



# MERCEDES

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September 15, 2020

Mercedes ISD administration was informed of two recent incidents that occurred via remote video platform. Both incidents were reported to the Mercedes Police Department. In the case of an inappropriate video, the incident occurred outside the learning platform of our District and did not take place in the virtual classroom. The second matter occurred in the virtual classroom during teacher instruction. Parents of students who were present during these incidents were informed.

The District's Student Code of Conduct addresses prohibited behavior during face-to-face and remote instruction and these incidents will be handled accordingly. Mercedes ISD is committed to providing a safe and nurturing environment for our students.

We encourage parents and students to report any inappropriate behavior, regardless of the learning environment, to the campus principal and District officials.

  
Carolyn A. Mendiola  
Superintendent of Schools

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