

## ELA – English Language Art / Concept-Based Assignment

Grades 6-12

Student's will:

1. Research the topic Drunk Driving.
2. List 15 related weblinks that provide information and statistics about this issue.
3. Write a 5 page paper / narrative on the impact that **DUI – Driving Under the Influence** has on humanity.
4. Work in a group to develop a foldable flyer with illustrations supporting the abstinence of driving under the influence.
5. Print 5 articles associated with the topic of Drunk Driving and highlight fact and important information.

Related Resource Weblink:

<http://www.alcoholalert.com/drunk-driving-statistics.html>

<http://www2.potsdam.edu/hansondj/DrinkingandDriving.html>

<http://www.duiattorneyhome.com/DUI/Drunk-Driving-Statistics>

Related Content Objectives:

### Writing and Language

7. Write in narrative, expository, and persuasive modes using figurative language and imagery, including simile and metaphor, when effective and appropriate.  
Examples: essay, letter of complaint
  - Using an abbreviated writing process to write an essay in timed and untimed situations
  - Using verbals to increase sentence complexity
  - Using a variety of patterns to organize information in multi-paragraph writings  
Examples: chronological order, cause and effect, order of importance
  - Developing an effective voice suitable for audience and purpose
  - Using a variety of sentence patterns  
Example: determining use of structural variety by diagramming selected sentences
  - Using active and passive voice when appropriate
8. Critique paragraphs for logical progression of sentences.

**Due:** \_\_\_\_\_

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