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**Question/Comment**

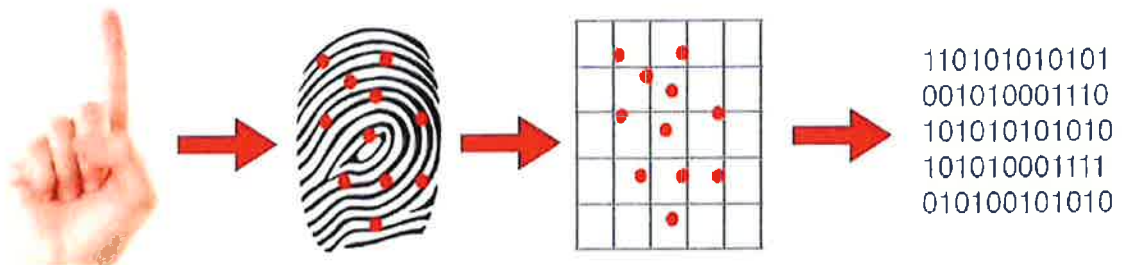
1. How secure is the Bio Metric Reader?  
Please see attached for more information regarding the Biometric System
2. Is there anything for 5<sup>th</sup> graders to do? The Summer School Program is available for 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> graders.  
Currently, the Summer School program is being offered to students and 100% of the 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Students were invited to attend.
3. Would like to know how to become a consultant with the school and how are changes taking place with Principals/Admin Staff/Superintendents?  
For any position availability or openings, please go to [www.sd132.org](http://www.sd132.org) and click on the Human Resources tab for more information.

## Biometrics

As the District progresses in our goal of providing and utilizing state-of-the-art technology, we are pleased to inform our parents that we have a student recognition system using biometrics at Calumet Public School District 132.

Biometric information is information about someone's physical characteristics that can be used to identify them. As part of our identity management systems, we will record a biometric measurement taken only from your child's finger. It is important to note that this is *not* a fingerprint image.

The information will be stored in a highly secure database and will only be used by the school to confirm a student's identity in our cafeterias and libraries. This system will improve the services we offer to students and staff. This system will provide many benefits including the reduction in time and the associated costs to the District and to parents for the replacement of lost, stolen or forgotten identification cards. The biometric system will also be utilized in our libraries for students who wish to check out books and other library materials.



This is a technology has already been used successfully by thousands of schools.