

Code Definitions

An Emergency is an unstable or crucial situation that requires immediate action to prevent or minimize a highly undesirable outcome. Critical Incidents are events or incidents that will most likely require the initiation of a school wide “Code Alert”.

The following emergency system was devised to provide school staff with standardized method to alert staff and students to an emergency. By standardizing the emergency response in every school, all staff members regardless of their assignment and duties will have a common base of knowledge during an incident

Code Red (No Movement)	Threat/Incident to the facility when the best course of action is to keep everyone in Place to include the School SAFE Team The following are sample incidents that could occur but no limited to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Drive-By-Shooter • Outside Disruption • Terrorist threat
Code Yellow (SAFE Team React/Limited Movement)	Threat/Incident to the facility, when the best course of action is to keep everyone in Place but requires the School SAFE Team or others depending on situation to react. The following are sample incidents that could occur but no limited to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◇ Neighborhood Robbery ◇ Suspect in neighborhood ◇ Police Directed
Brown	Threat/. Incident within the facility when the best course of action is to implement the school Shelter-In-Place place <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Accidental Chemical or toxin release • Chemical, Biological, radiological, Nuclear and High Yield Explosive
Blue	Incident when the best course of action is to notify SAFE Team of a medical emergency.
Black	Evacuate Facility <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fire • Gas Leak • Bomb(s) detected or exploded • Bomb Threat
Green	All clear return to classrooms and resume normal activities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All Clear • Resume Activities
Orange	Evacuate: when a situation warrants beyond previous codes