

## Online Safety: Threats of Violence

Estimated Time to Complete: 15 minutes

### Course Description

*SafeSchools Online Safety: Threats of Violence* course is a 15-minute approach to cover the various ways that students use technology to document their threats and plans. The course begins with an overview of several means of communication. The instruction centers on what to do if you become aware of any threats of violence.

### Common Themes

- School violence and the increased use of technology to communicate.
- The various means of communication that students use to document their threats and plans.
- Take threats of violence seriously and report any threat to the school principal or resource officer.
- Differentiate between an actual threat of violence and common complaining about other students, teachers or classes.
- Legal strategies and recommended acceptable use policies to help districts protect themselves

### Author

Steve Holland is the founder and president of Holland & Associates, a Georgia-based consulting firm that provides safety & communications services to schools and business nationally. Steve is a former information executive and consultant with notable organizations such as The Thomson Corporation, Scenario Learning, and CNN. While at CNN, Steve was instrumental in the launch of CNNfyi.com, one of the nation's first Internet-base forums for teens.

### Instructor Support Materials

*SafeSchools* courses come complete with instructor materials to augment current training practices. Included with the course are:

- Microsoft PowerPoint presentations
- Lesson plans
- Case studies
- Policy guides
- Support material

### Training Environments

*SafeSchools* is ideal for a blended learning environment, complementing in-service or video training, or as a stand-alone training course. The *SafeSchools* approach engages the learner in an e-learning environment; while a Compliance Management System automatically tracks his/her progress through the courses.

For a free evaluation, email [info@safeschools.com](mailto:info@safeschools.com) or call 1.800.434.0154.