
North Dakota 2 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	North Dakota
Grade	2 (Elementary)
Subject	Health Education
Course category	Required / State or Local
Standards family	Health Education
Framework	North Dakota Health Education Content Standards K-12 (2026)
Issuing agency	North Dakota Department of Public Instruction
Scope	36 instructional weeks · 180 instructional days · 9 units

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Week 9 — Why People Avoid Tobacco

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

Essential question	Why is avoiding tobacco a healthy choice?
Standards	Why People Avoid Tobacco -> 2.AE.1 AE — Demonstrate when and how to seek help from others at home, at school, or in the community.
Learning target	"I can describe why avoiding tobacco is healthy."
Local dates	_____ (enter your school dates)

Measurable objectives

- Students will describe why avoiding tobacco is a healthy behavior.
- Students will state a reason to avoid tobacco.

Success criteria (student-friendly)

- "I say what tobacco does to the body."
- "I explain why avoiding it is healthy."
- "I say it respectfully."

Academic vocabulary

tobacco, avoid, lungs, harmful, choice

Materials and technology

- Age-appropriate curated sources
- Body diagrams
- Chart paper
- Recording sheets
- Scenario cards

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

Observation: child describes why avoiding tobacco is healthy.

Family communication

Ask your child why avoiding tobacco is a healthy choice.

Day 41 — What Tobacco Is

Week 9, Day 1 · Unit 3 · Standards: 2.AE.1

Focus	Factual introduction.
Learning target	"I can describe why avoiding tobacco is healthy."
Vocabulary in use	tobacco, avoid, lungs
Local date	_____

Learning sequence

Connect: things that affect health. Teach: what tobacco is, plainly. Try: shared discussion. Apply: children explain. Reflect: no moralising about people.

Check for understanding

Student states plainly what tobacco is.

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 — How It Affects the Body

Week 9, Day 2 · Unit 3 · Standards: 2.AE.1

Focus	Health effects.
Learning target	"I can describe why avoiding tobacco is healthy."
Vocabulary in use	tobacco, avoid, lungs
Local date	_____

Learning sequence

Connect: what tobacco is. Teach: effects on breathing and the body. Try: shared reading. Apply: children describe. Reflect: age-appropriate detail only.

Check for understanding

Student describes an effect of tobacco on the body.

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

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Day 43 — Why Avoiding It Is Healthy

Week 9, Day 3 · Unit 3 · Standards: 2.AE.1

Focus	The standard's framing.
Learning target	"I can describe why avoiding tobacco is healthy."
Vocabulary in use	tobacco, avoid, lungs
Local date	_____

Learning sequence

Connect: effects. Teach: avoiding protects health. Try: shared reasoning. Apply: children explain. Reflect: framing is avoidance, not judgement.

Check for understanding

Student explains why avoiding tobacco is a healthy behaviour.

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

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Day 44 — People We Care About

Week 9, Day 4 · Unit 3 · Standards: 2.AE.1

Focus	Handling family reality.
Learning target	"I can describe why avoiding tobacco is healthy."
Vocabulary in use	tobacco, avoid, lungs
Local date	_____

Learning sequence

Connect: our learning. Teach: caring about someone who smokes. Try: guided discussion. Apply: children respond kindly. Reflect: no child made to feel ashamed.

Check for understanding

Student responds with care about someone who uses tobacco.

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.

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Day 45 — Saying No for Myself

Week 9, Day 5 · Unit 3 · Standards: 2.AE.1

Focus	Week 9 consolidation.
Learning target	"I can describe why avoiding tobacco is healthy."
Vocabulary in use	tobacco, avoid, lungs
Local date	_____

Learning sequence

Connect: our reasons. Teach: making our own choice. Try: rehearsing a refusal. Apply: children practise. Reflect: link to Unit 6 decisions.

Check for understanding

Student states their own reason for avoiding tobacco.

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.

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