Addressing disaster risk reduction in the education sector provides an opportunity to ensure education continuity and to protect learners and education workers from death, injury and harm in schools. It contributes overall to the development of a culture of safety and resilience.

One year before the deadline for achieving the Sendai Framework Target (e), the Global Alliance for Disaster Risk Reduction and Resilience in the Education Sector (GADRRRES) will look at school safety as a sustainable way to increase the resilience dividend. This event will demonstrate how the creation, development and implementation of disaster risk reduction strategies in the education sector can efficiently contribute to reduce the impacts of natural hazards, will explore how the investments made in the education sector can pay dividends in multiple sectors at regional, national and local levels; notably on the social, economic, financial and environmental fronts, and will provide an update on advancing school safety.

Unable to attend? Follow our School Safety event livestream at: https://bit.ly/2L8mEHi