

THE IMPORTANCE OF SCHOOL SAFETY



56M

In 2019, approximately 56 million students will attend school in the US.



130K

There are approximately 130,000 public, private and post secondary schools in the United States as of 2016.

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The number of school related deaths in the 2015-2016 school year. This number decreased from 47 the previous year.



3 PER 1K STUDENTS

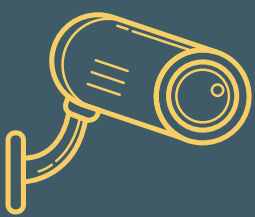
Between 1992-2016, the number of non-fatal victimizations (theft and other violent but non-fatal victimization) decreased. In 2016 the serious violent victimization rates were 3 per 1000 students.

1.4 MILLION CRIMES



In the 2015-16 school year, 79% of public schools reported one or more incidents of violence, theft or other crimes amounting to 1.4 million crimes and an average crime rate of 28 crimes per 1k students. This statistic is lower than every other school year reported.

INCREASED SECURITY MEASURES



According to studies by the National Education Center and Campus Safety Magazine, The percentage of school campuses implementing video surveillance and controlled access for entryways has increased to 81% and 94% respectively in the past decade. And schools currently using video surveillance have reported the intention of deploying more cameras and/or upgrading to newer technology in the next 3 years.