

Moore County Schools/K2 Solutions Partnership Protocol

Moore County Schools and K2 Solutions have formed a mutually beneficial partnership that would provide a canine presence for safety and security purposes on Moore County Schools campuses. Through this presence K2 Solutions would gain the opportunity to continue training of their service dogs in a highly populated public setting that is necessary as a part of their training program. Below is the protocol for the use of canines on Moore County Schools campuses for the purpose of detection and deterrence of drugs/weapons/explosives on school grounds.

Scope of Work

Middle/High Schools: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] No explosives that would present a danger to any individual will be used as a part of training. In addition, the training would be set up to ensure that it in no way results in an impediment to student movement or to the general course of school/educational activities as they occur throughout the day. Canines will not be used in a way that could create the perception of bias against a particular race or group of students and will not be used for the purpose of searching individual students or their property. K-2 dogs are trained to alert on scents that can be detected simply by walking by or among people in large groups. During times K-2 teams are working on school campuses they will always be accompanied by a school administrator or school police officer.

Primary/Elementary Schools: On participating elementary and primary school campuses and at the discretion of the school principal K2 will be allowed to bring non-aggressive breed puppies to visit classrooms for socialization purposes as a part of the training for future detection canines. As a part of this early training young canines will only search for toys.

Campuses

Middle/High Schools: All high schools and middle schools will schedule times and participate.

Primary/Elementary Schools: Participation in puppy socialization activities is at the discretion of the school principal.

Schedule

School administration and MCS Police will work with K2 to develop a mutually agreed upon schedule for school visits intermittently over the course of the school year.

Locations on Campuses

Middle/High Schools: [REDACTED]

- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- [REDACTED]
- other times as determined by the school principal.

[REDACTED]

Primary/Elementary Schools: Locations determined at the discretion of the school principal and as mutually agreed upon by school administration and K2.

Contacts

School Level: All K2 activities on campuses must be approved through the school principal working in conjunction with the MCS Police Officer assigned to the school. The school principal is the primary point of contact at each school.

District Level: The primary point of contact at the district level is the Director for Student Support Services and the secondary contact is the Chief of MCS Police.

K-2 Solutions: The contact at K-2 for scheduling a canine team on a school campus is [REDACTED] who can be reached at [REDACTED] or [REDACTED].