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Dear parents and carers,

I wanted to write and update you as soon as possible following earlier communications.

Taking pupils out of school is a decision that is never made lightly as we are keenly aware of the impact on students and their families.

However, today we received what turned out to be a hoax explosives threat which we acted on immediately. Having liaised with the police, we took the precaution of evacuating the school, and sending students home as we could not guarantee the safety of our students until police checks had been carried out on site.

These have now been completed, and police have confirmed that the site is secure and safe. Following this, School will open as normal tomorrow. Please send students to school tomorrow at the normal time.

I completely understand the concern this may have caused you, but I hope you can understand that the safety and wellbeing of our students and staff will always be our top priority.

I believe it is only right that we took this matter extremely seriously and we will be supporting the police with any further investigations into the background of the hoax threat.

Yours sincerely

Richard Reeve
Headteacher