



Tuvalu

Comprehensive School Safety Policy Overview 2017



Worldwide Initiative for School
Safety Champion Country



Policies and Integration

- Yes Some Limited
- No Unknown



Disaster management policies

Refers to education sector



Education sector policies

- Has disaster management policy
- Has education in emergencies policy
- Includes disaster risk reduction
- Includes disaster response



Ed Sector Policy Topics

- Yes Some Limited
- No Unknown



Risk assessment



Safer school facilities



School disaster management



Risk reduction education



Risk reduction



Standard operating procedures



Regular fire drills



Response preparedness



Educational continuity planning



Youth volunteers



Ed Sector Data

- Systematic collection
- Ad hoc collection
- No collection Unknown



Deaths in schools



Injuries in schools



Infrastructure damage



Long-term educational outcomes



School closure days



Attendance pre/post disaster



School Planning

- Yes No Unknown



Risk data from education sector used



Risk data from other government agencies or research institutes used



Budget Allocation

- Regular Inconsistent
- None Unknown



Risk reduction and resilience



Education in emergencies



P1 Safer School Facilities Policies



Construction

✓ Yes ✗ No ? Unknown

- ✗ Safe school site selection
- ✗ Safe design
- ✗ Safe construction
- ✗ Construction monitoring



Retrofit

✓ Implemented ⚡ Funds allocated
 ⚡ Unfunded policy ? Unknown
 ✗ No policy or funding

- ✗ Multi-hazard assessment
- ✗ Unsafe school retrofit/replacement



Maintenance

✓ Yes ✗ No ? Unknown

- ✗ Routine maintenance
- ✗ Non-structural mitigation
- ✗ Annual maintenance



Temporary Shelters

✓ Yes ✗ No ? Unknown

- ✗ School-year use limitations
- ✗ Appropriate school selection
- ✗ Guidance for use of schools as shelter
- ✗ Temporary shelter costs reimbursement



P2 School Disaster Management Policies



Plan Elements

✓ Yes ✗ No ? Unknown or other

	National	Sub-national
Risk assessment	✓	✗
Risk reduction	✓	✗
Response preparedness	✓	✓
Educational continuity	✓	✗
Child participation	✗	✓
Publically available	✗	✗

Training and Drills



✓ Yes ⚡ Limited drills/trainings
 ✗ No ? Unknown or other



Fire drills



Other drills



Staff in-service training in SDM

P3 Risk Reduction & Resilience Education Policies



✓ Yes ⚡ Limited ✗ No ? Unknown



Public Awareness Campaigns



National Student DRR Curriculum



National Teacher DRR Curriculum