HIDDEN WEAPONS

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HIDDEN WEAPONS IN OUR SCHOOLS

- Why bring weapons to school?
- Who brings them?
- What kind of weapons?
- Where they get them?
- How do they get into school?
- What weapons are already at school?
- What can you do?

WHY BRING THEM TO SCHOOL?

- Elementary
 - Curiosity
 - **Middle/High School**
 - Fear/Protection
 - Revenge
 - Acceptance
 - Intimidation



- STUDENTS
- VISITORS
- PARENTS
- LEOs

What kinds of weapons?

- HAND GUNS
- RIFLES
- SHOT GUNS
- ZIP GUNS
- IEDs
- KNIVES
- BOMBS
- CHEMICALS
- FIRE



Improvise



- Many house holds have many different kinds of weapons. <u>Most</u> homes have guns.
- Many parents don't use proper control.
- Many parents don't think that their little darling will do anything WRONG.



- Gangs sell them
- Thieves sell them
- Burglaries
- Internet purchases

GUN SHOWS AND MAKE THEIR OWN

- Gun shows have front and back doors
- Internet
- Library
- Science lab
- Magazines



- Television
- Movies
- Computer games
- Almost anywhere

How Do They Get Them Into Schools?

- Can be brought to school in a thermos jugs
- Solid pool chlorine can also be carried in a thermos or ziplock bags
- Lunch pales
- Back packs
- Vehicles

WEAPONS ALREADY AT SCHOOL

- Class rooms
- Hallways
- Custodial areas
- Science labs
- Gyms
- Cafeterias
- Offices
- Cars

SAMPLES, BY NO MEANS THE TOTAL

TANG BOMB

Scotland Yard and Heathrow Airport

SCIENCE LABS

Ready access to weapons

- 1. Acids
- 2. Gases
- 3. Containers
- 4. Electricity
- 5. Batteries
- 6. Fuse components

Gassing Mixtures

Liquid bleach (clothes washing or cleaners)

Or Calcium hypochlorite (pool granules or tablets) plus

Liquid ammonia (concentrated cleaner)

makes

Chloramines gas (noxious, hazardous with long exposure)



Calcium hypochlorite (pool granules or tablets)

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Organic liquids (brake fluid, antifreeze, some other oils)

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Smoke bomb in open can (noxious cloud)

or

Chlorine bomb when contained (plastic soda bottle)



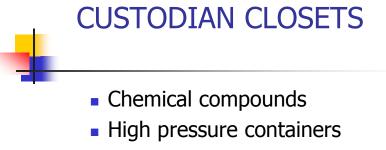
Aluminum foil

plus

 Strong acid (i.e. hydrochloric acid, sulfuric acid concrete wash, drain cleaner, etc.)

makes

• Acid bomb (when contained in a plastic soda bottle)



- Rags and bottles
- Tape, wire, light bulbs



- Janitorial closets may contain
 - bleach,
 - acid-base drain cleaners, or
 - ammonia

that can be used to make noxious gasses or soda bottle bombs



CAFETERIAS • Knives • Bottles

- Cleaning materials
- Acids

WHAT TO DO!!

- Learn chemistry
- Develop a safety team
 - Administrator Fire Marshall Chemistry teacher Custodian
- Conduct safety checks

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HIDDEN WEAPONS MIGHT

QUESTIONS

BE SAFE

THANK YOU

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