EARTHQUAKE

1. Pre-Emergency Planning:

Become familiar with local emergency management plan. Coordinate the school district plan. Review building codes with local officials. Complete earthquake analysis for your structures. Develop plan with Planning Commissioner, local response agencies (i.e. police, fire, EMS, American Red Cross, Emergency Management Office, and utilities) Review, train and amend plan based on critiques and recommendations for change.

IV. Seguential Response/Action:

- Provide guidance to students and staff during an earthquake: remain calm. Indoors: get under a desk or heavy table (duck and cover. Do not try to leave building. Outside: Get away from the building, utility poles and trees. If in a moving vehicle, stop and remain inside until shaking is over.
- 2. Provide guidance to students and staff after an earthquake: remain calm.
 Check for injuries and provide first aid.
 Check for fires and fire hazards. Shut off valves on damaged water, gas and electric lines. Report fallen power lines to emergency response agencies.
 Report status of your facility to the county emergency management office.
 Account for students and staff.

II. Persons Authorized to Take Immediate Action

- 1. Local Emergency
 Management Director
- 2. Superintendent
- 3. Police

III. Persons to be Notified:

- 1. Supervisor of Buildings and Grounds.
- 2. Transportation Supervisor
- 3. Building Administrators

Persons Responsible:

Teaching Staff
 Public Information Designee
 Building Administrator

Teaching Staff
 School Emergency Coordinator
 Buildings & Grounds
 Supervisor
 Public Information Designee
 Superintendent
 District Emergency Coordinator

Necessary Resources:

 Earthquake Training & Awareness Materials – FEMA/SEMO/Local Emergency Management Office

 Technical assistance and Earthquake planning. Building plan by floor with various key utility shut-off valves and hazards identified.

3.	Decide if shelter or evacuation procedures should be initiated. Be prepared for after shock and after crisis counseling.	3.	Superintendent	3.	
4.	Provide information on damage, impact on students and actions district is taking to the news media, and local emergency management office.	4.	Superintendent District Emergency Coordinator Public Information Designee	4.	Radio Communications AM/FM Radio
5.	Ensure that buildings are safe for habitation before classes are resumed.	5.	Superintendent District Emergency Coordinator Building Administrator	5.	Local Building Inspector, School Building Engineer, or Structural Engineer

FLOOD

1. <u>Pre-Emergency Planning:</u>

Become familiar with Local Emergency
Management Plan. Coordinate the go-home,
shelter and evacuation plans with the Local
Emergency Management Plan. Become familiar
with floodplain areas within the district. Train bus
drivers concerning flood hazards on roads and
bridges. Plan alternate routes.

IV. Sequential Response/Action:

- During periods of flood watches/warnings, monitor NOAA Weather Radio, AM/FM radio and TNT/PROFS for updated information. Maintain FAX in ready mode (if available).
- Based upon National Weather Service and county emergency management office advice, buildings and roads most vulnerable to flooding should be identified. Make plans for school closings and/or selections of alternate routes.
- Emergency response will be activated based on the advice of the Weather Service and the local emergency management office. "Go Home" or "No School" decisions will be communicated to the media in standard fashion, the county emergency management office, the community's official.

II. Persons Authorized to Take Immediate Action

- Local Emergency Management
 Director
- 2. Superintendent
- 3. Transportation Supervisor

III. Persons to be Notified:

- 1. Building Administrator
- 2. Superintendent
- Local Public Works Dept.

Person(s) Responsible:

- District Emergency Coordinator Superintendent Building Administrator
- District Emergency Coordinator Superintendent Building Administrator Transportation Supervisor Local Emergency Management Director
- 3. Superintendent
 District Emergency Coordinator
 Building Administrator
 Transportation Supervisor
 Public Information Designee
 Local Emergency Management
 Director

Necessary Resources:

- 1. AM/FM Radio FAX
- Community Road Maps AM/FM Radio Hazard Analysis Maps

4. Decision to reopen school should be made in coordination with the local emergency management office and the community's chief elected official, and communicated through the media in standard fashion.

- 4 Superintendent
 District Emergency Coordinator
 Building Administrator
 Transportation Supervisor
 Public Information Designee
 Local Emergency Management
 Director
 Local Public Works
 Commissioner
- 4. Media Notification Procedure Community Road Maps AM Radio

HURRICANE/TROPICAL STORM Pre-Emergency Planning: 1. II. Persons Authorized to Take Immediate Action: III. Persons to be Notified: Become familiar with School, District and 1. District Emergency Coordinator **Local Media Contacts** Community Emergency Plans. 2. Superintendent 2. 3. Building Administrator 3. Person(s) Responsibilities: Necessary Resources: IV. Sequential Response/Action: 1. Superintendent Television and Radio District Emergency Coordinator 1. Monitor National Weather Service advisories and media reports. If Hurricane/Tropical storm watch is issued, consult with local emergency management office, regarding consultation of next day's school session. 2. If Hurricane/Tropical Storm Warning is 2. Superintendent Public Address System issued, consult Superintendent and local **District Emergency Coordinator** Telephone emergency management office to **Building Administrator** Radio System coordinate cancellation of school session. Transportation Supervisor **Transportation Vehicles** Implement "Go Home" plan, if appropriate. Teachers and Staff Television and Radio

3. Superintendent

District Emergency Coordinator

Buildings and Grounds Supervisor

Buildings and Grounds Supervisor

District Emergency Coordinator Public Information Designee

Building Administrator

Building Administrator

Superintendent

Transportation Supervisor

Transportation Supervisor

3. Take actions to protect school physical

management and National Weather

4. After the storm's impact, access damage to

property. Reopen school after coordination

with the office of emergency management

Service.

and local officials.

plants, as advised by office of emergency

Telephone

3.

THUNDERSTORM/LIGHTNING STORM (See also: Hurricane/Tropical Storm Emergency Guidelines)

1. Pre-Emergency Planning:

Review the Necessary Resources outlined below to determine what preplanning policies and/or procedures need to be developed in connection with this possible emergency. Train weather spotters.

II. Persons Authorized to Take Immediate Action: III.

- 1. School Emergency Coordinator
- 2. Building Administrator
- 3. Superintendent

III. Persons to be Notified:

- 1. Local Emergency Management
- 2. Staff and Students
- 3

IV. Sequential Response/Action:

- Monitor National Weather advisories.
 Have spotters take positions if a watch is issued.
- 2. Curtail all outdoor activities if thunder heard, lightning seen, or sky threatening.
- Summon all persons into building(s). Take shelter if warning issued. Make sure glass doors and windows are avoided. If the possibility of a tornado see "Tornado" procedure.
- Continue monitoring of storm. If damage is sustained, ensure that county emergency management office and BOCES District Superintendent are informed.

Person(s) Responsible:

- Building Administrator School Emergency Coordinator
- 2. Building Administrator School Emergency Coordinator
- Building Administrator
 Teachers and Staff
 School Emergency Coordinator
- Building Administrator School Emergency Coordinator Buildings and Grounds Supervisor

Necessary Resources:

- 1. AM/FM Radio
- Public Address System and/or written "emergency bulletin" should be developed
- 3. Public Address System and/or written "emergency bulletin" should be developed
- 4. Public Address System Telephone Radio System

TORNADO

1. Pre-Emergency Planning:

Prepare tornado procedures to include instructions to take cover against inside wall in halls, away from windows and large open areas. Coordinate emergency notification with Emergency Management Office. Recruit and train weather spotters.

Persons Authorized to Take Immediate Action: III.

- 1. Building Administrator
- 2. School Emergency Coordinator
- 3. Superintendent

II.

Persons to be Notified:

- 1. Local Emergency Management
- 2.

II. Sequential Response/Action:

- Monitor any National Weather Service tornado watch/warning. Spotters take positions.
- If a tornado is sighted or a tornado warning is issued for the county, curtail all outdoor activities. Take shelter in hallways at the lowest floor of the building possible, away from windows and out of large rooms such as cafeterias and gyms.
- Continue to monitor outside weather conditions. When "warning" is rescinded or "all clear" advice is given, organize to resume normal activities if there is no damage to school property. Coordinate further actions with county emergency management office.
- 4. If building has sustained damage, refer to "Structural Failure" procedure. Also ensure that county emergency management office and BOCES District Superintendent are informed of damage.

Person(s) Responsible:

- Building Administrator
 Superintendent
 District Emergency Coordinator
- Superintendent
 Building Administrator
 District Emergency Coordinator
 Teachers and Staff
- Superintendent
 Building Administrator
 School Emergency Coordinator
 Buildings and Grounds Supervisor
 Teachers and Staff
- Building Administrator
 School Emergency Coordinator
 Buildings and Grounds Supervisor

Necessary Resources:

- AM/FM Radio
 Radio and Television
- 2. Public Address System Predesignated Shelter Areas

3. AM/FM Radio Telephone Radio System

4. Telephone
Radio System
Local Building Inspector
Building Engineer or Structural
Engineer

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1.	Pre-E	mergency Planning:	II.	Perso	ns Authorized to Take Immediate Action:	III.	Perso	ns to be Notified:	
	Become familiar with School, District and Community Emergency Plans. Consult Weather Service publications on personal safety during winter storms. Consult local public works departments to be familiar with their winter road clearance procedures.			1. 2. 3. 4.	Superintendent		1. 2. 3. 4.	Local Public Works Department Building Administrator Transportation Supervisor Local Emergency Management Director School Food Services Manager	
IV.	Sequential Response/Action:			Person(s) Responsible:			Necessary Resources:		
	1.	If school is in session, monitor weather and road conditions.		1.	Building Administrator Superintendent School District Emergency Coordinator		1.	AM/FM Radio Local Public Works Department road condition update	
	2.	Consider appropriate response actions: - School Cancellation - Early Dismissal ("Go Home" Plan) - Sheltering		2.	Superintendent Building Administrator District Emergency Coordinator		2.	Transportation Supervisor AM/FM Radio Local Public Works Department road condition update	
	3.	If decision for emergency action is made, inform Superintendent, local emergency management office. Implement standard media notification.		3.	Building Administrator Transportation Supervisor Superintendent School District Emergency Coordinator		3.	AM/FM Radio Radio System Local Public Works Department road condition update	
	4.	Monitor weather and road conditions		4.	Building Administrator Transportation Supervisor Superintendent District Emergency Coordinator		4.	AM/FM Radio Local Public Works Department road condition update	
	5.	When conditions permit, reopen school and, if appropriate, utilize standard media notification.		5.	Building Administrator Transportation Supervisor Superintendent District Emergency Coordinator		5.	AM/FM Radio Local Public Works Department road condition update	

AIR POLLUTION (External)

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		ne familiar with the local emergency gement plan.		2.	Superintendent Health Department Department of Environmental Conservation		1. 2. 3.	Building Administrator District Emergency Coordinator Buildings and Grounds Supervisor
IV.	Seque	ential Response/Action:						
	 Upon being notified of a problem, follow directions of the local health or environmental agency. 		Person	(s) Responsible:		Nece:	ssary Resources:	
			1.	Superintendent		1.		
	2.	Implement school cancellation or "Go						
	Home" plan. Utilize standard media notification.		2.	Superintendent Building Administrator Public Information Designee		2.	Media Notification Plan AM/FM Radio	
	3.	Monitor situation with local health and environmental officials and through media.		3.	Superintendent Building Administrator		3.	AM/FM Radio
	4.	Resume classes once local health and environmental officials recommend so. Provide standard media notification.		4.	Superintendent Building Administrator Public Information Designee		4.	Media Notification Plan AM/FM Radio