## **BUILDING CRISIS PLAN**

Administrators, teachers and other staff in Missoula County Public Schools have both a moral obligation and legal responsibility to provide for the life, health and property of students, faculty and staff, and to protect the public's property.

Unanticipated tragic events can quickly escalate into a school-wide catastrophe if not dealt with immediately and effectively. Knowing what do to when a crisis occurs can minimize the chaos, rumors and the impact of the event on students and community.

The District Crisis Plan and Building Crisis Plans provide comprehensive, concise and specific operational plans to address most emergencies that might occur in each school and district facility within MCPS. The format of these plans follows the four main phases of the Emergency Crisis Plan posted in each classroom and office area. It is imperative that all MCPS employees know where their Building Crisis Plans are located and have read and understand all aspects of the plan.