

Southwest Valley Stakeholders,

In January, Southwest Valley Schools have been completing some safety precaution drills. Students and staff discuss steps taken to keep everyone safe on our campus and what to do in an emergency. Today, at the Southwest Valley Middle School, we utilized some of the safety precautions for student safety and medical personnel to provide support. At no time were students in danger from peers or outsiders.

The safety precautions are designed to provide different levels of security based on what is needed, limit student disruption, and prioritize safety. Feel free to speak to your children about what has been discussed at school. For students and staff in the Southwest Valley Middle School, thank them for responding calmly to allow staff to respond appropriately.

We emphasize remaining calm in all situations, therefore drills and discussion has prepared us well to respond to a multitude of situations. Staff are directed to respond first with student safety in mind. Our best efforts will be made to follow up any use of our safety precautions with a notice placed on the district website in a timely manner.