks and financial support?</p>