

## The Bay Academy for the Arts & Sciences Intermediate School 98

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

The safety and well-being of all students and staff members at IS 98 The Bay Academy remain our highest priority. To this end, we are sending you this notice pertaining to information we received last night.

We learned last night that a potential threat was made on social media against our school. NYPD was immediately contacted and after investigating the matter, determined that the threat was not credible. All students and staff are safe, and instruction was not interrupted.

We assure you that every precaution was taken and will continue to be taken to ensure the safety of our students and staff. Guidance Counselors and support staff are available, as always, to assist students as needed. It is also important to speak to your children about responsible behavior on social media outlets.

We look forward to your continued partnership as we work together to ensure that IS 98 The Bay Academy continues to provide the best and safest learning environment possible for all of its students. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact our Parent Coordinator, Carvn DiMari, at 718-891-9005.

We remain committed to ensuring that every child will be safe in school.

Sincerely yours,

Maria Timo Principal