Civics Notes for the Teacher Winter, 2005 Health & Safety

There are two worksheets for you to use. Students can check for poisonous products in their homes and fill out survey. Distribute Mr. Yuk stickers for students to use. We have purchased 250 sheets with ten stickers to a sheet. These stickers will be kept in a file folder along with other teacher resources in RLC 109. (They are free to individuals, but cost \$25.00 for 250 sheets with ten stickers to a sheet. 1-800-732-6985)

There is a survey for students to fill in about their home safety. Students can make posters to increase awareness of these safety issues. Poster board and markers will be kept in the back room between the RLC 119 & 122. Please use the poster board for groups, rather than individuals.

There are two worksheets for students about first aid kits. One is an initial brainstorming activity. The other is a survey for students to do at the end of the unit. We have two packs of laminated photos of first aid kit items. Students can be responsible for explaining an item and its use to the class. The pictures will be kept in the back room between RLC 119 & 122. (Please use the sign out sheet as there are only two sets to be shared by all the teachers.)

There are several worksheets about home safety developed by Marie Schimke. The video, "Cover the Bases & Strike Out Fire in Washington" is available in the ESL Instructors collection at the circulation desk of the Holman Library. You can check it out in two week blocks.

• The Auburn Fire Department can do a presentation on home fire safety. Ask for Kimberly McDonald. She needs at least a two week notice and her best days for night classes are Tuesday and Wednesday. Phone number: 253-288-7421 (Please try and coordinate with other teachers.)

There are worksheets pertaining to CPR. Here is a contact for free CPR training in your class.

Medic One

The coordinator's name is Barbara. Request Andy or Tom to do the classes. Phone number: 206-684-7274