

Allison Brown Superintendent of Schools

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Dear Roslyn Families:

I am writing to inform you about an incident that has been brought to my attention.

A driver approached one of our Harbor Hill students yesterday after school and asked the child to get into the vehicle. Fortunately, the child did not comply and reported the incident to a parent immediately. The Nassau County Police Department was notified and is actively investigating the situation. We take this matter very seriously, and we are grateful for the child's quick thinking.

Such incidents are an opportunity for us to review procedures with our school safety teams to ensure that we are always doing everything we can to make our school environment as safe as possible.

We want to remind you to speak with your children about the importance of being safe and alert when they are out in the community. Here are a few tips to share with them:

1. Always be cautious of strangers: Remind them to never get into a vehicle with someone they do not know.

2. Stay aware of their surroundings: Encourage them to be mindful of what is happening around them.

3. **Report suspicious behavior:** Teach them to tell a trusted adult if they feel uncomfortable or see something unusual.

4. Use the buddy system: Whenever possible, encourage your child to walk with a friend or group.

Sincerely,

Allison Brown Superintendent of School