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Update on Threatening Note Found Near School Property

Hingham, MA - The note found today on a path used by students near the East School has been confirmed not to be an actual threat and there is no danger. The note was part of a game several elementary school students were playing amongst each other with escalating notes left for each other.

This evening, November 7, 2023, a parent called the police after seeing the notification and discovered their child and their friends were involved in writing the note. That parent then came to the police station and the officers confirmed this information. As a result, we are satisfied that there was no intent to harm or actual danger related to this note. Due to their ages no charges will be filed.

We will still have an officer present at East School tomorrow morning to reassure those who did not see this update. ### Contact P.I.O. Lt. Steven Dearth