Texas *D.A.R.E.* Training & Development Institute

# HOLISTIC TRAINING PLAN & CONCEPT



### FORWARD

It is time to go to and listen to the men and women in **Law Enforcement** that work in <u>our schools on a daily basis</u> verses listening to men and women far removed from the realities of a school-based environment.



## PURPOSE

Provide our SBLE Officers & Deputies with the means to:

- Deter,
- Detect,
- Delay and
- Deny

Tobacco, alcohol, prescription or over-the-counter drugs and/or illegal Drug use/abuse, bullying, gangs, teen suicide, other active threats of violence on/at our school campuses.



# VISION

 To develop a universal integrated holistic school safety & security model concept, Force Multiplier and training plan.





## MISSION

To prepare our officers/deputies, law enforcement supervisors, school and law enforcement administrators/executives, school board members, staff/faculties, students, parents and communities to meet any need, emergency and/or active threat encountered on any school, college and/or university campus.





## GOALS

- Holistic integrated and specialized training based on "Best Practices" and Lessons Learned. (Reality not theory-based)
- Affordable Cost Advantageous
- Governed by stakeholders and not a college or university
- Provide layers of protection through **TRAINING**.





## **Stakeholders**

- U.S. Department of Education
- School District Chiefs of Police Association's
- Texas Sheriff's Association (National Sheriff's Association)
- International Chiefs of Police Association (ICPA)



# **OBJECTIVES**

- Cross-train our officers-deputies
  - D.A.R.E. Officers/Deputies
  - S.R.O. Officers/Deputies
  - ➢ G.R.E.A.T. Officers/Deputies
  - Certified Crime Prevention Specialist (C.C.P.S.)
  - Community Policing Specialist
  - First Responders
  - INTEL Specialist
  - Special Response Team (S.R.T.)



# **OBJECTIVES – Cont'd:**

- Specialty (Highly Specialized) Training for
  - > Officers/Deputies
  - Law Enforcement Supervisors (Leadership Training)
  - Law Enforcement & School District Administrators (And School Board Members)
  - School Staff & Teachers
  - Students
  - Parents



# **OBJECTIVES – Cont'd:**

#### • DETECT – DETER – DELAY – DENY

- Alcohol
- > Tobacco
- > Over-the-counter Drug Abuse
- Prescription Drug Abuse
- Illegal Drug Sale/Use/Abuse
- Bullying
- Teen Suicide
- Gangs
- Other Active Threats and/or Violence



# **OBJECTIVES – Cont'd:**

- Enhance Safety & Security for our Schools
- Enhance Officer & Administrator/Faculty Relations
- Enhance Officer & Student Relations
- Enhance Officer/Agency & Community Relations
- Enhance School & Community Relations





**Prepare/Prevent** 



Protecting Schools from Tobacco, Alcohol, Drugs, Active Threats, (Terrorism – Shooters) Gangs and Violent Acts Through Specialized Training

Response

**Evaluation** 



Recovery

## **Research & Development**

- Input from officers in schools, feedback from officers taking the course and course evaluations
- Input from I.S.D. Chiefs
- Texas D.A.R.E. Training & Development
  Institute TCLEOSE Advisory Board
- Best practices from lessons learned across the state and nation
- Independent evaluations



## **LEVEL I** – SBLE Officer Courses

- Phase I: Basic Officer-Deputy Course
- Phase II: Intermediate Officer-Deputy
   Course
- Phase III: Advanced Officer-Deputy Course
- Phase IV: Masters Officer-Deputy Course
- Phase V: Other select supplemental courses such as N.A.S.R.O. specialty lessons.
   Highly Specialized TRAINING



## Phase I Levels I – IV & V Officer-Deputy SBLE Training



### OVERVIEW of SBLE Basic Officer Specialized Training Course



### LEVEL I PHASE I - Basic

### **Basic Officer Course/Lessons**

- History of School-Based Law Enforcement (SBLE)
- Gangs (Overview what to look for & officer safety)
- Juvenile Law & Juvenile Case Law
- Alcohol Code & Health and Safety Code
- Law Enforcement Ethics



### Basic Officer Course – Cont'd

- Sharing of Information Law (FERPA)
- Search and Seizure in Schools -Handling and Processing Juvenile Offenders
- Recent School Case Law
- Penal Code & Code of Criminal Procedure
- Alternative strategies for writing tickets to enforce school discipline.

### Basic Officer Course – Cont'd

- First Responder Terminology/Threats Chemical-Biological & Radiological (CBR)
- First Responder Health & Safety Response Protocols for CBR
- Improvised Explosive Devices (IED) Awareness
- Counter-Terrorism (Domestic & International) - ISI



## **Confrontation Management and Concealed Weapons**

# WHY BRING THEM TO SCHOOL?

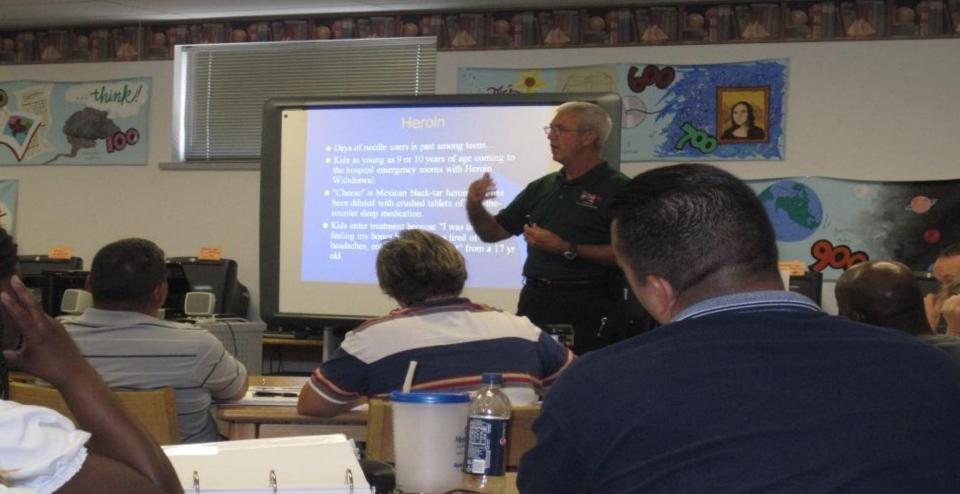
- . Curiosity
- Middle/High School
- Fear/Protection
- Revenge
- \* Acceptance
- Intimidation

## Basic Officer Course – Cont'd

- CPTED for Schools
- School Violence "Cause & Effect"
- Bullying & Cyber-Bullying
- Drug Awareness Part I (Concealment)
- Mitigating School Mass Active Threats
- Krav-Maga (Israeli unarmed selfdefense – Officer & student safety) ISI



#### **Drug Awareness**



### Basic Officer Course – Cont'd

- SBLE Officer, <u>School Staff</u>, Student and Parent Relations Part I
- Overview of/for Developing comprehensive Emergency Operations Plans (EOP) or Emergency Action Plans (EAP)
- Scenarios (Critiques & Evaluation)
- Open Forum & Discussion





## OVERVIEW of SBLE Intermediate Officer Specialized Training Course



### LEVEL I PHASE II - Intermediate

### Intermediate Officer Course

- Gang Investigations (Intervention Strategies)
- Juvenile & School Case Law (Updates)
- Action Planning Problem Solving
- SBLE Officer Role in Discipline & Enforcement (Keep Kids In School)
- School Special Reaction(Response) Teams (SSRT) 16-hours ISI



## **School Special Reaction TEAM**



### Intermediate Course – Cont'd

- Collecting, Analyzing, Reporting and storing Intelligence for SBLE Officers
- SBLE Officer Stress Management
- Drug Awareness Part II (Symptoms & Signs)
- SBLE Officer Fitness, Wellness and Professional Development
- SBLE Officer how to work with the media.
- Dating Violence & Stalking in Schools



### Intermediate Course – Cont'd

- Identifying potentially dangerous and/or violent persons or students
- SBLE Officer Role as a "Problem Solver"
- SBLE Officer, School Staff, <u>Student</u> and Parent Relations Part II (Cultural Diversity)
- Developing School Safety Teams (Special Reaction (Response) Teams) – SSRT (ISI)
- Hostage Rescue (Initial Negotiations)



## OVERVIEW of SBLE Advanced Officer Specialized Training Course



### LEVEL I PHASE III - Advanced

## **Advanced Officer Course**

- SBLE Officer Crisis Intervention & Prevention
- Collecting, Analyzing and Reporting INTEL Part II (Know what is going on)
- Drug Awareness Part III (Most abused drugs)
- Gang Intervention & Prevention Strategies
- Truancy (Why we need to keep kids in schools)



### **Advanced Course - Continued**

- Establishing and Empowering <u>Teen</u> <u>Courts & Peer Review</u> (Positive alternatives designed to keep kids in schools) using Student Councils.
- Establishing Neighborhood School Watch Programs (Community-based)
- **Special handing** of mentally challenged students or students with special needs
- Physical <u>restraint</u> & <u>de-escalation</u> tactics

   use of force continuum for schools
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### **Advanced Course - Continued**

- Teen Suicide <u>intervention</u> and <u>prevention</u>
- Responding to School Bomb Threats
- Understanding <u>Child development</u> & <u>psychology</u>
- <u>Cultural diversity</u> on school and college campuses
- Conducting Campus Safety & Security <u>threat assessments</u>



## Advanced Course – Continued

- Structuring, composition, role, responsibility and accountabilities of Special Reaction (Response) Team members
- Developing comprehensive Emergency Operations Plans (EOP) or Emergency Action Plans (EAP)
- Hostage Rescue and/or initial negotiation
- Scenarios (Critiques & Evaluation)



## OVERVIEW of SBLE Master Officer Specialized Training Course



### LEVEL I PHASE IV - Master

# Master Officer Course OBJECTIVES

- Neutralizing threats (w/practical's)
- Analyzing Threat INTEL
- Threat intervention & prevention strategies based on Best Practices and Lessons Learned
- Facilitator and presentation skills enhancement
- Preparation, practice and delivery of the following curriculums/lessons:

#### Master Officer Course OBJECTIVES

- ✓ SBLE Officer will learn and be able to deliver the SBLE <u>School Staff</u> training curriculum
- ✓ SBLE Officer will learn and be able to deliver the SBLE <u>Student</u> training curriculum
- ✓ SBLE Officer will learn and be able to deliver the SBLE <u>Parent</u> training curriculum
- ✓ SBLE Officers must <u>Define</u> & <u>Process</u> each of the curricula lessons.
- Other identified specialized training required



## **LEVEL I PHASE V** Supplemental Education

- Courses on controlling mentally disturbed persons using minimal force (adults and juveniles).
- Advanced INTEL collection, analysis and sharing (preserving civil liberties and life)
- Advanced Tactics (dealing with myriad of threats)
- Other courses requested by officers & deputies vested with responsibility to serve and protect

### **LEVEL I PHASE V** Supplemental Education – Cont'd

#### N.A.S.R.O. Courses:

- Basic S.R.O.
- Advanced S.R.O.
- S.R.O. Active Shooter Response
- Interview and Interrogation techniques for the S.R.O.
- School Security Officer (SSO) course
- Enhancing Lock-down Procedures for S.R.O.
- School Law Up-dates for S.R.O.

#### FORCE MULTIPLIER CROSS-TRAINING CONCEPT

- ✓ **D.A.R.E.** Officer
- ✓N.A.S.R.O. Officer certification courses
- ✓ Crime Prevention courses
- ✓ G.R.E.A.T. Officer certification
- Community Policing & S.A.F.E. training courses
   All rolled into one elite force for "GOOD"

#### **LEVEL II** – Phase I SBLE Supervisor Courses

#### SBLE Supervisor Course - Basic







## **Level II Phase I** Leadership Training for Supervisors

- Leadership Basic Terms module
- Psychology of Human Behavior module
- Types/Styles of Leadership module
- Risk Management module
- Goal Setting (w/practical exercises)
- Counseling module
  - Professional Development
  - ✓ Performance & Evaluation
  - ✓ Corrective



**Level II** Phase I Leadership Training for Supervisors – Cont'd:

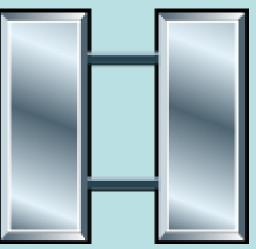
- Leadership Traits module
- Leadership Characteristics module
- Scheduling & Assignments module
- Leadership Ethics module
- Manpower and Budgeting surveys and justifications module
- Organizational Effectiveness module(Group general session, breakouts and review)
- Summary



#### **LEVEL II** – Phase II SBLE Supervisor Courses

SBLE Supervisor Course - Advanced







## Level II Phase II Leadership Supervisor Training

- SBLE **Basic** Course Overview (Define & Process)
- SBLE Intermediate Course Overview (Define & Process)
- SBLE Advanced Course Overview (Define & Process)
- SBLE Master Course Overview (Define & Process)



## **LEVEL III** PHASE I SBLE Executive Management & Administrators Course

- SBLE Management Course
- Superintendents & Principals
- Sheriffs Constables & Chiefs
- School Board Members



## Level III Phase I Learning Objectives/Modules

- Role of D.A.R.E./G.R.E.A.T. and/or SRO verses Principal or other School Staff.
- Difference between violation of local, state and/or federal law verses discipline.
- Enforcement of school rules, regulations, policy & procedure verses law enforcement.
- Keeping Children in School and deferred from juvenile court system.



#### Level III Phase I Learning Objectives/Modules

- Preparation of Emergency Operations Plans (EOP)
- Emergency Operations Practicums

Review Summary & Recommendation(s)



#### **LEVEL IV** PHASE I SBLE **School Staff** Training Course





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- Taught by SBLE Officer Master Level Officers
- SBLE School Staff Course
  - Active Threat Response
  - IED Awareness (Bomb Threats)
  - INTEL Reporting (Violent behavior detection, Gang & Drug Prevention)
  - Gang & Bullying (Intervention & Prevention)
  - Teen Suicide Intervention
    Prevention

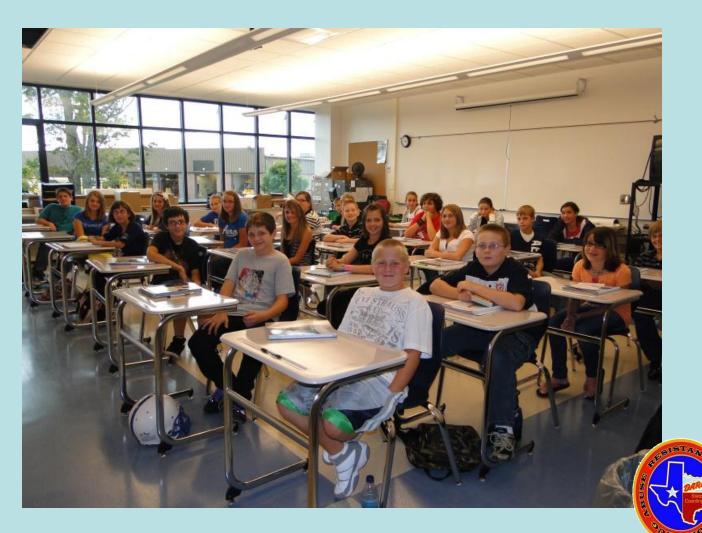


## LEVEL IV PHASE I SBLE School Staff Training Course

- SBLE School Staff Course Cont'd:
  - > Violence Intervention & Prevention
  - Situational Awareness
  - Best Practices Protocols
  - Confrontational Management (Deescalation)
  - Emergency Preparedness
  - Developing Practical Emergency Operations Plans
  - >Much more.....



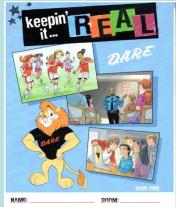
### **LEVEL V** Phase I SBLE Student Courses





## **LEVEL V Phase I SBLE** Student Course (Elementary)

- Introduction to *D.A.R.E.* Keepin-It-Real – (Elementary Curriculum)
- Drug Information for Responsible Decision-Making
- Risk & Consequences
- Peer Pressure



Dealing with Stressful Situations



#### **LEVEL V Phase I SBLE** Student Course (Elementary) – Cont'd

- Basics of Communication
- Non-Verbal Communications & Active
   Listening
- Bullying
- Helping Others



Getting Help from Others & Review



### Learning Objectives Keepin-It-Real (Elementary School)

- Define Responsible and Identify Responsibilities
- Identify harmful effects of illegal drugs, and alcohol and tobacco
- Define Risk and apply to realistic scenarios
- Define and recognize source of Peer
   Pressure
- Identify signs of stress



#### Learning Objectives – Cont'd Keepin-It-Real (Elementary School)

- Explain & demonstrate importance of effective communication
- Define & demonstrate active listening skills
- Define & recognize **Bullying** and its adverse effects.
- Identify importance of becoming a productive citizen
- Provide community resources designed to HELP for students in need

## **LEVEL V Phase II SBLE** Student Course (Middle School)

## **D.A.R.E. Keepin-It-Real** (Middle/Junior High curriculum)

- Options & Choices
- Risks



- Communication and Conflict
- Refuse
- Explain



#### **LEVEL V Phase II SBLE** Student Course (Middle School) – Cont'd:

- Avoid
- Leave
- Norms
- Feelings

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Support Networks





#### Learning Objectives Keepin-It-Real (Middle School)

- Resistance strategies of Refuse, Explain, Avoid, and Leave.
- Define the term risk and identify harmful risks
- Identify and describe the components of the D.A.R.E. Decision-Making Model
- Explain the REAL strategy of Refuse
- Demonstrate the REAL strategy of Explain



#### Learning Objectives – Cont'd Keepin-It-Real (Middle School)

- Define the REAL strategy of **Avoid**
- Explain the REAL strategy of Leave
- Explain concept & terms of normative behavior
- People express emotions in different ways, & they have unique feelings and reactions to situations.
- REAL skills can be used in their network of friends, family and peers

## LEVEL V Phase III SBLE Student Courses





## **LEVEL V** Phase III SBLE Student Courses – Cont'd:

- Protocols/Procedures for lock-downs.
- Protocols/Procedures for Emergency Evacuation (First Responder (Support Training)
- Establish Statewide Youth Advisory Board
- Establishment of Teen Court







# Additional Resources for our Schools & benefit of our students

- Mentorship program (VFW, AARP, Etc. Volunteers)
  - ✓Math, Sciences, Reading and Writing
  - ✓ Citizenship, duty, responsibility & accountability
  - ✓ Core Family Values
  - ✓Patriotism, Duty, Honor and Country







## **LEVEL VI** PHASE I – SBLE Parent Course





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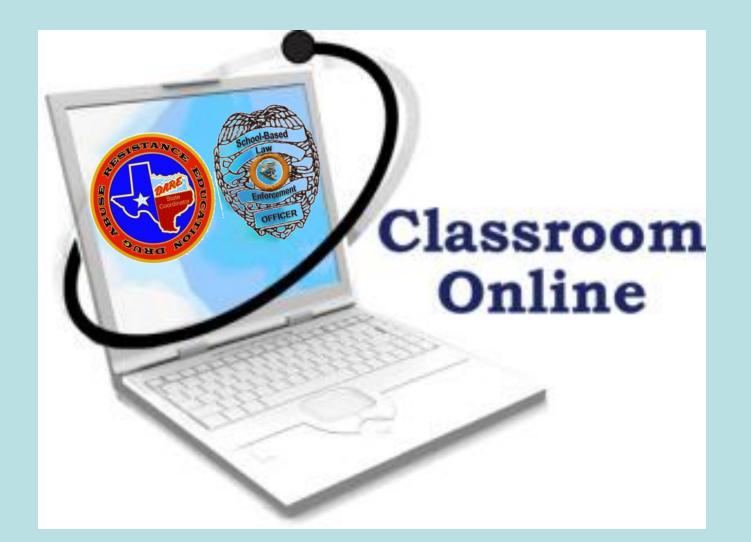
- Taught by SBLE Officer Master Level
   Officers
- SBLE Parent Course
  - Parenting Skills
  - Trouble Indicators



- > Violent Behavior (Warning Signs)
- What to look for (Drugs & Weapons)
- Community Resources
- ≻Much more.....



## **LEVEL VII** On-Line Learning Courses



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- Phase I SBLE Officer On-line Courses
- Phase II SBLE Supervisors Courses
- Phase III SBLE Administrator & School Boards
- Phase IV SBLE School Staff Courses
- Phase V SBLE Student Courses
- Phase VI SBLE Parent Courses



#### QUESTIONS



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