

The Beaufort County Sheriff's Department has launched a new mobile app that allows users to report crimes – or possible threats of crimes – in schools or anywhere in our community. Anyone who has downloaded the new P3 app can anonymously submit a crime tip and attach photos, videos or other information.

The school district is working to make the new app available on district-owned devices used by students, but students and educators can download P3 immediately on their personal devices. Law enforcement is distributing posters to district schools with QR codes that will allow immediate downloading on personal devices.

Parents can download the app using the posters' QR codes or by searching for "P3 TIPS" in the Google Play or iTunes app stores.

The new P3 app will complement the school district's longstanding "See Something, Say Something" app, which allows students to report bullying or cyberbullying. Students and parents should continue to use "See Something, Say Something" to report bullying. This app is loaded on all district-owned devices and is also available on the school district's website by clicking on the Students or Parents tabs, then on "Anti-Bullying."