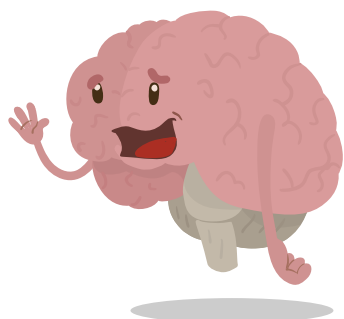


STANDARDS ALIGNMENT

LESSON 1

Alcohol and Your Brain

Content	Student Objectives	Classroom Activities	Assessment
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The job of neurotransmitters in the brain How alcohol affects neurotransmitters 	<p><i>Students will be able to:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Conceptualize neurotransmission using physical movement Communicate the way in which alcohol slows brain function through discussion questions and comparing information Identify alcohol's impact on neurotransmission 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pre-lesson neurotransmitter activity Video and class discussion Read "Brain Drain" text and use a Venn diagram to compare to the video Neuron Bobsled game 	<p><i>Formative:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Written discussion questions Venn diagram Vocabulary homework



Standards

CCSS:

RI.5-7.1
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 RI.5-7.7
 RI.5-7.10
 RST.6-8.1
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