

D.A.R.E. Keepin' it REAL Virginia SOL Correlation (Middle School)

Lesson	Grade 7 SOL Correlation	Grade 8 SOL Correlation
Lesson One: Options and Choices	English:	English:
 Identify the Keepin ' it REAL resistance strategies of Refuse, Explain, Avoid, and Leave Define the terms option, choice and consequence Explain how choices have consequences Differentiate between simple preference and wise choice 	Communication: Speaking, Listening, Media Literacy 7.1 The student will participate in and contribute to conversations, group discussions, and oral presentations. a) Communicate ideas and information orally in an organized and succinct manner. Reading 7.4 The student will read to determine the meanings and pronunciations of unfamiliar words and phrases within authentic texts. 7.6 The student will read and demonstrate comprehension of a variety of nonfiction texts. j) Identify cause and effect relationships. Health: Essential Health Concepts 7.1 The student will identify and explain essential health concepts to understand personal health i) Explain the link between addiction to alcohol, tobacco, and other drugs, chronic disease, and engaging in risky behaviors. Healthy Decisions 7.2 The student will use decision-making skills to promote health and personal wellness.	Communication: Speaking, Listening, Media Literacy 8.2 The student will develop and deliver oral presentations in groups and individually. Reading 8.5 The student will read and analyze a variety of fictional texts, narrative nonfiction, and poetry. k) Identify cause and effect relationships. l) Use prior and background knowledge as a context for new learning. m) Use reading strategies to monitor comprehension throughout the reading process. Health: Essential Health Concepts 8.1 The student will identify and explain essential health concepts to demonstrate an understanding of personal health. Healthy Decisions 8.2 The student will apply health concepts and skills to the management of personal and family health. h) Analyze how family and peer pressure influences tobacco, alcohol, marijuana, and other drug use. i) Explain why most teenagers do not use alcohol, tobacco, or other drugs. l) Identify the benefits of using resistance, problem-solving, and decision-making skills for addressing health issues at home and at school.

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Lesson Two: Risks	English:	English:
Define risk	Communication: Speaking, Listening, Media Literacy	Communication: Speaking, Listening, Media Literacy
 Identify risks that can be 	 7.1 The student will participate in and 	8.2 The student will develop and deliver oral
potentially harmful	contribute to conversations, group	presentations in groups and individually.
 Explain how a risk may affect 	discussions, and oral presentations.	Reading
our choices	a) Communicate ideas and information orally	8.5 The student will read and analyze a
	in an organized and succinct manner.	variety of fictional texts, narrative nonfiction,
	Reading	and poetry.
	 7.6 The student will read and demonstrate 	k) Identify cause and effect relationships.
	comprehension of a variety of nonfiction	I) Use prior and background knowledge as a
	texts.	context for new learning.
	a) Use prior and background knowledge as a	m) Use reading strategies to monitor
	context for new learning.	comprehension throughout the reading
		process.
	Health:	
	Essential Health Concepts	Health:
	 7.1 The student will identify and explain 	Essential Health Concepts
	essential health concepts to understand	8.1 The student will identify and explain
	personal health.	essential health concepts to demonstrate an
	m) Recognize harmful and risky behaviors.	understanding of personal health.
	Healthy Decisions	i) Describe the short- and long-term health
	• 7.2 The student will use decision-making skills	issues related to alcohol, tobacco, and other
	to promote health and personal wellness.	drug use, including inhalants, marijuana,
	I) Identify consequences of engaging in risky	cocaine, stimulants, methamphetamines,
	behaviors, to include alcohol, tobacco, and	opiates, steroids, and performance-
	drug use, gang involvement, and imitating	enhancing drugs.
	gang-related behaviors.	Healthy Decisions
		8.2 The student will apply health concepts
		and skills to the management of personal
		and family health.

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Lesson Three: Communication and	English:	English:	
Conflict	Communication: Speaking, Listening, Media Literacy	Communication: Speaking, Listening, Media Literacy	
 Identify and describe the components of the D.A.R.E. Decision-Making Model Articulate what it means to agree to disagree Explain the difference between assertive, aggressive, and passive behaviors 	 7.1 The student will participate in and contribute to conversations, group discussions, and oral presentations. a) Communicate ideas and information orally in an organized and succinct manner. 7.2 The student will identify and demonstrate the relationship between a speaker's verbal and nonverbal messages. a) Use verbal communication skills, such as word choice, pitch, feeling, tone, and voice 	 8.2 The student will develop and deliver oral presentations in groups and individually. Reading 8.5 The student will read and analyze a variety of fictional texts, narrative nonfiction, and poetry. k) Identify cause and effect relationships. l) Use prior and background knowledge as a context for new learning. m) Use reading strategies to monitor 	
	appropriate for the intended audience	comprehension throughout the reading	
	 7.6 The student will read and demonstrate comprehension of a variety of nonfiction 	process. Health:	
	texts. i) Summarize text identifying supporting details.	8.1 The student will identify and explain essential health concepts to demonstrate an understanding of personal health.	
	Health:	Healthy Decisions	
	Essential Health Concepts	8.2 The student will apply health concepts	
	 7.1 The student will identify and explain essential health concepts to understand personal health. r) Identify the benefits of healthy interpersonal relationships. t) Differentiate between passive, aggressive, and assertive communication. 	and skills to the management of personal and family health. n) Evaluate the importance of developing relationships that are positive and promote wellness.	

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Lesson Four: Refuse • Explain the strategy of Refuse • Articulate "no" in a clear way • Demonstrate verbal and nonverbal assertiveness techniques	English: Communication: Speaking, Listening, Media Literacy • 7.1 The student will participate in and contribute to conversations, group	English: Communication: Speaking, Listening, Media Literace 8.2 The student will develop and deliver oran presentations in groups and individually. Reading 8.4 The student will apply knowledge of word origins, analogies, and figurative language to extend vocabulary development within authentic texts. 8.5 The student will read and analyze a variety of fictional texts, narrative nonfiction and poetry. k) Identify cause and effect relationships. l) Use prior and background knowledge as a context for new learning. m) Use reading strategies to monitor comprehension throughout the reading process. Health: Essential Health Concepts 8.1 The student will identify and explain essential health concepts to demonstrate an understanding of personal health. Healthy Decisions 8.2 The student will apply health concepts and skills to the management of personal and family health. h) Analyze how family and peer pressure influences tobacco, alcohol, marijuana, and

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Lesson Five: Explain	English:	English:
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		other drug use I) Identify the benefits of using resistance, problem-solving, and decision-making skills for addressing health issues at home and at school.

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Lesson Six: Avoid	English:	English:
Define the REAL strategy of Avoid List the three ways a student can avoid a situation	Communication: Speaking, Listening, Media Literacy 7.1 The student will participate in and contribute to conversations, group discussions, and oral presentations. a) Communicate ideas and information orally in an organized and succinct manner. c) Make statements to communicate agreement or tactful disagreement with others' ideas. Health: Essential Health Concepts 7.1 The student will identify and explain essential health concepts to understand personal health. r) Identify the benefits of healthy interpersonal relationships. t) Differentiate between passive, aggressive, and assertive communication. Healthy Decisions 7.2 The student will use decision-making skills to promote health and personal wellness. m) Identify strategies for avoiding alcohol, tobacco, inhalants, and other harmful substances.	Communication: Speaking, Listening, Media Literacy 8.2 The student will develop and deliver oral presentations in groups and individually. Reading 8.5 The student will read and analyze a variety of fictional texts, narrative nonfiction, and poetry. k) Identify cause and effect relationships. l) Use prior and background knowledge as a context for new learning. m) Use reading strategies to monitor comprehension throughout the reading process. Health: Essential Health Concepts 8.1 The student will identify and explain essential health concepts to demonstrate an understanding of personal health. Healthy Decisions 8.2 The student will apply health concepts and skills to the management of personal and family health. h) Analyze how family and peer pressure influences tobacco, alcohol, marijuana, and other drug use l) Identify the benefits of using resistance, problem-solving, and decision-making skills for addressing health issues at home and at school.

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Explain the REAL strategy of Leave Identify situations where student an use the Leave strategy	English: Communication: Speaking, Listening, Media Literacy • 7.1 The student will participate in and contribute to conversations, group discussions, and oral presentations. a) Communicate ideas and information orally in an organized and succinct manner. c) Make statements to communicate agreement or tactful disagreement with others' ideas. Health: Essential Health Concepts • 7.1 The student will identify and explain essential health concepts to understand personal health. r) Identify the benefits of healthy interpersonal relationships. t) Differentiate between passive, aggressive, and assertive communication. Healthy Decisions • 7.2 The student will use decision-making skills to promote health and personal wellness. m) Identify strategies for avoiding alcohol, tobacco, inhalants, and other harmful substances.	English: Communication: Speaking, Listening, Media Literacy • 8.2 The student will develop and deliver oral presentations in groups and individually. Reading • 8.5 The student will read and analyze a variety of fictional texts, narrative nonfiction, and poetry. k) Identify cause and effect relationships. l) Use prior and background knowledge as a context for new learning. m) Use reading strategies to monitor comprehension throughout the reading process. Health: Essential Health Concepts • 8.1 The student will identify and explain essential health concepts to demonstrate an understanding of personal health. Healthy Decisions • 8.2 The student will apply health concepts and skills to the management of personal and family health. h) Analyze how family and peer pressure influences tobacco, alcohol, marijuana, and other drug use l) Identify the benefits of using resistance, problem-solving, and decision-making skills for addressing health issues at home and at school.

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Lesson Eight: Norms	English:	English:	
 Define the terms norms and peer norms Identify norms of drug use among student peers Explain how norms can influence decisions 	Communication: Speaking, Listening, Media Literacy 7.1 The student will participate in and contribute to conversations, group discussions, and oral presentations. a) Communicate ideas and information orally in an organized and succinct manner. Reading 7.5 The student will read and demonstrate comprehension of a variety of fictional texts, narrative nonfiction, and poetry. g) Make inferences and draw conclusions based on the text.	 Communication: Speaking, Listening, Media Literacy 8.2 The student will develop and deliver oral presentations in groups and individually. Reading 8.5 The student will read and analyze a variety of fictional texts, narrative nonfiction, and poetry. k) Identify cause and effect relationships. l) Use prior and background knowledge as a context for new learning. m) Use reading strategies to monitor comprehension throughout the reading 	
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Lesson Nine: Feelings	English:	English:
 Recognize that people express their emotions in different ways Verbalize why feelings are valid Recognize that other people have different feelings 	Communication: Speaking, Listening, Media Literacy • 7.1 The student will participate in and contribute to conversations, group discussions, and oral presentations. a) Communicate ideas and information orally in an organized and succinct manner. Health: Essential Health Concepts • 7.1 The student will identify and explain essential health concepts to understand personal health. Healthy Decisions • 7.2 The student will use decision-making skills to promote health and personal wellness.	Communication: Speaking, Listening, Media Literacy 8.2 The student will develop and deliver oral presentations in groups and individually. Reading 8.5 The student will read and analyze a variety of fictional texts, narrative nonfiction, and poetry. k) Identify cause and effect relationships. l) Use prior and background knowledge as a context for new learning. m) Use reading strategies to monitor comprehension throughout the reading process. Health: Essential Health Concepts 8.1 The student will identify and explain essential health concepts to demonstrate an understanding of personal health. Healthy Decisions 8.2 The student will apply health concepts and skills to the management of personal and family health. k) Describe effective coping mechanisms for managing personal and family stress. l) Identify the benefits of using resistance, problem-solving, and decision-making skills for addressing health issues at home and at school. Advocacy and Health Promotion 8.3 The student will undertake health-promotion activities that demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between nutrition, physical activity, and emotional and physical health. m) Justify and encourage safe, respectful, and responsible relationships.

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Lesson Ten: Support Networks	English:	English:	
• Explain the concept of a social	Communication: Speaking, Listening, Media Literacy	Communication: Speaking, Listening, Media Literacy	
support network	 7.1 The student will participate in and 	 8.2 The student will develop and deliver oral 	
 Identify members of personal 	contribute to conversations, group	presentations in groups and individually.	
social support network	discussions, and oral presentations.	Reading	
 Review and discuss the key 	a) communicate ideas and information orally	8.5 The student will read and analyze a variety	
concepts in the curriculum	in an organized and succinct manner.	of fictional texts, narrative nonfiction, and poetry.	
	Health:	k) Identify cause and effect relationships.	
	Essential Health Concepts	I) Use prior and background knowledge as a	
	7.1 The student will identify and explain	context for new learning.	
	essential health concepts to understand	m) Use reading strategies to monitor	
	personal health.	comprehension throughout the reading	
	k) Analyze how the school and community	process.	
	can affect personal health practices and		
	behaviors, to include access to and	Health:	
	availability of physical, emotional, and social	Essential Health Concepts	
	health services; emergency response	 8.1 The student will identify and explain 	
	systems; health care products; and	essential health concepts to demonstrate an	
	recreational and leisure opportunities.	understanding of personal health.	
	Healthy Decisions	Healthy Decisions	
	• 7.2 The student will use decision-making skills	 8.2 The student will apply health concepts 	
	to promote health and personal wellness.	and skills to the management of personal and	
	n) Explain the influence of personal and	family health.	
	family values and beliefs on individual health	c) Determine the benefits of developing and	
	practices and behaviors.	implementing short- and long-term personal	
	o) Describe how peers influence healthy and	and family health and fitness goals that are	
	unhealthy behaviors.	achievable and purposeful.	
	t) Describe how a healthy environment is	m) Develop goals to analyze and manage the	
	essential to personal and community health.	impact of social networking.	
	u) Evaluate the relationship of social and	Advocacy and Health Promotion	
	environmental factors to individual and	8.3 The student will undertake health-	
	community health.	promotion activities that demonstrate an	
	Advocacy and Health Promotion	understanding of the relationship between	
	 7.3 The student will promote healthy schools, families, and communities. 	nutrition, physical activity, and emotional and physical health.	
		h) Develop guidelines for using social	

networks.