



Презентация урока по теме
"Facts and Myths about Aids"

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Millions of people have AIDS. Of the 42 million people living with AIDS 9 out of 10 do not know that they are infected. Read what teenagers say about the problem. Who do you agree with?

I've got AIDS. I don't want to die. Why people forget about this problem? Anybody - black or white, male or female, rich or poor – can get AIDS.(Susan,21)



Why should I care about AIDS? I don't have it, and I don't know anybody who has it. I'm sure I'll never get it because I lead a healthy life.(Sam,18)

Last Days of Freddie Mercury

On November 23, Freddie Mercury announced to the world that he had AIDS. Just the next day, his fight was over, and he died. He was 45.



Six Myths About AIDS

Myth number 1:

Teenagers aren't really at risk.

Fact:

Actually, young people have the fastest growing rate of infection worldwide.

Myth number 2:

Mostly gay men and drug users get it.

Fact:

Anyone, anywhere, can get AIDS.

Myth number 3:

There is a cure, but only very rich people can afford it.

Fact:

There is still no cure for AIDS, but there are drugs that can slow the HIV virus, and slow down the damage to the immune system. But there is no way to get all the HIV out of your body. Scientists are hopeful that a vaccine against the HIV virus will be found in the near future.

Myth number 4:

You only need to get tested if you don't know your sex partner well.

Fact:

You need to be tested regularly for AIDS if you are sexually active.

Myth number 5:

You shouldn't kiss, hug or share a meal or drink with someone who is HIV positive or has AIDS.

Fact:

Here is how the disease is passed:
through having unprotected sex with an infected partner;
through blood - if you use a needle or a syringe that has been used by someone who is infected;
from a pregnant woman with AIDS to her baby or through breast milk.

You can't get it from the following:
sharing glasses, spoons, forks, clothes, etc;
kissing and hugging;
mosquito bites.

Myth number 6:

You can tell someone has AIDS just by looking at them.

Fact:

HIV basically progresses in four stages. The first stage is like of flu-like and people often don't know they are infected. The second stage is called clinically asymptomatic – it can last as long as ten years. It's not until the third stage, when the body's immune system begins to fail, that symptoms begin to appear. Stage four is when symptoms become severe and HIV is diagnosed as AIDS.

What do you know about AIDS?

– Answer sheet.

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| 1. It is dangerous to hug a person with AIDS. | T |
| | F |
| 2. You can get the AIDS vires from sitting on a toilet seat. | T |
| | F |
| 3. It is safe to be in class with a teacher who has AIDS. | T |
| | F |
| 4. Only homosexuals really need to worry about getting AIDS. | T |
| | F |
| 5. People who use intravenous drugs should not share needles. | T |
| | F |
| 6. It is a good idea to discuss sexuality, drugs and AIDS in school. | T |
| | F |
| 7. Many symptoms of AIDS are similar to those of other diseases. | T |
| | F |
| 8. AIDS attacks the red blood cells. | F |



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www.google.ru

www.symbaloo.com

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