

SACHEM CENTRAL
SCHOOL
DISTRICT

Board of Education

2017-2018

District Safety Plan


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History

- **Safe Schools Against Violence in Education Act (SAVE)**
 - Enacted July 24, 2000
- **Commissioner's Regulation §155.17**
 - District-Wide Safety Plan
 - School Building Emergency Response Plans
 - Codes of Conduct
 - Child Abuse in an Educational Setting
 - Fingerprinting Regulations
 - School Violence Prevention and Intervention

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Legislative Requirements

Superintendent of Schools is the District's
Chief Emergency Officer

➤ **Education Law §807(1-a), b: Fire and Emergency Drills**

- Fire drills to include Emergency Drills
- Twelve (12) Drills per year
 - Four (4) Lockdown
 - Eight (8) Evacuation
- Eight (8) of the Twelve (12) drills must be completed by **December 31st** of each year

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Legislative Requirements


➤ **Education Law §2801-a: School Safety Plans**

Includes, but not limited to:

- Policies and procedures for responding to implied or direct threats of violence.
- Designation of an Emergency Response Team.
- Appropriate prevention and intervention strategies.
- Policies and procedures for the safe evacuation of the school in the event of a serious violent incident or other emergency.
- Policies and procedures for contacting appropriate law enforcement officials.
- Policies and procedures for contacting parents or guardians in the event of a violent incident.
- Protocols for responding to bomb threats, hostage-takings, intrusions and kidnappings.

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District Committees

- **School Safety Team - 21 Members**
 - ❖ Incident Management Team
 - ❖ Health and Safety Committee
 - Consists of: District Administrators and Supervisors, Union Leaders, various Building Personnel, and a Board of Education member.
- **SAVE Committee – 10 Members**
 - ❖ Sub-Committee of the School Safety Team
 - Consists of: District Administrators and Supervisors, SCTA & SAA Union Leaders, High School student representatives , and Board of Education members.

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Next Steps ...

District Safety Plan to be Posted on
District Website and
Open to Public Comment

To be adopted by the Board of Education
October 18, 2017

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