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**SUPERINTENDENT**

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Dear École Kelvin High School Families,

This morning, it was brought to my attention that graffiti in the symbol of a swastika was located on the École Kelvin High School building. This hate crime is not acceptable or tolerated on Winnipeg School Division property, or anywhere in our school community. We are all extremely concerned and upset by this cowardly act.

The Winnipeg Police and the Major Crimes Unit have been notified and will conduct their investigation to find the individuals responsible for this horrendous act of ignorance. WSD values our students and staff and promotes healthy world views in a safe and respectful learning environment.

WSD has also contacted the Centre for Israel and Jewish Affairs and the Jewish Federation of Winnipeg, and Brock Corydon School to inform them of the incident and to share our concerns. We have also arranged for the graffiti to be removed immediately.

If you have any information regarding this crime, please contact the Winnipeg Police. While rare, this type of hate is unacceptable. I trust we will stand together to demonstrate our strength and vigilance in our school communities.

Sincerely,

Matt Henderson, PhD  
Superintendent.

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