

ACT 143 requires that before January 1, 2019, and before each January 1 thereafter, each school board shall ensure that, at each school building regularly occupied by pupils, pupils are drilled, at least annually, in the proper response to a school violence event. The person having direct charge of the school building at which a drill is held shall submit a brief written evaluation of the drill to the school board within 30 days of holding the drill. In order to comply with ACT 143.

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On December 19, 2018 the Cochrane – Fountain City School District conducted a lockdown drill. Teachers were notified in advance of a possible drill and were reminded via email to go over the lockdown procedures with their students. The drill was initiated over our public address system at 1:00 p.m. as, "Lockdown! This is a drill. Class Operations may go on as planned this is a lockdown drill" The students were in class. The drill was complete 15 minutes later at 1:15 p.m.

Our school implements the Standard Response Protocol during this drill. Our students are trained to stay in which ever area they are located. Our teachers are trained to lock their classroom door, do not open the door, and take roll to account for all students. During the drill doors were checked and found to be locked.

Successful highlights:

This lockdown drill was very efficient. No students were viewed in the hallway at any time from the start to the completion of the drill. Buffalo County Sheriff's Department, Trempealeau County Law Enforcement and the Police Chief from Independence Wisconsin were all on hand to assist and review the lockdown as well as inspect the facilities with canine units. Children were not in the hallway or visible from the hallway in the classrooms.

Focus areas for the next drill:

C-FC is very confident in the staff's ability to quickly lock all classroom doors. For the next drill I would like to have the Buffalo County Sheriff's Department on hand to conduct an "Active Threat" drill when the students are present. I have been in contact with Chief Deputy Engfer to work on scheduling for this Spring or possibly the Fall of 2020.

Certifications:

Our school certifies that this drill was conducted on December 19, 2018, and this written evaluation was sent to and reviewed by the school board on January 16, 2019.

Principal Signature:



Superintendent Signature:



School Board President Signature: \_\_\_\_\_