

# Santa Fe Youth Services

a division of Youth Advocate Programs, Inc.

Over the past 15 years, Santa Fe Youth Services has provided evidence-based prevention programs to over 43,000 youth attending Fort Worth ISD.



## ALL STARS ----- 9,000+ students (2013-2016) 18 FWISD middle schools

All Stars Program is an evidence-based prevention program that matches the social and cognitive development of middle school students. All Stars Program has been proven to prevent alcohol, tobacco, and other drug use, reduce bullying and fighting.

## RECONNECTING YOUTH ----- 5,000+ students (2004-2016) 5 FWISD high schools

Reconnecting Youth (RY) is an evidence-based prevention program that helps high school students decrease drug involvement, increase school performance, decrease emotional distress, and reconnect youth to their school culture.

## STRENGTHENING FAMILIES PROGRAM ----- 4,000 students & families (2004-2016) 20 FWISD schools

Strengthening Families Program (SFP) is an evidence-based prevention program designed for adolescents ages 10-14 and their parents/caregivers. The Strengthening Families Program helps families learn together how to communicate, respect each other, and appreciate the value of spending time together.

## SEVEN CHALLENGES ----- 40+ current students 2 FWISD schools

Seven Challenges Program is designed for young people ages 12 –17 who are struggling with the consequences of drug and/or alcohol use. Utilizing individual sessions with youth the Seven Challenges Program addresses the behavior and the underlying causes and lifestyle issues associated with alcohol/drug use.

## PARTICIPATING AND SUCCEEDING IN SCHOOL ----- 400+ students (2012-2015) 8 FWISD schools

Participating And Succeeding in School (PASS) Program worked with Fort Worth ISD students referred by the campus Stay in School Coordinators. Goals of the PASS Program were to improve school attendance, increase the graduation rate among truant students, and consequently decrease youth involvement with the juvenile justice system.

## SECOND STEP ----- 24,727 students (2004-2013) 23 FWISD middle schools

Second Step Violence Prevention is an evidence-based violence prevention program that integrates social and emotional learning with academics for middle school students.

