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Vocabulary Rape Student Worksheet

Primary Vocabulary

1. Sexual Pressure:

2. Sexual Exploitation:

3. Sexual Assault:

4. Rape:

5. Statutory Rape:

6. Stranger Rape:

7. Acquaintance rape:

8. Date Rape:

Sexual Violence:

9. Perpetrator:

10. Survivor:

11. Victim:

Supplemental Vocabulary

12. Statutory Rape:

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14. Acquaintance rape:

15. Date Rape:

16. Roofies:

Vocabulary Rape Teacher Key

Primary Vocabulary

- 1. Sexual pressure:** refers to the use of physical force or emotional persuasion. It happens whenever anyone feels pressured to do something sexual that they do not want to do. Pressure can be verbal or nonverbal.
- 2. Sexual exploitation:** involves a person taking advantage of another person for purely sexual reasons.
- 3. Sexual assault:** Refers to sexual contact without consent. It happens when anyone tricks or forces another person into sexual contact. Most frequently, it happens between people who know one another.
- 4. Sexual assault:** Unwanted sexual acts, ranging from exhibitionism to penetration, that involve threats, physical force, intimidation, or deception. Refers to sexual contact without consent.
- 5. Rape** is a term generally used to indicate an act of forced or coerced oral, anal, or vaginal penetration but can be defined more broadly.
- 6. Sexual violence:** An umbrella term that refers to any unwanted actions or activities of a sexual nature that often are intended to humiliate or degrade another person. The term is also used to describe similar actions or activities when they are imposed on an individual who is unable to:
 - understand the nature or condition of the act
 - decline participation
 - communicate unwillingness to engage in the sexual act due to:
 - illness
 - disability
 - influence of drugs or alcohol
 - intimidation or coercion
- 7. Perpetrator:** Someone who assaults others psychologically, physically or sexually. Sexual assault may be committed by a wide range of people known or unknown to the victim, including parents and grandparents, other relatives, family "friends," acquaintances, and strangers. Others in positions of authority, such as clergy, coaches, teachers, and other people found in institutional settings may perpetrate sexual assault.
- 8. Survivor:** Someone who has experienced sexual violence. The term reflects the belief that an individual's strength has enabled him or her to survive the assault. It also implies that a victim can recover from the impact of sexual assault.
- 9. Victim:** Someone who has experienced sexual violence. Some people believe this term has a negative connotation because it can imply that experiencing sexual assault permanently damages the individual and limits prospects for recovery from the assault. Victims can become survivors with time, intervention, and/or counseling. The term victim is also used to refer to someone who dies as a direct result of sexual assault.
- 10. Statutory rape:** a term applied to sexual activities which occur between adults and adolescents, even if minors believe that the sexual relationship is consensual. Refer to your state's laws to find out how "minor" is identified.

Supplementary Vocabulary

11. Stranger rape: refers to attempted or completed nonconsensual sexual acts committed by a person unknown to the victim.

12. Acquaintance rape: refers to attempted or completed nonconsensual sexual acts committed by someone known to the victim, such as a classmate or neighbor.

13. Date rape: a form of acquaintance rape, refers to attempted or completed nonconsensual sexual acts that occur within a dating relationship.

14. Gang rape: refers to attempted or completed nonconsensual acts committed by two or more people.

15. Roofies: Short for Rohypnol, now considered the "date rape drug of choice." Rohypnol is a very potent tranquilizer similar to valium, but much stronger. Because roofies are inexpensive and easy to import from other countries like Mexico, they are slipped into the drinks of unsuspecting victims in hopes of lowering inhibitions or causing blackouts, making "sexual conquest" easier. Besides facilitating rape, rohypnol can lead to even more deadly consequences such as respiratory depression, aspiration, and death when mixed with alcohol or other drugs.)