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Greetings-

I know that tomorrow you have to make a very important decision about educating our children/students on fun safety. I pray that you see the importance in this.

My children are educated at home, therefore, I do not worry about about them when they see a gun; however, I worry about my students and other kids. They are a danger to themselves and others with their lack of knowledge. Too many children have been killed or injured due to the lack of knowledge of guns. We are not asking them to teach them anything more than, stop, do not touch, and tell a grown-up. Those three steps are so crucial for our children to know. We have drilled stop-drop-roll in their heads, I an sure it has saved lives. This is no different. We teach them to say no to drugs, strangers and other things, why not give them the tools to know what to do in a situation when they see a gun.

As a teacher, I am suppose to teach my student's ALICE training, great tools to protect themselves, but what if they have a friend bring a gun to school, do they know what to do?

This bill is crucial! This bill will provide our children more safety. We can not control others but we can equip our future with tools that will give them control of their safety.

Please allow this training to be available to ALL children. It can and will save lives!

Thank you,

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