



SCHOOL DISTRICT TWO
HARRISON
Character Through Diversity, Challenge & Accomplishment

NEWS RELEASE

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District Statement

COLORADO SPRINGS – The below message has been shared with Harrison High School parents.

Dear Parents,

This letter is to inform you that a security incident occurred at Harrison High School today. Our school district is committed to the safety and education of all our students. We also want to clearly communicate with parents about safety issues when they arise.

Harrison High School was placed on a lockout after staff found a magazine with live ammunition was found shortly before 8:00 a.m. this morning. Harrison School District Two's Security and Colorado Springs Police Department immediately conducted an investigation. Students and staff were searched as well as a thorough search of the premises. No weapon was found. At no time were students and staff in danger.

Please discuss this incident with your student and emphasize that it is against the law to bring weapons of any type to school. Also, please emphasize the importance of telling you or a staff member if there is a weapon at school. In this way, we are all working together to keep our school safe.

Harrison High School will hold an early release at 1:00 p.m. today and will remain on a regular schedule tomorrow, December 6, 2018, with increased security for the remainder of the week.

Sincerely,
Harrison School District Two

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For more information, please contact Christine O'Brien at the numbers listed above.