



Blackswan K12 Cyber Defense: Built to Protect. Designed to Simplify.

Single Source for 24/7 Monitoring, Advanced Detection & Response, and vCISO Guidance

K12 schools are increasingly in the crosshairs of cybercriminals. In fact, **one in three U.S. school districts experienced a cybersecurity incident in the past year**, many of which resulted in extended outages, financial loss, or student data exposure. With the rise of ransomware, phishing scams, and breaches **targeting outdated systems** and **under-resourced IT teams**, schools are more vulnerable than ever. Despite handling vast amounts of sensitive student and staff data, most districts operate with tight budgets and limited cybersecurity resources.

Blackswan Cybersecurity has **years of hands-on experience serving K12** institutions and understands the unique challenges educators face. Our **award-winning Cyber Fusion Center** delivers enterprise-grade protection tailored to the needs of education—offering 24/7 threat monitoring, rapid incident response, and strategic guidance from the experts who've worked closely with school leadership. **We scale security to fit your environment and your budget**—because in education, every dollar and every data point matters.

K12 Education

Why K12 Schools Trust Blackswan Cybersecurity

Education is in our DNA.

We understand the unique challenges facing school systems—budget constraints, student data privacy, increasing ransomware attacks, and IT staff limitations. That's why school districts across the country turn to Blackswan to right-size and fortify their cybersecurity defenses.

K12's All-in-One Cybersecurity Partner

✓ 24/7 Texas-Based Cyber Fusion Center

Enterprise-grade monitoring, detection & response—scaled for your school district.

Monitor. Detect. Respond. Protect. Every day of the year.

✓ Multi-Signal MDR & Open XDR

We go beyond traditional tools to detect threats others miss—across email, endpoints, networks, and cloud.

✓ vCISO for K12

Virtual CISO services that help you meet compliance, improve posture, and respond to threats with clarity and strategy.

✓ White-Glove Incident Response

One phone call connects you directly with a live security expert—no tickets, no waiting.

✓ Prepare & Comply Services

Identify and close cybersecurity posture gaps with expert help in risk assessments, audits, and security roadmaps.

What Sets Blackswan Apart?

- Named a Top 250 MSSP Three Years in a Row
- Exclusive Focus on Underserved Sectors like K12
- U.S.-Based Analysts Only
- Custom Security That Fits Your Budget
- Real-Time Dashboards & Reporting
- Full Threat Visibility and Response Capabilities

PROTECT WHAT MATTERS MOST: YOUR STUDENTS, STAFF, AND COMMUNITY

- Ransomware attacks in K12 increased 84% in 2023
- 80% of schools reported being targeted by ransomware
- \$3.65 million = the average cost of a data breach in education