

CHOOSE GANG FREE

PROGRAM INFORMATION

PROGRAM GOALS

- Reduce Anti-social Attitudes
- Reduce Anti-social Behaviors
- Reduce Association with Anti Social Peers
- Increase Pro-Social Opportunities & Protective Factors



WHAT DO WE OFFER?

- 5th Grade Prevention Curriculum (10 weeks in the classroom)
- S.T.R.I.V.E- Secondary Prevention Programming (low-moderate risk youth)
- S.T.R.I.V.E- Intervention Programming (moderate-high risk youth)
- Evidence-based curriculum
- Community Education- District & school staff, juvenile courts, JJYS, DCFS, Youth Services, and other community based programs.
- Gang Prevention Awareness Week
- Community Tabling Events

IMPLEMENTATION

Progress is monitored regularly, with case managers providing ongoing encouragement, accountability, and crisis intervention as needed. The goal is to help youth disengage from negative influences, strengthen family relationships, and build the tools necessary for a successful, gang-free future.



REFERRALS

Refer a youth at www.choosegangfree.com

- Include as much details as possible & include any court orders
- Case managers will reach out within 48 hours of being assigned to a youth

TRAINING

To request a Gangs 101 or other gang specific training, please reach out to Bree Eller: beller@saltlakecounty.gov

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