

## SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY SCHOOLS

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Dear Families of Southampton County Public School Students:

There will be an increase in police presence at Southampton High School and Southampton Middle School on Tuesday, January 9, 2024. There was an alleged threat made towards the school by a student, who has been identified and the investigation is ongoing. The Southampton County Sheriff's Office in conjunction with Southampton County Public Schools Office of Safety & Security will continue to investigate this incident. The Southampton County Public Schools Crisis Response Plan and the Student Code of Conduct are being followed.

We continue to endorse the mantra, "If you see something, say something." Working together we can maintain a safe environment where students can achieve and succeed. Questions are welcomed and may be directed to alfredc@southampton.k12.va.us or (757) 651-8231.

Respectfully,

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Alfred S. Charity Safety & Security Supervisor Southampton County Public Schools

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