



AAA School Safety

California Common Core Standards Guide



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Master Lesson Plan Overview

Topic:

AAA School Safety

Grade Levels:

4-6

Materials / Resources:

All materials provided in the AAA School Safety Lesson Plan. Download at: [AAA School Safety Lesson Plan](#)

Student Outcomes:

- Awareness of safety issues and how to respond
- Teamwork and working with peers to solve problems
- Responsibility and confidence in uncertain situations
- Respect for self, each other, and authority figures
- Leadership in the classroom, among friends, and all areas of life

California Unit Plan

Master Lesson Plan Overview, cont'd

Lesson	Activities	Learning Target	Common Core Standards
Engage: The Set Up	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Introduction to the Safety Lesson Class Discussion about Safety Issues 	In this session youth will build awareness of safety issues by drawing connections to what they already know while assessing prior understanding.	Speaking and Listening Standards 4.1, 5.1, 6.1 (4th, 5th, & 6th grade) *If done in writing: Writing Standards 4.8 or 5.8 (4th & 5th grade) Injury Prevention and Safety Standard 1: Essential Concepts 1.1 (4th grade)
Engage: Pre-Lesson Assessment	Safe / Unsafe Pre-Lesson Assessment	In this session youth will build awareness of safety issues by drawing connections to what they already know while assessing prior understanding.	Injury Prevention and Safety Standard 1: Essential Concepts 1.5.S (4th grade) 1.16.S (4th grade) 1.4.S (6th grade)
Explore: Classroom Participation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Role-Playing and Team-Building Activity Debrief and Classroom Processing 	In this session youth will practice teamwork and will work with peers to solve problems. Students will become actively involved with the topic and build on their understanding.	Injury Prevention and Safety Standard 1: Essential Concepts 1.16.S (4th grade) Standard 4: Interpersonal Communication 4.1.S (6th grade) 4.3.S (6th grade) Standard 5: Decision Making 5.1.S (4th grade) 7.6.S (4th grade) 5.1.S (6th grade) 6.1.S (6th grade)

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Lesson	Activities	Learning Target	Common Core Standards
Explain: Classroom Instruction Section 1	Getting to School: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Crosswalk and safe gaps • Search patterns • Bicycle Safety • School Bus Safety • Car Passenger Safety • Self Driving Car 	In this session youth will build on the students' prior knowledge, ensuring that they have accurate information to apply in a variety of safety situations.	Injury Prevention and Safety Standard 1: Essential Concepts 1.6.S (6th grade) 1.16.S (4th grade) Standard 5: Decision Making 5.1.S (4th grade)
Explain: Classroom Instruction Section 2	Getting to School: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bullying • Violent Intruder • Earthquake 	In this session youth will build on the students' prior knowledge, ensuring that they have accurate information to apply in a variety of safety situations.	Injury Prevention and Safety Standard 1: Essential Concepts 1.3.S (4th grade) 1.5.S (4th grade) 1.7.S (4th grade) Standard 3: Accessing Valid Information 3.2.S (4th grade) 3.3.S (4th grade)
Extend: Classroom Engagement	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Small Group Discussion • School Safety Worksheet 	Allow students to apply what that they have learned and explore the implications in new situations through teamwork.	Writing Standards 4.8 (4th grade) 5.8 (5th grade) Injury Prevention and Safety Standard 1: Essential Concepts 1.1 (4th) 1.16.S (4th) Standard 5: Decision Making 5.1.S (4th and 6th)
Evaluate: Learning Assessment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Safety Roles • School Safety Pledge 	In this session youth will determine how much learning and understanding has taken place while showing evidence of accomplishment.	Standard 1: Essential Concepts 1.16.S (4th) Standard 6: Goal Setting 6.1.S (6th) Standard 8: Health Promotion 8.1.S (6th)

Creating Safe Spaces Lesson Plan Overview

Topic:

A Guide to Having Courageous Conversations about Diversity and Allyship

Grade Levels:

4-6

Materials / Resources:

All materials provided in the AAA School Safety Lesson Plan. Download at: [Creating Safe Spaces: Lesson Plan](#)

Student Outcomes:

- Creating Safe Spaces
- Celebrating Diversity
- Courageous Conversations

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Creating Safe Spaces Lesson Plan Overview (cont'd)

Lesson	Activities	Learning Target	Common Core Standards
Be the Change	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction • The Young S/Hero Snowball Activity • Reflection Questions 	In this session youth will learn about what it means to be a changemaker and be inspired to become one.	<p>Writing Standards</p> <p>4.8 (4th grade)</p> <p>5.8 (5th grade)</p> <p>6.4 (6th grade)</p> <p>Speaking and Listening Standards</p> <p>4.1 (4th grade)</p> <p>5.1 (5th grade)</p> <p>6.1 (6th grade)</p>
Equality and Safe Spaces — A Path for All	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 Tips of Active Listening • Activity: Celeste Davis & Aaron • Privilege Ball Toss Activity • Reflection Question 	In this session students will improve their listening skills and learn about privileges in order to create safe spaces.	<p>Speaking and Listening Standards</p> <p>4.1 (4th grade)</p> <p>5.1 (5th grade)</p> <p>6.1 (6th grade)</p>
Why Diversity is Important — A Rainbow Road	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction: Embracing Diversity to Create Safe Spaces • “I love my neighbor who...” Activity • Discussion • Reflection Questions 	In this session youth will explore the origins of racism while establishing ways to celebrate diversity.	<p>Speaking and Listening Standards</p> <p>4.1 (4th grade)</p> <p>5.1 (5th grade)</p> <p>6.1 (6th grade)</p>
Allyship for Kids — A Route to Freedom	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Intro: Understanding Allyship • Kids Explain Allyship Video • Ally Up Activity • Reflection Questions 	In this session youth will understand and practice how to be an ally.	<p>Speaking and Listening Standards</p> <p>4.1 (4th grade)</p> <p>5.1 (5th grade)</p> <p>6.1 (6th grade)</p>
Allyship in Action	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Using Activism to be an Ally • Art as Activism Video or Activism finds a new place: TikTok Video • Art for Change Activity • Reflection Questions 	In this session students will practice using art to help create safe spaces and stand up for others.	<p>Speaking and Listening Standards</p> <p>4.4 (4th grade)</p> <p>5.4 (5th grade)</p> <p>6.5 (6th grade)</p>

Safe@Home Overview

Topic:

How to be a Safety Leader at Home

Grade Levels:

4-6

Materials / Resources:

A device to connect to the self-guided, online lesson. Access here: [Safe@Home](#)

Student Outcomes:

Students will learn how to keep themselves and others safe while at home. Safety issues include:

- Home Safety Basics
- Fire Safety
- Water Safety
- Cooking Safety
- Resources for Parents & Caregivers

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Safe@Home Overview, cont'd

Lesson	Activities	Learning Target	Common Core Standards
Home Safety Basics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Important Tips for Home Safety • Home Safety Basic Activity 	In this session youth will read home safety tips and create an emergency plan.	Injury Prevention and Safety Standard 1: Essential Concepts 1.1.S (4th grade) 1.4.S (6th grade) Standard 6: Goal Setting 6.1.S (6th grade) Standard 7: Practicing Health-Enhancing Behaviors 7.2.S (4th grade) 7.6.S (4th grade)
Fire Safety	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Important Tips for Fire Safety • Fire Safety Activity 	In this session youth will read fire safety tips and create a fire escape plan.	Injury Prevention and Safety Standard 1: Essential Concepts 1.1.S (4th grade) 1.16.S (4th grade) 1.4.S (6th grade) Standard 6: Goal Setting 6.1.S (6th grade)
Cooking Safety	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Important Tips for Safety Cooking • Cooking Safety Activity 	In this session youth will read cooking safety tips and identify cooking safety hazards in the kitchen.	Injury Prevention and Safety Standard 1: Essential Concepts 1.1.S (4th grade)
Water Safety	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Five Water Survival Skills • Water Safety Activity 	In this session youth will read the five water survival skills and identify safety hazards in a pool.	Standard 1: Essential Concepts 1.1.S (4th grade) 1.16.S (4th grade)

Staying Safe During Covid-19 Overview

Topic:

Guide to Physical Safety and Emotional Wellbeing

Grade Levels:

4-6

Materials / Resources:

A device to connect to the online lesson. Access here: [Staying Safe During COVID-19](#)

Student Outcomes:

- Physical Safety
- Emotional Safety

Lesson	Activities	Learning Target	Common Core Standards
Physical Safety	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 5 Easy Steps for Hand Washing• Slippery Fish Activity• How to Wear Face Covering• Social Distancing Activities	In this session youth will learn how to properly wash their hands and wear face coverings. They will also brainstorm social distancing activities.	Injury Prevention and Safety Standard 1: Essential Concepts 1.1.P (5th grade)
Emotional Safety	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Being a Leader in Emotional Wellbeing• Identifying Emotions• “Emotion Freeze” Activity• Staying Socially Connected• Empathy• “If You Really Knew Me” Activity	In this session youth will <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Learn how mental health can impact your wellbeing and what empathy is• Practice identifying their emotions and ways to stay socially connected	Mental, Emotional, and Social Health Standard 1: Essential Concepts 1.4.M (6th grade) 1.5 M (6th grade)

AAA School Safety Lesson Plan

Speaking and Listening Standards

4th Grade:

- 4.1 Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 4 topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.

5th Grade:

- 5.1 Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 5 topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.

6th Grade:

- 6.1 Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 6 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.

Writing Standards

4th Grade:

- 4.8 Recall relevant information from experiences or gather relevant information from print and digital sources; take notes and categorize information, and provide a list of sources.

5th Grade:

- 5.8 Recall relevant information from experiences or gather relevant information from print and digital sources; summarize or paraphrase information in notes and finished work, and provide a list of sources.

6th Grade:

- 6.4 Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.

Injury Prevention and Safety

Standard 1: Essential Concepts

4th Grade

- 1.1 S Describe safety hazards, including those related to fire, water, dangerous objects, being home alone, and using the Internet.
- 1.3 S Describe the different types of bullying and harassment.

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- 1.5.S Identify basic safety guidelines associated with weather-related emergencies and natural disasters (e.g., floods, earthquakes, and tsunamis).
- 1.7.S Describe ways to seek assistance if worried, abused, or threatened.
- 1.16.S Identify ways to reduce risk of injuries from fires, around water, while riding a motor vehicle, as a pedestrian, on the playground, and from falls.

6th Grade

- 1.4.S Examine disaster preparedness plans for the home and school.
- 1.6.S Examine safety procedures when using public transportation and traveling in vehicles.

Standard 3: Accessing Valid Information

4th Grade

- 3.2.S Demonstrate how to access emergency services and communicate effectively with emergency personnel.
- 3.3.S Identify safe people and places to go to if feeling unsafe or threatened (e.g., school counselor, police department, fire department).

Standard 4: Interpersonal Communication

- 4.1.S Practice effective communication skills to prevent and avoid risky situations.
- 4.3.S Demonstrate escape strategies for situations in which weapons or other dangerous objects are present.

Standard 5: Decision Making

4th Grade

- 5.1.S Evaluate strategies to avoid potentially dangerous situations.
- 7.6.S Demonstrate the ability to execute an escape plan for incidents of fires, floods, earthquakes, and other natural disasters.

6th Grade

- 5.1.S Use a decision-making process to determine a safe course of action in risky situations.

Standard 6: Goal Setting

6th Grade

- 6.1.S Develop a personal plan to remain safe and injury-free.

Standard 8: Health Promotion

6th Grade

- 8.1.S Support injury prevention at school, at home, and in the community.

Creating Safe Spaces Lesson Plan

Writing Standards

4th Grade:

- 4.8 Recall relevant information from experiences or gather relevant information from print and digital sources; take notes and categorize information, and provide a list of sources.

5th Grade:

- 5.8 Recall relevant information from experiences or gather relevant information from print and digital sources; summarize or paraphrase information in notes and finished work, and provide a list of sources.

6th Grade:

- 6.4 Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.

Speaking and Listening Standards

4th Grade:

- 4.1 Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 4 topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.
- 4.4 Report on a topic or text, tell a story, or recount an experience in an organized manner, using appropriate facts and relevant, descriptive details to support main ideas or themes; speak clearly at an understandable pace

5th Grade:

- 5.1 Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 5 topics and texts, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.
- 5.4 Report on a topic or text or present an opinion, sequencing ideas logically and using appropriate facts and relevant, descriptive details to support main ideas or themes; speak clearly at an understandable pace.

6th Grade:

- 6.1 Engage effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with diverse partners on grade 6 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly.
- 6.5 Include multimedia components (e.g., graphics, images, music, sound) and visual displays in presentations to clarify information.

Safe @ Home

Injury Prevention and Safety

Standard 1: Essential Concepts

4th Grade

- 1.1.S Describe safety hazards, including those related to fire, water, dangerous objects, being home alone, and using the Internet.
- 1.16.S Identify ways to reduce risk of injuries from fires, around water, while riding a motor vehicle, as a pedestrian, on the playground, and from falls.

6th Grade

- 1.4.S Examine disaster preparedness plans for the home and school.

Standard 6: Goal Setting

6th Grade

- 6.1.S Develop a personal plan to remain safe and injury-free.

Standard 7: Practicing Health-Enhancing Behaviors

4th Grade

- 7.2.S Practice disaster preparedness procedures at home and at school.
- 7.6.S Demonstrate the ability to execute an escape plan for incidents of fires, floods, earthquakes, and other natural disasters.

Staying Safe During Covid-19

Injury Prevention and Safety

Standard 1: Essential Concepts

5th Grade

- 1.1.P Identify effective personal health strategies that reduce illness and injury (e.g., adequate sleep, ergonomics, sun safety, handwashing, hearing protection, and toothbrushing and tooth flossing).

Mental, Emotional, and Social Health

Standard 1: Essential Concepts

6th grade

- 1.4.M Describe the importance of being aware of one's emotions.
- 1.5 M Describe the importance of being empathetic to individual differences, including people with disabilities and chronic diseases.