

Ordinance 2025/26-28

Section 9-2.3. Statement of policy student identification badges; 988 Suicide and Crisis Lifeline clearly printed and conspicuously labeled; annual review required; superintendent to develop regulations. — A.

In order to enhance school security and maintain a safe school environment for all students enrolled in Suffolk Public Schools, students are required to wear an identification badge provided by Suffolk Public Schools while on campus during the school day.

B. Printed on one side of each student identification card must be "988 Suicide and Crisis Lifeline" and this information must be clearly printed and conspicuously labeled on each student identification badge.

C. Suffolk Public Schools must annually review the telephone number for the 988 Suicide and Crisis Lifeline being included on each student identification card to ensure such contact information is accurate and current.

D. The superintendent will develop regulations for the implementation of this policy.

Legal Authority — Virginia Code §§ 22.1-78 and 22.1-287.05.