WHAT TO DO IN AN ACTIVE SHOOTER SITUATION



RUN

- Know your surroundings have an escape route and plan in mind
- Run immediately leave your belongings behind
- Evacuate regardless of whether others agree to follow
- Help others escape if possible
- Do not attempt to move injured people
- Prevent others from entering any area where the active shooter may be
- Keep your hands visible
- Call 911 as soon as you are safe



HIDE

- If you cannot escape, hide in an area out of view
- Lock the door or block the entry to your hiding place
- Silence your cell phone (including vibrating mode) and remain quiet
- Take cover behind furniture or fixtures away from doors and windows



FIGHT

- Fight as a last resort, and only if your life is in imminent danger
- · Use items around you as weapons to fight
- Attempt to incapacitate the shooter
- Commit to your actions your life depends on it

INFORMATION TO PROVIDE 911

- Location of the active shooter
- Number of shooters
- Physical description of shooters
- Number/type of weapons
- Number of potential victims at your location

WHEN LAW ENFORCEMENT ARRIVES

- Remain calm and follow all instructions
- Put down any items in your hands
- Raise hands and spread fingers
- Keep your hands visible at all times
- Avoid quick movements towards officers
- Avoid pointing, screaming or velling
- Do not ask officers for help/direction

The first officers to arrive at the scene will not stop to help injured people. Expect rescue teams to follow the initial officers. These rescue teams will treat and remove the injured. Once you have reached a safe location, you will likely be held in that area by law enforcement until the situation is under control. Do not leave the area until law enforcement authorities instruct you to do so.