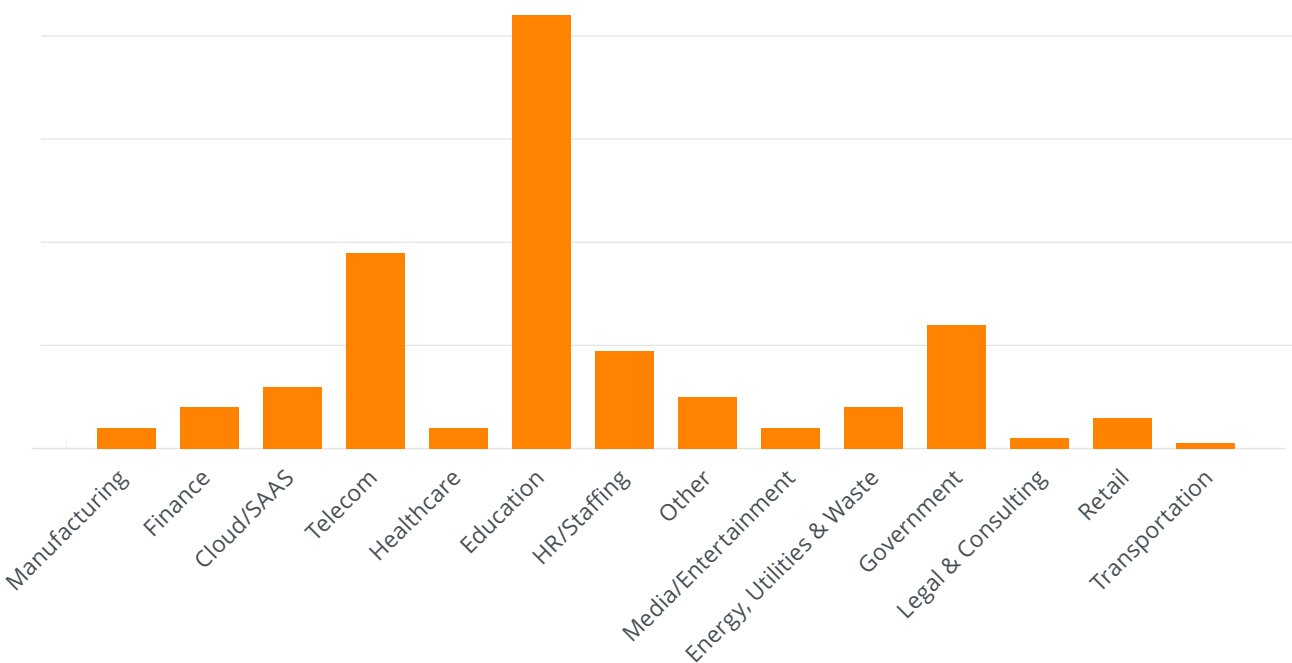


# DDoS Attacks on Education

Distributed Denial of Service (DDoS) cyberattacks are growing in frequency, duration, and scale. These attacks flood a victim’s Internet circuit with traffic in an attempt to take the victim offline.

Average number of attacks per Customer per Industry



There are approximately  
**30,000 DDoS attacks every day.**  
Every business in every industry is at risk.

In the first half of 2022, the education sector experienced **more DDoS attacks than customers in any other industry.**

**38.3%**  
of attacks  
**across all industries**

**88%**  
of attacks were small bursts,  
lasting **less than 15 minutes**

**“A 30-second spurt attack would lead to a full hour loss”**

— Billy Russell, Technology Director at North Judson-San Pierre Schools in North Judson, Indiana

## Why do attackers target education?


Schools today rely on technology and the Internet more than ever —  
**any network downtime can severely hinder learning**

DDoS attacks are inexpensive to purchase, meaning even **students can take down their school’s network for just \$10**

Don’t leave the security of your network up to chance.


## Zayo DDoS Protection:

  
Offers **24/7 network-based protection** and support

  
Provides automatic, **real-time mitigation**

  
Leverages our Tier-1 backbone and **over 27 Tb/s of peering capacity**

  
**Cost-effectively** secures your network

  
Enables control and insights through our **customer portal**

  
**Secures your network** with a single protection order



Gather all of our insights from our DDoS attack report [here](#).

