

Youth Enlightenment Seminars

Y.E.S.

The Community Relations Unit of the Suffolk County Sheriff's Office, under the direction of the Sheriff, has established the Y.E.S. Program. Although the Sheriff's Office is interested in raising the consciousness of ALL Suffolk County youth regarding the realities of criminal behavior and imprisonment, the main target population is composed of those adolescents who are on the verge of becoming involved or becoming more deeply involved in criminal activity and criminal association.

GOALS:

To help adolescents realize how easily antisocial criminal behavior can lead to prison.

To offer support to parents, churches, and all those who are attempting to work with these adolescents.

To foster an awareness that only through work and education can life's most meaningful goals be accomplished.

It is hoped that the adolescents who participate in this program will take these realizations and negative aspects of the system and incorporate them into their daily lives, and that the experience will thus serve as deterrent to juvenile crime.

CRIME TIME

The Penal Law of the State of New York sets specific offenses. Below are some of the most common offenses/crimes and the maximum sentence permitted to be served in a county jail.

220.44 Criminal Sale of a Controlled Substance

In or Near School Grounds

Class A Misdemeanor

Max Time 1 Year

220.03 Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance 7th Degree

Class A Misdemeanor

Max Time 1 Year

165.40 Criminal Possession of Stolen Property 5th Degree

Class A Misdemeanor

Max Time 1 Year

165.17 Unauthorized Use of a Credit Card or Debit Card

Class A Misdemeanor

Max Time 1 Year

120.00 Assault in the 3rd Degree

Class A Misdemeanor

Max Time 1 Year

205.20 PROMOTING PRISON CONTRABAND

Class A Misdemeanor

Max Time 1 Year



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Sheriff of Suffolk County

RULES TO OBSERVE

Please obey ALL instructions given by any uniformed officer.

Do not engage in any conversation or make any gestures with the inmate population without prior approval of an officer.

Do not, under any circumstances, **GIVE** or **TAKE** any object, material, or substance from any inmate **ANYWHERE** in the facility.

Remain silent throughout the facility unless instructed by an officer.

While walking through the hallways stay to the right and walk double-file.

At no time will you be permitted to have your hands in your pockets.

"My goal is to get to the kids before they get to me."

~~ Sheriff Errol D. Toulon, Jr.

RIVERHEAD

Y.E.S. TOUR ITINERARY

Arrive at the Facility at 9:30 AM
Brief overview of the Correctional Facility
Secure all personal items (Contraband)

**You will be entering the
Maximum Security Section
of the Facility**

ROUTE OF TOUR

Holding Pen

4th Floor Housing Units

5th Floor Housing Units

Chapel for Inmate Interaction

Close of Program

Question and Answer Opportunity

Return of All Secured Personal Property

If you require any further assistance or wish to schedule an additional tour contact:

The Community Relations Unit
(631) 852-3763



JAIL JARGON

A Bid - A sentence

A Stretch - A sentence of 5 years or more

730 - A mentally ill inmate

County Bullet - A one year sentence

Bagged or Knocked - Arrested

Snitch or Fouled Out - Told on someone

Chillen or Layed Up - resting

A Trick - A woman that prostitutes for drugs or money

Copped Out - Accepting a guilty charge without trial

Crib or House - a cell

He/she is No Good - snitching

Talking Crazy - dissing or disrespecting someone

Going Up - Getting high on drugs

Taking a Trip - Getting high

On the Draft - Going from jail to jail

Going Up North - Going to state prison

Maxed Out/ Touching Down - Getting released

Holler At Me - Let me know what's up

What It Look Like - How you doing

All Bad - Not too good, not doing well

From My Hood, Day 1 - Someone from your home town/ you know from the street

Hold Me Down - Watch my back

I'm Straight - Everything is good

Short Eyes/Ladies - Pornographic material

Good/ Money - Having everything you need

Lock In/ Keep Lock - Lock in for the day

On the Count - A period of time to stay in your cell for the officer to count

Set Up - Peanut Butter & Jelly

Shakedown - Search of your cell/area

Scottie - A promiscuous woman

Stash - Hidden contraband

Not Like That - A weak or soft person

Shaking/ Getting It - A fight

Word to My Mother/Put That on Everything - What I'm saying is the truth

Making it Hot - Alerting an officer