



Joe Shoeboogiemann,



Through all the darkness in the world regarding drugs and addiction, It lifts my spirits knowing that for some addicts, there is hope. But to the people in the world like me, it just enforces the idea never to start. I must admit that I am not perfect and in the past have tried drinking, thanks to you I reconsider my actions now. Your presentation moved me to wonder where everyone will be down the road from now. Some people are lucky enough to have never begin, Others just tried it once and their life went down hill from there. I am extremely grateful to you and wish you luck on your journey of keeping others from ending up in the same position you did.

- Colette

Dear Mr. Shoebogiemann,

I enjoyed the assembly you put on for us about drugs. I learned how bad drugs can really be. I found out how they can hurt your friends and family and **ESPECIALLY** yourself!

The assembly convinced me to stop smoking and a couple of friends followed. Thanks for using your time to come talk to our school.

Derek Johnson

Dear Mr. Shoebogiemann,

My name is Julia, and I'm a 16 yr. old girl attending Elgin Park Secondary School. When you came and did your presentation at our school I know that you inspired EVERYONE! It's unbelievable that one person can have such an effect on others as you have on us. You are an individual with the ability to change peoples lives and I thank you for being so brave and courageous.

Sincerely,
Julia
Angelopoulos. ☺

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Dear Joe Shoebaogjeman,

Your presentation to our school affected me to a certain extent. I am not into drugs though I do have influence of drinking. Your presentation brought forward some of the deathly facts people need to know. Now knowing the consequences and effects it has on your body makes me never ever want to get into it at all. I think it has turned me off of it forever and I think the most memorable part of the assembly were the pictures and seeing just how many people were actually killed because of drugs. I recommend you to continue talking to high school students because this is the prime time when people start experimenting. I wish you nothing but success in your future and with family and friends. Thank you for sharing your life.

Best Regards,

Caroline Hanna

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Dear Mr. Shoeboogieman

I think it is great what you are doing for our community and many others.

Your presentation reached out to us, and told us to stay away from the burden of hard drugs. I believe your true stories and graphic pictures showed us the harsh side to drug addiction.

I hope that you can continue to do presentations and reach out to the youth.

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