



Binghamton City School District

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Dear Franklin Families,

A burglary took place at Benjamin Franklin Elementary School early Friday morning. Police were present at the building as law enforcement worked to assess damages and ensure the building was safe for students and staff. Binghamton Police detectives are continuing to investigate the incident. There was no physical damage to the facility. At this time, there are items that remain unaccounted for.

At the beginning of the school day, students reported to the church across the street, and remained there briefly until entering the building at approximately 8:20 a.m. Upon reentering the building, breakfast was served and students proceeded with their usual school day. Thank you for your support of the safety and security of our school community.

Sincerely,

Kyle Skinner
Principal

Educating, empowering and challenging all students to become productive, global citizens through innovative approaches to learning.