Kentucky Center for School Safety is proud to share quotes written in support of SROs in schools by eighth grade students from Lincoln County Middle School.

KCSS is highlighting quotes from students on its homepage. Use the website search to find these articles (“Lincoln County Middle School 8th Graders Support SROs”) after date of publication. Below is a list of student initials and dates of publication:

**AUGUST 25**
- S.R.
- A.C.
- H.M.
- T.S.
- O.C.
- G.F.
- R.H.
- J.S.
- J.H.

**SEPTEMBER 1**
- L.A.
- A.S.
- O.S.
- C.P.
- D.C.
- D.S.
- C.C.
- H.B.

“SROs, thank you for helping secure our school and keeping us safe.” – JH
Thank you SROs!

Quotes from Lincoln County Middle School Eighth Grade Students

“SROs help keep our schools safe in many ways, such as them being present when students are switching classes, and during the students’ lunch. Anything can happen at or in a school building, and you need someone to prevent any dangerous things that could happen. If we didn’t have school resource officers, our school or any school would be unprotected and vulnerable from threats from outside and even inside.” – A.C.

“SROs make kids and teachers feel safer when they come to school and allow people to enjoy school without having to worry about potential threats.” – C.P.

“One reason that school resource officers are better for kids’ safety is because they can help to prevent bullying. Bullying is a huge part of major problems at some schools, but if you have a school resource officer at your school, then you could tell him about it.” – C.C.

“These officers are great role models and protectors for all the students in the school. Please be thankful and appreciative of your SRO if you have one, and thank them for their service.” – S.R.

“SRO officers do the tasks that other school staff cannot do. They handle the student’s protection and safety. If you took away SRO officers, I believe we would lose someone that helps students with their struggles and we would also lose a role model as well.” – O.C.