# **ANNOUNCEMENT**

CENTRAL CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL DISTRICT



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# STRENGTHENING SCHOOL SAFETY: A UNIFIED APPROACH FOR CCSD

Central Consolidated School District believes we are stronger when we work together as a team — especially when it comes to the safety and security of our schools. Please follow the steps below to help keep our students and staff safe:

#### **Report Any Threats Immediately:**

If you see any threats against the Central Consolidated School District, your school, students, or staff, please report them right away. You can do this by contacting your school administrator, your local police department, or calling the "See Something, Say Something" tip line at 1-844-572-9669. When you report, include any screenshots, the names of the individuals involved, and any other details you can provide. Your quick action helps keep everyone safe!

#### Do Not Share Posts on Social Media:

Please do not post or repost threat information, either on social media (including Snapchat) or via text to anyone else. The more rumored threats spread, the longer it takes to investigate and the more confusion it causes for our families. We value our staff members and law enforcement's time and resources, and we want to remove any barriers that would delay an efficient investigation.

#### Talk to Your Student:

Please review our Student Code of Conduct and have a conversation with your child about the seriousness with which we must take all matters related to threats. Even words or social media posts intended to be a joke can elicit safety concerns and serious disciplinary consequences.

By committing to following the actions above, our administrators, Safety Services team, and local law enforcement partners can efficiently and effectively respond with a full investigation, rather than managing confusion and chaos it can cause in our communities.

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