

Drugs & Their Effects Assignment

Each group will be assigned a drug to research. You will look up facts and present your information. You will need to answer the following questions:

1. How is your substance made and how is it used?
2. What are the effects of this substance on both the brain and the body?
3. How specifically does your substance affect your states of consciousness?
4. What are the short-term negative effects of drug use?
5. What are the long-term negative effects of drug use?
6. Is this a physically and/or psychologically addictive drug?
7. What are the street/slang names?

You will need to create a power point presentation. A power point presentation should be a minimum of one slide per topic to be covered plus a title page (8 slides). In your presentation you may insert graphs or charts. You will be evaluated on the content of your presentation as well as the finished visual product. You will have time to work on this project in class. You are also expected to be doing research on your own time so that you are using class time to put your information into your presentation.