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Superintendent
Josh Ingle

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Important Information for Dade County High School Families

Dear Parents and Families,

I am writing to share important information regarding a law enforcement investigation involving the principal of Dade County High School.

Earlier today, the Dade County Sheriff's Office notified me of an investigation involving the principal. We understand that this news may be concerning for our students, families, employees, and community.

The safety and well-being of our students remain our highest priority. The district is cooperating fully with law enforcement and will continue to do so throughout the investigation.

The principal has been placed on administrative leave pending further information. During this time, our two assistant principals will oversee daily school operations, with additional support from district leadership. Our focus remains on providing a safe, stable, and supportive learning environment for students and staff.

I will work closely with the Board of Education to determine appropriate next steps.
Because this is an active law enforcement investigation, the district has limits on what it can share. Anyone with information that may assist investigators is encouraged to contact the Dade County Sheriff's Office at 706-657-3233.

I recognize the trust you place in our schools each day. We take that responsibility seriously and remain committed to the safety, well-being, and education of every student we serve.
Thank you for your continued support.

Sincerely,

Josh Ingle, Superintendent
Dade County School District

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