

General Course Information

Course Name: Human Relations	
Department: Family & Consumer Sciences	Grade Level(s): 10-12
Duration/Credits: 1 semester/ .5 credit	Prerequisites: none
BOE Approval Date:	Course Code: H4610
Course Description:	
Human Relations is designed to help the student understand his or her role within the family and society. Units of study include family structures, relationships with parents, partners, and friends, dating issues, sexuality, love, preparation for marriage and methods for dealing with family crisis. The course includes presentations by professional guest speakers.	
Course Rationale:	
Human Relations helps the adolescent understand his or her development as an individual, as a family member and as part of society. Modern life offers more alternatives than ever before. The intent of this course is to provide information needed to help each individual make informed decisions concerning responsible, rewarding, and lifelong relationship development.	
Course Objectives:	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• The student will discuss and analyze functions and expectations of various types of interpersonal relationships. (A+ Speaking and Listening)• The student will create written analysis of how goals and values guide behaviors and decision-making in interpersonal relationships, including his or her digital footprint. (A+ Writing)• The student will identify and investigate methods used in crisis management and analyze their effectiveness.• The student will research and discuss topics in human sexuality (including contraceptives, std's, and teen pregnancy). (meets Missouri State Statute 170.015) (A+ Research)	

- The student will read about, research, and discuss family related topics, such as birth order, family communication, crises, roles and structures culminating in an individual student project. (A+ Reading)

Standards Alignment:

List standard set(s) to which course has been aligned
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