Washington Township Public Schools



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Dear Bulldog Families and Staff:

Yesterday (June 6, 2024), we conducted a security drill at our school to ensure the safety and well-being of our students and staff. The primary objective of today's security drill was to practice and evaluate our emergency response procedures. We believe that being well-prepared is crucial in the event of any unforeseen circumstances that may pose a threat to the safety of our school community. These drills help us refine our response mechanisms and enhance the overall preparedness of our staff and students.

During the drill, students and staff followed established safety protocols for a drill entitled a "hold". A hold is used when there is a minor disturbance or emergency in the hall and students remain in their classrooms until the problem in hall is rectified. This could include an emergency, sickness, or other concern.

Ensuring the safety of our students and staff is our top priority. By conducting regular security drills, we can enhance our collective ability to respond effectively to various emergency situations. These drills also serve to familiarize everyone with the procedures, helping to minimize confusion and anxiety in case a real emergency ever occurs.

We value your feedback and encourage you to share any questions or concerns you may have regarding today's security drill. Your input is important to us as we continually strive to improve our safety measures. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation. Together, we can ensure the safety and security of our school community.

Very Sincerely,

Mike D'Ostilio Principal