



Friday 14th October 2016

Dear Parents/Carers

Just after midday today, two youths were seen on the edge of the Academy site, with masks covering their faces. Police were notified immediately. The youths were challenged by Academy staff, fled the scene and were subsequently detained and arrested by police.

At no point were any children threatened, and the school day has continued as normal. I would like to praise the vigilance of our staff, and the prompt response from local police.

As I mentioned in my letter yesterday, both the Academy and the police are taking this matter very seriously, and additional police resources have been deployed to ensure a calm end to the day.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Warren Smith', written in a cursive style.

Warren Smith
Headteacher