

The safety of the students at Bright is important to us. We practice safety drills (fire, tornado, lockdown) throughout the year to help our students know what to do in an emergency. Please talk with your students about these drills and reinforce to them the seriousness of following directions during the practice drills or in an actual emergency.

## EMERGENCY TRANSFER

Frisco ISD has a plan to transfer students by bus to another school in case of an evacuation. Situations such as a gas leak, fire or smoke, or other safety concerns may necessitate transfer. Bright Elementary students will go to Shawnee Trail Elementary. Shawnee Trail can be found by traveling east on Stonebrook/Rolater to Hillcrest. Turn right on Hillcrest. Turn right onto Preston Vineyards. Shawnee Trail will be on the left. Their phone number is 469-633-2500.

## TORNADO

In the event of a severe weather emergency, Bright Elementary has a plan to keep the children safe. All classrooms have a designated safe room or area that does not have windows. The children practice "duck and cover" until the emergency has passed. We practice the duck and cover throughout the school year. If a severe weather situation were to occur during dismissal, the children would be kept safe and parents would be invited into the building for safety. Once the situation is cleared, students would be dismissed as usual.

## LOCKDOWN

A lockdown procedure occurs when there is an internal or external threat to the safety of the children at Bright Elementary School. A "lockdown" occurs in the classroom with the doors locked, lights off and the children are away from the windows or doors and cannot be seen.

## FIRE or SMOKE

Bright Elementary students practice fire drills multiple times during the school year. Students exit the building and go to their designated area until the "all clear" message is heard. Students remain with their teacher until it is time to go back in the building. In the event of an actual fire or smoke problem that requires evacuation at dismissal time, students will remain with their teachers until parents arrive or arrangements for the child are made.