

AUGUST FOCUS Start Safe

As a district, the number one priority is the safety of the students and staff in Richardson ISD. The first week of school is dedicated to ensuring that all students, staff members, and parents know the safety protocols.

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I Love You Guys Foundation: iloveuguys.org

Texas School Safety Center: <u>txssc.txstate.edu</u>

RISD Safety & Security: www.risd.org/safetysecurity



The second week of school in Richardson ISD is **Safety Week.** All students will participate in learning

about the five types of safety drills: lockdowns, weather related or shelter-in-place, secure lockdown, hold, or evacuation drills. Students will also participate in a fire drill. Students will then participate in "I Know What To Do Days" throughout the school year to reinforce safety protocols. Students will also be introduced to the P3 Campus app and website where they can make anonymous reports regarding school safety, bullying, substance use, and other concerns.



Staff members will be participating in RISD's **Safety Week** and "**I Know What To Do Days**" as well. Both Safety Week and I Know What To Do Days are integral to ensuring everyone knows the safety protocols.



Parents can learn about safety protocols, how to report concerns or where to ask questions on

the **RISD website**. Those who are interested in becoming more involved should consider joining the **Parent Safety Committee**. The committee meets three times per year and collaborates on safety issues with the RISD Safety & Security department. If you are interested, reach out to your school principal for more information. Finally, don't forget to check out the Responsible Use Guidelines for Technology in the **Student and Parent Handbook**.

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Community-wide training, programming and opportunities to empower young people through healthy and wise decision making and meaningful life changing experiences.

