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## Central Nine using card swipe security system

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Student Christian Bradley, 17, of Nine Career Center on Friday. PHOTO BY SCOTT ROBERSON

Before a parent, a special delivery driver or a student late for class can get into the Central Nine Career Center, the vocational school verifies that the visitor isn't listed in the national sex offender database.

More than 20 times a day, visitors swipe their driver's licenses through a machine that checks their records. If you haven't been convicted as a sex offender, your picture is printed on a

visitor's pass. If you have, you don't get to go in.

Central Nine runs the identities of its visitors through a system called LobbyGuard. Using a person's driver's license or name and date of birth, LobbyGuard checks to see if the person is a registered sex offender, executive assistant and communications specialist Laura Showalter said.

If LobbyGuard finds a potential match within the database the person is asked to see Central Nine's receptionist.

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