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Dear Parents and Guardians,

Miami-Dade County Public Schools recognizes that a primary concern of all, is the safety of our children. In an effort to make schools safe, School Resource Officers (SROs) will be available in all schools to facilitate a safe learning environment. The SRO Program focuses on building meaningful relationships between police and the school community.

For the SRO Program to be successful and effective, your participation is essential. Your involvement helps to ensure that your child's school is a safe haven where all students can continue to receive a high-quality learning experience. We encourage you to report threats and/or suspicious activity by utilizing FortifyFL, which can be found throughout the district website or at <u>www.getfortifyfl.com</u>. In addition, you may continue to report suspicious activity through our "SEE something SAY something" campaign, at 305-995-COPS (2677).

Please visit our website at <u>www.mdspolice.com</u> where you can access additional departmental information and follow us on our social media channels for current updates. If you have any questions about the SRO program, or if we can be of any help to you or your child, please feel free to contact the SRO at your child's school or call us at 305-995-COPS (2677).

I wish you all a safe and successful school year.

Sincerely,

Ivan E. Silva Chief of Police

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cc: School Site Principal

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