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Dear Parents, Carers

We are aware of a social media video that has been circulating around the community in West Yorkshire since last week of a small group of youths making threats towards another group.

There has been speculation regarding incidents within schools however there have been no reported incidents at any school within our communities.

West Yorkshire Police are working with local authorities and are actively encouraging people not to speculate or put unnecessary fear into the community and would kindly ask people do not share these types of videos online. In response to concerns raised, West Yorkshire Police are working with our partners and local neighbourhood policing teams to provide reassurance in the community.

Four arrests have been made in relation to this matter and enquiries remain ongoing by Bradford CID. West Yorkshire Police take all reports of youth violence and anti-social behaviour seriously and behaviour of this type will not be tolerated, and any offences committed will be dealt with robustly.

Anyone who has information about this video or who knows who is in it, is asked to contact police via 101 or using the live chat facility at <u>www.westyorkshire.police.uk/livechat</u> quoting log 13240123627 Information can be provided anonymously to Crimestoppers 0800 555 111

Yours Sincerely

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Mrs D.Smith Headteacher





