

# ***St. Genevieve Parish Schools***

October 14, 2021

Dear Parents,

Today at approximately 11:00 am, a long and thick shoelace was found hung up in the form of a noose in the downstairs boy's bathroom. The bathroom was immediately closed for use and classes were stopped.

Over video announcements, the image was shown, and we asked students for help in identifying the individual responsible. This was followed by an in-class discussion with teachers about the impact this has on individuals as well as the school community.

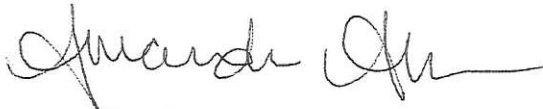
Simultaneously, the police were notified, and an internal investigation began. LAPD responded on the scene within an hour and is investigating.

This type of behavior is not acceptable nor will it be tolerated at St. Genevieve. We are called to be a community of love not hate. This was an intentional and hateful act and, we are doing all we can to investigate and determine the individual responsible.

As parents, I ask you to please have a conversation with your student about the privilege of attending St. Genevieve, and the impact their decisions can have on their enrollment. Please also remind them of the importance of notifying an adult if they notice someone acting in an inappropriate manner.

Please partner with us to help us raise up Valiant young men and women who understand how their decisions impacts themselves and those around them.

Sincerely,



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