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# Sync Badge for schools

Support school safety with quick, broad communication every day and in emergencies





Every school should be a secure and safe place where teachers and students can thrive. Effective communication is essential. Stryker's Sync Badge brings together voice calling, notifications and emergency communication in an all-in-one solution. Reach school staff members while helping to avoid classroom disruptions, in the event of a non-emergency or active threat.



Communicate as easily as you speak.



Press the panic button to summon help.



Hold like a handset for more privacy.

#### Communicate intuitively and directly

Communicate seamlessly with colleagues, even across multiple campuses.

- Say, "Okay Vocera" to wake up
  the Sync Badge and use voice
  commands to call contacts by
  name, role, group or extension

   and broadcast to a group –
   whether contacts use a hands-free,
  wearable device; a smartphone; a
  VoIP or landline phone.
- Enable administrators, teachers and school resource officers to stay connected from the classroom or elsewhere.

### Create a communication hub for school security and safety

Reach help fast when every second counts.

- Communicate a safety concern quickly, directly and discreetly with a counselor, nurse, security or a response team.
- Press the Sync Badge's dedicated panic button to quickly and discreetly reach a security or response team.
- Broadcast to a group or everyone in a facility to follow a protocol such as hold, secure or lockdown.

## Make a quieter environment for teaching and learning

Help reduce classroom disruptions from school-wide public address systems, and even replace walkietalkies to give teachers more control over communication and stay focused on what's important.

- Set the Sync Badge to Do Not Disturb (DND) to allow focus on an activity. DND mode can be overridden in an emergency.
- For additional privacy during a call, hold the Sync Badge to your ear and it automatically switches to handset mode.

## Time can equal life. Get faster now.

During an active threat and when violence is escalating, time can equal life. Two primary goals are to slow down the attacker, and speed up the response. For speeding up the response, the Sync Badge can help.

#### Equip responders with situational context

In an active threat, a staff member can press the Sync Badge's dedicated panic button to quickly reach an on-campus response or security team inside the building as well as outside numbers including 911.

The responding team can see that person's name and location, hear what's happening and communicate directly with them if the situation allows.



See the name and location of the staff member who pressed their Sync Badge's panic button, and hear what's going on.

## Enable security teams to communicate directly and broadly

A communication device is of use in a crisis only if it's with the user wherever they are on campus, and turned on. Because the Sync Badge is designed to be worn and used for everyday communication, the device is likely to be at the ready in an emergency.

Administrators can communicate directly and broadly with teachers to take an action such as hold, shelter or lockdown, and security supervisors can contact school resource officers directly. Our solutions can integrate with various campus security technologies to help speed the response from authorities and allow broad communication in the event of a threat.



To learn more about how our Sync Badge all-in-one solution can help you strengthen school safety, reach out to a Stryker sales representative or visit stryker.com/school-safety.



#### For further information, you can contact your local Stryker representative or visit our website at stryker.com

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