# Reality Check Quiz – Blank Worksheet for Students to Fill Out While Waiting for the Simulation to Start

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| **Reality Check Quiz: Sometimes There Are No Do-Overs*****Today’s Decisions Can Have Legal and Long-Term Consequences*** |

**Optional:** *To get the Q-and-A session started, the Presiding Judge might ask the students if they have questions about any of the situations in the quiz.*

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|  | I go on a road trip to a national park with my best friend’s family. My best friend and I spray paint our initials on one of the rocks there. Lots of people do it. No one cares. |
|  | **TRUE or FALSE** |
|  | I can text an X-rated photo of myself or ask someone to send me an X-rated photo of themselves as long as we’re both under 18. |
|  | **TRUE or FALSE** |
|  | While I am outside my apartment complex, FBI agents ask me if I’ve seen a couple of my neighbors go by. I saw them, but I don’t know why the FBI is looking for them. I tell the agents my neighbors walked in the opposite direction from the direction they actually went. I may have legal problems. |
|  | **TRUE or FALSE** |
|  | Medical marijuana is legal in the state where I live. I have a prescription for it from my doctor to manage nausea related to my medical treatment, and I use it regularly. The federal government may refuse to hire me because I use marijuana even though it is prescribed to me. |
|  | **TRUE or FALSE** |
|  | My friends and I like to party at a lake in a state where drinking is legal at 18. I’m 18 and I don’t drink or do drugs. We usually ride together, and my friends have their beer and drugs in the car. I can get in trouble even if I don’t use. |
|  | **TRUE or FALSE** |
|  | On April Fool’s Day, some friends and I stole my neighbor’s mail. We figured we’d give it back, but my little brother spilled grape juice on it and ruined it, so we threw it away. Since it was just a prank, I won’t get in trouble. |
|  | **TRUE or FALSE** |
|  | My older sibling gave me their ID to use to get into bars. We look a lot alike, so I won’t get caught, but even if I do, I would just be turned away from the bar. |
|  | **TRUE or FALSE** |
|  | If I get pulled over while I’m texting and driving when I’m 16, the ticket will be taken off my record when I turn 18. |
|  | **TRUE or FALSE** |

# Reality Check Quiz – Answer Key and Discussion-Starter Prompts: For Discussion After Simulation

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|  | I go on a road trip to a national park with my best friend’s family. My best friend and I spray paint our initials on one of the rocks there. Lots of people do it. No one cares. |
|  | **FALSE. Defacing any part of a national park is a federal offense of trespassing, tampering, and vandalism.** |
|  | I can text an X-rated photo of myself or ask someone to send me an X-rated photo of themselves as long as we’re both under 18. |
|  | **FALSE. This is self-produced child pornography. Child pornography is illegal and there is no exception for minors to exchange it among themselves.** |
|  | While I am outside my apartment complex, FBI agents ask me if I’ve seen a couple of my neighbors go by. I saw them, but I don’t know why the FBI is looking for them. I tell the agents my neighbors walked in the opposite direction from the direction they actually went. I may have legal problems. |
|  | **TRUE. Falsifying, concealing, or covering up a material fact about an investigation is a serious crime that can carry up to a five-year federal prison sentence.** |
|  | Medical marijuana is legal in the state where I live. I have a prescription for it from my doctor to manage nausea related to my medical treatment, and I use it regularly. The federal government may refuse to hire me because I use marijuana even though it is prescribed to me. |
|  | **TRUE. Marijuana use is a violation of federal law. Federal employees who work in safety-sensitive jobs may not use marijuana and are subject to federal drug-testing regulations. Hiring for these positions may require a clean drug test.** |
|  | My friends and I like to party at a lake in a state where drinking is legal at 18. I’m 18 and I don’t drink or do drugs. We usually ride together, and my friends have their beer and drugs in the car. I can get in trouble even if I don’t use. |
|  | **TRUE. It is illegal for a person under 21 to transport alcohol.** |
|  | On April Fool’s Day, some friends and I stole my neighbor’s mail. We figured we’d give it back, but my little brother spilled grape juice on it and ruined it, so we threw it away. Since it was just a prank, I won’t get in trouble. |
|  | **FALSE. Taking mail from a mailbox and concealing it are federal offenses with penalties of up to five years in prison.** |
|  | My older sibling gave me their ID to use to get into bars. We look a lot alike, so I won’t get caught, but even if I did, I would just be turned away from the bar. |
|  | **FALSE. Under certain circumstances, use of another person’s identification is a federal offense of aggravated identity theft with a mandatory two-year federal prison term.** |
|  | If I get pulled over while I’m texting and driving when I’m 16, the ticket will be taken off my record when I turn 18. |
|  | **FALSE. Different jurisdictions have different rules, but many do not automatically expunge juvenile records.** |

**How This Quiz is Used After the Simulation:** *To get the Q-and-A session started after the verdict is discussed, the Presiding Judge may want to ask students if they have any questions about the following situations.*