

HIGH MOUNT SCHOOL DISTRICT 116 FAMILY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

The Family Assistance Program (FAP) is coordinated through Belleville High School District #201 and is an alternative to suspension for students in grades 7 and 8. Please review the following information:

*The program consists of six sessions that the student and parent(s) must attend in lieu of the student being suspended from school. Friends and young siblings are not permitted.

*A family may enter during any of the six sessions but will follow the schedule after entering the program.

*The family will need to meet the coordinator at 6:45 PM before the first attended session for initial entry into the program.

*The program begins promptly at 7:00 PM and is located in the Belleville West High School library.

*The family must attend all six sessions. Any violation of attendance (including tardiness) will result in the original suspension being reinstated.

*It is at the Principal/Superintendent's sole discretion to offer this program to a family. A family is not entitled to the program if the student has received a suspension.

*A student will not be permitted to repeat the program.

*A student who is considered to be "at-risk" may also be referred to the program. This will be done on a case-by-case basis and subject to the availability of the program.

*The session topics are as follows:

I-Chemical abuse and dependency

II-Youth DUI prevention

III-Peer pressure

IV-Legal aspects

V-Conflict resolution

VI-Community resources

PARENT/STUDENT CONSENT FORM

We agree to the terms and conditions of the FAP program as set forth in this document. We also understand that the original suspension will be reinstated if we violate the attendance/tardiness condition.

Signature of parent(s)

Date

Signature of student

Date

Signature of Principal/Superintendent

Date