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Closing the Gate  
on Drugs!

the ADVENTURES of

# Swoosh



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KEEPING THE STREETS SAFE FROM GATEWAY DRUGS!

5 Gateway Drugs

TODAY CLASS  
WE ARE GOING TO  
REVIEW THE FIVE  
GATEWAY DRUGS.

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[mar-uh-wah-nuh]

noun

Marijuana is a  
common drug made  
from the dried,  
shredded leaves,  
flowers, and other  
parts of a plant in  
the genus Cannabis.

The first gateway drug we will discuss today is **Marijuana** from the plant family of cannabis. Also know as Pot, Doobie and other slang terms.

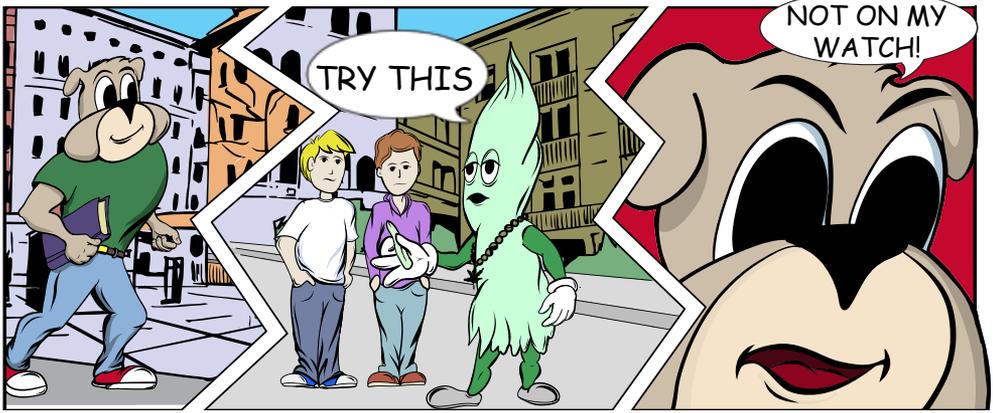


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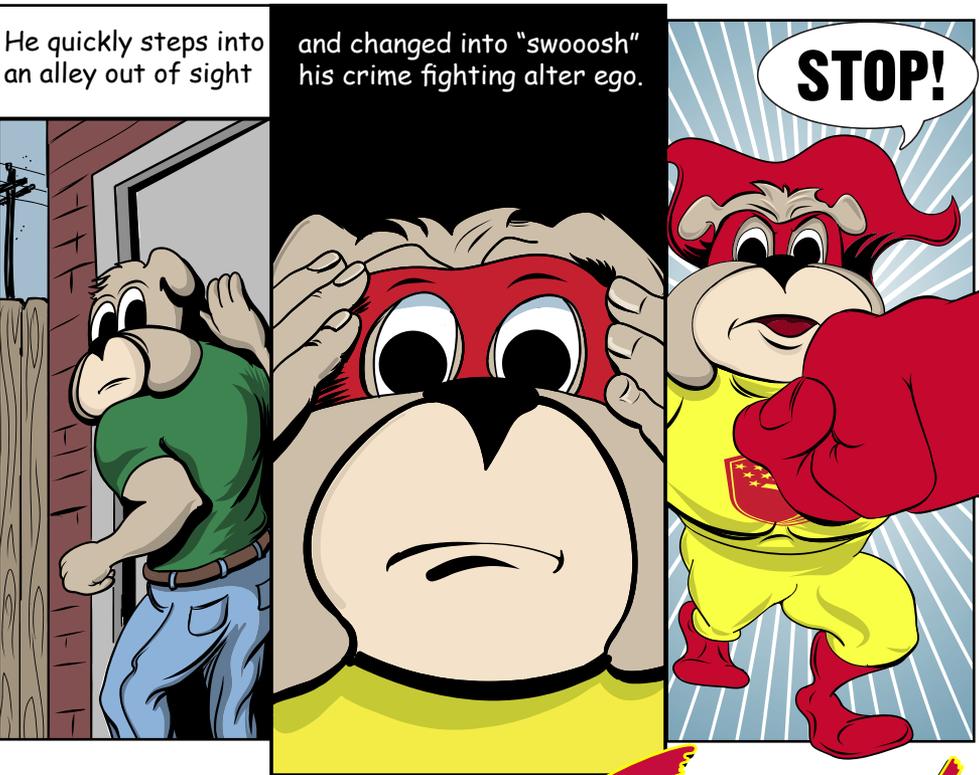
Marijuana  
Alcohol  
Tobacco  
Inhalants  
Prescription  
Medication



Chester was walking to the store for his mother to get some milk, when across the street he sees his arch nemesis "Doobie" offering Marijuana to some neighborhood kids.

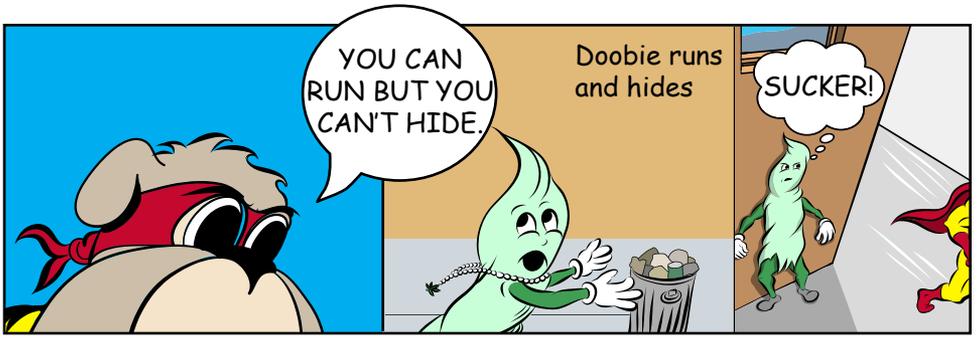


He knows he will have to keep his identity secret, he looks for a place to change so he can spring into action and stop Doobie.



He knows Doobie is not a push over and he will have to fight to capture him. He also knows Doobie has impaired judgment and reflexes.

**Swoosh**



Doobie surprises Swoosh by hiding in an alley and Doobie blindsides him with a kick to the face.





With his great speed and agility Swoooosh fights back against Doobie.



Swoooosh fights with doobie in a classic struggle between good and evil.





Swoosh ties up doobie and he hears the screaming sound of an approaching police car. He must hurry and leave before they arrive.



When the police arrive Swoosh is nowhere to be seen. A crowd of onlookers has gathered to view the spectacle. Doobie can't hide in the shadows any more.



Doobie's days of selling drugs to kids is over for now.



# Young Marines

## Closing the Gate on Drugs!

The Young Marines are aware that the vast majority of drug abusers did not leap into the deep end of the pool of drug abuse. They started with one of the "Gateway Drugs." Law enforcement and medical personnel have defined these drugs as Tobacco, Alcohol, Marijuana, Inhalants, and Prescription and Over the Counter Medication. The abuse of these drugs often leads people to try harder and even more dangerous drugs. So, we believe it stands to reason that if we can stop our youth from abusing these drugs, most will never venture into trying the others.

So, if these drugs are the gateway to a harmful and dangerous lifestyle, we want to Close the Gate on Drugs.



A national youth program for boys and girls, ages eight through high school, focused on leadership, citizenship through community service, self-discipline, and living a healthy, drug-free lifestyle.

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