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School safety officers patrol a school's perimeter and surrounding neighborhood to keep our students safe. They provide back-up support to teachers and counselors when warranted by student behavior, protecting students from being victimized and reducing calls to local law enforcement. And according to a report released by the U.S. Department of Justice in 2020, school safety officers are a key factor in preventing school shootings. And you want to eliminate a program that is actually keeping our kids safe.