Greetings,

The safety of our learning community remains a priority.  You may or may not be aware that in coordination with the Ingham County Sheriff’s Office, we have been investigating a social media threat involving students at the Junior High.  While some families elected to keep their Junior High students home today, 8-10 police officers and countless other secured adults greeted the majority of our students and staff this morning.  With new information in hand, we continued to investigate.  We also took the opportunity to address all students during lunch who attended school to review the steps we have taken to keep everyone safe.

We are in the process of dedicating a phone number and email specific to our district for the community to report concerns regarding bullying, discrimination, and/or sexual abuse.  Please take some time with your students to discuss the impact social media posts may have on others and urge them to speak-up and submit all concerns moving forward.

While I understand your interest in this particular situation, since we are dealing with minors, we are not able to share any additional information with you.  With that, I can share that this concern has been addressed.  Please respect our ongoing process and the privacy of the families involved with this case.

In the end, it will take each of us to make the difference for all of us.

Sincerely,

David G. Hornak, Ed.D.

Superintendent