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Smokeless Tobacco Myth Activity

Instructions: After you complete your research and/or your class discussion, indicate whether each statement is a myth or fact. Next, fill out the justification box explaining why a statement might be correct or false.

Statement	Myth/Fact	Justification/Source
Smokeless tobacco is not smoked, so it is not bad for you		
You are not at risk for cancers when using smokeless tobacco		
Nicotine is not bad for you, it's like caffeine		
Tobacco is natural		
Smokeless tobacco is a safe alternative to cigarettes		



Dip and chew improves athletic performance		
The negative dental effects of smokeless tobacco can be reversed by good dental hygiene		
Members of Congress used to share a communal snuff box		
Smokeless tobacco use is okay because it is legal		
Smokeless tobacco is perceived as more socially acceptable than cigarette smoking		

