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September 22, 2022

Dear Eastport-South Manor Families,

Eastport-South Manor Junior-Senior High School administration was informed of an inappropriate video which had been circulating social media. The posting included an explicit and derogatory song dubbed over a video originally created by our Student Council to help promote the district's upcoming spirit week. As this was posted to a new account misrepresenting itself as the High School Student Council, it led viewers to believe it had been done in an official capacity. Since that time, the altered video has been removed by TikTok and the district is in the process of investigating the matter. Please be assured that, when identified, the individuals responsible will be addressed and appropriate action will be taken.

I would like to take this opportunity to remind everyone about the importance of using social media appropriately. Actions such as the one today are appallingly inappropriate and will not be tolerated by our school district. I encourage our families to have conversations with their children to remind them that their actions – both in person and online – can have negative consequences and to remember to think twice before posting anything to social media.



Thank you in advance for your attention to this important matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Sal Alaimo".

Sal Alaimo
Principal

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Estimadas familias de Eastport-South Manor,

La administración de Eastport-South Manor Junior-Senior High School fue informada de un video inapropiado que había estado circulando en las redes sociales. La publicación incluía una canción explícita y despectiva doblada sobre un video creado originalmente por nuestro Consejo Estudiantil para ayudar a promover la próxima semana de espíritu del distrito. Como esto se publicó en una nueva cuenta que se hacía pasar por el Consejo Estudiantil de la Escuela Secundaria, hizo que los espectadores creyeran que se había hecho a título oficial. Desde ese momento, TikTok eliminó el video alterado y el distrito está en proceso de investigar el asunto. Tenga la seguridad de que, cuando se identifique, se abordará a las personas responsables y se tomarán las medidas adecuadas.

Me gustaría aprovechar esta oportunidad para recordarles a todos la importancia de usar las redes sociales de manera adecuada. Acciones como la de hoy son terriblemente inapropiadas y nuestro distrito escolar no las tolerará. Animo a nuestras familias a tener conversaciones con sus hijos para recordarles que sus acciones, tanto en persona como en línea, pueden tener consecuencias negativas y recordar pensar dos veces antes de publicar algo en las redes sociales.

Gracias de antemano por su atención a este importante asunto.

Sinceramente,

Sal Alaimo
Principal

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