
New Mexico 4 Health Education

FREE PREVIEW

Full-Year Teacher Planner, Blank Editable Planner & School-Submission Binder

This preview shows the real structure and a genuine sample of the completed planner. The full product contains 9 units, 36 weekly plans and 180 daily plans, plus blank editable versions of every form.

State	New Mexico
Grade	4 (Elementary)
Subject	Health Education
Course category	Required / State or Local
Standards family	Health Education
Framework	New Mexico Health Education Standards and Physical Education Standards, June 2009
Issuing agency	New Mexico Public Education Department
Scope	36 instructional weeks · 180 instructional days · 9 units

This is a statewide standards index, not a local course catalog. Course names, grade placement, electives, and graduation sequences vary by district.

What you get

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05 SCHOOL SUBMISSION	Submission covers, alignment summary, evidence checklist, observation, reflection, signature page
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Week 9 — Preventing Common Injuries

Unit 3: Staying Safe and Avoiding Harm · Month 3 · Quarter 1 · Semester 1 · Instructional Days 41–45

Essential question	Which injuries happen most, and how are they prevented?
Standards	Preventing Common Injuries -> HE.CS3.B1.3-4.1, HE.CS3.B1.3-4.2, HE.CS3.B1.3-4.3, HE.CS3.B2.3-4.1 — 4 standards; full text in the standards table
Learning target	"I can describe how common childhood injuries are prevented."
Local dates	_____ (enter your school dates)

Measurable objectives

- Students will describe ways to prevent common childhood injuries.
- Students will identify hazards in familiar places.

Success criteria (student-friendly)

- "I name a common injury."
- "I describe how to prevent it."
- "I spot a hazard."

Academic vocabulary

injury, hazard, prevent, risk, precaution

Materials and technology

- Hazard spotting pictures
- Health notebooks
- Chart paper
- School grounds access
- Display space

Differentiation and supports

Support area	This week's plan
Special education / IEP	Reduce group size; pair visual cue cards with all verbal directions; allow gesture or picture response in place of speech; pre-teach the week's target in a 1:1 warm-up.
Section 504	Provide the child's documented accommodations throughout; permit movement breaks and alternative seating at any point in the sequence.
Multilingual learners	Introduce each vocabulary word with an object or image; accept home-language responses; send the vocabulary list home where a translation is available; pair with a peer who shares the home language.
Advanced / extension	Ask the learner to teach the skill to a peer, extend the task, or record a demonstration for the class reference wall.

Support area	This week's plan
Intervention / reteach	Reteach the target in a short small group using the same materials; split the day's check for understanding into two smaller steps.
Enrichment	Extend into an open-ended centre or project connected to the essential question.

Assessment and evidence

Common injuries and their prevention described.

Family communication

Ask your child to spot a hazard at home.

Day 41 — The Injuries That Actually Happen

Week 9, Day 1 · Unit 3 · Standards: HE.CS3.B1.3-4.1, HE.CS3.B1.3-4.2, HE.CS3.B1.3-4.3, HE.CS3.B2.3-4.1

Focus	Common injuries.
Learning target	"I can describe how common childhood injuries are prevented."
Vocabulary in use	injury, hazard, prevent
Local date	_____

Learning sequence

Connect: safety practices. Teach: falls, cuts, burns, road and water incidents. Try: shared discussion. Apply: pupils list. Reflect: factual, not frightening; no graphic detail.

Check for understanding

Student names a common childhood injury.

Differentiation in the moment

If the learner...	Then...
needs more support	Model the step again with guided support, then fade to a gesture cue.
is ready for more	Invite the learner to demonstrate for a peer or add a second example.
is dysregulated	Pause instruction, move to co-regulation, and return to the target later.

Closure and reflection

Gather the group. Restate the learning target. Ask one learner to demonstrate. Name one specific thing the group did well, then preview tomorrow.

Teacher reflection (fictional example)

Fictional Example — Customize and Verify Before School Submission.

Most learners met the target. Two needed the visual cue repeated during guided practice; I will pre-teach with them tomorrow. The extension held attention longer than planned, so I shortened closure.

Day 42 — Spotting a Hazard

Week 9, Day 2 · Unit 3 · Standards: HE.CS3.B1.3-4.1, HE.CS3.B1.3-4.2, HE.CS3.B1.3-4.3, HE.CS3.B2.3-4.1

Focus	Hazard awareness.
Learning target	"I can describe how common childhood injuries are prevented."
Vocabulary in use	injury, hazard, prevent
Local date	_____

Learning sequence

Connect: injuries. Teach: a hazard is something that could cause harm. Try: shared spotting. Apply: pupils identify hazards. Reflect: observation skill.

Check for understanding

Student identifies a hazard in a picture or place.

Differentiation in the moment

If the learner...	Then...
needs more support	Model the step again with guided support, then fade to a gesture cue.
is ready for more	Invite the learner to demonstrate for a peer or add a second example.
is dysregulated	Pause instruction, move to co-regulation, and return to the target later.

Closure and reflection

Gather the group. Restate the learning target. Ask one learner to demonstrate. Name one specific thing the group did well, then preview tomorrow.

Teacher reflection (fictional example)

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Day 43 — Preventing Falls and Cuts

Week 9, Day 3 · Unit 3 · Standards: HE.CS3.B1.3-4.1, HE.CS3.B1.3-4.2, HE.CS3.B1.3-4.3, HE.CS3.B2.3-4.1

Focus	Everyday prevention.
Learning target	"I can describe how common childhood injuries are prevented."
Vocabulary in use	injury, hazard, prevent
Local date	_____

Learning sequence

Connect: hazards. Teach: specific precautions and why they work. Try: shared discussion. Apply: pupils describe. Reflect: reasons given.

Check for understanding

Student describes how to prevent a fall or a cut.

Differentiation in the moment

If the learner...	Then...
needs more support	Model the step again with guided support, then fade to a gesture cue.
is ready for more	Invite the learner to demonstrate for a peer or add a second example.
is dysregulated	Pause instruction, move to co-regulation, and return to the target later.

Closure and reflection

Gather the group. Restate the learning target. Ask one learner to demonstrate. Name one specific thing the group did well, then preview tomorrow.

Teacher reflection (fictional example)

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Day 44 — Road and Water Safety

Week 9, Day 4 · Unit 3 · Standards: HE.CS3.B1.3-4.1, HE.CS3.B1.3-4.2, HE.CS3.B1.3-4.3, HE.CS3.B2.3-4.1

Focus	Higher-risk settings.
Learning target	"I can describe how common childhood injuries are prevented."
Vocabulary in use	injury, hazard, prevent
Local date	_____

Learning sequence

Connect: prevention. Teach: rules for roads and water and why they are absolute. Try: shared discussion. Apply: pupils explain. Reflect: no assumption that any pupil can swim or has access to water; the rules are the content.

Check for understanding

Student explains a road or water safety rule.

Differentiation in the moment

If the learner...	Then...
needs more support	Model the step again with guided support, then fade to a gesture cue.
is ready for more	Invite the learner to demonstrate for a peer or add a second example.
is dysregulated	Pause instruction, move to co-regulation, and return to the target later.

Closure and reflection

Gather the group. Restate the learning target. Ask one learner to demonstrate. Name one specific thing the group did well, then preview tomorrow.

Teacher reflection (fictional example)

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Day 45 — What to Do If Someone Is Hurt

Week 9, Day 5 · Unit 3 · Standards: HE.CS3.B1.3-4.1, HE.CS3.B1.3-4.2, HE.CS3.B1.3-4.3, HE.CS3.B2.3-4.1

Focus	Response.
Learning target	"I can describe how common childhood injuries are prevented."
Vocabulary in use	injury, hazard, prevent
Local date	_____

Learning sequence

Connect: prevention. Teach: get an adult, do not move someone badly hurt, know how to call for help. Try: shared practice. Apply: pupils rehearse. Reflect: response taught alongside prevention.

Check for understanding

Student explains what to do if someone is injured.

Differentiation in the moment

If the learner...	Then...
needs more support	Model the step again with guided support, then fade to a gesture cue.
is ready for more	Invite the learner to demonstrate for a peer or add a second example.
is dysregulated	Pause instruction, move to co-regulation, and return to the target later.

Closure and reflection

Gather the group. Restate the learning target. Ask one learner to demonstrate. Name one specific thing the group did well, then preview tomorrow.

Teacher reflection (fictional example)

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