

WHAT TO DO IN AN ACTIVE SHOOTER SITUATION

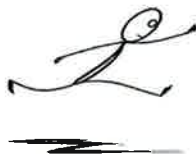
These tips are applicable anywhere (school, work, malls, grocery stores, athletic and performing art events, etc.)

- ◆ Be aware of your surroundings at all times.
- ◆ Report suspicious activity by calling 911 or the ASU Police Department non-emergency line 480-965-3456.
 - ◆ Always pay attention to exits and how you would escape or secure the location.
 - ◆ Trust your instincts. Develop a **SURVIVOR MINDSET!**
- ◆ If you are in or near an act of violence, be prepared to **RUN, HIDE or FIGHT!**

If you find yourself in an act of violence situation, you have three options:

IF YOU CAN ESCAPE — RUN!

- ◆ Find a safe path to escape;
- ◆ Leave your belongings behind;
- ◆ Keep going, even if others don't follow;
- ◆ Provide assistance to help others escape, if possible;
- ◆ If you encounter police as you exit, raise your hands and comply with their instructions;
- ◆ When it's safe to do so, **call 911 and tell them you're on ASU campus!**



IF THE SHOOTER IS NEARBY OR TOO CLOSE AND YOU CAN'T ESCAPE — HIDE!

- ◆ If possible, get to a room where you can lock doors/shut blinds/turn off lights;
- ◆ Move furniture and block doors and windows with anything available, ie. tables, chairs, copiers, file cabinets., if possible;
- ◆ Silence your cell phone; spread out and make a plan with others about what you will do if the shooter enters; Seek out items that can be used as weapons in order to disable or momentarily distract the suspect!
- ◆ If you have to be silent and can't call 911, the **LiveSafe** app will enable you to text the details of the emergency directly to ASU Police Dispatch



IF YOU HAVEN'T BEEN ABLE TO ESCAPE OR THE SHOOTER DISCOVERS YOUR HIDING PLACE YOU MUST BE PREPARED TO — FIGHT!

- ◆ You must be prepared to fight as a last resort when your life is in danger;
- ◆ Do whatever you can to disrupt or incapacitate the shooter;
- ◆ Do not be tentative, commit to action, your life may depend on it;
- ◆ Improvise weapons and do what you have to do to survive;
- ◆ The element of surprise is your ally.



WHEN THE POLICE ARRIVE, REMEMBER :

- ◆ The first officers on the scene will not render aid or stop to help the injured. They will be focused on stopping the shooter from hurting anyone else;
- ◆ Other officers will arrive and when it's safe, victims will be treated and evacuated;
- ◆ Please remember that responding officers don't know who the shooter is, so everyone they encounter will be considered as such:
 - * Remain calm and follow instructions;
 - * Drop any items and raise your hands, keeping them visible at all times;
 - * Avoid quick movements towards the officer and do not reach for or grab them;
 - * Be prepared to provide as much information as you can to help the officers locate the shooter.
- * Shelter in place until the Police give the all-clear.

Calling 911...

- ◆ Tell them your **exact** location!
- ◆ Remain calm;
- ◆ Provide last known location of the shooter;
- ◆ Provide number of shooters and types of weapons;
- ◆ Physical description of the shooter(s)
- ◆ Number of injured and extent of injuries

ASUPD Non-Emergency Number

480-965-3456

ASU POLICE DEPARTMENT

Mission: To ensure student, staff and faculty success by providing a safe and secure environment for you to live, work, study and play

- ◆ 85+ state certified police officers; 70+ non-sworn police aides
- ◆ ASU Officers and PA's are trained to deal with active shooter situations;
- ◆ ASUPD Crime Prevention Unit provides active shooter trainings, as requested
- ◆ Officers are stationed at all four ASU campuses 24 hours/day, 7 days/week, 365 days/year;
- ◆ ASUPD is a valued member and partner of the ASU community;
- ◆ Safety is a shared responsibility



***If you see something,
say something!***

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