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Fall 2022 Student & School Safety Update

October 12, 2022



AAPS School Safety

- ★ Students
- ★ Staff
- ★ Visitors
- ★ Facilities

- School Safety is a critical priority and fundamental value in the Ann Arbor Public Schools.
- The safety of our students, staff and visitors takes priority, even before the critical mission of teaching, learning, and student achievement.

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Our
commitment

A safe school...

...is welcoming.

...has a staff that communicates a sense of confidence and security to students and families.

...engages all stakeholders, staff, parents, students, law enforcement and the community, to create healthy and happy learning environments.

...is prepared for emergencies by planning, practicing and implementing protocols that offer assurances to students, families and staff.

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Fall 2022 Update

- **School Security Facility, Policy & Protocol Assessments**
 - Secured Education Consultants (SEC) walk-through security assessment of every AAPS campus
 - 2018 / High Schools Jan. 2022 / MS, K-8, Elem, Preschool - Oct. 2022
- **Door Protocol Reminders**
 - External doors locked at all times except for beginning of school with adult supervision
 - Classroom and internal doors locked at all times - propped or closed
- **Visitor Management System**
- **Partnership with Local Law Enforcement**
 - Unified Command Training
 - Emergency Tabletop Exercise last May
 - Meeting with Superintendents & Joint Chiefs
- **Emergency Operation Plan (EOP) Update**
 - School EOPs

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- **Student email monitoring - Securly - 24/7/12 months**
 - Sept. 2021 - Oct.10, 2022
 - 24 Extreme Risk
 - 348 Increased Risk
 - 325 Moderate Risk
 - 603 parents monitor 977 student emails
- **Threat Assessment Tool**
CSTAG - (Comprehensive Threat Assessment Guidelines),
in addition to Columbia Suicide Assessment
- **Partnerships continue with Community Mental Health
& UM Psychiatric ED**

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Next Steps

2022 Next Steps

- **Securly - AAPS Tip Line & OK2Say**
- **Updating the Emergency Management Tool & Student Safe platform**
 - Emergency communications
 - Threat Assessment online tool
- **ALICE Training continues**
 - Introduce e-learning blended platform

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Next Steps

2022 Next Steps

- **MDE - School Safety Grant**
 - **Funding participation confirmation**
 - **School safety & security assessments**
 - **Critical Incident Mapping**
 - **Per pupil funding to improve student mental health supports**
- **School camera system upgrades in-progress with IT**
- **Stop the Bleed Kit Installation**

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Partnerships

Important Partnerships Continue & Strengthen...

- **Continue to work closely with City of Ann Arbor Emergency Manager**
 - Emergency tabletop exercises for AAPS/UM/Sheriff
 - Inclusion in City tabletops - Dam Functions/Floods
 - Formed school safety network to support private & parochial schools
- **Importance of parent/family partnerships**

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