



Ovid-Elsie Area Schools

Ovid-Elsie High School

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Ovid-Elsie Two Year Report on Reproductive Health 2024

Ovid-Elsie Area Schools reproductive health curriculum is an abstinence based program. Students are taught lessons about healthy relationships and the reproductive physiology of the human body. At the high school and middle school there is a lesson on condom use, but the emphasis is still on abstinence being the safest choice.

At Ovid-Elsie High School, the Michigan Model curriculum is used during instruction. The Michigan Model curriculum is also utilized at the seventh and eighth grade level. Fourth through Sixth grades use Puberty the Wonder Years curriculum. There are also additional lessons included from the 3R's curriculum. In an effort to educate and be inclusive, there is a lesson taught at both the middle school and high school about gender identity and sexual orientation.

The Ovid-Elsie Sex Education Advisory Board (OESEAB) interviewed several applicants and welcomed new members to its ranks recently. A process has been set up to onboard new members and familiarize them with the content being taught. The OESEAB analyzes MiPhy data to evaluate the effectiveness of the curriculum used. The Board will continue to evaluate the curriculum and reflect on the educational needs of our students.

Parents are allowed to preview lessons from the reproductive health curriculum and may opt their child out of any or all of the lessons. The OESEAB is currently working toward compiling the board approved lessons in a way that they can be effectively and efficiently shared with parents wanting to preview the curriculum being taught.

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