

School District 69

Threats to School and Worksite Safety

Three Levels of Response to Threat...

- 1. Shelter in Place** – Free movement within the building - windows and exterior doors closed and locked - staff and students remain inside until advised by authorities that conditions are safe
 - Weather event – wind storm
 - Environmental event – chemical spill
 - Dangerous wildlife – cougar/bear sighting
 - Missing child
 - Any situation where evacuation may pose a greater risk to staff and student safety than simply remaining in the building

- 2. Hold and Secure** – All exterior doors are locked and monitored allowing students from outside to enter – classes may continue to function normally – additional directions may need to be provided regarding class changes or fire alarms - staff and students remain inside until advised by authorities that conditions are safe
 - Criminal event in proximity to a school or worksite
 - Police pursuit of suspects in the vicinity of the school or worksite
 - Unstable or potentially violent person suspected to be en route to the school or worksite

- 3. Lockdown** – All staff and students proceed to nearest shelter area – close, lock and barricade all classroom doors – shut off lights and cover windows to prevent any view into the room – ignore bells – remain silent and avoid cellphone use – remain in lockdown until the shelter area is cleared by authorities – exterior doors remain as is at the time of the lockdown
 - Dangerous intruder
 - Active shooter
 - Barricaded suspect