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Drugs can have multiple side effects not just one one's body, but also one's social life. Drugs are especially dangerous when taken by someone who has a bright future ahead of them, a student. In this article, I will discuss the risks and consequences of drug abuse.

Firstly, what is drug abuse? Drug abuse is when one's desire for a certain drug becomes uncontrollable and starts affecting them negatively.

There are many risk to a drug abuse especially a student.

Firstly, the future of the student who is abusing drugs will be utterly destroyed. Relationships will be broken, be it family, friends or your significant other. They will all be destroyed. Nobody wants to associate with a drug abuser.

Second, the addiction. Once you start abusing drugs it is hard to stop, and eventually drugs will be the only thing in your mind. You will gradually stop focusing in school when then will start getting you bad grades. With bad grades, it is hard to get into university.

Third, the police. Drug abusers will eventually get caught by the police, if they are not carefull enough, which then will lead to spending time in jail. A person as youg as a student should not be wasting time spending in a jail cell.

Lastly, job prospect. It is hard enough finding a job but it is even harder if you are drug abuser. No employer would want to hire someone who has a recent drug history.

Now that students know how drugs will damage your life. How can we avoid this?

Firstly, if you are a recent drug abuser, I would recommend you to seek out the school counselor and tell them what you have done. I am sure the school counselor would understand and educate you. Obviously, it is not an immediate cure, it is a slow process, but you will heal eventually.

Secondly, school talks. I believe schools should school talks on the negative effects of drug abuse. During these talks, the speaker will show disgusting pictures of the physical side effects of drugs. Doing this will make the students not only be educated but will also leave the, feeling disgusted. So even if they do not remember all the information given to them, at least they will remember the feeling of disgust that it left them.

To conclude, our school is keen on preventing our students from becoming drug abusers, due to the obvious risks and consequences I have stated above. But I believe holding assemblies and talking to school counselors will help and educate the students greatly.