

District 27 Families,

I want to let you know that there was an incident after school yesterday in the neighborhood between Mission Hills Country Club and Walters Road, east of Sanders Road, involving one of our Wood Oaks students.

A Hispanic male in a blue SUV attempted to make verbal contact with one of our students as the student was walking home. The man, in his mid-20's and wearing a blue hoodie, did not get out of the vehicle, but did expose himself to the student.

I want to ensure that all District 27 families are aware of the incident, know the description of the individual and his vehicle, and are vigilant with their observations. Our principals will provide our students with reminders about good pedestrian safety and how to handle a situation like this, should it arise. The student involved did an excellent job of being alert, immediately leaving the scene, and notifying authorities.

The Northbrook Police Department has released the following description of the suspect: He is described as a male Hispanic in his mid 20s, wearing a blue hoodie and black pants, with short black hair, combed forward with gel in it. He also had round metal-rimmed glasses and some acne along his jaw line. He spoke English with a Spanish accent and was driving a large blue SUV.

If you have any questions about the incident, or information about the individual in question, please contact the Northbrook Police at [847-564-2060](tel:847-564-2060).

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