

STANDARDS ALIGNMENT

LESSON 8

Marijuana and Your Developing Brain

Content	Student Objectives	Classroom Activities	Assessment
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The function of the endocannabinoid system within the developing brain How marijuana affects the endocannabinoid system How marijuana use can affect health How to practice healthy decision making 	<p><i>Students will be able to:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify the three parts of the endocannabinoid system and understand its function Communicate the way in which marijuana affects the endocannabinoid system Understand the risks associated with youth marijuana use including addiction and mental health issues Demonstrate the ability to make healthy decision 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Video and class discussion Health discussion Endocannabinoid Key-Coding Activity Decision Making Activity 	<p><i>Formative:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Written discussion questions Classroom discussion Vocabulary homework <p><i>Formative/Summative:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Decision Making worksheet Key Coding Activity



Standards

CCSS:

- RI.5-7.1
- RI.5-7.2
- RI.5-7.4
- RI.5-7.10
- RST.6-8.1
- RST.6-8.2
- RST.6-8.4
- RST.5-7.10
- W.5-7.10
- WHST.6-8.10
- L.5-7.1
- L.5-7.2
- L.5-7.4
- L.5-7.6
- SL.5-7.1

NHES:

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NGSS

- MS.LS1.2
- MS.LS1.3
- MS.LS1.8
- MS.LS1.5

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