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Dear Parents and Carers

Operation Sceptre is a national bi-annual knife crime awareness campaign which aims to lessen weapon related offences. This week in association with West Midlands Police we have had a weapon sweep of our school grounds and we are pleased to inform you that no items were found.

Please note: we do regularly search pupils for prohibited items including weapons, drugs, vapes, cigarettes, fireworks and any other item(s) that may cause harm and/or are not permitted in school. Please be aware that a student's place at the school is at risk should they be in possession of any prohibited items.

We are committed to keeping our community safe.

Yours faithfully

Mr M Grove
Assistant Headteacher - Culture