

Holden School District Safety Report 2016-2017
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1. Each building scheduled and conducted a minimum of three fire drills, two tornado drills, and two intruder drills. In addition to the scheduled drills each building administrator conducted an additional non-scheduled drill. This is done in an effort to provide a more realistic simulation of what might occur during an actual emergency when teachers and staff did not have prior notification. During the year Apple Bus Company conducted an emergency evacuation drill with each driver and for each bus in service.
2. Emergency communication system. The district utilizes multiple methods of communication including but not limited to, the district phone system, building intercom system, cell service, texting and shortwave radio. All methods are at the ready and depending on the situation the proper communication will be utilized.
3. The districts Emergency Response plan is reviewed annually. When an incident arises the plan is continually evaluated and changes are made if necessary.
4. All school facilities have been monitored and inspected throughout the year by the Superintendent, building administrators, safety coordinator, and members of the safety committee.
5. The Holden School District continues to be an active member of the Johnson County Safe Schools Task Force in an ongoing effort to provide an additional layer of safety and security coverage in cooperation with the various emergency response agencies in Johnson County.
6. The district provides annual active shooter training drills. The district training will be in coordination with local and state law enforcement officers.
7. The district coordinates and maintains district wide access control systems as well and video surveillance.