

# TEEN

## Living

### MS. BRADSHAW

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### COURSE DESCRIPTION

This course helps students understand and cope with personal, family and social challenges. Emphasis is placed on communication, decision-making skills and building stable relationships with family and peers. This course enables students to implement positive coping mechanisms and promotes understanding of self. It addresses issues that impact teenagers, self-concept, family and peer relationships, substance abuse, personal loss, dating, teenage pregnancy and child abuse. Emphasis is placed on students taking personal responsibility for life.



### REQUIRED MATERIALS/SUPPLIES

- Signed Human Sexuality Form
- A glue stick  
This glue stick will be used in class almost everyday. Students will be responsible to make sure they are prepared.
- Pen/Pencil and a SMILE every day!

These items are due by:

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### REALCARE BABY



A big portion of your student's grade will be based on how well they handle the baby simulation. This will happen near the end of the semester. Parents may need to help with this assignment. More information will be given later on in the semester.

### ETIQUETTE FIELDTRIP

During our dating unit, we go over proper etiquette in certain social situations. As part of this, we provide a possible out of class learning experience at La Caille restaurant in Sandy. The cost for this optional activity is usually between \$25-30, so we like to tell students and parents months in advance in case they want to start saving. We will provide more information as this experience is closer.



- Please check if you are interested in this fieldtrip.

## LATE WORK POLICY

Late work is deducted 20%. There will be two times during each quarter that ALL late work will be due; one at midterm and the other at the end of the quarter. After these two due dates, late work will not be accepted. If you are going to be absent, you are still responsible for your own work.

## HALL PASSES

Students will get 2 hall passes per term for times they need to take care of personal needs outside the classroom. Teacher will keep track of student hall passes in her personal records. If students do not use their hall passes, they will receive 5 extra credit points per hall pass.

## GRADING SCALE

A.....	94-100%
A-.....	90-93%
B+.....	87-89%
B.....	84-86%
B-.....	80-82%
C+.....	77-79%
C.....	74-76%
C-.....	70-73%
D+.....	67-69%
D.....	64-66%
D-.....	60-63%
F.....	0-59%

This class will be graded on note taking, assignment completion, group work, end of unit tests and positive participation.

## CITIZENSHIP

The schools tardy policy will be adhered to. In addition, those students possessing a positive attitude and willingness to work, stay on task, be responsible and do their personal best will receive an H. Those students possessing less admirable qualities will be marked accordingly.

## MOVIES/VIDEOS

Throughout the semester, this class *may* have the opportunity to view several educational videos that relate directly to the state approved curriculum. By signing this disclosure, you give your student permission to view the following movies/videos. If you have any questions throughout the semester regarding video selection or other curriculum issues, please feel free to contact me.

30 for 30: Chris Herren Unguarded  
Rudy or The Ultimate Gift  
Sex still has a price tag  
Goofy Movie (clips, not the whole thing)  
No one would tell (clips, not the whole thing)

I hope you will enjoy this course! It is a fun and valuable program. I am excited to be working with you!

Student Name

Parent Signature

Date