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Arkansas Coalition Against Domestic Violence
http://www.domesticpeace.com
Click: Education link. Sub links: information regarding the Power & Control Wheel; Cycle of Violence; Why Abused Stay; Stop the Violence; Teen Dating Violence; and Safety Plan.

Break the Cycle: Empowering Youth to End Domestic Violence
http://www.breakthecycle.org/
Click: Learn About Dating Violence link.
Sub links include: Warning Signs; Legal Protections; and Dating Violence Research.

Centers for Disease Control & Prevention (CDC) – Injury Prevention & Control: Division of Violence Prevention
This link includes information about dating violence, consequences of dating violence, why dating violence occurs and a list of available resources and publications. Included are CDC TV’s Break the Silence: Stop the Violence video, and Dating Matters, a training program for educators on working with teens to understand the risk factors and warning signs associated with teen dating violence.
The link also includes information regarding the following hotlines:
- National Domestic Violence Hotline http://www.thehotline.org/
- National Teen Dating Abuse Helpline http://www.loveisrespect.org/
  A 24-hour national web-based and telephone helpline created to help teens (ages 13-18) experiencing dating abuse.
- VetoViolence - http://vetoviolence.cdc.gov/ Violence Education Tools Online

Don’t Let Yourself
www.dontletyourself.org
This website includes a series of short videos: Teen Dating Violence; Signs & Cycles; Safety Planning; and Undocumented Victims. The website also includes printable resources for classroom discussion and activities.

Kids Health – Abusive Relationships
http://kidshealth.org/teen/your_mind/relationships/abuse.html
Healthy Relationships = Respect & Trust. Topics include: Am I in a Healthy Relationship?; How to Break Up Respectfully; Dealing with a Bully; Date Rape; Abuse; and various other teen related topics on dating.

Story of DJ Williams on ESPN E:60
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FxASKtmkQtQ
Former Arkansas Razorback D.J. Williams tells his story of growing up in an abusive home as a child and how he was able to escape the violence.

Youth.gov-Topics
http://youth.gov/youth-topics/teen-dating-violence
Topics include: Characteristics of Healthy vs Unhealthy Relationships; Prevalence; Electronic Aggression; Gender Considerations; Risk Factors; Prevention Programs; Consequences; Legal Responses; and Victim & Survivor Resources. Videos and podcasts are also located on this website.
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**Youth.gov-Resources**
http://youth.gov/youth-topics/teen-dating-violence/resources

**U.S. Department of Health & Human Services-Office of Adolescent Health-Healthy Relationships**
http://www.hhs.gov/ash/oah/adolescent-health-topics/healthy-relationships/
Topics include: Dating; Bullying, LGBT; Dating Violence; Healthy Friendships; and Talking with Teens.

**That’s Not Cool**
https://www.futureswithoutviolence.org/children-youth-teens/thats-not-cool/
http://www.thatsnotcool.com/
Interactive website addresses issues of technology dating abuse (Callout Cards link), interactive games related to texting (Games Link) and resources included in the Need Help?

**National Center on Domestic and Sexual Violence: Hotlines**
http://www.ncdsv.org/ncd_linkshotlines.html
Links to resources and materials regarding issues on violence against women.

**National Center for Victims of Crime: Bulletins for Teens: Dating Violence**
Links to informational resources for teens.

**National Conference of State Legislatures**
Information concerning Teen Dating Violence, State Laws on Teen Dating Violence.

**Child Welfare Information Gateway-Teen Dating Violence Prevention Programs**
https://www.childwelfare.gov/topics/systemwide/domviolence/prevention/teen-dating/?hasBeenRedirected=1
Various resources on dating violence programs.

**National Institutes of Health (NIH)**
http://www.nih.gov/

**Arkansas Commission on Child Abuse, Rape, and Domestic Violence**
http://accardv.uams.edu/

**Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) Dating Matters™: Strategies to Promote Healthy Teen Relationships**
http://vetoviolence.cdc.gov/apps/datingmatterscapt/
Dating Matters Capacity Assessment and Planning Tool.