Elementary Active Assailant Run Drill Talking Points



- 1. Points recommended to review with students:
 - *Our school safety officer (SSO), Mr/Ms _____, is on campus to keep us safe.
 - *Never open exit doors for anyone.
 - *Everybody should be going to the front office to get into school.
 - *If you see something strange, say something to the nearest adult in charge.
 - *School is the safest place you can be.
- 2. What types of drills do we practice at school?
 - *Fire Drill, Tornado Drill, Lockdown Drill, and now Active Assailant Drill
- 3. How do I know if something is happening on our campus?
 - *An announcement will be made and your teacher will tell you.
- 4. What is our quiet signal, if I need your attention?
- 5. What happens if we are not in our classroom?
 - *Listen to the adult in charge and follow their lead to safety.
- 6. What are some examples when you might not be with your teacher?
 - *Art, Music, PE, Lunch, Recess
- 7. What if I am not with my class and something happens?
 - *Find the nearest adult that you recognize and follow their lead.
- 8. Are there times when you might not be with your class?
 - *Nurse, bathroom, delivering a message, library, small group work.
- 9. What if I am scared?
 - *This is perfectly normal and we plan ahead and do drills to help us get through similar scary situations, like fires and tornadoes.
- 10. If we had to run, where would our safest options be to get off of campus?
- 11. If a student asks what an assailant is, an appropriate answer could be:
 - *It is a person that should not be at school that could hurt someone.