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Good morning,

Early this morning on November 20th, School District No. 58 (Nicola-Similkameen) staff received information that a student had been robbed while walking to school through the downtown area.

The RCMP were informed and responded immediately. The student was not physically harmed and is being supported through staff and family. School and district staff have been informed and are supporting students as needed.

We are working with the RCMP and would like to remind everyone in our community to be aware of your surroundings when in the community, to remain on main streets, and whenever possible to travel with others. We ask that you talk to your children about their experiences at school and in the community and bring forward any questions or concerns that you may have at any time.

We know that these events are disconcerting to students/staff and community and would encourage students to seek out teachers or counselling support if they feel they desire or need it.

If you have any questions or concerns, feel free contact the District at 250-378-5161.

Sincerely,

Stephen McNiven  
Superintendent of Schools