

# Edsel Ford High School



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March 17, 2023

Greetings Thunderbird Community,

It is with a heavy heart I share with you sad news about a 2022 Edsel Ford Graduate.

Early today I was informed that a former Edsel student has died as a result of being involved in a tragic shooting incident. Although information about this incident has been shared on social media, we are choosing to not release the name of the student at this time. Our most sincere prayers are with the family as they grieve the loss of their child. I ask everyone to send loving thoughts of compassion and support to them and ask that we all respect their privacy at this most sorrowful time.

We have reached out directly to the family to see if they are in need of any support. On Monday, our school social workers, along with the District crisis team, will be available to provide support to anyone at our school who may need it. In addition, our Crisis Hotline in the district which consists of school social workers and psychologists will be available for students and staff to support their emotional well being. The email address is [dss@dearbornschools.org](mailto:dss@dearbornschools.org) and the phone number is (313) 827-8500.

We will be working with current students, former graduates, and family members to organize an event that will pay tribute and honor the memory of our former Thunderbird. More information will be provided as details are finalized.

The loss of life is always sad and the loss of such a young life filled with so much potential, love and joy is even harder for all of us. Continued prayers to all and condolences to the family.

Sincerely,

Ms. Hassan  
Principal