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"Absolute is an integral part of the BCPSS Information Technology Plan and it is installed on every single mobile device in the district. We're focused on bringing technology into every classroom for every student and we simply couldn't afford to do that without Absolute."

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DATASHEET

Absolute Data & Device Security (DDS), formerly Absolute Computrace, is an adaptive endpoint security solution. It provides you with a persistent connection to all of your endpoints and the data they contain so you can deliver a digital learning experience while promoting a safer school environment and securing your IT assets.

With Absolute DDS, it's all about the connection. By maintaining a two-way connection with each device, you have the insight you need to effectively manage your devices and apply remote security measures so you can ensure the safety of your students and protect each endpoint. This valuable insight is delivered through a cloud-based console that requires no additional IT infrastructure.

Absolute DDS provides a full complement of features and remote capabilities so that you can control and secure school devices:



REPORTING & ANALYTICS

Collect incredibly accurate and comprehensive information from each device. Use it to satisfy 1:1 and other government funding initiatives. Conduct zero-touch hardware inventories in minutes. Identify events and activities that could be precursors to a security incident including changes to IP address, location, and user; non-compliant software/hardware installations; and many more. Receive a notification if any of these activities occur.



GEOTECHNOLOGY

Track assets on a Google Map™, including recent and historical locations. Create geofences based on school policies. Investigate devices that are out of bounds or entering an unauthorized location.



RISK ASSESSMENT

Identify risk conditions and receive a notification if these conditions occur. Validate the status of complementary security applications such as encryption and anti-malware across all devices. Customize end-user messaging to deliver notifications to students or to communicate with students to validate the security status of a device.

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RISK RESPONSE

Freeze a device and communicate with the student to verify status. Set policies to ensure offline devices are automatically frozen if they don't connect to the school network within a specified window of time. Remotely recover or delete data from a device. Determine device location and work with the Absolute Investigations team and law enforcement to retrieve it.



STUDENT AND DEVICE PROTECTION

The Absolute Investigations team delivers the Absolute Safe Schools program in three simple steps:

1. PROTECT:

Comprehensive safety training for students and staff including how to use a device responsibly and how to react in a security situation.

2. DETER:

On-site awareness campaign including "Protected Campus" signage, safety tips posters, and anti-theft stickers for a safer school environment.

3. RECOVER:

The Investigations team will work with local law enforcement to recover a stolen device. Receive up to \$1,000* if the device is not recovered.

*Some conditions apply.

Absolute Mobile Theft Management is an additional service for iPad and Chromebook devices: www.absolute.com/mtm

PERSISTENCE TECHNOLOGY

DDS relies on patented Persistence® technology by Absolute. Persistence is embedded into the core of most computers, tablets, and smartphones at the factory. Once activated, it provides you with a reliable two-way connection so you can confidently manage mobility, investigate potential threats, and take action if a security incident occurs.

For a list of Persistence-enabled devices, visit absolute.com/core

DO THE RIGHT THING



It's **YOUR** property too!

Report **THEFT** and **ABUSE**

Call: 1-855-637-8527
Email: found@absolute.com

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Top 10 Tips for Keeping Your School Device Safe and Secure

1. KEEP YOUR DEVICE OUT OF SIGHT
2. DON'T TELL OTHERS THAT YOU HAVE A DEVICE
3. NEVER LEAVE YOUR DEVICE UNATTENDED
4. DON'T LEND YOUR DEVICE TO ANYONE
5. DON'T USE YOUR DEVICE IN ENVIRONMENTS WHERE IT MAY BE DAMAGED
6. DON'T LEAVE YOUR DEVICE IN THE CAR
7. DON'T USE YOUR DEVICE IN PUBLIC PLACES
8. PAY ATTENTION TO YOUR SURROUNDINGS
9. ALWAYS RETURN YOUR DEVICE TO A SCHOOL ADMINISTRATOR
10. IF YOU'RE THREATENED OR IN DANGER - GIVE IT UP. A DEVICE CAN BE REPLACED. YOU CAN'T!

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SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS

Absolute DDS supports:



Details available at absolute.com/sysreq