

Elementary Teachers Federation of Ontario Hastings Prince Edward Teacher Local

Classroom Safety Checklist

- All safety concerns are reported via email to the administrator.
- □ Fire exit doors are free of flammable materials.
- No more than 20% of the classroom wallspace is covered with flammable material.
- □ Fire routes are posted beside the door and the exit(s) are clear.
- □ Windows, doors, fans and air purifiers are used to improve air quality.
- □ Furniture or carpets that are not Board supplied are avoided.
- □ All shelving is secured to prevent tipping.
- □ Heavy items are not stored on high shelves
- Power bars are not plugged into other power bars.
- Extension cords are used on a temporary basis and stored out of the way when not in use.
- Store bought consumer cleaning products are not used in the classroom (e.g., bleach, Windex, Lysol, etc.).
- All containers of liquids, powders or other substances which are not easily identified are clearly labeled as to their contents.
- Step-ladders are used to reach or place high items, not chairs.
- □ Classroom keys are kept close at hand, in case of a lockdown.
- First Aid qualified staff and their locations in the building are known.
- Any injuries that occur while at work are immediately reported to the administrator and an Accident Form in CLEVR is completed.
- ALL violent incidents or threats of violence are reported to my administrator AND the appropriate online form(s) are filled out. (e.g., Safe Schools Incident Report, Violent Incident Form, ETFOHP Google Form) **Refer to the Health & Safety Resource Poster on ETFO bulletin board**

If you have any questions or concerns please call Jason at 613-968-3707 x226 or via email jsurgent@etfohp.on.ca.