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<u>Overview</u>

Quarterly meetings between Alexandria City Public Schools (ACPS) and the Alexandria Police Department (APD) are required as part of the SLEP Memorandum of Understanding (June 2023). Meetings are scheduled to occur in August, November, February and May. The most recent meeting occurred on Thursday, May 9, 2024. This report period includes February 2024 through April 2024. The next meeting will occur in August 2024.

After each quarterly meeting, a subsequent report is to be completed and shared to provide updates on:

- Section I: VDOE Annual Discipline, Crime and Violence Report. As noted in the June 2021 SRO Quarterly Update, the annual VDOE Discipline, Crime and Violence report has been replaced by the VDOE Student Behavior Administrative Response (SBAR) report. SBAR incidents are recorded through the end of the school year. Public availability to annual reports is made by VDOE. If there are any questions on this item, please contact the Department of Student Services and Equity.
- **Section II: Police Statistical Reports.** This information is in relation to the Calls for Service form; more details on this item noted later in this document.
- **Section III: VDOE School Climate Survey.** This information is in relation to the required Code of Virginia School Safety Survey that is completed annually.
- **Section IV: School Resource Officer (SRO) Performance Items.** This information includes SRO attendance and incident reporting.
- **Section V: Educational Activities with Students.** This information includes any educational offerings by SRO's for students.

For context, the schools where SRO's are assigned are:

- Alexandria City High School King Street Campus (2)
- Alexandria City High School Minnie Howard Campus (1)
- Francis C. Hammond Middle School (1)
- George Washington Middle School (1)

Section I: VDOE Annual Discipline, Crime and Violence Report:

Please see the update noted above.

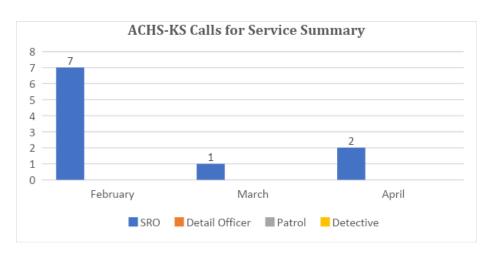
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Section II: Police Statistical Reports

During this reporting period of the school year, 39 Calls for Service (CFS) Reports were completed. The breakdown below will provide this data by month, by school (with SRO assignments) and by officer type (in relation to who responded to the call for service).

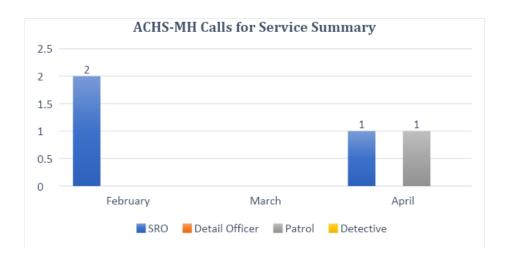
ACHS- King Street

- February: 7 CFS (SRO 7, Patrol -0, Detail 0)
- March: 1 CFS (SRO 1, Patrol-0, Detail 0)
- April: 2 CFS (SRO -2, Patrol 0, Detail 0)



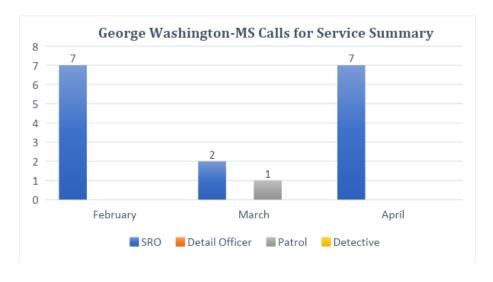
ACHS- MH

- February: 2 CFS (SRO 2, Patrol-0, Detail-0)
- March: 0 CFS (SRO 0, Patrol-0, Detail-0)
- April: 2 CFS (SRO-1, Patrol-1, Detail-0)



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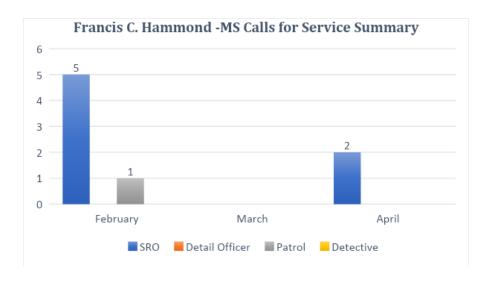
- February: 7 CFS (SRO 7, Patrol 0, Detail-0)
- March: 2 CFS (SRO 1, Patrol 1, Detail-0)
- April: 8 CFS (SRO 8, APD Detectives-0, Patrol-0, Detail-0)



Francis C. Hammond MS

- February: 5 CFS (SRO 5, Patrol -1, Detail-0)
- March: 2 CFS (SRO 2, Patrol-0, Detail –0)
- April: 1 CFS (SRO 2, Patrol, Detail-0)

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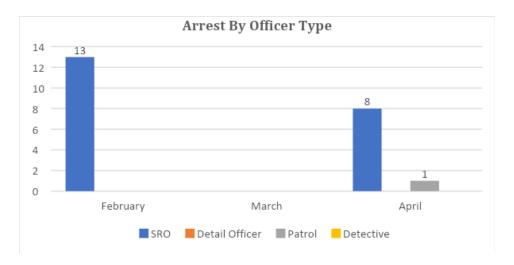
Arrests/Referrals by Officer Type

There were a total of (24) arrests/referrals made during this quarterly reporting period for school year 2023-24. The below chart breaks out arrests/referrals by month and officer type:

Note: The term "Referral" has been added to the arrest data lexicon. This change in lexicon is due to APD's alignment with the Department of Criminal Justice Services (DCJS) letter dated March 20, 2023. This letter describes the categories used in legislation aimed at collecting data on School Resource Officers and their actions with students (Use of Force, Physical Restraint, Detention, Arrest, and Referrals to Court Services).

- February: 15 Arrests/Referrals (SRO 14, Patrol 1, Detail-0)
- March: 0 Arrests/Referrals (SRO 0, Patrol-0, Detail-0)
- April: 9 Arrests/Referrals (SRO 8, Patrol-1, Detail-0)

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Section III: VDOE School Climate Survey

This annual survey is a component of the school safety audit, which school divisions are required to submit to the Virginia Center for School and Campus Safety, according to § 22.1-279.8.B of the Code of Virginia. This survey, conducted jointly by the Virginia Department of Education (VDOE) and the Virginia Department of Criminal Justice Services (DCJS) will be available on the Safety & Security Services website "School Climate Survey Reports" tab once it is published.

The last <u>Virginia School Survey of Climate and Working Conditions</u> was completed on February 24, 2023 and is available on the Safety & Security Services website. Staff and students for grades 6 through 8 were surveyed during the open period of January 9, 2023 to February 24, 2023.

Section IV: School Resource Officer (SRO) Performance Items

Attendance

Officer Name	School Assigned	School Days	Days Present	Attendance %
SRO Suarez	ACHS-KS	54 Days	48 Days	88%
SRO Addai	ACHS-KS	54 Days	45 Days	83%
SRO Hill	ACHS-MH	54 Days	50 Days	92%
SRO Harrell	GWMS	54 Days	50 Day	92%
SRO Sandoval	FCHMS	54 Days	47 Days	87%

School administrators at the SRO-assigned campuses were asked for feedback regarding the SRO's assigned to their schools. All feedback received noted SRO's were supporting schools in accordance with MOU requirements.

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The School Resource Officer (SRO) program completed the following educational activities during this reporting period.

- 2/2/24, 2/16/24, 3/1/24, 3/16/24: Sergeant Torrance participated in the ACPS Opportunities Seminar
- 2/5/24, 2/12/24, 2/14/24, 2/21/24, 2/25/24, 3/4/24, 3/6/24, 3/11/24, 3/13/24, 3/20/24, 4/6/24, 4/8/24, 4/17/24, 4/22/24, 4/24/24, 4/27/24, 4/29/24: SRO Suarez soccer and futsal program at ACHS.
- **2/7/24:** SRO Harrell attended the Rising 6th Grader Night GWMS.
- **2/13/24:** Sergeant Torrance, SRO Addai, and SRO Suarez participated in the Career Fair at ACHS.
- 2/14/24, 2/21/24, 3/20/24: SRO Harrell participated in the after-school basketball program at GWMS.
- **3/6/24:** SRO Hill assisted the Office of Emergency Management with training of community members of the Teen Cert program.
- 4/5/24: SRO Sandoval spoke to the kindergarten class at PH.
- **4/19/24**: CSI Unit participated in the Science Fair at FCH...
- **4/19/24:** SRO Addai participated in the Opportunities Seminar.
- 4/24/24: SRO Sandoval participated in the Parent Empowerment Night at FCH.
- 4/25/24: SRO Hill and SRO Suarez worked International Night at Lyles Crouch.