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Incidents/Articles of Note:

- Youngkin announces \$631K grant to enhance school safety in VA
- Virginia will spend \$27 million to get more cops in schools
- Roanoke's Gun Violence Prevention Commission focuses on prevention programs, building relationships
- Justice Dept. to review response to Texas school shooting
- Free Federal Resources to Strengthen Campus Physical Security and Prevent School Violence
- Inside Higher Ed: Preventing Gun Violence on Campus
- State officials order safety checks at public schools, community colleges (NC)
- Connecting School Safety to Teacher Recruiting, Retention and Wellness

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- Tools and Resources -



Resource | DHS CISA

Ransomware Reference Materials for K-12 School and School District IT Staff

See this resource for best practices for school and school district cyber security managers, system administrators, and other technical staff to enhance their school and/or district's security posture during distance and hybrid learning conditions.

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Video | Campus Safety

Why Your School's Anonymous Tip Line Needs to Have a Texting Option

Director of the Year K-12 finalist Christopher Ellisor talks about his district's success with adding a texting option to its anonymous tip line, and his recommendations for a district considering a similar undertaking.

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