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Dear Parents and Guardians,

As we are preparing for family gatherings this Thanksgiving, we would like to take a moment to update our Washington Township family regarding concerns surrounding postings on Instagram. Yesterday, we were notified of disturbing messages received on Instagram by sixth grade students. Be assured that we take cyber safety very seriously and have coordinated our interventions with the local police. In addition, our school counselor, Deb Tierney has both reassured concerned students and reminded them of internet safety protocols.

The safety of our students and staff are our top priority. Please contact me if you have any additional questions or concerns. Wishing you a Happy Thanksgiving holiday.

Keith Neuhs Superintendent Washington Township School District