



ACTIVE SHOOTER ON CAMPUS

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SAFETY GUIDELINES FOR ACTIVE SHOOTER ON CAMPUS

While the likelihood of a shooter on campus is remote, it is best to be prepared for any situation. Armed intruder and active shooter situations are unpredictable, evolve quickly and are often over in 10-15 minutes. While law enforcement may only be minutes away, you must be prepared both mentally and physically to deal with an active shooter situation before law enforcement arrives on the scene.

PREPARE NOW SO YOU CAN RESPOND QUICKLY

You must quickly determine the most reasonable way to protect your own life. Students are encouraged to follow the lead of instructors and college staff during critical incidents prior to the arrival of local law enforcement. Review the following options.

- OPTION 1: ESCAPE
- OPTION 2: HIDE
- OPTION 3: FIGHT
- VIDEO RESOURCES

IF POSSIBLE, EVACUATE

If there is an accessible escape path, attempt to evacuate the premises. Be sure to:

- Have an escape route and plan in mind
- Evacuate regardless of whether others agree to follow
- Leave your belongings behind
- Help others escape, if possible
- Prevent individuals from entering the area where the active shooter may be
- Keep your hands visible
- Follow the instructions of any police officer
- Generally, do not attempt to move wounded people
- Call 911 when you are safe