



School Security Checklist



FRONT DOORS

- Is there a secured door that visitors must be cleared through before entering the school? Can the door withstand gunshots? Can the door be bypassed or are all visitors funneled through this entrance?



LOCKDOWN PROCEDURES

- Who can initiate a lockdown? Can it be initiated only from the front office or are multiple methods of initiating a lockdown available? Can teachers initiate their own lockdown if they hear what they believe is gunfire or if they see an intruder?



CLASSROOM DOORS

- Do the doors have a deadbolt that can be secured quickly with no key?
- Do the doors have a backup lock, such as a hotel-style throw-over lock, a Door Jammer or a similar security doorstop?
- Are the classroom's windows security windows with embedded laminate?
- Can the windows be quickly and completely blocked with a shade or curtain?



BARRICADES

- Do classrooms have barricades, such as movable cabinets or bookcases, which can be quickly pushed or dropped in front of the door?