

Dear Parents, Guardians, and Staff:

I wanted to take this opportunity to let you know that keeping your children and our staff safe while at school is our single greatest priority. Listed below are just some of the proactive safety measure we take to ensure the overall well-being of students and staff.

- Safe School Committee meetings
- Monthly safety drills
- Buzz-in system
- Lockdown of all exterior doors
- Student supervision at all times
- ID badges for all staff
- Visitor badges for all visitors
- Cameras on school buses
- Positive Behavior Support Committee
- School-wide respect/kindness/anti-bullying program
- No Place For Hate School
- Raptor System-All visitors must provide driver's license
- Collaboration with local and/or state police
- New security doors at main entrance
- Volunteer clearances required
- Run Hide Fight Intruder protocol
- Elementary Student Assistance Program team
- Safety Care trained team
- Mandated reporting with annual staff training
- School counselors on staff at each building
- School based counselors scheduled at each building
- All Hazards binders provided to staff and reviewed / updated annually
- Chain of command protocols in place

Thank you for trusting us with your children on a daily basis. Continued collaboration between home and school has shown to be the most effective means of ensuring the success of our students. As always, please feel free to contact us if you need any further clarification.