

Morenci Area Schools

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On Monday, January 17, 2022, Lt. Dustin Recker, a Morenci High graduate and Lenawee County Deputy, presented an in-service on A.L.I.C.E, the most up-to-date method to protect students and staff from an active shooter. Morenci Area Schools also sponsored two (2) teachers to attend a more rigorous two (2) day training on February 8 and 9, 2022 at the LISD Tech Center.

Shelley Collins, a high school science teacher, and Tatum Penrod, a second grade teacher, learned the most current methods to keep students and staff safe from an active shooter scenario. Both teachers learned that students, 5th grade and below, must be taught to do things differently than those students 6th grade and above.

Staff will be meeting February through April and will be devoting time to learning and using A.L.I.C.E. On Friday, April 29, 2022, each Morenci Area School buildings will conduct an A.L.I.C.E drill. As Shelley Collins stated to administrators, "A.L.I.C.E. training was one of the best training sessions I have ever attended but one I pray I will never have to use".



Morenci Area Schools' A.L.I.C.E. Leaders
Shelley Collins on the left and Tatum Penrod on the right

SCHOOL SAFETY



HEALTH SAFETY

All of the district's staff are trained in the use of the AED, EpiPen, blood borne pathogens and concussions annually.

All of our preschool teachers, coaches and PE teachers are required to be CPR & First Aid trained. Many additional members of the staff are certified as well.

SAFETY DRILLS

Our schools are required to conduct safety drills including fire, tornado and lockdown multiple times per year. These drills are documented with the county.



All staff and students are instructed on how to proceed in the event of these types of emergencies.

ALICE TRAINING FOR ACTIVE SHOOTER SCENARIOS



STAFF TRAINING

Each building has a trained liaison who works with the administration to train staff through professional development.



STUDENT INFORMATION

Students will conduct age-appropriate drills to be prepared should an emergency situation occur.



PARENT INFORMATION

Notification of drills will be given to parents and guardians in advance along with talking points for home. This information will be sent from individual building principals.

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