

# # EN DERR THE BRAWDYA ROE

UNDERSTANDING THE EFFECTS OF TRAUMA AND TRAUMATIC EVENTS TO (HELP PREVENT  
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THE MAGNITUDE OF DEATH AND DESTRUCTION EXPOSURE INCREASES  
REQUIRE SPECIAL ATTENTION TO COMMUNICATING WITH CHILDREN  
AND ADOLESCENTS PHYSICAL SAFETY (TELEPHONE) IS ALWAYS TAKEN  
PRIORITY

SCHOOL IS AN IMPORTANT NORMAL SIZING EXPERIENCE FOR SAFE A  
CHILDREN AND ADOLESCENTS IT IS OVERWHELMING TO CONTACT WITH THE KINDS  
OF PSYCHOLOGICAL PROBLEMS THAT CHILDREN AND ADOLESCENTS MAY  
WILL HAVE HOWEVER THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION AND MANAGEMENT STRATEGIES MAY  
HELP MINIMIZE LATER DIFFICULTIES

EVERY STUDENT HAS A DIFFERENT WAY OF RESPONDING TO NORMAL SITUATIONS  
FEELINGS IN DISCUSSIONS LIMITING TIME CAN HELP THE  
STUDENT EXPRESS WHAT THEY WISH AND NOT MORE THAN THEY  
MIGHT WISH THEY HAD

ENGAGE YOUR STUDENTS IN CONVERSATION  
NOT NECESSARILY ABOUT THEIR  
WAYS OF RESPONDING TO NORMAL SITUATIONS  
LIMITING TIME CAN HELP THE  
INCREASE YOUR STUDENTS' SENSE OF BELONGING  
SCHOOL LET THEM PLAN A SPECIAL PROJECT

OLDER CHILDREN AND ADOLESCENTS  
(HELPING THEM UNDERSTAND THEIR  
LIMITS AT SCHOOL CAN HELP

SOME CHILDREN MAY RESPOND BY  
HAVING TROUBLE REMEMBERING THE INFORMATION  
TOLERATED AND UNDERSTOOD

BE ALERT TO CHANGES IN STUDENT BEHAVIOR  
DROP IN GRADES LOSS OF INTEREST IN SCHOOL  
INCREASED SLEEPINESS OR DISTURBED SLEEP  
WEIGHT LOSS OR GAIN

MAINTAINING THE USUAL CLASSROOM ROUTINES CAN BE  
COMFORTING EVEN REGULAR SCHOOLWORK CAN ALSO PROVIDE  
SOME SENSE OF FAMILIARITY AND COMFORT TO SOME STUDENTS

ENCOURAGE SCHOOL FACULTY AND STAFF TO DEVELOP AND PLAN  
CLASSROOM INTERVENTIONS TOGETHER

BE AVAILABLE TO MEET INDIVIDUALLY WITH PARENTS AND OTHER ADULTS  
DISCUSS THE EVENT IN AN OPEN HONEST MANNER YOUNGER STUDENTS MAY  
MAY BE WORRIED ABOUT THE DISASTER FROM TIME TO TIME  
DURING THE EARLY STAGES FOLLOWING THE DISASTER

KNOWLEDGE QUESTIONS ABOUT THE DISASTER  
LIMIT EXPOSURE TO TELEVISION AND OTHER SOURCES OF  
INFORMATION ABOUT THE DISASTER AND ITS VICTIMS

