

May 26, 2022

Dear Manhasset School Community,

Earlier this morning, a text message was reported to Dr. Schlanger that was sent to several students at the Secondary School. This text message caused significant concern. In accordance with District protocol, we immediately contacted the Nassau County Police Department.

The Nassau County Police Department is actively investigating the text message and the District is fully cooperating with their investigation. The individual who sent the text message has been identified and appropriate steps have been taken by the Nassau County Police Department to ensure that the safety and security of our students and staff have not been compromised.

As we have said previously, the safety and security of our school community are the district's top priorities. As such, the district takes these reports very seriously and all reported concerns are investigated fully.

Please emphasize with your children that any concern for safety should always be shared with a trusted adult immediately. In addition, please take this opportunity to remind your child(ren) that words and images have power, and especially given today's climate, should be chosen carefully and with respect for one another.

Sincerely,

Dr. Gaurav Passi  
Acting Superintendent of Schools