

Letter to Parents

August 16, 2019

Dear Parents and Guardians,

The purpose of this letter is to provide you with information regarding an incident on Thursday, August 15, 2019, that occurred at Stafford High School. A 26-year-old man entered a school bus and building from the bus ramp with other students during morning arrival. He was described as young-looking and was considered a student. The man entered the cafeteria and took food items without paying for it. The School Resource Officer was quickly notified by a staff member and this person was removed. He did not have a weapon and made no threatening comments or actions to students and staff. It is important to note that the entire incident was handled swiftly. Superintendent Dr. Scott Kizner has asked staff for a thorough review and recommendations for any security changes. It is obvious that something has to change in our procedures and implemented immediately.

While this type of incident may be alarming, it is an opportunity to remind our students and staff to remain alert, exercise caution, and report any suspicious activity in the schools.

The well-being of our students is Stafford High School's and Stafford County Public School's highest priority. Thank you for your continuing support and assistance in maintaining the safety and security of our school and our students.