

Evolv is Coming to Your School!

Your Guide to the New Evolv Express® Weapons Screening System

Staying Safe at School Should be a Given

You spend most of your time in school, from going to classes and hanging out with friends, to doing extracurricular activities. When you're at school, you want to focus on those things, and not on whether you're safe.

Your school will soon deploy a new weapons screening technology called Evolv Express®. You might be familiar with metal detectors, and we can tell you that the Evolv Express is very different! It uses advanced sensors and AI to help detect weapons, without always making you slow down or empty your pockets when you walk through the system. And the best part? The Evolv Express can tell the

difference between weapons and everyday items like your phone and keys, so most people can walk through at the pace of life and straight to class.

Evolv is trusted by top sports stadiums, concert venues, museums, and theme parks to help keep people safe. And now, hundreds of schools are using this system too. See how it works in [this short video](#), which will give you and your parents a better idea of how the system works.



FAQs for Students: All About the Evolv Express® System

Wondering how the Evolv Express system works? Check out this quick overview and answers to the most common questions asked by students like you.

No More Long Lines: Say Goodbye to Missed Classes

If your school currently uses metal detectors, we bet you're tired of waiting in line just to get into school. The Evolv Express system can screen up to 4,000 people an hour, approximately 10 times more than metal detectors, and can quickly tell the difference between potential threats and everyday items. So, for the majority of students, the screening process will be quick and easy, allowing you to get to class on time.

No More Long Lines

Worried about going through a secondary security check if you set off an alarm? With metal detectors, it can be difficult to know what caused the alarm, often leading to an overly intrusive search, and the famous "Yoyo Effect" – empty your pockets, walk through again; get rid of your belt or shoes, and walk through again, and so on until you don't alert and everything you have has been thoroughly searched. You'll be happy to hear you don't have to do that again! The Evolv Express system can identify the location of a potential threat, making the secondary check less invasive, and speedier.

Here's how it works: the Evolv Express detects the location of the threat and marks it on a tablet used by the security staff. This makes it easier for the security team to focus only on that specific area during the secondary check. After reviewing the source of the alarm, if no threat is found, you'll be on your way to class. Of course, depending on your school's policies, random bag checks, and other secondary screening may still happen.

Did you know your school has the same security screening system as these world-famous venues?



Is the Evolv Express Technology Safe for Me?

Evolv is dedicated to the safety, quality, and consistency of our products. The Evolv Express® system has been safety tested, feel free to view our safety certifications [here](#). The system does use extremely low-frequency radio waves (ELF) that are in the range used by some Electronic Anti-Theft Systems (EAS), widely deployed in retail settings for loss prevention. Read more about our technology in [Evolv's Health and Safety document](#).

What If I Have Health or Mobility Challenges?

Don't worry, we've got you covered! The Express lanes are wide enough (39.8 inches) to fit standard-sized wheelchairs, walkers, scooters, and any other assistance devices you may have. Plus, the mat is only .89 inches high and sloped, which makes it possible for students with health or mobility challenges to pass through the screening lane.

Will My Personal Information Be Safe?

We take the privacy and security of our customers' personal information extremely seriously and are committed to maintaining strong protections for our customers, products, and company. We believe in building and maintaining trust by being transparent about our privacy, and data security practices, and simply doing what is right.

To learn more, please read the [Express privacy sheet](#).

Will My Chromebook or Laptop Set Off an Alarm?

Your Chromebook may set off an alarm when you go through the Express screening lane. This happens because of its size and composition. However, your School Security Officer and/or School Resource Officer will work with other administrators to figure out the best method to minimize these alarms for your school and communicate these methods to you.



Welcome to a New Age of School Security: No More Metal Detectors, No More Hassle

Everyone wants to feel safe when they're in school. That's why your school is bringing in the Express. This technology is all about making your school environment safer, while still letting you get in and out of the building, frictionlessly and efficiently.

No more waiting in long lines or dealing with frequent alarm sounds like you might with metal detectors. With the Express, the majority of you can walk right through and be on your way to class. And if there is a threat detected, the security team will know exactly where to look, so you won't have to go through a full body search.

We hope you enjoy this new, easy, and safer way to start your day!

