

CR2 Security Group Secures Strategic Contract with Bath College

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CR2 Security Group, a widely respected and independent security provider serving the Southwest of England, has been appointed as the official security partner for Bath College – a milestone that marks continued growth for the company within the education sector.

Following a rigorous and competitive tender process, CR2 Security Group have been appointed to deliver a full spectrum of security services across Bath College's two campuses: the City Centre Campus in Bath and the Somer Valley Campus in Radstock. Services will include professional on-site security and safeguarding officers, alongside comprehensive out-of-hours protection through keyholding and rapid alarm response as well as mobile patrols and the timely locking and unlocking of its buildings. This combined approach ensures the safety and wellbeing of students, staff, visitors and college assets at all times.

Bath College serves thousands of learners each year and is widely recognised for its extensive academic, vocational and apprenticeship programmes. The college's choice to partner with CR2 Security Group reflects a deeply considered commitment to campus safety and acknowledges the importance of selecting a security provider with proven expertise, exceptional standards and an unwavering focus on safeguarding.

Why selecting the correct security provider was crucial

In educational environments, particularly those involving children and young adults, the role of a security provider extends far beyond physical protection or surveillance. Colleges and schools are places of development, aspiration and opportunity — environments where students deserve to feel secure, supported and safe to learn. Selecting a capable, trustworthy and experienced security partner is therefore

vital.

A responsible security provider must demonstrate:

- A strong safeguarding ethos, recognising the unique needs and vulnerabilities of young people
- Professional training and vetting standards that ensure officers are equipped to work sensitively and responsibly within an educational setting
- The ability to respond discretely yet effectively to incidents, maintaining a calm and reassuring presence
- Close collaboration with college safeguarding teams, emergency services and local authorities
- A proactive approach to risk prevention, wellbeing and welfare support

The right security partner protects not only the physical campus but also the emotional and psychological safety of its students — fostering an environment where education can thrive without disruption or concern.

Emma Channon, Director of estates, Bath College said: Following a long process of tendering we are pleased to have awarded the security contract at Bath College to CR2 Security. As a college that works closely in the community we were keen to partner with a company that could provide us with a personable service, delivering not only the personnel to support us but also work with us to raise awareness of many issues around our prevent programme. We are excited to begin working with CR2 as partners to not only safeguard our students but also to work alongside raising awareness of keeping yourself safe.

Jason Grant, Managing Director of CR2 Security Group, said: “Selecting the right security partner is a crucial decision for any institution, and Bath College has made an excellent choice. This contract represents a pivotal step in our company’s growth, but more importantly, it allows us to further demonstrate the high standards, professionalism and safeguarding focus that CR2 is recognised for. We take immense pride in supporting such a respected educational establishment and in playing a meaningful role in ensuring the safety and wellbeing of its students and staff.”

This partnership strengthens CR2 Security Group’s presence across the education, corporate and commercial landscape. Trusted by an ever expanding portfolio of high-profile clients throughout the Southwest, the company continues to set industry benchmarks for reliability, operational excellence and forward-thinking security solutions, making a positive impact across the communities it serves.