

## **Manage Aggressive Behavior**

## Let's discuss what to do when students hit, kick, throw things, and run away.

When a student's behavior escalates, it's common to freeze or overreact. Instead, be prepared by learning how to protect everyone, modify the environment, and resolve the situation while staying positive and calm.

## Questions:

- · What aggressive behaviors have you experienced?
- What are the risks of grabbing and holding a student?
- · What are ways to control a person without holding?
- How can asking for others' help change the situation?
- When should you ask a parent to help?
- How do you report an incident to parents, so they feel welcome to return?
- · What should you discuss as you recap the situation with your team?
- What are Kevlar sleeves?
- How may a different person make a difference?
- · What are safe ways to get out of holds and bites?
- How can you manage a student who takes their clothes off?