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Dear Families:

The Hawk Elementary mission is: “To empower students to be successful learners.” To achieve this mission, we recognize that student safety and security are crucial. The Denton Independent School District and our campus have made preparations to respond effectively to such situations. Moreover, all public schools in Texas are required to meet stringent disaster response standards. Your child/children will be cared for in the case of a school disaster or emergency; however, **your family’s cooperation is vital.** To that end we believe that it is important to remind you of a few safety policies and procedures that are followed to protect your children.

Every campus in Denton ISD:

1. Has an identified Crisis Team and maintains a current Crisis Plan.
2. Regularly conducts fire and “lockdown” drills, both scheduled and unscheduled, to ensure that our staff and students are prepared in case of an emergency.
3. Works closely with their city emergency responders to guarantee quick response times.
4. Trains staff members in the appropriate response, as well as their responsibilities in case of an emergency.
5. Posts maps illustrating primary and secondary evacuation routes, as well as the nearest weather safe location in every classroom.
6. Has several weather safe areas. In the event of severe weather, staff and students will move to their designated spot until it subsides.

Hawk Elementary is also sensitive to student allergies. We are NOT a peanut-free campus; however, there are two allergy-free tables in the cafeteria. If you have not already, please contact Nurse Debbie Lynas concerning your child’s allergies so classroom and campus procedures can be put in place.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding these procedures, please let me know.

Sincerely,

Lacey Wells

Lacey Wells, Assistant Principal



Learners today...Leaders tomorrow.