

Poison Prevention Program Grades 3-5

Objectives: After participation in the poison prevention program, students should be able to:

1. Define poison.
2. Identify the four routes of poisoning.
3. State where poisons are found.
4. Describe three poison prevention safety measures.
5. Explain appropriate action if a poisoning or suspected poisoning occurs.
6. Discuss why students should only take medicine from a trusted adult.
7. Recognize warning/caution words on product labels.

Time required: approximately 60 minutes.

Wisconsin Model Academic Standards for Health Education addressed:

- A.4.3 Identify ways to be healthy during childhood,
- A.4.4 Explain how childhood diseases and injuries can be prevented or treated,
 - B.4.4 Demonstrate strategies to improve or maintain personal health,
 - B.4.5 Develop and practice injury prevention and management strategies for personal health,
- D.4.1 Identify valid health information, products, and services,
- D.4.2 Demonstrate the ability to locate resources from home, school, and community that provide valid health information,
- G.4.3 Identify community organizations that advocate for healthy individuals, families, schools and communities.