



WESTWOOD HIGH SCHOOL

Ft. Pierce Westwood will ensure all students are safe and graduate equipped with knowledge, skills and the desire to succeed. We are a student-centered school focused on high expectations and increasing student achievement.

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Dear Westwood Parents and Guardians,

Each year all schools within St. Lucie County conduct an annual review of school emergency evacuation plans that take into account natural as well as technical hazards. These plans must include the St. Lucie Nuclear Power Plant located on Hutchinson Island. In the event the emergency evacuation of students should arise because of a nuclear accident, the county evacuation policy will be followed which states:

- The evacuation of schools may be considered prior to any general public action however not all schools will require evacuation.
- Principals will direct school personnel to assist students with the school's evacuation procedures.
- The St. Lucie County School District will evacuate all affected students and school personnel.
- In order to evacuate the area in a timely manner and to ensure your child's safety, parents are not to go to schools to pick up your children.
- The St. Lucie Public Safety & Communications in coordination with the St. Lucie County School District, will issue press releases to local radio and television stations informing when parents may pick up their children.
- The pickup location is the St. Lucie County Fairgrounds, 15601 West Midway Road, Fort Pierce, Florida.

Thank you for helping us to uphold the mission of ensuring all students are safe and graduate equipped with knowledge, skills and the desire to succeed.

Best Regards,

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