



The Piney Woods School Security, Weather-Related, and Other Emergency Events Risk Levels

Low Condition CODE GREEN

Low risk of weather, security or other challenges. The following Protective Measures may be applied:

- Refining and exercising preplanned Protective Measures
- Ensuring personnel receive training on security, intra-departmental or department-specific Protective Measures; and
- Regularly assessing facilities for vulnerabilities and taking measures to reduce them.

Guarded Condition CODE BLUE

General risk of security or weather related events. In addition to the previously outlined Protective Measures, the following may be applied:

- Checking communications with designated emergency response or command locations;
- Reviewing and updating emergency response procedures; and
- Providing the public with necessary information.

Elevated Condition CODE YELLOW

Significant risk of security or weather-related events. In addition to the previously outlined Protective Measures, the following may be applied:

- Increasing surveillance of critical locations;
- Coordinating emergency plans with nearby jurisdictions;
- Assessing further refinement of Protective Measures within the context of the current security or weather-related information; and
- Implementing, as appropriate, contingency and emergency response plans.

High Condition CODE ORANGE

High risk of security or weather-related events. In addition to the previously outlined Protective Measures, the following may be applied:

- Coordinating necessary security efforts with fire, and law enforcement agencies, Red Cross and MEMA;
- Taking additional precautions with students, staff, and community;
- Preparing to work at an alternate site or with a dispersed workforce; and restricting access to essential personnel only.

Severe Condition CODE RED

Severe risk of security or weather-related events. In addition to the previously outlined Protective Measures, the following may be applied:

- Assigning emergency response personnel and pre-positioning specially trained teams; Monitoring, redirecting or constraining transportation systems;
- Closing school, evacuation; and,
- Increasing or redirecting personnel to address critical emergency needs.