**POST: Drinking**

The good news? Most Vermont kids don’t misuse substances, and prevention is one big reason why. When support starts early, students are more likely to stay connected, confident, and on a healthy path. Evidence-based programs in elementary school can make the difference later on.

Let’s keep building on what’s working. Prevention works—because kids do.

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**POST: Cannabis**

Most Vermont students are making smart choices—and prevention programs are helping them stay on that path. The earlier students learn   
decision-making skills, coping strategies, and how to resist peer pressure, the better their outcomes. Prevention isn’t about fear—it’s about building resilience. The progress is real. And so is the impact we can have together.

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**POST: Rx**

When Vermont students have strong support, they make strong choices. A connection to school and community means they’re less likely to misuse substances later. Prevention programs are helping our kids build the confidence and skills they need to stay on track. Let’s keep supporting what’s working. Prevention works—because kids do.

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