

SUPPORT SERVICES

Policy 5240

(Regulation 5240)

Safety, Security and Communications Comprehensive Emergency Operations Plan

At the direction of the Superintendent of Schools, the principal will determine areas in each building which are best suited for the protection of students during civil defense emergencies, including adverse weather conditions. School will not be dismissed in the case of a civil defense alert or tornado warning.

It shall also be the duty of the Superintendent of Schools to provide for fire inspections on an announced and unannounced basis in each building. The Superintendent is responsible for remedying unsafe conditions reported by local fire marshals acting in their official capacities.

The principal will assume responsibility for preparing a fire drill and emergency exit plan for each building. The plan will permit students to leave the building safely and quickly. Fire drills will be held the first full week of school and quarterly thereafter.

The District may adopt plans for the use of the District's resources during natural disasters or other community emergencies. These resources may include food assistance through the use of federal commodity foods, and the use of school buildings and buses.

Comprehensive Emergency Operations Plan ("Plan")

The District has developed such "Plan" which addresses the following:

1. School safety, crises, and emergency operations.
2. Prevention, preparation, operations, and follow-up.
3. Collaboration with local law enforcement, providers of fire protection services, and emergency management.

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