



Parents or Legal Guardians,

This letter is to notify you that the Austin ISD Board of Trustees has approved a human sexuality and responsibility (HSR) curriculum to be provided to all district students from kindergarten through high school. The age-appropriate units will be taught in the months of November and December, and during the months of April and May for students enrolled in the high school health education course for the Spring semester. During 2021-22, all HSR curriculum lessons were revised to comply with current law and to meet the updated Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills (TEKS) for Health.

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In accordance with [Texas Education Code, Sec. 28.004](#), the district's HSR course materials and insTexas

- 3. emphasize that abstinence from sexual activity, if used consistently and correctly, is the only method that is 100 percent effective in preventing pregnancy and the transmission of sexually transmitted infections (STIs).

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