

"Busted"

An Underage Drinking Prevention
Presentation Designed for 4th/5th Grade
Elementary School Students

"Busted" illustrates the consequences of underage drinking and poor decision making as 4th/5th graders approach their middle school and tween/teen years. It also explains the Zero Tolerance law and the health effects of alcohol on the growing body. The presentation is designed to help students stay safe, healthy and informed.

"Busted" also provides information on decision making skills if the 4th/5th grader is ever riding in a car with someone who's been drinking alcohol.

This presentation is free and is best suited for groups of 20-60 students. If you would like more information or want to schedule a presentation, please call Gloria Souhami, program director, at (512) 854-4229 or email gloria.souhami@co.travis.tx.us



**TRAVIS COUNTY ATTORNEY'S
UNDERAGE DRINKING
PREVENTION PROGRAM**

The Underage Drinking Prevention Program is a division of the Travis County Attorney's Office. This office is responsible for the prosecution of DWI offenders.

HERE'S THE LAW:

If you are under 21, it is illegal for you to purchase, attempt to purchase, possess or consume alcohol. It's also against the law to misrepresent your age to try and obtain alcohol.

If you're a minor, here's what happens the first time you are found in possession of alcohol.

Any amount of beer, wine or liquor will trigger the penalties.

- 30-day driver's license suspension
- up to \$500 fine
- 8 to 12 hours community service
- mandatory alcohol-awareness class attendance

A second or third offense can lead to suspension of your driver's license for 60 to 180 days. If you're 17 or older, you also can be fined as much as \$2,000 and go to jail for up to 180 days for a third offense.

HERE'S THE LAW:

If you are under 21, it is illegal for you to drive with any detectable amount of alcohol in your system.

If you're under 21, here's what happens the first time you are stopped for drinking and driving.

- 60-day driver's license suspension
- up to \$500 fine
- 20 to 40 hours community service
- mandatory alcohol-awareness class attendance

