

Must-Ask Questions for Every School Safety Provider



Selecting the right safety system is one of the most important decisions a school district can make. To help you compare options, here's a checklist of key questions you should ask every provider. These questions ensure you're choosing a solution that is reliable, easy to use, and designed specifically for the unique needs of schools.

When evaluating safety alert systems, ask providers these key questions:

Battery Life & Ease of Use



- ✔ Does your staff badge or alert device have a battery life of one year or more?

A long-lasting battery ensures staff can rely on their badge at all times without worrying about frequent charging or failures during an emergency.

Total Campus Coverage



- ✔ Will you provide dense flashing strobe coverage across the campus (in all rooms, classrooms, hallways, common areas, and entrances)?

Flashing visual alerts reach everyone—students, staff, and visitors—ensuring no one is left unaware during a crisis, regardless of noise or hearing ability.

Reliability & Maintenance



- ✔ Is your system designed, engineered, and maintained by your company (not dependent on third-party devices)?

A fully integrated system means greater reliability, faster support, and fewer points of failure when it matters most.

Precision & Accuracy



- ✔ Will your system deliver precise floor- and room-level accuracy?

First responders and administrators need exact location data to act quickly, reduce response time, and save lives.

Training & Support



- ✔ Is ongoing training included at no additional cost?

Regular, no-cost training guarantees staff remain confident and ready to respond effectively—without districts being penalized for keeping their people prepared.

Transparent Cost Breakdown



- ✔ Will you provide transparent, comprehensive, multi-year pricing information?

Clear, upfront pricing helps districts avoid hidden costs and ensures they can sustain the solution long term without compromising safety.

The CENTEGIX® Difference

Don't settle for partial solutions. CENTEGIX is the only provider that checks every box, giving your schools the fastest, easiest, and most reliable way to respond to any emergency.