

38 • Drugs



Soft drugs should be legalized. 38	Drugs help people escape from their boring, everyday lives. 38
All drugs should be legalized. 38	The laws regulating drugs should be even stricter than they are now. 38
If all drugs were legalized, the government could control their use much more effectively and would also be able to make money by taxing drugs. 38	Many great artists/writers/musicians could not have been so creative without drugs. 38
Soft drugs are less dangerous than alcohol. 38	People who take drugs are weak. 38
Soft drugs are gateway drugs; that is, they open the door to harder drugs. 38	Legalizing drugs would reduce crime. 38
Experimenting with drugs is a part of growing up. 38	Governments spend millions of dollars every year trying to stop people from taking drugs but people still take them. It is a waste of money. 38