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Dear Agua Fria High School District Families,

Today is national See Something Say Something Day. So it is timely to reaffirm our belief that a safe and friendly learning environment is essential for student success. To strengthen this commitment, I am reaching out to parents and guardians to partner with us to keep our kids and staff safe on our campuses. Let's be all in when it comes to safety.

#SeeSomethingSaySomething

Parents, we need your help. Please remind your child of the importance of speaking up. If they encounter any threats on social media, anticipate a fight, or observe suspicious behavior, they must report immediately. Please tell your child that they may confide in teachers, counselors, school resource officers, or any trusted adult on campus, at any time.

Did you know that adults are required to report any incidents of teen violence? The specifics of this law are outlined in Arizona's Mandated Reporting guidelines. For more information, please visit <u>azleg.gov/ars/13/03620.htm</u>

Report. Don't Repost!

Please refer to the state statute that outlines the consequences of having disruptive behavior at school: A.R.S. 15-841 and 13-2911.

Our commitment to the safety and education of all our students is unwavering. By working together, we can ensure that our schools remain places where every student feels secure and supported. Thank you for your partnership in this vital effort. Together, we can foster a culture of safety and accountability.

Sincerely,

Mark Yslas

Superintendent