

Reality Check

Reality check is a program for pre-adjudicated, pre-detention youth ages 10 to 16. This program is not a scared straight program but a reality program. This program deals with not only with what happens when a child gets put in detention but also with what happens to those around him or her.

What’s involved?

The program consists of a tour of the secure detention facility. It also consists of a 1/2hr presentation of the effects delinquency has on the child, the parents, the siblings, and the community.

Who’s involved?

The child and 1 or both parents must attend this presentation. This program will not work without parent participation. The superintendent of the Juvenile facility will facilitate the program. The social worker may be involved and any other person approved by the parent and the superintendent.

How does one participate?

A referral form must be filled out by a liaison officer, teacher, or social worker. The referral form will be forwarded to the superintendent of the juvenile facility. The superintendent of the juvenile facility will set up the date and time for the program. Remember that the age requirement and the adjudication / detention requirement must be met. This is a voluntary program.

Referral Information

Childs Name: _____ **D.O.B.** _____

Parents Name(s) _____

Address: _____ **Phone :(____)** _____

Referring Party: _____ **Liaison, Teacher, Social Worker**

School: _____ **Grade:** _____

Reason for Referral:

I understand that this is a voluntary program and that I may cancel at any time.

Child _____

Parent(s) _____