

# Safety:

School Resource/ Security Officer

Pequea Valley School District

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Board Presentation

## Goal of School Resource / Security Officer in District:

- A safe learning environment at PVSD
- Provide valuable resources to school staff
- Foster a positive relationship with our learners
- Develop strategies to resolve problems affecting our youth

## Looking at the DATA ...

- 20 schools in Lancaster - Lebanon responded.
- 19 schools have an SRO/Security officer

## Looking at the DATA ...

SECURITY OFFICERS Lancaster/Lebanon School Districts		SECURITY OFFICERS Lancaster/Lebanon School Districts	
School District	# SRO's	School District	# SRO's
Cocalico	1	Lampeter-Strasburg	1
Columbia	0	Lebanon	2
Conestoga Valley	2	Manheim Central	2
Cornwall Lebanon	4	Manheim Township	5.5
Donegal	2	Northern Lebanon	1
ELANCO	1	Palmyra	1
ELCO	2	Penn Manor	1
Elizabethtown	1	SDoL	6
Ephrata	1	Solanco	2
Hempfield	2	Warwick	2

# Safe Schools Report

## Safe Schools ACS and LEA Profile

**LEA:** Pequea Valley SD  
**School Year:** 2020-2021

Enrollment	1,467	Incidents Involving Local Law Enforcement	7
Incidents	48	Total Arrests	1
Offenders	52	Assignments to Alternative Education	0

## **Safe Schools ACS and LEA Profile**

**School Year:** 2021-2022

**LEA:** Pequea Valley SD-113365303

ENROLLMENT	1419	INCIDENTS INVOLVING LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT	2
INCIDENTS	28	FOUNDED INCIDENTS INVOLVING LAW ENFORCEMENT	2
FOUNDED INCIDENTS	28	UNFOUNDED INCIDENTS INVOLVING LAW ENFORCEMENT	0
UNFOUNDED INCIDENTS	0	TOTAL ARRESTS	0
OFFENDERS	32	ASSIGNMENTS TO ALTERNATIVE EDUCATION	0

## Positive reason for ...

- *Safety & Security*
- *Faster response time*
- *Presence in common areas*
- *Relationships*
- *Connection to the community*
- *They become a part of the culture*
- *Get police perspective in discussions*

## Concerns...

- Delineate responsibilities of staff
- Cost : \$94,000 - 124,000/ per officer

## Discussion and Questions