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Monroe Families,

Today, some of our students and classrooms on the second floor witnessed a student-related situation that required assistance from numerous staff members. During our response and support, we made the decision to close and lock specific classrooms. We also diverted several classrooms which caused a disruption to their regular schedules. We made these decisions primarily to provide visual privacy as this incident was loud and naturally drew the attention of our students. At no time was the safety of a student or class in question but we act out of an abundance of caution for all students, including any student experiencing a behavioral escalation.

After several minutes, we were able to resume regular school activities including our regular schedule. While our students may not have viewed this situation as a modified lockdown, we utilized many of the same above-noted protocols to ensure emotional and physical safety. We apologize for the disruption that this situation caused as we are typically able to respond to matters in a manner that does not impact our classroom learning environments.

Thank you for your time, attention, and understanding.

Best Regards,

Principal, Monroe Elementary

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