

## Curriculum-Based Support Group (CBSG<sup>©</sup>) Program

## Goals & Objectives for Kids' Connection, Too

Unit	Goal	Objectives
I: I AM -	To enhance each group participant's autonomy.	<ul><li>Participants will be able to:</li><li>identify positive traits about themselves</li></ul>
Major Message: I AM likeable, capable, unique and valued.		<ul> <li>identify unique, special qualities they have</li> <li>recognize and celebrate one another's individual differences</li> <li>identify reasons their families are special</li> <li>understand that all families have problems</li> <li>identify their feelings and recognize that all feelings are okay</li> <li>identify ways to express feelings in healthy ways</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>II: I CAN -</li> <li>Major Message:</li> <li>I CAN treat others like I want to be treated.</li> </ul>	To enhance each group participant's social competence.	<ul> <li>Participants will be able to:</li> <li>identify things that can and cannot be changed</li> <li>identify qualities they want in a friend</li> <li>identify qualities they have that make them a friend</li> <li>give and receive a compliment</li> <li>identify ways to adjust/adapt to change in positive ways</li> <li>understand the importance of treating others like they want to be treated</li> </ul>

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<ul><li>III: I HAVE</li><li>Major Message:</li><li>I HAVE strengths, capabilities, and people who care about me.</li></ul>	To enhance each group participant's interdependence	<ul> <li>Participants will be able to:</li> <li>identify special qualities they have</li> <li>identify people in their life who can help them</li> <li>identify people in their lives who care about them</li> <li>identify ways to ask for help</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>IV – I WILL</li> <li>Major Message:</li> <li>I WILL make healthy choices and be alcohol, tobacco and drug free.</li> </ul>	To enhance each group participant's problem-solving skills.	<ul> <li>Participants will be able to:</li> <li>learn how to make healthy choices</li> <li>learn how to make responsible decisions that have positive consequences</li> <li>identify ways of take care of oneself</li> <li>recognize ways to overcome obstacles</li> <li>identify ways to say no to alcohol, tobacco and other drugs</li> </ul>
<b>IV – I BELIEVE</b> <b>Major Message:</b> I BELIEVE I have a purpose.	To enhance each group participant's sense of purpose.	<ul> <li>Participants will be able to:</li> <li>identify dreams for themselves</li> <li>learn how to make plans so that dreams and goals can be fulfilled</li> <li>identify resources to help them realize dreams</li> <li>experience validation of their dreams</li> <li>identify ways to overcome obstacles</li> </ul>