

# Lesson Plan #1

## What Do You Know About Organ, Eye and Tissue Donation?

This assignment is most effective as the first lesson about organ, eye and tissue donation. This lesson may be completed in class or assigned as homework.

### Objective

Following this lesson, students will have a general understanding of organ, eye and tissue donation, and knowledge about common misconceptions, a few statistics and accurate facts. Any remaining misconceptions will be addressed in the “Your Decision to Donate” DVD, by the classroom speaker and/or through the following lessons.

Time: 15 minutes

**Materials Needed** (also available online at [donateLIFCalifornia.org/teachers](http://donateLIFCalifornia.org/teachers))

- Print-out of Organ, Eye and Tissue Donation Facts True/False (Worksheet and Answers versions)

### Lesson Plan

- *Small Group Option* – Arrange class into small groups or pairs and have one student “quiz” the others with the true/false questions, providing correct answers when needed.
- *Whole Group Option* – Instructor reads true/false statements about organ and tissue donation to whole class and asks individuals to respond (or offer their “best guess”). Provide correct answers when needed.
- *Homework Option* – Send print-out of Organ, Eye and Donation True/False home with students as homework before the first lesson. Review correct answers in class in small groups or with the whole group.

## SCHEDULE AN ORGAN DONATION PRESENTATION

Donate Life California offers informational presentations for high school students and community groups (subject to availability of presenters). Students and community members will learn about organ, eye and tissue donation, ask questions, and hear personal stories of individuals whose lives were directly impacted by donation and transplantation.

Schedule a presentation by visiting [www.donateLIFCalifornia.org/presentation](http://www.donateLIFCalifornia.org/presentation).