

Q: What is the purpose of Drug Free Clubs of America?

A: To put it simply, our mission is to make the right choice easy. We find drug free students, reward their good choices, and arm them with effective prevention tools to keep them on the right track.

Q: How much club time is required of members?

A: None. DFCA does not require club meetings however, schools may choose to offer them as an addition to the program.

Q: How long does the drug test take?

A: About as long as a typical bathroom break. Usually 7-10 minutes.

Q: Are test results given on site?

A: **NO.** Not to students, not to peers, and not to schools. The testing process is extremely confidential, and we are very sensitive to the unique challenges that come with testing in schools. Students are never even seen by their peers with their samples and final results take a week or two, depending on the lab's schedule.

Q: What if a student takes prescription medication?

A: If any substance is detected, a Doctor will call a parent directly to verify the student's prescription details. If the medication is consistent with the test result, that student is considered drug free.

Q: How often will there be random testing after the initial test?

A: Each school identifies several good times throughout the year for us to randomly retest a portion of our members.

Q: What if a student tests positive for drugs?

A: *******Schools NEVER see our drug test results!*******

Parents will receive a phone call directly from the doctor analyzing the sample. They will discuss the result, and options for returning the student to a healthy lifestyle. Club membership will be placed on hold. When ready, the student is able to test once more during the same school year to regain active membership.

Q: What does the annual membership fee cover?

A: Initial drug test, random retests if selected, certified drug test collectors, all testing supplies, lab fees, and doctor consultations if necessary. Eligibility for endless rewards, discount offers, free items and recognition at school and in your community. Full-color photo ID "Club Card", 1-year subscription to "in the NO", our online newsletter, & FREE entry to an annual SCHOLARSHIP CONTEST!

"I know the temptation is there, but there are so many reasons to 'just say no'. My membership in Drug Free Clubs makes this easier than ever!"
-Eric S.

"Being drug free gave me the opportunity to do things that I enjoy while being around good people." -Kelsey T.

"The Drug Free Club has made me a better man this year by not being influenced as so many others have." -Trevor C.

"Thank you Drug Free Clubs for inspiring youth everyday to say no to drugs, because I know you inspired me!" -Haley B.

"The Drug Free Club has helped me find who I am and who I want to be. The ability to say 'no' in case there is a testing is a big help anytime I am feeling weak and about to give in. Thanks for making my senior year rock!" -Torie R.



***Rewards and Reinforcement for
Drug Free Teens!***



“Making the Right Choice Easy!”™

Firefighters founded Drug Free Clubs of America because they were fed up with the drug related tragedies they witnessed everyday.

They responded to countless runs to rescue teens whose lives had been devastated by overdoses, violence, accidents, or death. To them, there was nothing more difficult than being called to a scene resulting in the loss of a young life. This was especially true when it was caused by something as potentially avoidable as drug abuse.

Something had to be done.

Something so tempting and rewarding to teens that it would be stronger than the temptation of experimenting with drugs.

Something that could somehow be present when a teen is faced with the choice to do drugs or turn and walk away.

Something that makes the right choice easy because saying “no” proves to be too hard for too many.

That “SOMETHING” is Drug Free Clubs of America.

Drug Free Clubs of America members get rewards for making good choices, and have the ability to say “I CAN’T” to quickly escape tough peer pressure.

Finally!

A strategy of true prevention that focuses on teens who are NOT using drugs and keeps them that way.

It works because it’s just so easy.

A student volunteers to join Drug Free Clubs of America, which requires passing a simple and private drug test. Great care is taken to make sure it is done in a confidential and discrete way. Results are kept between the Club and parents – not the school. Membership is granted when the test result shows that the student is drug free. Members get a full-color photo ID “Club Card” that can be shown at school and businesses for reward offers or privileges designed just for members! Membership is also a fantastic tool to impress employers and colleges!

Good Choices Get Rewarded.

Positive reinforcement is layered with drug education and parent engagement, all to deepen the student’s resolve to stay drug free. Random retesting of members continues regularly, so others at school know that members really can be tested at any time. As long as members remain drug free, they keep their Club Card and continue to get all of their rewards!

Testing provides the power to say, “I can’t, I might get tested.”

So ask yourself: Was it enough to just teach them to say “NO”? If there’s any doubt...

DO “SOMETHING”!

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