

## **Denair Unified School District**

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

We are excited to announce the implementation of a new visitor check-in system on all Denair Unified School District campuses. Effective January 1, 2019, we will be using the Raptor Visitor Management System to strengthen campus safety for students and staff. Part of keeping students and staff safe is knowing who is in our buildings at all times and the Raptor Visitor Management System will allow us to do this in a more efficient manner.

Upon entering the office, visitors will need to present identification (e.g. driver's licence, state issued identification card, passport), which will be scanned into the Raptor Visitor Management System. The system checks the visitor's name and date of birth for comparison with a national database of registered sex offenders. The registered sex offender database is the only database checked by the Raptor Visitor Management System. No other data from the identification is gathered or recorded and the information is not shared with any outside agency. Once entry is approved, a badge will be issued that identifies the visitor, the date, and the purpose of his/her visit. Visitors will only need to show their ID upon the first visit. Once visitors are entered in the system, their clearance is stored in the system for the remainder of the school year.

**Each school will begin asking for and accepting identification immediately**, which will allow visitors plenty of time and opportunities to bring their identification before our full implementation on January 1, 2019.

Thank you for your understanding and support in enhancing our school safety protocols. If you have any questions, please call the school office.

Sincerely,

Terry Metzger, Ed. D. Superintendent