

# TORNADO PROTECTION ZONE MAP

## STAPLETON ELEMENTARY

101 E. 41st St.  
Joplin, MO 64804  
Newton County

Due to the estimated time necessary to safely reach the Safe Room after a weather warning has been issued and the Safe Room's maximum capacity of 1,065 persons, including the student body and staff, the Safe Room is not designed to provide shelter for those who live beyond this protection zone.

**The TPZ:**  $\frac{2}{5}$ -mile radius around the school – a roughly five-minute or less walking distance to the Safe Room at Stapleton Elementary

