

Table 1.53

Full-time school resource officers in local police departments

By size of population served, United States, 2000

Population served	Full-time school resource officers		
	Percent of agencies using	Number of officers	Average number of officers ^a
All sizes	44%	13,760	2
1,000,000 or more	73	942	85
500,000 to 999,999	67	603	26
250,000 to 499,999	85	497	15
100,000 to 249,999	85	1,193	8
50,000 to 99,999	86	1,380	4
25,000 to 49,999	82	1,757	3
10,000 to 24,999	66	2,127	2
2,500 to 9,999	45	3,095	2
Less than 2,500	25	2,167	2

Note: See Note, [table 1.33](#).

^aExcludes agencies that did not employ any full-time sworn school resource officers.

Source: U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Statistics, *Local Police Departments 2000*, NCJ 196002 (Washington, DC: U.S. Department of Justice, 2003), p. 15, Table 33.