

### What is SASH Club?

#### **SASH Club:**

- > Brings together and ignites youth to end sexual harassment and assault
- Is an inclusive place where members can share opinions, support one another, ask questions, and make friends
- Is a project of the national nonprofit Stop Sexual Assault in Schools (SSAIS.org)





### Did You Know?

- Among students in grades 7-12, 56% of girls and 40% of boys said they experienced sexual harassment at school in the prior year.
- 87% of them said it had a negative effect on them.
- Only 9% of sexually harassed students reported it to an adult in the school, and only 27% told a family member.
- 1 in 5 high school girls say they have been sexually assaulted at school.

Source: Crossing the Line: Sexual Harassment at School



### Did You Know?

- Sexual harassment and abuse happen to males too!
- LGBTQ students, students with disabilities, and students of color are sexually harassed and assaulted at higher rates.
- At least 10% of students will be sexually harassed or abused by school staff before graduating.

#### This needs to stop!



# SASH Club Meetings

- Each meeting presents a topic decided by members, for example:
- Definitions of sexual harassment
- Healthy vs. unhealthy relationships
- Boundaries and consent
- Eliminating victim blaming
- Dating violence
- Reporting and getting help
- Alcohol and date rape drugs
- Supporting LGBTQ students

- Sextortion
- Sexual harassment of males
- Rape myths
- Title IX
- Activism basics
- We promote discussion and encourage questions from all points of view. Everyone has the opportunity to speak.



### SASH Club Activities

- Our activities share what we've learned by:
- Educating others about what to do if experiencing or observing sexual harassment
- Presenting important topics to the school community such as consent, healthy relationships, understanding sexual harassment, supporting survivors, etc.
- Organizing events

- Writing articles for the school paper or local outlets
- Connecting through social media
- Informing educators and students about rights and protections under Title IX and the processes for reporting and investigating sexual harassment
- > The SASH Club website offers many other activities.



# SASH Club Leadership

- SASH Clubs at schools include student officer positions. Please let us know if you would like to help lead!
- SASH Clubs are supported by at least one adult advisor.



# **Sharing SASH Club Resources**

- SASH Club resources can also be used by other school clubs, community organizations, youth-serving organizations, scouting groups, individually, and more!
- Your club can share SASH Club resources widely.







# Find Out More

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