

**STUDENTS TAKING ACTION  
NEGATING DRUGS  
INTERVENTION PROGRAM**

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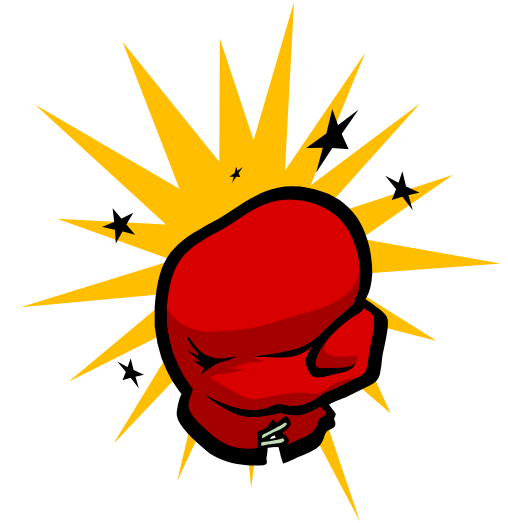
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**STUDENTS TAKING  
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DRUGS (STAND)  
PROGRAM**

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**"WE'RE KNOCKING OUT  
DRUG ABUSE AND  
ADDICTION BY TEACHING  
YOUNG PEOPLE THE  
SKILLS THEY NEED TO  
AVOID ALCOHOL,  
TOBACCO, AND OTHER  
DRUGS!"**

# STAND PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The STAND Program is a component of SCAN, Inc. and provides comprehensive drug prevention services to male and female students between the ages of 10 – 17 years of age who are at-risk of becoming involved with alcohol, tobacco, or other drugs. During the school year, primary emphasis is placed on providing services to middle school students at selected schools in the Laredo Independent School District.

Students participating in the program receive comprehensive services to prevent drug use including prevention lessons utilizing the Keepin' It REAL Curriculum, drug prevention presentations, drug-free alternative activities, and counseling sessions designed to prevent drug use.

Parents and other adult family members of participating students are invited to take part in drug prevention education sessions as well as drug-free alternative activities.

## THE STAND PROGRAM PROVIDES THE FOLLOWING SERVICES:

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■ PREVENTION  
PRESENTATIONS  
INVOLVING ALCOHOL,  
TOBACCO, AND OTHER  
DRUGS

■ INFORMATION  
DISSEMINATION

■ KEEPIN' IT REAL  
CURRICULUM LESSONS

■ DRUG-FREE  
ALTERNATIVE ACTIVITIES  
FOR YOUTH AND ADULTS  
THAT ARE EDUCATIONAL  
AND/OR RECREATIONAL

■ DRUG AWARENESS AND  
PREVENTION PARENTING  
EDUCATION SESSIONS

■ INDIVIDUAL  
COUNSELING SESSIONS

*WE MAKE STUDENTS PROUD TO  
BE DRUG-FREE!*

### STAND PROGRAM OVERVIEW

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1. Keepin' It REAL Curriculum lessons are presented to selected classrooms of middle school students at participating schools on a regular basis throughout the school year.
2. Students in the selected classrooms who are identified as being in high-risk situations for alcohol, tobacco, or other drug use are self-referred or referred by teachers, counselors, etc. to take part in drug-free alternative activities and drug prevention counseling sessions.
3. Staff members make drug prevention presentations to program participants and other students in the schools throughout the year.
4. Parents and other adult family members of participating students are provided opportunities to take part in drug prevention education sessions and drug-free alternative activities.

**Please call 724-3177 for  
more information**