Adolescent Health Daily Outline

Lesson 3/Day 3:

Lesson Summary

Students learn about how self-esteem impacts mental health and the types of negative thought patterns. Through case scenarios, students will learn how to reframe these negative thought patterns into a more positive light when faced with emotionally taxing situations. They identify their personal positive character traits and different approaches to dealing with any negative self-talk.

Since we are living in a digital era, students will participate in group activities to learn how to critically analyze the media that they consume and how it may affect their body image. After watching this video, they will be provided with a media presentation and participate in a group activity to analyze specific media images and the messages that are being conveyed through those type of images.

Home Activities

Students will create a coping skills wheel at home. The wheel will help them to identify their personal coping skills and a tool to remind them of the skills for future use.

Conversation Starters

What messages are being sent to you by the media you consume daily? Do you think they have impacts on your mental well-being?

When you are experiencing negative emotions, what helps you feel better?

How can you help make social media a place of authenticity?

