Poland introduces mandatory firearms training for schoolchildren amid Russia threat

Poland has introduced mandatory Education for Safety lessons for children in schools, which include shooting training and basic first aid.

Most countries want their children to be as far away from weapons as possible. Not Poland.

Faced with the proximity of Russia's ongoing all-out invasion of neighbouring Ukraine and increasing fears of Moscow's threats to its own territory, the Polish government has introduced mandatory firearms training for children in primary and secondary schools.

Children as young as 14 years old are now participating in gun training sessions designed to give them "shooting skills" and teach them how to cope "with threats caused by warfare and the basics of tactical rescue."

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