



HENRICO COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT - VA

# ENHANCING CAMPUS SECURITY WITH RAPTOR VISITOR MANAGEMENT AT HENRICO COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT



Henrico County School District serves 48,949 students across 75 schools and program centers. Henrico is Virginia's sixth-most populous locality, and HCPS is the commonwealth's sixth largest public-school division.

## THE CHALLENGES



# IDENTIFYING UNAUTHORIZED VISITORS

Henrico County School District wanted to supplement their existing visitor management protocols. To better ensure the visitors on campus were authorized and did not pose a threat to student safety, the district sought a solution to help streamline the visitor sign-in process while enhancing security measures.





#### A NEED TO ENHANCE SAFETY PROTOCOLS

The district aimed to bolster its campus safety by implementing robust procedures for visitor verification. This included the urgent need for real-time screening against sex offender registries to prevent individuals with potential risks from gaining access to school premises.

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> John Casullo Director of School Safety Henrico County School District





### **HOW RAPTOR HELPED**



#### IMMEDIATE FLAGGING OF RISKS

Raptor Visitor Management provided the district with the capability to instantly flag visitors listed on the sex offender registry. This feature was pivotal in identifying a tier three sex offender, underscoring the system's effectiveness in real-time threat assessment.





I was a police officer for 20 years before retiring in 2007 and moving into education. When I was in law enforcement, I led school safety trainings, including active shooter trainings, in the police academy, so as an educator, I have always gravitated towards anything related to safety or school safety.

> John Casullo Director of School Safety Henrico County School District





#### STRENGTHENED ACCESS CONTROL

The system's deployment enabled the district to enforce stronger access control and accountability. John Casullo, the Director of School Safety at Henrico County School District, lauded Raptor's impact, stating, "By using Raptor Visitor Management, we've been able to flag several visitors on the sex offender registry. That real-time ability to check sex offenders is tremendous. It's really enabled us to control access and to have better accountability procedures and strong safety protocols."



#### THE RESULTS

The implementation of Raptor Visitor Management at Henrico County School District has led to significant enhancements in campus safety and visitor management:

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#### IMPROVED SECURITY MEASURES

The system's ability to conduct instant screenings against sex offender registries has markedly improved campus safety.



## ENHANCED ACCOUNTABILITY & ACCESS CONTROL

The introduction of Raptor has streamlined visitor sign-in processes, ensuring that only authorized individuals can enter school premises.





# COLLABORATION WITH LAW ENFORCEMENT

The system facilitated effective collaboration with law enforcement when a high-risk individual attempted to gain access to a school, further demonstrating its value in maintaining a secure learning environment.

The Henrico County School District's adoption of Raptor Visitor Management exemplifies the system's capacity to transform campus safety protocols. Through its comprehensive features, Raptor has not only streamlined visitor management but also significantly bolstered security measures, ensuring a safer environment for students and staff alike.





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## **LEARN MORE ABOUT RAPTOR®**

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