

STAFF ASSEMBLY COMMENTS:

Question #7- What surprised you the most in the Life Synergy workshop?

An inside look into situations that involved real people/students. It helped shed more light on these situations and how serious they are and can become.

How silent the gym was through the entire presentation.

How applicable Dwayne topics are to teens

How frank it was

To see the number of hands that were raised in the assembly when Dwayne asked if they know/knew somebody with suicide thoughts.

Hearing the true Amanda Todd story

The statistics

Video games / TV desensitization so strongly

I had been to the workshop previously- It's still amazing!

How riveted the students were

The students' willingness to raise their hands, and how their participation increased

The wide range of topics covered

How engaged my students were, who knew they could sit still that long

The concentration /engagement level of students

How direct and real Dwayne was - I really enjoyed that. No BS or fluff!

That it is proven to work in a variety of situations

His brutal honesty about parents (them not knowing about kids) - AMAZING

How students were affected/attentive

How personal Peace was!

How quiet most of our students were during the presentation

The statistics on video games and violence

Facts about drugs

Positive reaction of the students.

The anorexia information in the video

The student reaction

Student's reactions/attention

I have attended this workshop before/response from students is what surprises me the most

How the presenter kept (basically) fully attention of everyone for 3 hours

Students were very engaged

Effects of video games on children- difference of effects - age

The kids' emotional reactions in the audience

Some of the details in the real life stories

All the students were attentive to all the presentation which had valuable information

Student's attentiveness & participation

Honest, real, and authentic

The respect received by the students - they were obviously thinking

That we are not doing enough

How honest and impactful it was with such simple resources

How many students have (or know someone who has) contemplated suicide.

The amount of drugs etc. that kids have access to

The kids were so engaged the ENTIRE time b/c of content Amazing

How many students raised their hands when asked if they know someone who's talked about suicide

The seriousness of some of these issues like suicide

Very frank, open & honest