

School Earthquake Preparedness

EARTHQUAKE SAFETY TIPS FOR SCHOOL

When you are in classroom, Laboratory or Library

- Instruct/follow, **“Drop, Cover and Hold”**
- Face away immediately from **windows** and **take cover under** or beside desks, tables and benches
- Move away from **bookshelves** when in the **library**
- Activate emergency power shut-off and extinguish all burners when in the **science labs**
- Assume **“Crash” position on** knees, head down, one hand clasped over neck and one hand holding furniture
- Once the shaking has **stopped**, stand up and move to designated assembly area
- Use recommended evacuation routes
- Triage the **injured** and apply the life saving **first aid**



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