

# FOCUS 2



## FOCUS Refusal Form

**FOCUS** will be presented at Keene JHS to eighth graders on December 12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup> for 1 class period each day. Boys and girls will be taught separately for the entire presentation. This program is presented by Next Step as part of its Prevention Services. **FOCUS** is a sexual risk avoidance, abstinence-until-marriage, factual program that includes topics:

- Goals: *S.M.A.R.T.*
- Personality: *You've Got It!*
- Self Esteem: *How We See Ourselves Matters*
- Cultural Influences: *Does It Really Influence Us?*
- Self-Control: *Freedom*
- Physical Side Effects: *STDs and Pregnancy*
- Sexual Risk Avoidance vs Sexual Risk Reduction: *Safe Sex?*
- Sex and the Law: *Age of Consent, Sexting, Assault*
- Dating: *When and Why*
- Waiting: *Practical Ways to be Successful*
- Commitment to Future

If you have any questions regarding the program, please contact Susan Ford, Education Director, Next Step (817) 295-4101 or [susan.ford@nextstepwc.com](mailto:susan.ford@nextstepwc.com)

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## FOCUS Participation Permission Slip

If you wish for your child **NOT** to participate in **FOCUS**, please sign and date below and have your student return this portion of the slip to his or her teacher.

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Name (please print): \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Homeroom/Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_