

# cannabis

# CONVERSATIONS

→ For ages 18-21 ←



Before you begin, think about whether the person you're talking to is looking for connection, facts or direction.

## WHAT to SAY



(Choose the ones you think you relate to most.)

1

"You matter to me and I care about you. I want you to stay safe and healthy."

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"Instead of just trying it, do some research first. Cannabis is becoming more common, like alcohol, but that doesn't make it harmless or O.K."

2

"Using marijuana can get in the way of school, college or employment."

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"If you use cannabis to deal with life, your brain doesn't get used to coping with difficult emotions. Your brain needs to learn, and it is up to you to make the decision to face difficult situations without drugs."

## LAWS

Washington State  
Marijuana Law



- It is illegal for anyone under the age of 21 to possess and/or use marijuana (unless medically authorized).
- Regardless of age, it's illegal to drive while under the influence of any amount of marijuana.
- It's illegal for anyone to use marijuana in public places.
- It's illegal to grow marijuana plants without a state issued license.
- It is illegal for adults to provide marijuana to minors. It is also illegal for parents to provide marijuana to their children.