



PRESS RELEASE – May 16, 2016

Police Department: 972-625-1887

Middle school student brings firearm into school

THE COLONY, Texas — On Monday, May 16, 2016 at 10:21 a.m., The Colony Police Department responded to Griffin Middle School, located at 5105 N. Colony Blvd., at the request of school administrators. GMS administration staff received information that an eighth grade student might be in possession of a handgun inside the school campus. When the tip was received, school staff immediately removed the student from class and discovered a handgun in his possession. They safely took possession of the handgun and called The Colony Police for assistance.



The Colony Police placed the juvenile student under arrest and transported him to The Colony Police Department for processing. There were no reports of threats being made or any physical display of the handgun while on school grounds. This investigation is in its early stages and is actively our highest priority.

Please contact Sergeant Jay Goodson, in the Professional Standards Division, at 972-624-3925 for additional information.

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