



Mt. Hope High School

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Dear Mt. Hope Community,

Today, March 5, 2020, it was brought to my attention that, at the end of the school day on November 26, 2019, a video which shows male and female students and a teacher celebrating the beginning of Thanksgiving break was posted on social media. Administration spoke with the teacher to gather information regarding the situation. While the song playing during the video contained profanity, it was determined that it was added after the video was taken. I am satisfied that my administrative team understands the context of the video, no inappropriate activity occurred, and no further action is required. The video has subsequently been removed from the site.

While we recognize that students and staff may be excited for holiday and vacation breaks, we must continue to emphasize that every instructional minute is important for our students.

Sincerely,


Dr. DiBiase