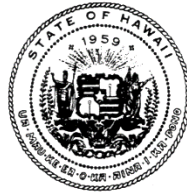


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Sept. 11, 2025

Dear Parents and Guardians in the Castle Complex:

We have been made aware of online reports about a possible shooting incident in the Kāne'ohe community. Out of an abundance of caution, we contacted the Honolulu Police Department and were assured there is no active threat to any of our campuses.

Please remember that any updates or changes to school operations will always come through our official communication channels.

Keeping our campus safe is a shared responsibility. Your vigilance matters. If you see or hear anything suspicious, please report it immediately. As always: If you see something, say something.

Mahalo for your attention and continued support. If you have any questions or concerns, feel free to contact your school's administration directly.

Sincerely,

Sam Izumi

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Castle-Kahuku Complex Area Superintendent

cc: Ahuimanu El, Benjamin Parker El., He'eia El., Kahalu'u El., Kāne'ohe El., Kapunahala El., Pū'ohala El., Waiāhole El. King Inter., Castle High