

## THE SOCIAL DYNAMIC OF DRUGS

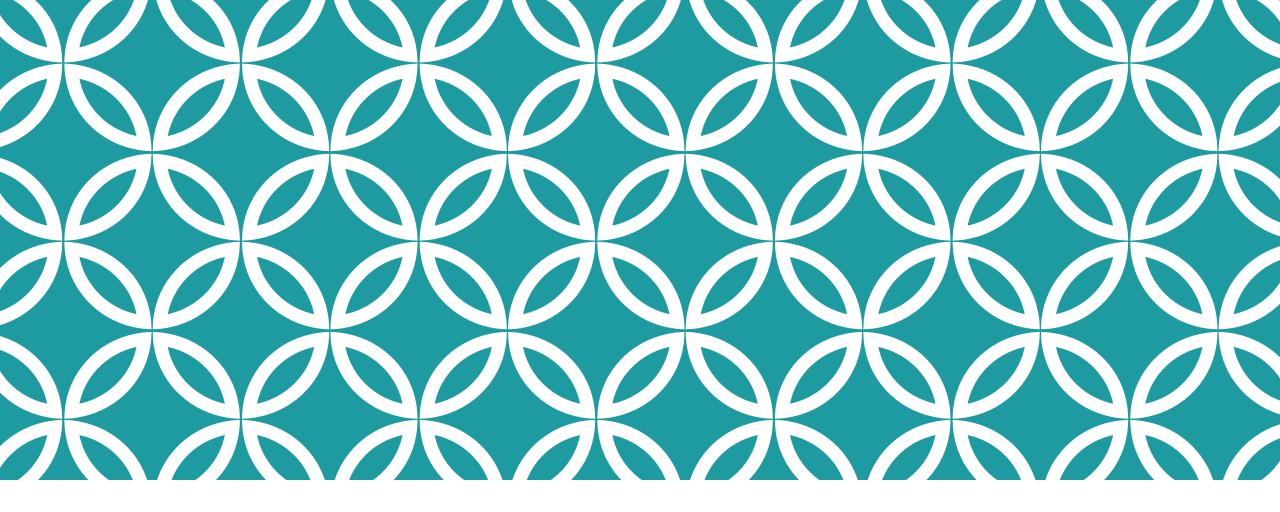
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FRIENDS ARE BASICALLY THE MOST DANGEROUS ELEMENT TO THE DRUG EQUATION



## FRIENDS CAN BE THE GATEWAY



"DO I NOT DESTROY MY ENEMIES WHEN I MAKE THEM MY FRIENDS?" — <u>Abraham Lincoln</u>

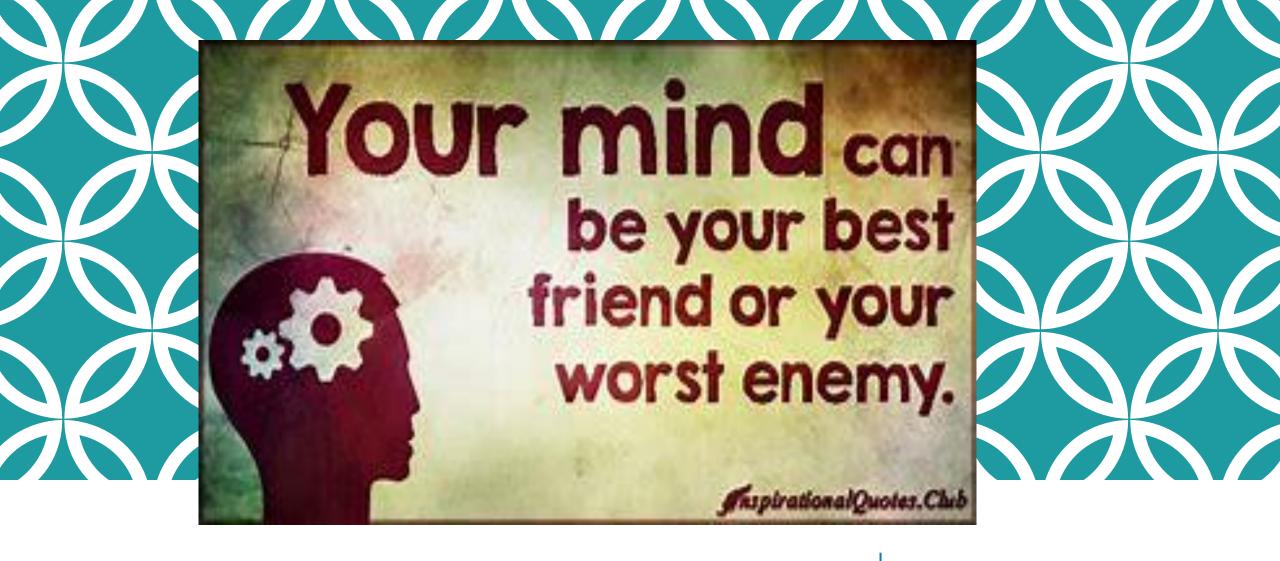


## KEEP YOUR FRIENDS CLOSE, AND YOUR ENEMIES CLOSER

If my enemy's enemy is my friend, what happens if my enemy is his own worst enemy?

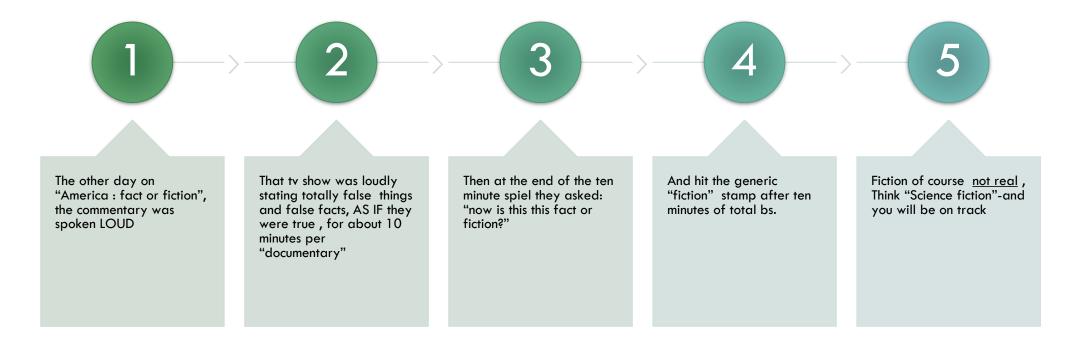






Take a moment to think about Hollywood. Not media in general just yet, but strictly the movies. While some may think movies like "The Patriot" can teach us <u>more</u> about the "Revolutionary War" than an entire American government course, think about movies like "Argo". In the movie argo, there is a scene where a Hollywood producer gets with a CIA officer (ben afflack) after deciding to fake a movie in iran. To celebrate their idea, you will see Ben afflack grab his "sack lunch" in a brown paper bag, and they go out on some steps- basically by the dumpsters, and the CIA officer starts eating his sack lunch out his paper bag lunch with the Hollywood producer, and they talk casually. Now, don't you think that real story might have been that they were able to eat in a nice restaurant on Rodeo Drive or something? Indeed, challenge yourself to be more critical and sarcastic when watching what Hollywood depicts as real and ever so serious. If you are able to get into a mode of thinking that is totally the "<u>opposite</u>" of what they are pushing, You will find so many plot holes, and incorrect things, that **you** might actually be the one that becomes totally nuts.

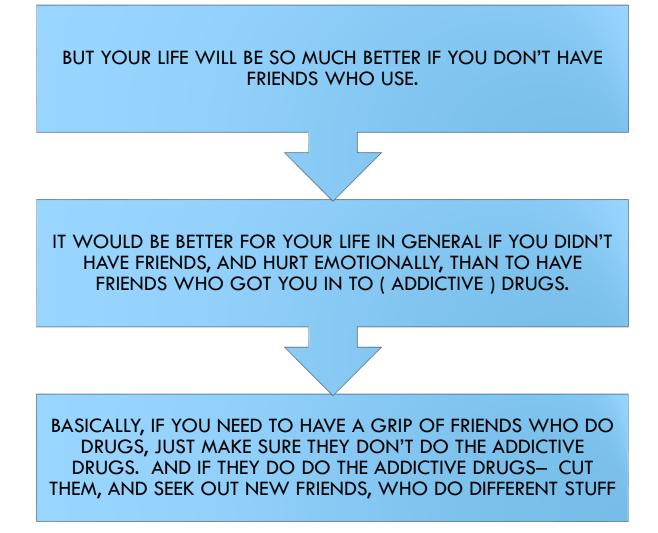
So, while sometimes it may seem that Hollywood Glamorizes Coke, The only people that can truly afford a strong habit to use as much as they want might be Hollywood stars. Just don't be fooled by what people are pushing.



#### WATCH OUT FOR YOUR FRIENDS TRYING TO TAKE YOU DOWN WITH THEM.

THE PARADOX IS FRIENDS CAN HELP YOU SO MUCH EMOTIONALLY, BUT IF YOU CHOOSE THE WRONG FRIENDS, THEY CAN BE THE ONES TO TAKE YOU DOWN

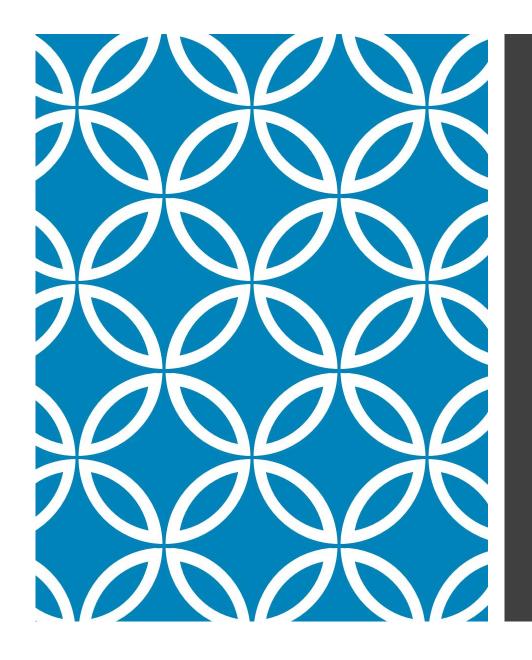
AND SADLY PEOPLE WHO USE.... CAN HAVE MANY FRIENDS, BECAUSE THEY BOND OVER DOING DRUGS.



YOU MAY FIND A REALLY COOL CAT, OR EVEN AN ENTIRE SET OF COOL CATS THAT YOU TOTALLY CLICK WITH.

BUT LIKE, IF THEY ARE INTO METH, YOU NEED TO BAIL. LIKE- IT WOULD BE GREAT TO HELP THEM, IF YOU ARE LIKE A SUPER SOLDIER OF CHRIST, THEN MAYBE YOU TRY TO GET THE PERSON YOU LIKE AWAY FROM THE OTHER---- "MORE SERIOUSLY INVOLVED" PEOPLE.

BUT IF YOU ARE SOMEWHAT PRONE TO PARTY, YOU ARE SETTING YOURSELF UP FOR DISASTER.



FRIENDS THAT USE THE 3 MAIN ADDICTIVE DRUGS SHOULD BE CUT OUT OF YOUR LIFE LIKE A DEADLY CANCER IF YOU DON'T CUT THEM OUT, HOW DO YOU HANG AROUND THEM AND NOT BE PERSUADED TO USE WITH THEM?

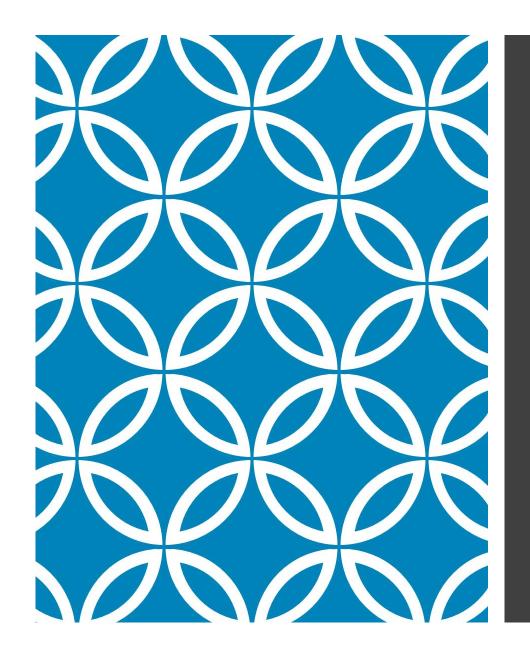


HOW DO YOU MAKE FRIENDS THAT DON'T USE ADDICTIVE DRUGS? WHAT DO YOU DO IF YOUR FRIENDS ARE RACHETING UP ON DRUG USE WHAT TYPES OF THINGS CAN YOU GET INVOLVED IN TO MEET PEOPLE WHOSE PRIORITIES MAY BE OTHER THAN JUST USING DRUGS? NAME TEN THINGS--

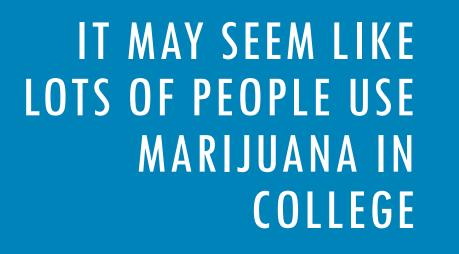


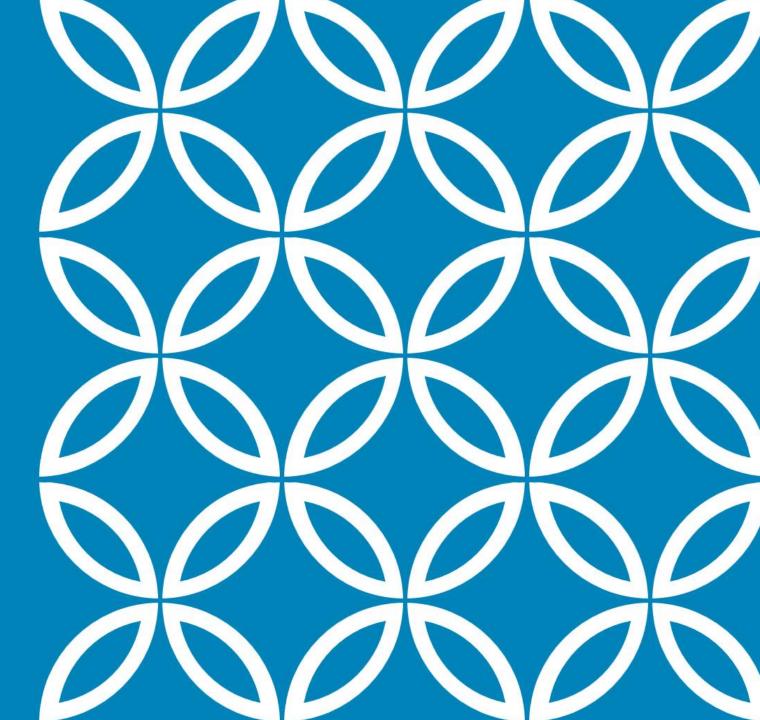


#### MAKING CONNECTIONS IN HIGH SCHOOL AND COLLEGE IS VERY IMPORTANT, BUT YOU WANT TO MAKE THE RIGHT CONNECTIONS, AND AVOID THE WRONG CONNECTIONS



IN COLLEGE, YOU MAY MEET PEOPLE WHO USE A LOT OF MARIJUANA, AND OTHER DRUGS. BUT DO UNDERSTAND THAT THERE ARE CLUBS YOU CAN GET INVOLVED WITH, AND THINGS LIKE INTERMURAL SPORTS





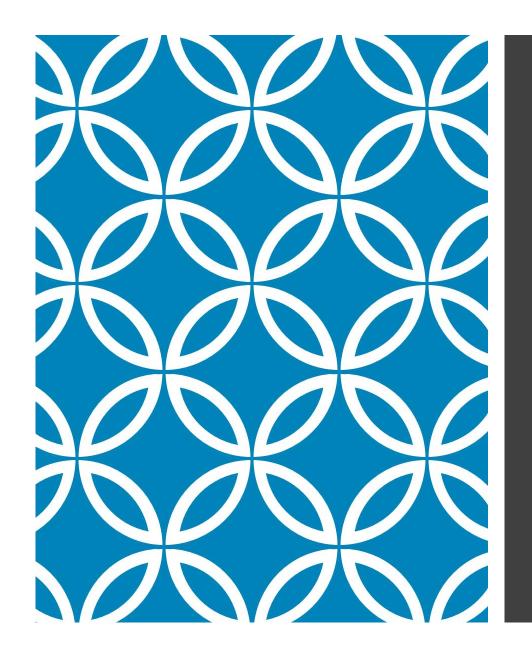
THE PROBLEM IS THAT MARIJUANA DOESN'T MOTIVATE A PERSON TO STUDY HARD OR FOCUS ON SCHOOL, OR REALLY BE ABLE TO THINK//TRACK LIKE THEY COULD





#### MARIJUANA MIGHT HELP YOU CREATE SOME INTERESTING ART, OR OPEN YOUR MIND UP TO NEW PHILOSOPHIES AND THOUGHT, BUT MIGHT MAKE IT HARD TO STUDY ENGINEERING OR OTHER SUBJECTS

THIS MEANS THAT FOR THOSE WHO SMOKE MARIJUANA IN COLLEGE, STATISTICALLY, THERE IS A MUCH GREATER CHANCE OF DROPPING OUT, OR GETTING GRADES THAT DROP YOU OUT



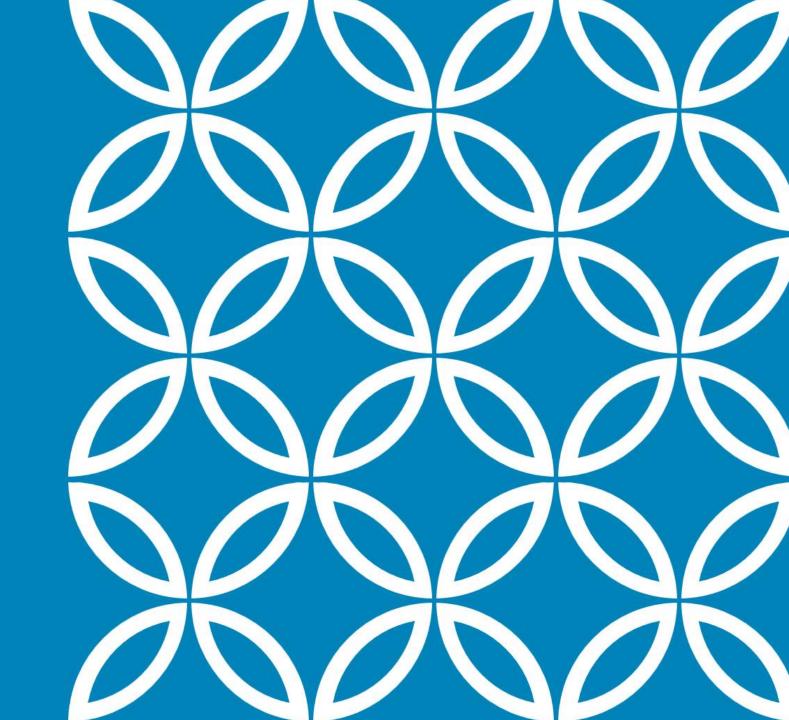
A COLLEGE DEGREE IS BASIC. IT IS LIKE A HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA ANYMORE, AND APPEARS THAT YOU REALLY NEED IT

#### SO IN COLLEGE, WHILE IT MIGHT BE TEMPTING TO SMOKE CHOKE HERB.....

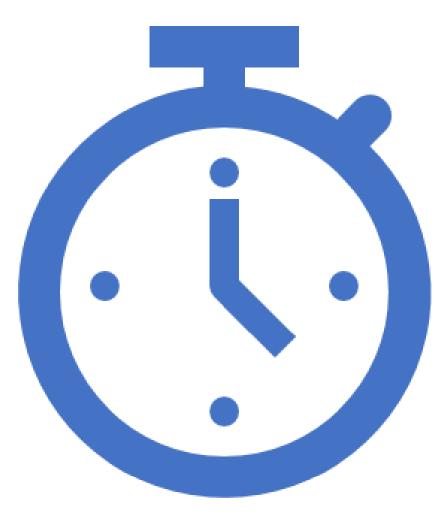


BASICALLY, IF YOU SMOKE MARIJUANA, AND DROP OUT OF COLLEGE BECAUSE OF IT, STATISTICALLY SPEAKING, YOU STAND TO MAKE MUCH LESS MONEY OVER ALL, LIKE AS MUCH AS \$30,000 USD PER YEAR IN GENERAL, PEOPLE WHO EMPLOY LOOK FOR MOTIVATED PEOPLE, WHICH MARIJUANA WILL NOT HELP YOU WITH





LOTS OF PEOPLE IN COLLEGE MAY BE OPEN TO NEW IDEAS, AND OPEN TO TRYING NEW THINGS MARIJUANA MIGHT ACTUALLY BE ALL OVER IN COLLEGE. BUT SO IS THE NEXT LEVEL PARTY- COKE SO WATCH THE GATE IN YOUR OWN WORDS, TAKE 60 SECONDS TO WRITE WHY TRYING COKE WITH FRIENDS IN COLLEGE WOULD NOT BEHOOVE YOU



#### IF YOU CAN REMEMBER.... WHAT ARE 10 REASONS TO NOT ALSO BE A POT HEAD IN COLLEGE?

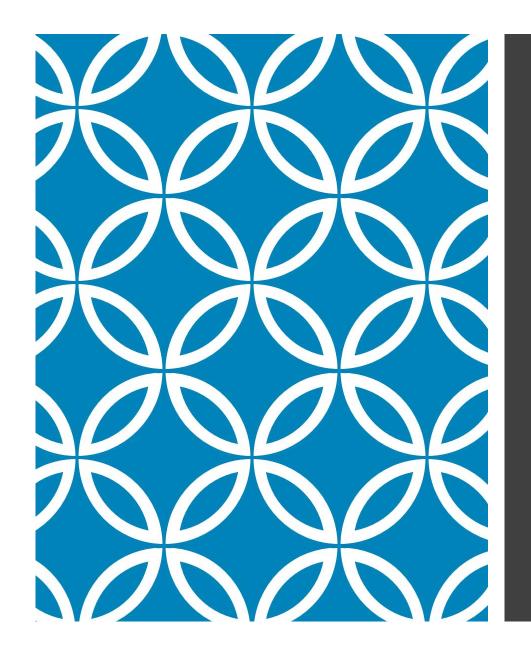
SOME HOW, IT SEEMS THAT THERE MAY ACTUALLY BE PEOPLE WHO ARE SMART ENOUGH TO GET INTO A GOOD COLLEGE.....



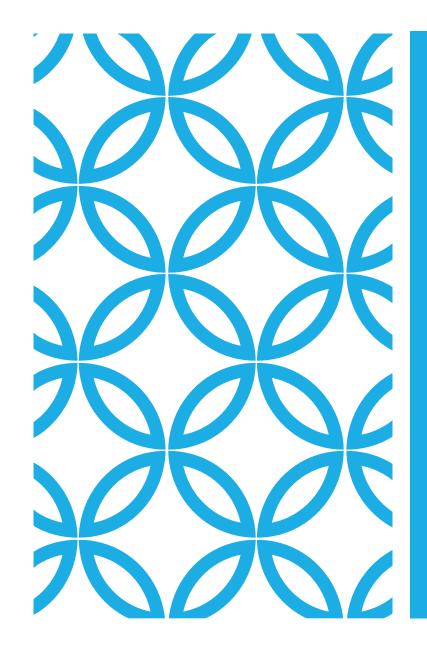


### AND YET HAVE LACKED THE WISDOM TO NOT USE COKE, HEROIN, OR EVEN CRYSTAL METH

# TAKE 30 SECONDS TO ANSWER HOWTO AVOID THESE PEOPLE



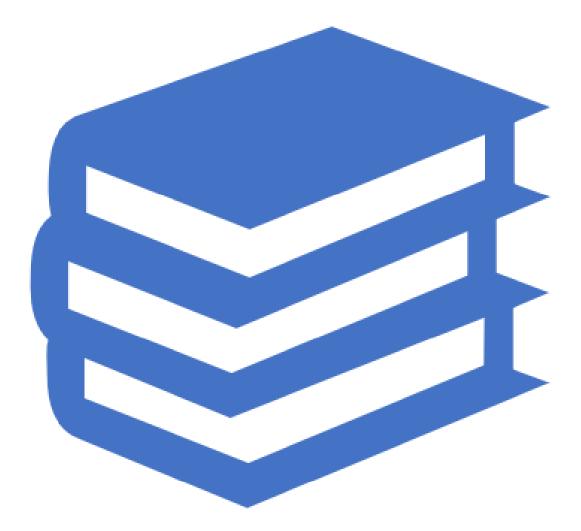
## NAME 5 PLACES OR WAYS TO MAKE NEW CONNECTIONS IN HIGH SCHOOL AND COLLEGE?



IN COLLEGE
1) DORMS ARE A GREAT PLACE TO MAKE
CONNECTIONS,
2) PREVIOUS FRIENDS FROM HIGHSCHOOL
HELP IN COLLEGE
3) SEE YOUR STUDENT LIFE DIRECTOR IN
COLLEGE FOR CLUBS AND INTERMURAL SPORTS

**CLUBS ARE A GREAT PLACE TO MEET NEW** PEOPLE. IDEALLY, THE GOAL SHOULD MAKE AS MANY NEW CONNECTIONS AS YOU CAN IN COLLEGE, AND THEN, INSTEAD OF MOVING AWAY AFTER GRADUATING, KEEP THOSE **CONNECTIONS, OR AND STAY IN TOWN. THEY** COULD BE HELPFUL FOR JOBS. IN ADDITION, THE MORE PEOPLE YOU KEEP, THE MORE POTENTIAL, FRIENDS, BOYFRIENDS OR **GIRLFRIENDS YOU WILL HAVE ACCESS TO IN THE** FUTURE. 0 X 1 = 0. 2 X 2 X 2 =  $(1 + 1)^{-1}$ 

OTHER THINGS TO DO IN COLLEGE BESIDES CLUBS, INTERMURALS, STUDYING, ADVENTURING, LEARNING NEW THINGS, HAVING INTELLIEGENT CONVERASATION ETC. INCLUDE: GETTING HIGH ON MARIJUANA WITH 30% THC, WHICH COULD DESTROY A LOT OF MOTIVATION AND MAKE YOU HAVE DELUSIONS AND MENTAL ISSUES IN THE FUTURE. NOTE YOU CAN CONTROL THE DOSAGE OF EDIBLE MARIJUANA, BUT IT IS A LESS SOCIAL EXPERIENCE



Some Videos might say that Legalizing Marijuana would make it so that Weaker Marijuana was sold. However, in States where Marijuana is legal, you cannot even buy the 3% THC kind, you can only buy the Ultra Strong Kind, unless you go with edibles. It may behoove you to not go beyond a dosage of 3% THC per day when your brain has fully formed, and basically behoove you the most to avoid THC completely.