

The safety of your child and all children in our school, as well as the safety of the school staff, is very important to us. In order to maintain a safe environment for our children to learn, it is necessary that we practice our Emergency Operation Plan by having drills designed to exercise our procedures.

Throughout the school year, we will be conducting various drills and this document is to help you understand each type of drill.

The students and staff of Seaman Schools will be practicing four primary emergency drills. They are FIRE DRILLS, TORNADO DRILLS, LOCKDOWN DRILLS, and BUS EVACUATION DRILLS. Each type of drill is explained below.

FIRE DRILLS

The school conducts a fire drill each month that school is in session. This is a requirement of the State Fire Marshall.

TORNADO DRILLS

Tornado drills are conducted three times per school year. The purpose of this drill is to be prepared to move to a safe location within the building in case of severe weather or tornados.

LOCKDOWN DRILLS

The lockdown drill will secure the school building and safely shelter all students, staff and visitors inside the building. The purpose of this drill is to keep the students safe from any danger inside or outside of the building.

BUS EVACUATION DRILLS

These drills are conducted twice each year in coordination with the transportation department to ensure that students know how to safely and quickly evacuate busses.

Please remember that these emergency drills are done to help maintain our school as a safe place to learn and work.