

Topic: How to Prepare a School for an Extreme Weather Event or any Natural Hazard

This presentation will cover weather science, safety, mitigation, and preparedness and describe the main components of planning for extreme events for schools.

Community partnerships, including local National Weather Service, emergency management, and media will be highlighted.

Best practices in informal weather education outreach will be shared from the Extreme Events Institute (EEI) and International Hurricane Research Center (IHRC) at Florida International University (FIU) in Miami, Florida (<http://eei.fiu.edu/>). FIU's amazing NSF-NHERI Wall of Wind will also be showcased (<http://www.ihrc.fiu.edu/>).