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Brownsville ISD Responds to Security Incident at Brownsville Early College High School

BROWNSVILLE, Texas — Brownsville Independent School District is addressing a security incident that occurred today at Brownsville Early College High School involving a student who was found in possession of a firearm on campus. The campus was immediately placed on lockdown as a safety precaution, and the student was safely taken into custody.

The Brownsville Police Department will lead the investigation. Brownsville ISD extends its appreciation to Brownsville ISD Police, the Brownsville Police Department, and all responding law enforcement agencies for their swift response and efforts to ensure the safety of our students and staff.

Brownsville ISD encourages parents and guardians to speak with their children about the importance of school safety and the serious responsibility of reporting concerning behavior or information. Families are also encouraged to remain aware of what students may be bringing to school, including regularly checking backpacks and personal belongings.

We remind our entire school community: If you see something, say something. Reporting concerns can help prevent incidents and protect our students, staff, and schools.

The safety and security of our students and staff remains a top priority for Brownsville ISD. The District will continue to work closely with law enforcement regarding this matter. Due to the ongoing investigation and student privacy laws, no additional information will be released at this time.