

**HEALTH EDUCATION CURRICULUM  
FAMILY LIFE AND HUMAN SEXUALITY UNIT**

**GRADE NINE OBJECTIVES**

Skills Objectives

The student will demonstrate the ability to:

- demonstrate skills for communicating effectively with family, peers and dating partners.
- utilize decision-making skills relating to sexual behavior.
- demonstrate refusal skills to deal with situations involving sexual behavior.

Content Objectives

The student will demonstrate the ability to:

- identify and explore issues related to dating.
- recognize abstinence as a healthy, safe, and responsible sexual behavior.
- analyze the influence of alcohol and other drug use on decisions about sexual behavior.
- predict immediate and long term impact of decisions about sexual behavior for the individual, family, and community to include teen pregnancy and STIs.
- evaluate the different methods of contraception.

Enrichment Objective

The student will demonstrate the ability to:

- explain the process of human reproduction.