

PEARLS®

Educate Prepare Protect

WHO WE ARE

PEARLS stands for **Preschool Emergency Alert Response Learning System**.

In the **2023-2024** school year, PEARLS is honored to be delivering our sixth year of training. The PEARLS team travels throughout the state sharing valuable training, providing awareness and exposure to a **new way of thinking**, including options for acting in threatening circumstances.

WHAT WE DO

- Serve the youngest children in our state by providing valuable training and resources to their caretakers – **early childhood educators**
- Provide tools and resources for training staff, children, and educators
- Teach concepts of **Evacuation, Lockdown with Barricade, and Countering**
- Train staff to evaluate environments, potential dangers, foster discussions, and encourage planning
- Provide knowledge for more effective decision-making in dangerous situations
- Encourage collaboration with **law enforcement** to mitigate risk, shorten episodes, and save lives
- Promote communication with children and parents to establish **preparation and protection as priorities**



SERVICES

We provide our **FREE** in-person and online training throughout Florida, in English and Spanish.



SPONSORS

The PEARLS program is sponsored by the From Cradle to College Foundation™ and the State of Florida.



MATERIALS

Tools include a presentation with a training video, the “Miss Collins” children’s book, and an emergency information flipbook.

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