

# WARNER BEACH PREPARATORY SCHOOL SAFEGUARDS WEB USAGE WITH SONICWALL

Elementary school simplifies management while protecting children and staff.

## Business need

Warner Beach Preparatory School, located in the resort town of Warner Beach in KwaZulu-Natal, South Africa, consists of two divisions: the Junior Primary School (grades 1-3) and the Senior Primary School (grades 4-7). The school previously had a Cisco SG300-28P switch that functioned as the main router/gateway for the network used by both. But as the need for centralized management grew, and zero-day and advanced threats became more common, the school began searching for a next-generation firewall that would better fit its current and future needs.

## Solution

Warner Beach Preparatory School deployed the SonicWall TZ400 to add firewall services, along with the multi-engine Capture Advanced Threat Protection (ATP) sandbox service and SonicWall Global Management System (GMS).

## Results

Since deploying the SonicWall solution, Warner Beach Preparatory School dramatically improved its defense against advanced and zero-day threats. Overall cybersecurity management has been centralized and simplified, allowing for greater control of the network as a whole. In addition to being able to better manage internet bandwidth, the school has also gained insight into users' online activities, along with the ability to limit this activity through advanced content filtering policies.

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## Benefits

- Increases protection against ransomware and zero-day/advanced threats
- Centralizes management
- Enables user-based tracking
- Allows tighter control of internet activity
- Assists with management of internet bandwidth

## Solutions at a glance

- [SonicWall TZ400](#)
- [Capture ATP](#)
- [SonicWall GMS](#)



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DEPUTY PRINCIPAL  
WARNER BEACH PREPARATORY SCHOOL



## CUSTOMER PROFILE

Company	Warner Beach Preparatory School
Industry	Education
Country	South Africa
Employees	Approx. 70
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