

2026 SCHOOL VIOLENCE PREVENTION PROGRAM (SVPP)

A federal grant opportunity for school safety, physical security, and first responder coordination

TIME SENSITIVE: SF-424 DUE AUGUST 4 • FULL APPLICATION DUE AUGUST 11, 2026
START YOUR APPLICATION NOW

The School Violence Prevention Program (SVPP) is a nationwide federal grant opportunity administered through the U.S. Department of Justice COPS Office. The program supports evidence-based school safety improvements, physical security enhancements, and technology that improves coordination with local law enforcement and first responders.

Up to \$73M

NATIONAL FUNDING AVAILABLE

Up to \$500K

AWARD, OVER 36 MONTHS

25%

REQUIRED LOCAL CASH MATCH

APPLICATION TIMELINE

Step 1 – Submit SF-424 via Grants.gov

Tuesday, August 4, 2026 – 4:59 PM ET

Step 2 – Submit full application via JustGrants

Tuesday, August 11, 2026 – 4:59 PM ET

ELIGIBLE APPLICANTS

Eligible primary applicants include school districts, school boards, law enforcement agencies, states, local governments, Indian tribes, and other qualifying public agencies. Individual schools and private schools are not eligible to apply as primary applicants.

ELIGIBLE SECURITY & TECHNOLOGY IMPROVEMENTS

- Access control doors and door locking mechanisms
- Entry control equipment
- Security cameras and video systems
- School site alarm and protection systems
- Panic and immediate alarm notification systems
- Intercom or public address systems
- Emergency communication tools, including two-way radios
- Visitor management systems, exterior lighting, and school safety assessments

HOW SECURECONNECT CAN HELP

- Identify safety and security technology needs
- Support site review and planning discussions
- Develop project scopes and budgetary information
- Align manufacturer solutions with grant objectives
- Support camera, access control, intercom, panic alert, and visitor management planning
- Provide project management and implementation support after funding approval

SecureConnect helps customers move from general safety concerns to defined, implementable technology projects. Our team can assist eligible agencies with planning, budget development, manufacturer alignment, and implementation support for school safety improvements.

Questions about SVPP-eligible technology? Contact your SecureConnect representative to get started.

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