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Principal: Angela Reynolds

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Re: Police Reports

We are writing to make you aware of a suspicious incident that the police are investigating in our community, which took place on Cottingham Road. This has now been released by the police to the public and we are now able to ensure that information is shared with our school community.

Northamptonshire Police are also appealing for any witnesses who may be able to provide any information to help identify the man.

The police statement says:

"The incident happened yesterday (Monday, November 6) at about 3.30pm, when a girl who had just finished school was approached by a man who appeared to follow her for a short while.

"Although she was unharmed and he didn't speak to her, the girl was understandably left shaken up by the incident.

"The man is described as aged 30-40, with a tanned complexion and wearing a black coat, black beanie hat and black cargo trousers with pockets on the side.

"The man, or anyone who might recognise his description, should contact Northamptonshire Police on 101. "Please quote incident number 23000693192 when passing on any information to make sure it gets to the right person as quickly as possible."

We will continue to work closely with the police on all community safety matters as part of our Safer Schools Partnership. You might have also seen our PCSO outside of the school this evening, as he will be around more than usual in the days ahead to provide an extra level of reassurance for students. While we will also continue to remind students of things, they can do to keep themselves safe, we would also urge you to talk to them to ensure they remain vigilant.

Please contact Northamptonshire Police in the first instance if you believe you have any information on 101.

While we will not be able to provide any details about the police's investigation, if you would like to talk to a member of staff at the school about your child, as always, you can contact us via studentsupport@corbytechnicalschool.org or phone on 01536 213100 and select option 2 for student support.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs A Reynolds Principal