SchoolSafety.gov

FEDERAL AND STATE RESOURCES, GUIDANCE, AND TOOLS TO CREATE SAFER SCHOOL ENVIRONMENTS

Introduction

SchoolSafety.gov is a collaborative, interagency website created by the Federal government to provide schools and districts with actionable recommendations to create safe and supportive environments for students and educators. The site serves as a one-stop access point for the American public and school communities to find information, resources, guidance, and evidence-based practices on a range of school safety topics and threats. Through the site, members of the kindergarten through grade 12 (K-12) academic community can also utilize specific tools to prioritize school safety actions, find applicable resources, connect with state-specific and local school safety officials, and develop school safety plans.



School Safety Topics

On <u>SchoolSafety.gov</u>, the K-12 community can find the latest Federal government resources, guidance, and tools on a range of topics related to school safety, including:



Bullying and Cyberbullying



Emergency Planning



School Climate



Child Exploitation



Infectious Diseases and Public Health



Targeted Violence



Cybersecurity



Mental Health



Threat Assessment and Reporting

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Actionable Features and Tools

Specific resources and tools available on SchoolSafety.gov include:



Grants Finder Tool

Helps members of the K-12 school community more easily find, apply for, and ultimately receive school safety-related Federal funding

Link: schoolsafety.gov/grants-finder-tool



School Safety Community Bulletin

Delivers regular updates on the latest school safety-related news, events, opportunities, and resources

Link: bit.ly/2XeJdAO



Informational Webinar Series

Addresses emerging school safety topics, threats, and risks, and provides information on related Federal government resources, tools, and best practices

Link: schoolsafety.gov/events



Resource Library

Provides actionable resources, guidance, training, and fact sheets that can be filtered by audience, intended application, and topics to help schools create and maintain a safe learning environment

Link: <u>schoolsafety.gov/find-schoolsafety-resources</u>



State Search Tool

Enables schools to locate and access statespecific school safety resources, programs, contacts, and opportunities

Link: schoolsafety.gov/state-search-tool



Calendar of Events

Features upcoming webinars, training sessions, and conferences for school safety personnel, administrators, educators, and parents

Link: schoolsafety.gov/events



Communications Center

Provides a comprehensive collection of onepagers, presentations, newsletter bulletins, and materials available from SchoolSafety.gov

Link: <u>schoolsafety.gov/school-safety-communications-center</u>



Safety Readiness Tool

Assists users in evaluating their respective school's safety posture across ten elements and provides a tailored Action Plan with options for consideration, aligned resources, and grant opportunities specific to their individual school's needs

Link: schoolsafety.gov/safety-readiness-tool

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