

Berkshire Park Elementary School

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

As some of you may have noticed during drop off this morning, we had an individual in distress outside of our school. This individual was not a member of our school community and required support from emergency services.

Upon identifying this individual, we ensured the appropriate authorities were notified to provide immediate support to the individual. We also ensured our site was safe for drop off and redirected all foot traffic away from the site.

Your child may have some questions about the incident. We are addressing this at school and assuring students that this individual is safe. If your child shares something at home, please encourage them to talk. We also have a counsellor at school, who is available if you feel your child needs to talk further.

I will be asking staff to follow up with students over the week and monitor any concerns that may present. I am also available should you have any questions.

Thank you for your continued support,

Mr. D. Lam Principal