

How to Start a SAM Club at Your School

(For Middle and High Schools Only)

- Register on the Melanoma Foundation website under SunSmart America™ resources. This will enable you to access The SunSmart America™ resources and The SAM resources.
- Review the information about The SAM Program.
- Talk with your principal or school administrator about starting a SAM Club.
- Designate a sponsoring teacher to oversee student meetings and projects.
- Identify students who would be interested in participating in the SAM Club.
- Schedule your first SAM Club meeting (during student lunch or after school).
- Discuss Sun Safety Activities and projects that the students would like to plan to educate their peers about sun safety.
- Discuss a special event for Melanoma Monday – the National Day of Skin Cancer Awareness (the first Monday in the month of May).
- Fax your SAM Club school membership form to (561) 655-9650 ATTN: SAM CLUB
- Schedule monthly meetings throughout the school year.
- Contact the RDK Melanoma Foundation (561– 655-9655) to request skin cancer educational brochures, sunscreen or any other sun safety items.