MONTGOMERY COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS
SILVER SPRING INTERNATIONAL MIDDLE SCHOOL
An IB World School
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Thursday April 11, 2019

Dear Parents and Guardians:

Yesterday evening, April 10, 2019, we received information about a possible threat to our school. A student shared information with another student about possibly bringing a weapon to school. In response, we contacted MCPS security and the Montgomery County Police Department to conduct an investigation. The police responded, met with the student and family and determined there was no credible threat to our students, staff or community members.

I want to assure you that the safety and security of our students, staff, and parents is our highest priority. Therefore, we responded immediately to this threat and used the support of the police and MCPS security personnel to ensure that our school continues to be a safe and welcoming place.

I ask that you please speak with your child(ren) and remind them that threats of any kind will not be tolerated at our school. Students who are caught making threats will face serious consequences aligned with the Student Code of Conduct.

I look forward to our continued partnership to ensure that SSIMS is a positive and safe environment for our students to grow and learn. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me at 240-740-2750.

Sincerely,

Karen Bryant
Principal