### **Possible outcomes of unhealthy behaviors**

- Negative outcomes at school
- Suspension
- Expulsion
- Criminal charges
- Civil action
- Mental health issues
- Cycle of unhealthy relationships and partner violence

### If my child has been subject to sexual misconduct, do I have the right to know the outcome and consequences of the alleged party?

Student information is protected by federal and state privacy and confidentiality law. Just as another family would not receive information about your child, the information you may receive about another student is very limited by law.



## For Questions and Concerns

Contact your school administrator.

If you still need help, the following offices can assist:

- Your local Educational Service Center
- **Educational Equity Compliance** (213) 241-7682

Criminal threats should be reported to Los Angeles School Police at (213) 625-6631 or local law enforcement.

## **Other Resources**

www.lausd.net www.studenthealthyrelationships.lausd.net www.peaceoverviolence.org

24 Hour Battering HOTLINE (310) 392-8381 (213) 626-3393



LA County Resources 211

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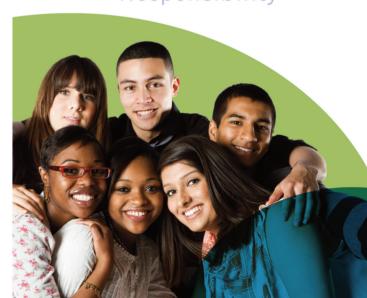
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# Healthy Relationships

Equality Respect Responsibility



## What makes a healthy relationship?

**Mutual Respect**—Being accepted for who one is. No one should feel pressured in a relationship.

**Honesty & Trust**—Honesty and trust are essential for a healthy relationship.

**Fairness & Equality**— Partners in a relationship have equal voices.

**Safety**—No one should ever feel physically or emotionally unsafe in a relationship.

**Acceptance**—Partners accept each other for who they are.

**Support**—Partners care for each other and want the other person to be happy.

**Communication**—Partners talk and listen to each other's thoughts and feelings.

# Parent tips to encourage healthy relationships

**Communicate** with your child about how to establish safe boundaries for themselves and others.

**Be involved** in your child's life. Everyday spend time listening and talking with your child.

**Be sensitive** to the pressures of adolescence. Provide understanding, support and guidance.

**Be an assertive parent** — not too strict-not too loose. Be firm yet sensitive. Set clear expectations and consistent consequences.

**Encourage** and model healthy relationships. Discuss how healthy relationships look, feel and sound.

**Be aware** of your child's electronic activities. Sexting is a growing problem. Sexting is taking or sending sexually explicit pictures.





# Is it flirting or sexual misconduct?

**Flirting** is <u>welcomed attention</u> that makes the person feel flattered or attractive.

**Sexual misconduct** is <u>unwanted attention</u> that makes the person feel uncomfortable, nervous and powerless.

### Warning Signs of Unhealthy Relationships

- Feeling physically or emotionally unsafe or nervous around the person
- Being the target of humiliation and put downs
- Being isolated from friends and family
- Being questioned about or limited in one's whereabouts and activities
- Having phone calls or e-mails monitored without permission
- Being followed or tracked is stalking and may be considered a crime
- Being touched without permission for purposes of sexual arousal is sexual battery and may be considered a crime
- Know that males and females can be the targets and perpetrators of harassment

"Games" such as Slap A\*\* Friday and Wedgey Wednesday are not allowed at any time!