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Dear Salem Students, Parents and Families,

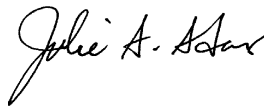
I am writing to inform you that yesterday afternoon I was made aware of a comment that was made by a student which indicated a possible future threat to the Jr/Sr High School. The Washington County Sheriff's Office was contacted and the matter was immediately investigated.

The investigation concluded that there is no threat to the school community by this individual. School will be open today and run according to our regular schedule. We understand that due to the timing of the investigation and its conclusion, not everyone may receive this information before the start of school and as a result have cause for concern. Therefore, we will have deputies from the Washington County Sheriff's Office on site this morning to put faculty, staff and students at ease until everyone has received this information.

Please speak with your children about the seriousness of making jokes or comments about committing violent acts at school or harming others. The health and safety of our students, faculty, staff is our utmost priority and every threat will be thoroughly investigated in partnership with law enforcement.

If you have any questions related to this matter, please contact me at 518-854-7600.

Sincerely,



Julie A. Adams
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