ATV Safety Week is in June!
Help Students Stay Safe All Year

School is out for summer! It is not too early to start thinking about student safety for the upcoming year. ATV Ride Safe OK offers a community based ATV Safety Education program to Oklahoma schools. Students learn ATV Safety, with an emphasis on helmets/riding gear, operating right size ATV for their age and size, and risk management. They will also learn about local regulations, places to ride and environmental concerns. Teachers can re-enforce ATV safety with classroom curriculum from ATV Ride Safe.

For more information email the coordinator at atvsafety@tccokc.org.

Safe Kids & Sports

Participation in sports offers tremendous social, emotional and physical benefits for students. We know that one of the worst things for athletes is being on the sidelines with an injury. Safe Kids Worldwide has simple things you can do to help reduce preventable injuries – so our kids can continue playing the games they love. As the summer temps rise, access videos and safety tips to use with your athletes at https://www.safekids.org/sports.

School Safety Best Practices

Summer is here and many schools and campuses are closed. It is a great time to enhance preparedness in collaboration with staff, students, and community partners. REMS Technical Assistance Center has recommendations to help you make your school safer. Get help with training and other key safety topics.

Safe Schools 101

The Oklahoma Department of Emergency Management’s (OEM) program, Safe School 101 has trained architects, engineers, design professionals and others that will assess school buildings for: • Best available area of refuge • Opportunities for hardening those areas • Construction of FEMA compliant safe rooms.

There are no deadline or enrollment periods and the assessment is conducted at no cost to the school.

If your district would like to participate in the Safe Schools 101 program, please contact OEM.

Safeschools101@oem.ok.gov
405.521.2481
Oklahoma Teacher: A Dream Big Winner!

Farmers annual Dream Big Teacher Challenge is going on now and they want America to vote for your favorite and most deserving teachers! Explore and vote daily on compelling and inspiring proposals during voting periods. Help a teacher be a winner like Sherrie Johnson from Clinton, OK! Congratulations Sherrie! Apply now and Dream Big for $100,000.

DRIVING SAFETY FOR TEENS

The Oklahoma Insurance Department offers a free education program designed for middle and high school students that shows how making bad decisions behind the wheel can hurt them financially as well as physically.

If you are interested in having someone from the Oklahoma Insurance Department present Insurance 101 for Teen Drivers at your school, contact Tracy Keeley at 405-420-5398 or tracy.keeley@oid.ok.gov. Thank you for helping teens get smart about insurance and driving.

SUMMER SAFETY

Keeping Kids Safe in Open Water

Swimming in lakes, rivers, oceans and other open water poses hazards you won’t find in a swimming pool.

Swimming Safety for Pre-teens

Confidence is good in the water, but it’s still important to arm yourself with a few safety tips to make sure kids are safe.

Burn Prevention for Teens

As kids get older, they earn more freedom, including areas where fire is concerned, such as lighting candles and cooking.

Plan Ahead with Ready.gov

Contact your OID Education Representative

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