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Safe Listening Activity: News Article Discussion



Directions

Take some time to read one of these articles about hearing health (below). Answer at least one of the discussion questions.



[Sound the Alarm: How Headphones Can Harm Your Hearing | Cleveland Clinic](#)



[Video Gamers May Be Risking Hearing Loss or Tinnitus, Study Finds | CNN](#)

Discussion Questions:

1. How did the article change your understanding of the way that humans hear? What did you learn about how the noises we choose to listen to NOW may change the way we hear later?
2. How can adults help students understand how hearing works and how to prevent hearing damage?
3. Do you recognize any listening habits that *you* do—habits that could put your own hearing at risk? How could you change those listening habits?