Leverage the Opportunity!

The community will be aware of the event, so seize this teachable moment to:
- Promote emergency preparedness
- Teach about earthquake safety
- Review your plan
- Check your supplies
- Make sure you and your loved ones are ready
Leverage the Opportunity!

• Take a look at your Safe School Plan
  - Review it with Students and Staff
  - Review it with Parents
  - Develop a drill that will allow everyone to practice their roles and responsibilities
  - Pretend you are from Missouri

The Great Southern California Shakeout

What will LAUSD be doing to prepare for November 13, 2008?
In LAUSD

Beginning October 1

- School’s Safety Committee will meet to review the Safe School Plan.
- Schools will review with teachers:
  - Safe School Plan
  - SEMS Assignments
  - Section 3100 of the Civil Code

In LAUSD

Beginning October 15

- Schools will review with parents:
  - School’s Safe School Plan
  - Drill information
  - The Field Act
In LAUSD

Beginning October 15

• Schools will check their emergency supply cache:
  - 3 days of water
  - First Aid Supplies
  - Search and Rescue Supplies
  - Food supplies (in cafeteria)

In LAUSD

Beginning October 15

• Schools will check their communications equipment
  - School Radios
  - 3N information
In LAUSD

By November 1

• Parents will have a letter informing them about the drill and inviting them to attend.
• Teachers will have reviewed their assignment for emergencies.
• Emergency supplies will be current and all communications gear checked.

In LAUSD

On November 13

• All schools will practice their response to a major earthquake.
  - Drop, Cover and Hold!
  - Evacuation and activation of school emergency teams
  - We will use “Victim Tags” to test the system.
• All District radio and communication systems will be tested.
In LAUSD

On November 13

- The District will open the EOC and conduct an drill based on the Golden Guardian scenario.
- The District will use Shakecast to simulate damage to schools for the drill.

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