



Incident reporting in schools – Term 4, 2012

How schools manage the safety and security of its students and staff.

Our schools are among the safest places in our community for children and young people. However, from time to time, incidents do affect schools just as they affect communities and society as a whole.

Following such an incident, the principal notifies the Department's School Safety and Response Hotline so support and advice can be provided to assist the school with the management of the incident. If the principal believes the incident may involve a criminal offence they are required to also notify the NSW Police.

The School Safety and Response Unit Hotline is available to assist principals 24 hours a day, seven days

a week. Senior police and education officers in the unit can provide immediate support and advice on the management of any school-related incident involving violence, weapons, illegal drugs or other criminal activity.

Through the NSW Department of Education and Communities' commitment to improving transparency and ease of access to information, the reports are being made available to the public. In doing so, the Department is committed to the welfare of students and staff in NSW public schools. As such, references have been removed which could expose a person to a risk of harm or which reveals the identities, or the personal/health information of students, school staff

and community members. Information that may prejudice an investigation has also been removed.

The reports are released with a one term delay. Publishing these reports informs the community about significant incidents in public schools and how the Department supports schools through incidents while still protecting students and staff.

The vast majority of schools, more than 90 per cent, did not need to report a single incident in Term 4, 2012. Less than eight per cent of schools reported only one incident.

FURTHER INFORMATION

[Violence on school grounds – the facts](#) by Dr Don Weatherburn, Director of NSW Bureau of Crime Statistics and Research.

Research available on the NSW Bureau of Crime Statistics and Research website:

[Assaults on schools premises in NSW, 2005 - 2009](#)

[School violence and its antecedents \(2005\)](#)

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031957

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: [redacted] Dec [redacted] 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
[redacted]		Illawarra and South East -	[redacted]	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police No
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]

Attended Bridge Street Blacktown Pending
COPS Event #

Assault - Alleged [redacted]

Narrative

A parent reported to the principal that her [redacted] (YP), had disclosed indecently assaulting [redacted] (victim). The assault took place on an unknown date during term 4, 2012.

The YP disclosed [redacted] with the victim and alleged [redacted] touched the victim inappropriately.

The principal has spoken with the victim's parents. The victim corroborates the YP's story but denies the touching took place.

The incident took place at the end of the day in the school playground.

The SED has been informed.

The principal has made the necessary notifications, and will provide appropriate support for the YP and victim.

Action

The SSRU recommended:

- the principal inform the police YLO.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031953

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 16:00, Wed, Dec 19, 2012
Entered: 11:05, Thu, Dec 20, 2012 by [REDACTED]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[REDACTED]	P	Northern Sydney - Middle Harbour	[REDACTED]
Principal	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[REDACTED]	Harbourside	02 9956 3199	Yes
Attended	COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Assault - Student attempts to take scooter causing injury

Narrative

A [REDACTED] male (victim) was riding his scooter home from school when he was approached by an unknown male student (YP) of the same school.

The YP told the victim he wanted to ride the victim's scooter which the victim declined. The YP attempted to grab the scooter from the victim and in doing so caused the victim to fall to the ground.

The victim suffered [REDACTED]

The YP apologised to the victim and the victim walked home. The victim was conveyed to hospital by his parents and treated for his injuries. The matter was reported to the school who have provided support to the victim but cannot identify the YP.

The victim and his parent attended school and provided a statement to police.

Action

The SSRU has recommended the school;

- * Assist the victim in identifying the YP
- * Complete a WH&S injury notification for the victim

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031954

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 12:00, Wed, Dec 19, 2012
Entered: 12:02, Thu, Dec 20, 2012 by [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
[redacted]		North Coast - Clarence	[redacted]	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[redacted]	[redacted]	Coffs Clarence	02 6652 0299	Yes
Attended	COPS Event #			
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending			

Weapons Related - Student produces knife to threaten

Narrative

A [redacted] male (victim) was standing on a balcony, exchanging torments with a [redacted] male (YP1) who was at ground level.

A [redacted] female (YP2) standing with YP1 produced a [redacted] knife from her bag, which she had been using in [redacted] studies, and handed this knife to YP1. YP1 took the blade out of the knife carrier and produced it to the victim. YP1 made threats which have not been established at the time of this report.

The victim immediately left the school and notified his carer who attended the school with the victim to report the matter.

The school confiscated the knife instrument and contacted the YP's parents. The knife was returned to the YP's parent and the school has imposed a long suspension upon the YPs which may be resolved after a meeting with the SLP.

Action

The SSRU has;

* Emailed a copy of the Knives Fact Sheet to the DP

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031943

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 14:00, Tue, Dec 18, 2012
Entered: 15:24, Tue, Dec 18, 2012 [REDACTED]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[REDACTED]	H	Hunter/Central Coast - H/CC7	[REDACTED]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[REDACTED]		Lake Macquarie	02 4942 9940
			Police
			Yes
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Weapons Related - Student allegedly has knife in school grounds

Narrative

A [REDACTED] male (YP) who was not officially attending school today, entered the school grounds and began speaking with other students about starting a fight. Staff ushered the YP from the school.

Students then revealed that the YP had shown them a knife [REDACTED]

The YP re-entered the school a short time later. The DP put the school into lockdown and called the police.

The YP left the school and after a short search of the grounds the school was taken out of lockdown.

The YP was apprehended in the community by police a short time later.

The school will take appropriate disciplinary action and inform the YP's parents. A risk management plan will be put in place for the YP.

Media Unit and SED informed.

Action

The SSRU recommends the school involve the school liaison police officer in the YP's return to school process.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031941

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 11:00, Tue, Dec 18, 2012
Entered: 13:49, Tue, Dec 18, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	Illawarra and South East -	
Principal	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
Director	Shoalhaven	02 4421 9630	Yes

Attended

Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event #

E508884782

Drugs - Students possess

Narrative

The principal was informed a female (YP1) was holding a suspicious package in the YP1 handed the package to another female (YP2). YP2 was asked about the package and she gave the principal a lolly bag containing a small clear plastic snap lock bag

The principal interviewed YP1 and she admitted the substance was cannabis and said she had first attempted to sell the to a female (YP3) and YP3 had declined the offer. YP1 then stated she was in the process of selling to YP2.

YP1 admitted giving to YP2 and told the principal that she found in the school garden. YP2 did not admit to buying but stated she only offered to look after the package for YP1.

The principal informed police who spoke with the YPs. Police have contacted the YPs' parents and the YPs have been taken to the local police station for further questioning.

Appropriate disciplinary action will follow.

Action

SSRU advises:

- Liaise with local police in regard to the outcome of the investigation
- Involve the School Liaison Police Officer for involvement in the return to school meeting
- counselling if required for the YPs

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031938

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 14:55, Mon, Dec 17, 2012
Entered: 16:21, Mon, Dec 17, 2012 [REDACTED]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[REDACTED]	P	Western Sydney - [REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
Principal [REDACTED]	Director [REDACTED]	LAC Quakers Hill	LAC Phone 02 9678 8900 Police Yes
Attended <input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown		COPS Event # Pending	

Threat or Intimidation - Neighbour threatens parent, students and staff

Narrative

After an incident between two families in the community the previous day a male (POI) [REDACTED] of the school became aggressive as students were leaving through the bottom gate to the school.

The POI began threatening the mother (victim 1) and her daughter, a [REDACTED] female (victim 2) as they were leaving the school.

The POI and members of his family began throwing rocks and sticks at the victims and other students as they left the school. The POI also threatened and abused the principal and the AP.

The principal and other staff moved students away from the gate and redirected buses to the other side of the school.

The principal called police. Police spoke with the POI and drove the victims home.

There were no injuries. Affected students will be offered counsellor support. The SED has been informed.

[REDACTED]

Action

The SSRU recommends:

- the principal liaise with the police YLO and consider a banning notice or AVO.
- the school be aware of any court orders arising from the incident.
- the school implement a lockout during the [REDACTED] and call 000 if the POI enters the site or threatens the safety of staff or students.

The SSRU informed the DEC Media Unit. The School Security Unit have arranged for a static guard to be at the school during the [REDACTED]

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031933

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 14:30, Fri, Dec 14, 2012
Entered: 16:48, Fri, Dec 14, 2012 by [REDACTED]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[REDACTED]	P	Western Sydney - Penrith Valley	[REDACTED]
Principal	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[REDACTED]	Penrith	02 4721 9461	Yes
Attended	COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Other - Police initiate lock down for external operation

Narrative

The principal received a call from police directing the school to initiate a lock down procedure. This direction was due to localised concerns regarding a member of the public outside school grounds reportedly in possession of a [REDACTED]

A lock down was initiated and lifted about 14:50 when police instructed the situation was safe.

Action

The SSRU has recommended the school:

- * Contact the media unit regarding the lock down.
- * Debrief staff of the situation
- * Debrief with staff regarding the assessment of the lock down.

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#S031929

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 8:00, Fri, Dec 14, 2012
Entered: 9:17, Fri, Dec 14, 2012

Location		Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[Redacted]		P	Hunter/Central Coast - H/CC1	[Redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[Redacted]				Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Other - Stranger danger

Narrative

A [Redacted] female (victim) was walking to school along a road near the school when an unknown male (POI) appeared from a nearby lane way and approached the victim. The POI asked the victim if she smoked. The victim became distressed and attempted to run away. The victim alleges the POI reached out to grab her left arm and backpack.

The victim ran to school and reported the incident to the deputy principal (DP).

The victim's mother and the police have been contacted.

The DP has informed the SED and counselling will be arranged for the victim.

The DP will inform neighbouring schools of the incident.

Action

SSRU advises:

- generic stranger danger message in news letter
- liaise with police in regard to the incident

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#S031921

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 15:30, Thu, Dec 13, 2012

Entered: 16:08, Thu, Dec 13, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[REDACTED]	H	New England - New England South	[REDACTED]
Principal	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
Director	Oxley	02 6768 2999	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Assault - Ex-student assaults student

Narrative

A female adult (PO11) drove a female ex-student (POI2) to the school as students were waiting for buses at the front of the school.

POI2 left the car and approached a [REDACTED] female (victim). POI2 began punching the victim [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]

The DP and another staff member intervened. POI2 returned to the car which POI1 drove away from the school.

The victim suffered [REDACTED] and was given first aid at school. She will be offered counsellor support.

The victim's mother has been contacted and is coming to the school. The DP has informed police and will inform the SED.

Action

The SSRU recommended:

- the school have police serve the POIs with Inclosed Lands Act bans (Legal Issues Bulletin 31)
- the school be aware of any court orders arising from the incident and report breaches to police.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031930

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 12:40, Thu, Dec 13, 2012

Entered: 9:50, Fri, Dec 14, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	Western Sydney - Hawkesbury	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Hawkesbury	02 4577 4372
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	E50495843	

Assault - Students fighting

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP1) and a [redacted] male (YP2) were walking back from the oval to the classroom after an [redacted] YP1 was hitting YP2 on the ankles attempting to trip him over. YP2 took offence to this and told YP1 to leave him alone. YP1 ignored the request and continued to hit in to the ankles.

YP2 turned to YP1 and punched him [redacted] YP1 received a [redacted] as a result of the incident.

YP1's mother was contacted and came to the school.

An ambulance was contacted and took YP1 to the hospital. YP1's mother accompanied her son to the hospital.

YP2's carer was contacted and YP2 was taken home.

Police were contacted and are investigating.

Action

SSRU advises:

- WHS notification of injury to complete
- Liaise with the investigating officer in regard to the offence

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031918

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 11:00, Thu, Dec 13, 2012
Entered: 15:16, Thu, Dec 13, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	P	Hunter/Central Coast - H/CC10	
Principal	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
Director	Port Stephens	02 4983 7599	Yes

Attended
 Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event #
Pending

Assault - Agitated student assaults staff

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP), [redacted] became angry after he was asked to share a computer with another student. The YP began abusing and threatening staff.

The YP threw a chair which hit a teacher (victim) and tossed a pair of computer speakers across the room.

The YP moved outside the classroom and began throwing rocks and screws at the principal and other staff. The YP hit the principal [redacted].

The school was put into lockdown. The principal attempted to contact the YP's parents and when she was unsuccessful she called police.

The police came to the school [redacted] The school and police will continue to try and contact the YP's parents.

The principal will take appropriate disciplinary action and will revise the YP's risk management plan.

The victim and the principal suffered [redacted] and received first aid at school. Both are aware of the support available through the EAP and will make WH&S referrals.

Action

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#S031909

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: [redacted] Dec [redacted] 2012
Entered: [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[redacted]	[redacted]	New England - New England South	[redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[redacted]			Police Yes

Attended Bridge Street Blacktown
COPS Event # Pending

Other - Attempted abductions

Narrative

Two [redacted] females (victim 1 and victim 2) reported to the principal that they had been approached by an unknown adult male (POI) on separate occasions while walking to school.

Victim 1 reported that the POI stopped his vehicle and attempted to entice her into the vehicle. Victim 1 refused and the POI then got out of his vehicle and attempted to approach victim 1. Victim 1 ran [redacted] and the POI got into his vehicle and left. Victim 1 ran to school crying and presented in a highly distressed state.

Victim 2 reported the same scenario and stated that she was very persistent in refusing the POI's requests.

Police were informed and are investigating the incident.

The victims' parents have been informed.

Counselling is being provided for the victims.

The SED and the media unit have been informed.

Action

SSRU advises:

- liaise with the detectives in relation to the incident.
- keep the SED informed
- notify surrounding schools

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031907

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: [redacted] Dec [redacted] 2012
Entered: 16:54, [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
[redacted]		Western Sydney - Mt Druitt	[redacted]	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[redacted]				Yes

Attended Bridge Street Blacktown COPS Event # E50582167

Threat or Intimidation - School evacuated following threats made to principal

Narrative

The school has had ongoing issues with a number of student families, who have been the subject of an [redacted] involvement.

The school received what appeared to be a threatening call from an unknown male person. The content of this call was generally inaudible, however, the words, "and police and [redacted] could be heard. It was understood that this name was referring to the principal, who was not on site at the time. The principal was informed of the call.

About [redacted] on duty observed a male person moving through the school explaining to anyone present, "Get yourself and everyone out, he's coming to get him". The [redacted] immediately relayed this information to the principal, who was still off site.

The principal ordered the immediate evacuation of staff and contractors at the school and ensured the school was secured.

The principal contacted a senior police officer at the local police station. The deputy principal (DP) also contacted and informed local police.

The school was evacuated successfully and no person was left on site at the time police attended.

Action

The SSRU recommended the following;

- A risk assessment be conducted for the senior executive staff
- Appropriate support including counselling and EAP be afforded to staff

The SSRU further recommends the following;

- The SED be advised immediately
- Media Unit contacted regarding the evacuation of the school

The SSRU will further assist in ensuring the police attendance the following day to accept a report from the principal.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031912

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 14:30, [redacted] Dec [redacted] 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[redacted]		Hunter/Central Coast - H/CC10	[redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
			Police
			Yes

Attended
 Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event #
Pending

Assault - Inappropriate behaviour

Narrative

A year [redacted] (victim) reported to the Principal that [redacted] had been allegedly indecently assaulted by [redacted] (YP) [redacted] after sport.

The victim was distressed by the incident.

The Principal has contacted police.

Appropriate disciplinary action to follow for the YP.

Action

SSRU advises:

- contact the Child Well being Unit
- Contact the School Liaison Police Officer for the return to school meeting
- School Counselling for the victim
- inform the SED

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031915

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 14:00, Wed, Dec 12, 2012
Entered: 14:24, Thu, Dec 13, 2012 [REDACTED]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
[REDACTED]	P	Northern Sydney - Middle Harbour	[REDACTED]	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[REDACTED]		Northern Beaches	02 9971 3306	Yes

Attended Bridge Street Blacktown
COPS Event # Pending

Assault - Student injured by stick thrown by other student

Narrative

A [REDACTED] male (YP) was being taunted by a [REDACTED] male (victim) in the playground during lunch.

The YP picked up a stick and threw it at the victim hitting him [REDACTED]

The victim required first aid at school and was then taken to hospital by his mother. The victim's mother informed the school that the victim required [REDACTED]

The principal has taken appropriate disciplinary action and informed the YP's parents. The victim will be offered counselling.

The SED has been informed.

Action

The SSRU recommended the school inform local police.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031911

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 13:50, Wed, Dec 12, 2012
Entered: 11:39, Thu, Dec 13, 2012 [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[redacted]	H	Hunter/Central Coast - H/CC10	[redacted]
Principal [redacted] Director [redacted]	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[redacted]	Port Stephens	02 4983 7599	Yes

Attended Bridge Street Blacktown Pending
COPS Event # Pending

Drugs - Student consumed [redacted]

Narrative

A member of staff observed smoke and could smell a substance emitting from a toilet block.

A number of students were spoken to and identified a [redacted] male (YP1), [redacted] female (YP2) and a [redacted] female (YP3) as using [redacted] in the toilet earlier.

The YPs were removed from class individually and spoken to in the office. YP1 made admissions to using a [redacted] YP1 & YP2 for observations. The school has imposed a long suspension on YP1.

YP2 was spoken to and gave consent for her bag to be searched. The school located drug paraphernalia in her bag and confiscated an instrument used to administer the drug. The YP's parents were contacted and conveyed YP2 home. The school has imposed a long suspension on YP2.

YP3 was spoken to and did not appear affected by a drug. YP3 gave consent for her bag to be searched and the DP located [redacted] This drug was confiscated and police contacted. The school will notify the YP's parents and issue a long suspension.

Action

The SSRU has recommended the school;

- * Complete the MRG
- * Afford the YPs appropriate counselling upon their return
- * Consider utilising the School Liaison Police services to participate in a return from suspension meeting.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031906

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 13:00, Wed, Dec 12, 2012

Entered: 16:01, Wed, Dec 12, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	Illawarra and South East -	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Wollongong	02 4226 7899
			Police
			Yes

Attended Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event # Pending

Assault - Student assaulted by another student

Narrative

A [redacted] male (victim) approached a [redacted] male (YP) on the footpath at the front of the school and enquired if they had ever engaged in a fight. The YP took offence to the question and assaulted the victim.

The YP punched the victim [redacted]. The victim fell to the ground and the YP kned him and continued to punch him [redacted]. A member of the public (witness) intervened and stopped the assault.

The victim received [redacted]

The victim entered the school in a distressed state and informed the deputy principal (DP).

The DP contacted the victim's parents and an ambulance. [redacted]

The YP's parents were contacted and the YP has been suspended.

Police have been contacted and are investigating.

Action

SSRU advises:

- liaise with the investigating officer

SSRU Leader Incident Management advises:

- complete an injury notification for the injuries sustained by the victim
- contact parents of the victim to get an update as to the victim's condition
- consider SLP and / or school counsellor involvement in any return from suspension meeting
- offer counselling support to the victim
- review risk assessment plan for the YP

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031916

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred [redacted] Dec [redacted] 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[redacted]	[redacted]	South Western Sydney -	[redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
			Police
			Yes

Attended Bridge Street Blacktown COPS Event # Pending

Assault - Indecent assault upon students

Narrative

A [redacted] (Victim 1) [redacted] was standing in a class line when she was approached by a [redacted] (YP). The YP segregated the victim by leading [redacted] away. The YP

At recess, the YP approached a [redacted] (victim 2) [redacted] and asked [redacted] to follow [redacted] alone to the top of the PE block. This was refused by the victim who later advised the school that [redacted] was concerned.

At lunch the YP approached a [redacted] (victim 3) [redacted] and started to hug [redacted]

The school had allowed the YP to continue [redacted] attendance at school for the remainder of the year and [redacted] however, this invitation has now been revoked. The school has attempted to contact the YP's carer however have not been able to make contact at this time.

The school contacted police and the victim's parents to advise them of the incident.

Action

- The SSRU recommended the school;
- * Maintain efforts to contact the YP's carer.
- * Disclose appropriate details to police.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031910

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 8:50, Wed, Dec 12, 2012
Entered: 10:38, Thu, Dec 13, 2012 [REDACTED]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[REDACTED]		Western NSW - [REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[REDACTED]		Mudgee	02 6372 8599
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Threat or Intimidation - Former student threatens staff and removed by police

Narrative

A [REDACTED] male former student (YP) has been frequently returning to the school and menacing and harassing staff.

The YP attended the school demanding to see a [REDACTED] female, with whom he had been in a relationship. The school refused to allow the YP to see the [REDACTED] female and he became threatening and abusive toward staff members stating that he wouldn't leave until he saw her.

The school told the YP to leave the school and he began making direct threats to kill the principal and deputy principal while using offensive language.

Police were contacted and a member of staff waited with the YP at the front of the school until police arrived.

The information regarding the threats were initially not disclosed to police as the YP was volatile and had to be conveyed to his home address by police.

Police were asked to return to the school so that a full report could be made.

Action

The SSRU recommended the school;

- consider the option of issuing an Inclosed Lands Act ban the YP.
- utilise the Police to assist in serving the ban notice

The SSRU has assisted the school by;

- emailing the appropriate Legal Issues Bulletin to the principal

[REDACTED]

- speaking to the police supervisor regarding a function being held at night and requesting that a patrol be made.

SSRU Leader Incident Management advises:

- offer EAP support to any affected staff
- report incident to WHS Notification Line

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031896

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: [redacted] Dec [redacted] 2012

[redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[redacted]		Western Sydney - Minchinbury	[redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
			Police Yes

Attended Bridge Street Blacktown COPS Event # E49772723

Assault - Student allegedly breaches AVO

Narrative

A [redacted] (YP) and a [redacted] (victim) have been [redacted] and there have been ongoing issues [redacted]

The victim was allegedly walking home from school when the YP stopped [redacted] vehicle and [redacted]

The victim's mother has contacted police and police are investigating.

The Deputy Principal (DP) contacted the YP and the victim and directed them to stay at home tomorrow while police investigate.

UPDATE :

[redacted] Police were contacted by the victim's father and the father told the YP to leave the area. [redacted]

Action

SSRU advises:

- Liaise with the Police involved in the investigation.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031888

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 10:25, Tue, Dec 11, 2012
Entered: 13:17, Tue, Dec 11, 2012 [REDACTED]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[REDACTED]		Western Sydney - Mt Druitt	[REDACTED]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	St Marys	02 9623 2899
Attended		COPS Event #	Police
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	E49054810	Yes

Threat or Intimidation - Student threatens student with scissors

Narrative

A [REDACTED] male (YP) entered the school staff room, grabbed a pair of a scissors and ran out into the playground. The YP chased a [REDACTED] male (victim) and grabbed him by the shirt collar. Teachers intervened and moved the YP away from the victim. Teachers took the YP to a nearby classroom and were successful in calming the YP. The YP contacted a number of unknown males on his mobile phone and left the school grounds.

Police were informed and the school went into lockdown.

Police attended and searched the local area for the POI. Police located the POI in bush land near the school and took the YP to the local police station.

Police are investigating the incident.

Appropriate disciplinary action will follow.

Action

SSRU advises:

- Liaise with the Officer completing the investigation

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031889

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 8:40, Tue, Dec 11, 2012
Entered: 14:03, Tue, Dec 11, 2012

Location		Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[REDACTED]		H	Western Sydney - Penrith Valley	[REDACTED]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[REDACTED]		Penrith	02 4721 9461	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	E49706514		

Assault - Student assaulted on train to school

Narrative

A [REDACTED] male (victim) was travelling to school by rail with a group of [REDACTED] friends.

While in transit the group were speaking together and an adult [REDACTED] (POI) sitting behind the group took exception to their conversation, believing it related to [REDACTED]

The POI approached the victim as he sat down and questioned him about the conversation. The victim did not respond to avoid conflict. The POI slapped the victim [REDACTED] before threatening to get [REDACTED] on the train tomorrow morning and assault the victim.

The POI alighted at a railway station prior to the victim's designation. The victim and other [REDACTED] witnesses reported the matter to the station master who contacted the school and police.

At this time police were unable to attend and the deputy principal (DP) attended and conveyed the victim to the police station. Police at the station were unable to take a report at the time and encouraged the victim to return at a later time. The DP returned to the school with the victim and contacted the victim's mother. The DP reported the matter to SSRU.

Action

The SSRU recommends the school;

- * Provide appropriate victim support
- * Encourage the victim to provide a full statement to police about the matter for investigation
- * Conduct a risk assessment and consider alternative arrangements for the victim and [REDACTED] group to attend school,

The SSRU created a CAD job on behalf of the school requesting police attendance at the school.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031881

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: [redacted] Dec [redacted] 2012
Entered [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[redacted]		Sydney - Network 8	[redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
Attended			COPS Event #
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown		E96441801

Other - Student involved in accident

Narrative

A [redacted] (victim) had attended a [redacted] at the school. The victim [redacted] from the school and decided to go home. The victim left the school grounds and ran across a busy road.

[redacted]

Police were contacted and are investigating the accident.

The Relieving Principal contacted the media unit.

Action

SSRU advised:

- contact media unit and provide them with an update on the victim's progress

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031878

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 15:30, Mon, Dec 10, 2012

Entered: 16:59, Mon, Dec 10, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	Riverina - Riverina North	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Cootamundra	02 6942 0030
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Assault - Student injured in assault by other student

Narrative

A [redacted] female (YP) approached a [redacted] female (victim) as the victim was leaving the school. The YP and the victim have been engaged in an ongoing dispute over a male student.

The YP punched and kicked the victim a number of times [redacted]

The victim's friends brought the victim back into the school where she was given first aid.

[redacted]

The principal has informed police and will take appropriate disciplinary action. The YP's parents will be informed.

The victim will be offered counsellor support.

Action

The SSRU recommends school liaison police intervention for the YP.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031897

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 12:00, Mon, Dec 10, 2012
Entered: 16:26, Tue, Dec 11, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	Hunter/Central Coast - H/CC9	
Principal	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
Director	Central Hunter	02 4934 0200	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	E238879093	

Other - Student with inappropriate image of another student

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) handed his DER laptop into the TSO for repairs. The TSO noticed the laptop contained a number of images [redacted] believed to be downloaded from the internet.

In addition, there was a [redacted] photo of [redacted] (victim).

The DP informed police who came to the school and took possession of the laptop. The police asked that the school do not inform the students.

[redacted]

The school will take appropriate action when police have concluded their investigation and will ensure the YP and the victim receive education and information regarding the safe use of computers.

Action

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031876

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: [redacted] Dec [redacted] 2012
Entered: 16:46, Mon, Dec 10, 2012 [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[redacted]	H	Western Sydney - Minchinbury	[redacted]
Principal [redacted] Director [redacted]	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[redacted]	Blacktown	02 9622 0000	Yes

Attended Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event # E51732182

Assault - Students brawl in quadrangle

Narrative

Students from the [redacted] became involved in an argument which became violent. Approximately 5 males aged between [redacted] were involved in a brawl [redacted]

Members of staff on playground duties separated the two parties and police were called due to the volatile environment and fears the tension may re-ignite.

First aid was provided to a victim who had a [redacted]. An ambulance was on scene to check on the victim. The school sent the identified victims home and will take appropriate disciplinary action upon the YPs.

Towards the end of the school day, two victims returned to the school and, due to fears of a reoccurring brawl, the school was placed into lock down and police contacted. It was established the victims returned only to obtain their mobile phone which had been left at the school. No further incidents occurred.

Action

The SSRU attended the scene and provided advice and support.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031879

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 10:30, Mon, Dec 10, 2012
Entered: 17:00, Mon, Dec 10, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	P	South Western Sydney - Macarthur	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Camden	02 4655 0500
		COPS Event #	Police
		Pending	No
Attended			
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown			

Other - Student

Narrative

A female was participating in a class held in the For reasons unknown, the student

The teacher offered immediate aid to assist the student,

The student's father was contacted and attended the school.

There have been no prior medical conditions recorded.

The principal conducted a debrief with the students in the class and no-one appeared excessively affected by the incident.

The principal will conduct a debrief with staff members about the matter.

The principal praised the actions of the teacher who has been provided with EAP support.

Action

The SSRU advise:

- liaise with for an update regarding the student's condition
- contact the parent regarding the student and any ongoing requirements
- monitor students from the class for any ongoing counsellor support required
- make a WHS report regarding the incident

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031872

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 10:15, Mon, Dec 10, 2012
Entered: 15:17, Mon, Dec 10, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
		North Coast - Hastings	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Mid North Coast	02 6583 0133
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Assault - Student assaults teacher

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) assaulted a male teacher (victim) by kicking him [redacted] for reasons unknown. Information received suggests that the YP was irritable throughout the entire morning.

Two members of staff assisted the victim and called upon the relieving principal to assist.

The school entered into a lock down procedure due to the violent behaviour of the YP.

The YP was pacified and his parents contacted.

Appropriate support has been offered to the victim.

The school has completed a WHS injury notification will impose a long suspension upon the YP.

Action

SSRU Leader Incident Management advises:

- consider YLO and / or counsellor support in any return from suspension meeting

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031880

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 8:40, Mon, Dec 10, 2012

Entered: 17:31, Mon, Dec 10, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	Illawarra and South East -	
Principal	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
Director	Far South Coast	02 4478 9910	No
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Drugs - Student allegedly in possession of

Narrative

A student informed the deputy principal (DP) that he had been offered by a male (YP). Other students confirmed that the YP had offered them as well.

The DP called police, who came to the school and spoke with the YP. The YP denied any knowledge of having

Student witnesses showed police where the YP allegedly hid the. The police took possession of the and drove the YP home.

The DP has spoken to the YP's parents and has taken appropriate disciplinary action.

The YP will be offered counsellor support as part of his risk management plan.

Action

SSRU Leader Incident Management advises:

- liaise with officer in charge at the local area command regarding any charges in relation to the incident
- consider SLP involvement in any return from suspension meeting
- consider SLP involvement in general crime prevention strategies regarding drug use for the general student cohort

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031865

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 14:45, Fri, Dec 7, 2012
Entered: 8:41, Mon, Dec 10, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	Riverina - Riverina North	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Cootamundra	02 6942 0030
			Police
			No

Attended Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event # Pending

Assault - Student assaults other student

Narrative

A [redacted] male (victim) was walking back to a local primary school after an excursion with other students. The students were to catch their regular school bus home from the primary school.

The victim was approached by another [redacted] male (YP) who began taunting and pushing him.

The YP then began punching the victim. Staff intervened to stop the assault.

The victim suffered [redacted] in the altercation and was given first aid at the primary school. His father was informed and he caught the bus home.

The YP ran from the scene after the assault.

The DP will take appropriate disciplinary action and has informed the YP's parents. The DP will inform local police.

The victim will be offered counsellor support.

Action

The SSRU recommended the school involve the school liaison police officer in the YP's return to school process.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031862

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred [redacted] Dec 1, 2012
Entered: [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[redacted]		Western Sydney - Minchinbury	[redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
Attended			COPS Event #
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown		Pending

Other - Student self harms

Narrative

A [redacted] (victim) climbed onto the roof of a building and threatened to jump. The roof was not very high off the ground and staff were able to talk the victim down.

The victim was taken to the DP's office where [redacted] sat with a friend and the DP. The DP was called from the office momentarily and the victim took this opportunity to grab [redacted] from [redacted] friend and [redacted]

The victim [redacted]

[redacted] came to the school. The victim was transported to [redacted] The victim is reportedly in a satisfactory condition.

The school contacted the victim's stepfather but could not contact the victim's mother. Police are trying to locate her.

The principal will seek regional support to revise the victim's risk management plan.

The school will arrange support for any staff or students affected by the incident.

[redacted] The principal will advise the DEC Media Unit.

The principal will inform the SED.

Action

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031871

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 10:45, Fri, Dec 7, 2012
Entered: 13:31, Mon, Dec 10, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	Sydney - Port Jackson	
Principal	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
Director	Leichhardt	02 9552 8099	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	E51777880	

Assault - Student assaults teacher

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) was using his mobile phone in the classroom.

The female teacher (victim) warned the YP about not using his phone in class. The YP continued using his mobile phone and the teacher warned him again that she would take his mobile phone if he did not put it away.

The victim reached for the YP's phone and the YP head butted the victim [redacted]. Assistance was sought from the office and appropriate first aid and support was provided to the victim who appeared very distressed about the matter.

The school contacted police. Police viewed [redacted] and conducted an investigation before taking the YP into custody.

The school has invited the victim to contact EAP and imposed a long suspension upon the YP.

Action

The SSRU recommends the school complete a WH&S injury notification.

Advised to involve the services of the School liaison police officer to participate in a return from suspension meeting with the YP.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031857

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 8:30, Fri, Dec 7, 2012
Entered: 15:12, Fri, Dec 7, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
		Hunter/Central Coast - H/CC7	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Lake Macquarie	02 4942 9940
Attended		COPS Event #	Police
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	No

Threat or Intimidation - Student threatens Principal

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) was in the playground verbally abusing the principal. The Principal was leading the YP up to the office when the YP ran back into the playground and picked up a [redacted]

[redacted] The YP smashed the [redacted] against a wall and picked up the [redacted]

The YP pointed the sharp end of the [redacted] at the Principal and threatened to stab him with it.

The YP then got on his bike and left the school grounds.

The YP's mother was contacted and the YP has been placed on a long suspension.

The YP will not be returning to school until 2013.

The SED has been informed

Action

SSRU recommends,

- Inform the police Youth Liaison Officer of the incident.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031864

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: [redacted] Dec [redacted] 2012

Entered: [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[redacted]	[redacted]	South Western Sydney - [redacted]	[redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
			Police
			Yes

Attended
 Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event #
Pending

Other - Stranger danger

Narrative

A [redacted] (victim) reported to the Principal that [redacted] had been approached by an unknown male (POI) while walking to school. The victim described the POI as being middle aged with short hair and [redacted] appearance. The POI was wearing a [redacted]

The victim said the POI took [redacted] and said [redacted]. The POI repeated this approximately four times. The victim told the POI to release [redacted] twice. The POI let go of [redacted] and then asked the victim to go with him.

The victim continued walking to school and the POI walked in another direction.

Police have been contacted

Action

SSRU advises:

- contact the media unit
- liaise with police in regard to the incident
- counselling for the victim

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031867

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: [redacted] Dec [redacted] 2012
Entered: [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[redacted]		Sydney - Botany Bay	[redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
Attended			COPS Event #
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown			[redacted]

Assault - Student indecently assaulted outside school

Narrative

A [redacted] (victim) attended a local fast food restaurant after school with two [redacted] (victim 2 & victim 3) and a [redacted] witness. The victims and witness were sitting together talking.

An adult male (POI) approached the victims and engaged in inappropriate sexual conversations with them which caused the victims to become uncomfortable.

The POI sat up, leant over the table and attempted to [redacted]. The victim moved to avoid being [redacted] by the POI. The POI continued engaging in conversations with the victims and during this he invited the victims to his house and offered to [redacted].

The POI moved close to victim 2 and attempted to [redacted] however, the victim was able to avoid being [redacted]. The victims spoke about leaving the restaurant and the POI stated he would be leaving at the same time. The victims and the POI stood up. The POI reached around and grabbed Victim 3 [redacted] with both hands and attempted to [redacted]. Victim 3 pulled away and became unbalanced [redacted]. The POI was [redacted] victim 3 on [redacted].

The POI left the fast food restaurant and was involved in another assault matter where police attended and obtained details regarding the [redacted] assault. The POI was charged by police. All parents were notified by police.

The school was notified of the incident and afforded appropriate support to the victims.

Action

The SSRU has provided the school the police (COPS) event number and supplied the principal with required details from the police event.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031850

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 15:25, Thu, Dec 6, 2012
Entered: 12:19, Fri, Dec 7, 2012 [REDACTED]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[REDACTED]	H	South Western Sydney -	[REDACTED]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Campbelltown	02 4620 1265
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	E96364301	

Assault - Male YP assaults student leaving school

Narrative

A [REDACTED] male (victim) was walking out of the school grounds when he was approached by a male YP who attends a local high school.

The YP tried to engage the victim into a fight and taunted him. The victim turned to return back to the school and the YP approached the victim from behind and punched him [REDACTED]

The victim attended the office and was provided first aid before his mother, police and an ambulance were contacted. Police attended and obtained details of the assault. The victim's mother conveyed the victim to see a medical practitioner as he suffered [REDACTED]

The principal contacted the local high school which the YP attends and informed them of the matter. The principal is supporting the victim and encouraging him to provide a full statement to police.

Action

The SSRU has recommended the school complete a WH&S injury notification for the victim's injuries.

The SSRU has provided the school with the police event number and name of the officer in charge.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031908

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: [redacted] Dec [redacted] 2012
Entered: [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
[redacted]		Hunter/Central Coast - H/CC10	[redacted]	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[redacted]		Central Hunter	02 4934 0200	No

Attended Bridge Street Blacktown COPS Event # Pending

Assault - [redacted] allegedly assault a student

Narrative

A [redacted] male (victim) was participating in a [redacted] class when the male [redacted] (POI) took exception to the victim's conduct.

It is alleged that the POI grabbed the victim on the [redacted]. At this time, the victim was telling the POI to let him go and that he hadn't done anything wrong. The incident was witnessed by several class members.

The victim did not suffer any injuries. The victim notified his parents, who informed the principal.

The school has reported the matter to the [redacted] the class.

The victim's parents are satisfied with the school conducting an investigation and do not intend reporting the matter to police.

Action

The SSRU recommended:

- notify [redacted]
- maintain contact with the victim's family
- offer appropriate support to the victim

The SSRU further recommends the school;

- [redacted]
- conduct a risk assessment

SSRU Leader Incident Management advises:

[redacted]

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031845

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 10:00, Thu, Dec 6, 2012
Entered: 8:58, Fri, Dec 7, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	P	Northern Sydney - Hornsby	
Principal	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
Director	Kuring Gai	02 9476 9736	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	E50415271	

Weapons Related - Student in possession of a penknife

Narrative

The principal suspected that a [redacted] male (YP) was in possession of a knife. The principal contacted the local police requesting attendance to conduct a search of the YP.

Police attended and conducted the search. Police located a [redacted] knife in the YP's left hand pants pocket.

The YP has been suspended.

Action

SSRU advises:

- liaise with police in regard to the outcome of the youth caution

SSRU Leader Incident Management advises:

- consider YLO and / or school counsellor support in any return from suspension meeting

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031828

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 8:00, Thu, Dec 6, 2012

Entered: 9:17, Thu, Dec 6, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	Illawarra and South East -	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Lake Illawarra	02 4295 2699
			Police
			Yes

Attended

Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event #

Pending

Assault - Student injured in a playground incident

Narrative

A [redacted] female (YP) and a [redacted] male (victim) were in the playground engaging in friendly banter. The YP lightly punched the victim [redacted]. The victim [redacted] and walked away.

The victim informed a teacher that he didn't feel well and explained that [redacted].

The teacher took the YP to the first aid clinic and [redacted].

The victim's mother was informed.

The YP became quite distressed when informed that the victim was [redacted]. The YP's mother was contacted and took her home.

Police have been informed.

Action

SSRU advises:

- counselling for the YP due to her distressed state
- WHS notification of injury

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031831

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 15:25, Wed, Dec 5, 2012
Entered: 10:38, Thu, Dec 6, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	P	Hunter/Central Coast - H/CC8	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Hunter Valley	02 6542 1302
Attended		COPS Event #	Police
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	No

Threat or Intimidation - Angry parent threatens student

Narrative

Two [redacted] males have been involved in a number of general bullying incidents at school. The school has intervened and the respective parents have been spoken to. Following a minor scuffle, which did not involve physical violence, they were separated by a member of staff.

One of the [redacted] males (YP1) went to the front of school and informed his father (POI) that he had been in a fight with another [redacted] male (victim).

The POI entered the school grounds in an irate state and stood in the middle of the yard looking for the victim. The deputy principal (DP) approached the POI who used offensive language within hearing of staff, students and parents.

The DP invited the POI into the office to talk about the matter. The POI claimed that the school had not resolved the matter and he was going to take matters into his own hands.

The POI did not follow the DP into the office and attended the bus lines to look for the victim. The POI made further threats to the [redacted] and stated "You better find that child before I do".

The POI appeared angry and continued to use offensive language. A member of staff had observed the incident unfold and ushered the victim into the office where he was secured for his safety. The victim's mother was contacted and advised about the matter. School staff escorted the victim home to ensure his safety and alternative arrangements have been made for his travel to and from school.

The school contacted the SSRU to seek advice and at about [redacted] the POI attended the school to speak to the principal about the matter.

Action

The SSRU initiated a police response to the school while the report was being made with the POI attending the location. Instructions were relayed from the school to police.

The SSRU recommends:

- issue a ban notice to the POI for the threats he made against the victim.
- provide necessary details to police and request they serve the ban notice upon the POI.
- provide victim support
- consider requesting the Local Area Command YLO to attend and conduct a mediation conference between the young persons.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031824

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 14:14, Wed, Dec 5, 2012
Entered: 16:34, Wed, Dec 5, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
		South Western Sydney - Liverpool	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Liverpool	029821 8444
Attended		COPS Event #	Police
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	Yes

Other - Fire at local service station forces school evacuation

Narrative

A fire, started within a local service station, required an emergency response from police and fire & rescue.

Due to the risk of an explosion with the flammable liquids and the close proximity of the school, the school was notified and an orderly evacuation to a designated park within walking distance away was arranged.

The principal contacted the SED.

No injuries or adverse health conditions have been reported and the school reports the evacuation was performed well.

Action

The SSRU provided briefing updates to the principal and SED and advised police of the evacuation point. The SSRU monitored the situation and contacted the media unit.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031825

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 14:00, Wed, Dec 5, 2012
Entered: 16:48, Wed, Dec 5, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	Illawarra and South East -	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Lake Illawarra	02 4295 2699
			Police
			Yes

Attended Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event # Pending

Threat or Intimidation - Former student enters school with intent to assault student

Narrative

female (POI) former student, entered the school during class time looking for a female (victim). The POI appeared agitated whilst walking around the school premises and spoke about wanting to assault the victim.

Several students, who observed the POI, alerted the office staff. The principal and deputy principal (DP) began looking for the POI.

The POI located the victim in a classroom and attempted to gain entry. The class teacher ensured that the door was locked and the principal approached the POI and spoke to her.

The principal advised the POI that police had been called and asked her to leave the school.

The principal escorted the victim and to the office area where they were secured for their safety.

The principal contacted the victim's mother and suggested that they also report the matter to police for investigation.

The principal will impose an Inclosed Lands Act ban upon the POI.

Action

The SSRU has assisted the school in exchanging information for the protection and safety of the students.

The SSRU has recommended the school;

- provide appropriate support to the victims
- complete the ban notice and request that police serve the notice upon the POI
- provide all necessary details for police to complete a report about the matter.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031816

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 11:45, Wed, Dec 5, 2012
Entered: 13:50, Wed, Dec 5, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	Riverina - Riverina South	
Principal	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
Director	Albury	02 6023 9299	No
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Assault - Student injured in fight

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) and another [redacted] male (victim) had an argument during a [redacted]. The teacher separated the students until they had calmed down.

During recess, the YP approached the victim and challenged him to a fight. The YP dominated the fight hitting the victim [redacted].

Staff intervened and separated the students.

The victim appeared to be suffering [redacted] and was given first aid at school.

[redacted]

The victim's parents have been informed [redacted].

The principal will take appropriate disciplinary action and inform the YP's parents.

Action

The SSRU recommended:

- inform local police
- school liaison police intervention.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031818

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 11:00, Wed, Dec 5, 2012
Entered: 15:15, Wed, Dec 5, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	P	Sydney - Network 8	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Campsie	02 8525 0399
			Police
			Yes

Attended

Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event

Pending

Other - [redacted] arrives at school [redacted]

Narrative

[redacted] (POI) attended the school to pick up [redacted] (victim 1) and [redacted] (victim 2).

The POI appeared distressed and was in a highly agitated state. An assistant principal (AP) directed the POI to the front office where [redacted] spoken to by the principal.

The principal was concerned as the school had not seen the POI in some time. Due to [redacted] disturbed behaviour, the principal contacted the victims' [redacted] and police. The victims were placed in a safe location at the school and it was ascertained that the victims did not want to leave the school with the POI.

The victims' [redacted] attended and arrangements were made for the victims to be picked up at a separate location.

Police attended and later [redacted]

The school will conduct a risk management plan and will liaise with police regarding the incident.

Action

The SSRU supported the school's decision to refuse the release of the victims into the POI's care despite no orders being in place [redacted]

The SSRU will assist with the exchange of information between DEC and police.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031835

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 10:00, Wed, Dec 5, 2012
Entered: 12:23, Thu, Dec 6, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
		Illawarra and South East -	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Monaro	02 6298 0514
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Threat or Intimidation - Threats cause school into lockdown

Narrative

The parents of a [redacted] male (victim) have been involved in a [redacted] and attended the [redacted] to resolve the dispute. It is alleged that the [redacted] (POI) [redacted] made threats [redacted]

[redacted] As a result, the principal organised for the victim to be withdrawn from class and placed in a safe environment with her emergency contact to attend. The principal alerted staff that a situation may evolve.

The principal initiated a lock down procedure and contacted '000'.

Police promptly attended and remained at the school for a long period of time and eventually information was received that the POI was in police custody.

The principal contacted the SED and media unit.

Action

The SSRU will assist the school [redacted]

The SSRU recommends the principal conducts a debrief with the staff about the lockdown and considers appropriate messages to go to parents

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031849

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 15:00, Tue, Dec 4, 2012
Entered: 11:43, Fri, Dec 7, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	Western Sydney - Nirimba	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Blacktown	02 9622 0000
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Threat or Intimidation - Student attempts to assault student with rock

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) was upset and left the school grounds to pick up a large retaining wall rock from a [redacted]. The YP walked toward the school threatening to assault a [redacted] male (victim) with the rock.

A member of the community approached the YP and took the large rock from him. The YP returned to the [redacted] and picked up a further two large rocks yelling that he was going to assault the victim with the rocks. The community member physically restrained the YP to take the rocks from him and spoke to him about his actions.

The matter was reported to the front office and the school has imposed a long suspension upon the YP. Efforts have been made to contact the YP's mother, however, no contact has been made at this time. A risk assessment will be conducted and the school has requested the services of a community assistance program to assist with mediating between the YP and victim.

Action

The SSRU recommends the school consider using the services of the SLP to assist with a return from suspension meeting with the YP.

Provide the victim with appropriate support

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031806

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 13:00, Tue, Dec 4, 2012
Entered: 8:41, Wed, Dec 5, 2012 [REDACTED]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[REDACTED]	P	Illawarra and South East -	[REDACTED]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Lake Illawarra	02 4295 2699
Attended	COPS Event #		Police
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	Yes

Threat or Intimidation - Parent abuses and intimidates teacher

Narrative

The father (POI) of a [REDACTED] female (YP) attended a [REDACTED] after receiving a letter from the class teacher (victim) advising him that the YP was [REDACTED]

The letter had been sent to the POI by mistake and the YP was not [REDACTED]

The POI became angry after the [REDACTED] and confronted the victim. The victim tried to apologise for the mistake, but the POI began swearing at the victim in front of staff, students and parents. The POI continued to abuse and threaten the victim until other staff intervened and moved the POI to the principal's office.

The POI verbally abused the principal in her office before leaving the school.

The victim was very shaken by the incident [REDACTED] The victim has been offered support through the EAP.

The principal has informed police and will request police serve the POI with an Inclosed Lands Act ban.

Action

The SSRU recommended the school support the victim [REDACTED] and obtain copies of any court orders issued.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031859

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 10:00, Tue, Dec 4, 2012

Entered: 15:25, Fri, Dec 7, 2012

Location		Type	Region/School Group	Phone
		H	Hunter/Central Coast - H/CC5	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Newcastle City	02 4929 0631	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Drugs - Students using and distributing

Narrative

Police came to the school. The information alleged that a number of students in the school had been distributing while travelling to and from school and using at school.

The principal called four males and one male (YPs) to his office. The YPs admitted to using and distributing the YP1 gave the principal a water pipe from his bag.

None of the YPs were in possession of at the time.

The principal is taking appropriate disciplinary action and has informed the YPs' parents. The YPs' parents are supportive of the school's actions.

The YPs will be offered counselling as part of their return to school process and risk management plans will be implemented.

The police are satisfied with the school's actions and have requested that the school pass on any further information obtained from the YPs regarding the source of the

The SED has been informed.

Action

The SSRU recommends involving the school liaison police officer in the YPs' return to school process.

The SSRU informed the DEC Media Unit.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031800

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 9:30, Tue, Dec 4, 2012
Entered: 15:53, Tue, Dec 4, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	P	South Western Sydney - Fairfield	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Cabramatta	02 9725 8999
			Police
			Yes

Attended

Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event

E50533763

Threat or Intimidation - Parent allegedly threatens students

Narrative

The mother of a (victim 1) and a (victim 2) reported to local police that the victims' father was on his way to the school to assault the victims.

Police and the SSRU contacted the school. The principal put the school into a precautionary lockout and kept staff and students inside their rooms.

Police arrived quickly. A staff member accompanied the victims.

The POI was apprehended by police at his home. The POI has been charged and an AVO has been applied for. The POI was not in possession of a weapon.

The victims returned to the school later in the day and will be offered counsellor support.

The DEC Media Unit, SED and Regional Director were all informed. The principal will debrief staff, students and parents.

Action

The SSRU recommended:

- the school obtain copies of any court orders put in place and report breaches to police
- the school be placed into lockdown and the police called on 000 if the POI enters the school
- the school liaise with local police in regards to any ongoing threat to the victims from the POI.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031786

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 15:20, Mon, Dec 3, 2012
Entered: 15:59, Mon, Dec 3, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	Western NSW - Bathurst	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Chifley	02 6332 8628
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Threat or Intimidation - Student threatens self harm

Narrative

A (YP) was seen by two staff members hanging out of second floor window. The staff members with the assistance of two deputy principals (DPs) intervened and removed from the building.

The DPs are keeping the YP under close observation. The YP refused to go with

The Principal has contacted a family friend to come to the school and take the YP home.

Action

SSRU advises:

- contact police or ambulance
- contact the YP's parents
- comply with the mandatory reporting guidelines

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031789

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 13:45, Mon, Dec 3, 2012
Entered: 16:53, Mon, Dec 3, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
	P	North Coast - Hastings		
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Mid North Coast	02 6583 0133	No
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Weapons Related - Student threatens teacher with

Narrative

A male (YP) became angry with another student during a lesson. The classroom teacher (victim) intervened.

The YP took the and threatened to stab the victim.

The victim backed away and the YP ran from the room.

The principal located the YP and the YP gave him the

The principal contacted the YP's father who came to the school and took the YP home. The principal will take appropriate disciplinary action and revise the YP's risk management plan.

The victim has been offered EAP support.

Action

The SSRU recommended:

- the school inform local police and seek police YLO intervention for the YP.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031788

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 12:30, Mon, Dec 3, 2012
Entered: 16:20, Mon, Dec 3, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	P	North Coast - Richmond Valley	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Richmond	02 6625 0799
Attended	COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Threat or Intimidation - Student threatens self harm

Narrative

A [redacted] (YP), who has been [redacted] had a verbal altercation with a class member.

For no apparent reason, the YP's behaviour escalated and [redacted] refused to leave the classroom. The YP began kicking out at no one in particular and threatening self harm.

The principal informed the YP's father and the father came to the school. The YP still refused to leave the classroom so the father [redacted] and eventually removed [redacted] from the classroom. The YP became highly agitated and refused to leave the school with [redacted] father.

[redacted]
The YP told the [redacted] was going to harm [redacted] eventually walked the YP from the school and had to restrain the YP [redacted]

The YP's father accompanied the YP [redacted]

Action

SSRU advised:

- check on the YP's progress with the parents
- review the YP's risk management plan
- consider counsellor support in any return to school meeting

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031771

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: [redacted] Nov [redacted] 2012
Entered: [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[redacted]		Sydney - Network 8	[redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[redacted]			Police Yes

Attended Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event #

Other - Act of indecency

Narrative

A male person (POI) approached [redacted] students (victims) who were playing in the school grounds. The POI initiated a conversation with the victims through the school fence. Whilst conversing with the victims, the POI had [redacted]

A passer by noticed the POI speaking with the victims [redacted] The passer by entered the school and alerted a teacher, who removed the victims from the vicinity. The victims were unaware of the POI's [redacted]

The POI returned to a residence near the school. Staff from the school contacted police who attended, located the POI and arrested him.

The victims were spoken to and were unaware of what had taken place.

Action

SSRU contacted police media unit.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031779

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 13:30, Fri, Nov 30, 2012
Entered: 10:49, Mon, Dec 3, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	Hunter/Central Coast - H/CC1	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
			Police Yes
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	E50719878	

Drugs - Alleged drug exchange

Narrative

A male student (YP 1) allegedly brought some small tablets to school and walked over to a male (YP 2) in the playground and gave him the tablets.

The exchange was witnessed by a staff member.

The matter was reported to the DP.

The DP investigated and spoke to the YPs and they both admitted their involvement. YP 2 stated there was no exchange of money involved.

The School Liaison Officer (SLP) was at the school for another matter and attended the DP's office. YP1's bag was searched and a set of small weighing scales were located and secured. YP 1 handed over his wallet which contained five hundred dollars. YP2 handed over a small clear snap lock plastic bag containing two small tablets.

Police are investigating the incident.

Both YPs have been suspended.

Action

SSRU advises,

- Cooperate and liaise with investigating police and obtain details of any police actions that may affect management of the YP at school or risk to other students.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031870

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 13:20, Fri, Nov 30, 2012

Entered: 13:23, Mon, Dec 10, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	P	Illawarra and South East - Sapphire	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Far South Coast	02 4478 9910
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Assault - Agitated student assaults other student

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP), [redacted] became agitated and began pushing another [redacted] male (victim). The YP took a [redacted] of the victim before flicking a pair of scissors

The YP then began smashing his arm, [redacted]

The YP was moved to the office area [redacted]

The YP's mother has been informed and the principal will involve [redacted] the school counsellor in preparing a risk management plan for the YP. The principal has taken appropriate disciplinary action.

The victim will be offered counsellor support.

Action

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031770

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 8:10, Fri, Nov 30, 2012

Entered: 15:21, Fri, Nov 30, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
	H	Western Sydney - Penrith Valley		
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Penrith	02 4721 9461	Yes
Attended	COPS Event #			
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending			

Assault - Outsider assaults student and alleged indecent assault.

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP1) became angry after being told of an alleged indecent assault on his girlfriend, a [redacted] female (victim 1).

YP1 approached a [redacted] male (YP2) and [redacted] a [redacted] male (YP3), who were the alleged perpetrators of the assault, and began fighting with the other YPs.

The [redacted] (POI) of YP2 and YP3, who does not attend the school, entered the school. In a case of mistaken identity, the POI punched another [redacted] male (victim 2) who is a friend of YP1.

Victim 2 suffered [redacted] and was given first aid at school. His parents were contacted and they transported him for medical attention.

The deputy principal (DP) called police.

The parents of the POI came to the school. The POI's mother took him from the school while his father stayed at the school with [redacted] YP2 and YP3. The father refused to leave the school until police arrived.

The police arrived and spoke to all parties. Victim 1 revealed that [redacted] YP2 and YP3 had offered to [redacted] on her way home from school.

YP2 and YP3 allegedly laughed [redacted] Victim 1 did not report this incident to her parents or the school at the time. Police are considering what action to take in relation to this incident.

The school has offered counsellor support to both the victims and will take appropriate disciplinary action with the YPs.

The SED has been informed.

Action

The SSRU recommended:

- the school be aware of any court orders arising from the incident
- the school have police serve the POI with an Inclosed Lands Act ban
- consider school liaison police officer intervention for the YPs.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031854

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: [redacted] Nov [redacted] 2012
Entered: [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
[redacted]		Riverina - Riverina South	[redacted]	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	Yes
Attended	COPS Event #			
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	[redacted]			

Assault - Allegation of indecent assault off premises

Narrative

A [redacted] (YP) and a [redacted] (victim) attended a [redacted] where several groups were formed to use facilities [redacted] for a variety of activities.

The victim and YP are known to have been friends. The victim's group, which included the YP, were permitted to use the [redacted]. The victim alleges that the YP touched [redacted] against [redacted] will and forced [redacted]. This incident was not reported to staff on duty [redacted].

The victim disclosed the assault to [redacted] mother after returning home [redacted]. On [redacted] 2012, the victim's mother accompanied the victim to the principal's office where they disclosed the matter.

Counselling and support was provided to the victim and [redacted] was strongly advised by the principal to report the matter to police. The victim in the presence of [redacted] mother declined to have the matter reported to police.

The school reported the matter to the SSRU [redacted].

Information has been received that the victim attended the police with [redacted] mother and provided a statement. Police have attended the school and served the YP a copy of an ADVO.

Action

The SSRU recommends the school;

- * provide appropriate victim support
- * liaise with the investigating officer to obtain a copy of the ADVO
- * provide all necessary details to police regarding possible student or teacher witnesses

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031744

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 10:00, Thu, Nov 29, 2012
Entered: 13:36, Thu, Nov 29, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
		Riverina - Riverina South	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Albury	02 6023 9299
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Assault - Student assaults staff

Narrative

A (YP) refused to follow directions in the class. The teacher (victim) attempted to calm the YP who responded by punching the teacher.

The students were removed from the classroom for their own safety. The YP became verbally abusive and ran at staff members in the classroom, kicking and punching. The YP was restrained by staff members for own safety.

The YP's mother was contacted.

Police were informed and spoke to the YP in an attempt to calm down. The YP yelled abusively at police and had to be physically restrained. The YP's mother arrived at the school and was unable to calm the YP.

Action

SSRU advised:

- Risk Assessment Plan to be updated.
- WHS notification of injury

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031749

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 9:30, Thu, Nov 29, 2012

Entered: 14:29, Thu, Nov 29, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
	P	Illawarra and South East -		
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Wollongong	02 4226 7899	No
Attended	COPS Event #			
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending			

Other - Agitated student causes lockdown

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) became agitated in class and tried to assault another student. The YP then began throwing chairs around the room and attempted to assault the classroom teacher.

The YP was moved outside and the school was placed into lockdown.

The YP removed a branch from a tree and [redacted] charged at the principal, hitting out at her [redacted]

The school had repeatedly tried to contact the YP's mother during the incident. The YP's mother eventually came to the school and took the YP home.

The principal will take appropriate disciplinary action and revise the YP's risk management plan. Staff are aware of the support available from EAP.

No other students were injured or upset by the incident.

Action

The SSRU recommended the school consider calling police to any further incidents if the YP's mother cannot be contacted.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031730

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 14:00, Wed, Nov 28, 2012
Entered: 14:15, Wed, Nov 28, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	P	Western Sydney - Nirimba	
Principal	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
	Blacktown	02 9622 0000	No
Attended	COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Other - Students asphyxiating

Narrative

The DP has been made aware of an activity being played by students in [redacted] where they self asphyxiate or are assisted in asphyxiating by other students. [redacted]

The DP has spoken to a [redacted] male (YP) about his alleged involvement in teaching students this activity and applied a short in-school suspension.

The DP has spoken to the parents of the YP and of victim's known to engage in the activity. The DP has sent a note home to parents alerting them of these incidents.

The school has advised the SED and WH&S who advised the school to contact SSRU.

Action

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031735

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 12:45, Wed, Nov 28, 2012
Entered: 8:13, Thu, Nov 29, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	Illawarra and South East - Sapphire	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Far South Coast	02 4478 9910
Attended	COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Weapons Related - Student threatens with knife

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) and a [redacted] male (victim) were playing cricket during a PE lesson. The YP ran to retrieve the ball and kicked the ball further away. The victim ran to get the ball from the YP and observed the YP looking in another student's bag.

The victim got the ball and ran back to rejoin the cricket game. For no apparent reason the YP allegedly approached the victim with a knife in his hand and threatened to assault him with the knife.

The deputy principal (DP) phoned the victim's mother and the victim was taken home. The victim was visibly upset over the incident and the DP has arranged school counselling for him.

The YP's mother was contacted and appropriate disciplinary action will follow.

Action

SSRU advises:

- contact police and liaise with the Officer in Charge in regard to the investigation
- Risk Assessment Plan to be completed for the YP

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031727

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 11:00, Wed, Nov 28, 2012

Entered: 12:55, Wed, Nov 28, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	New England - New England	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		New England	02 6771 0603
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	E49957759	

Threat or Intimidation - Student allegedly threatens to harm other students and staff

Narrative

Students reported to a staff member that a [redacted] male (YP) had made a number of threats to harm students and staff at the school.

The informants stated that the YP had threatened to make a [redacted] and bring it to school on a specified date.

One student allegedly received a text message from the YP [redacted]

The principal will inform police, contact parents and arrange to interview the YP.

The principal will inform the SED.

A risk management plan will be put in place for the YP if the allegations are proven correct.

Action

SSRU Leader Incident Management advises:

- consider SLP and / or counsellor involvement in any return from suspension meeting
- liaise with local police regarding any ongoing issues

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031729

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 11:00, Wed, Nov 28, 2012
Entered: 13:05, Wed, Nov 28, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	P	Sydney - Woronora River	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Sutherland	02 9542 0899
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Other - Student threatens self harm

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) became agitated and barricaded himself in a [redacted] room. The YP held a pair of scissors [redacted] and threatened to stab himself if anyone tried to enter the room.

Staff kept the YP under supervision and called police and the YP's mother.

Police and ambulance responded quickly and police broke into the room to restrain the YP. Police transported the YP [redacted]

The YP's mother came to the school and she followed the police and YP when they left the school.

The YP's risk management plan will be revised.

The principal will issue a short newsletter to parents informing them of the incident.

The SED has been informed.

Action

SSRU Leader Incident Management advises:

- offer EAPS support to any affected staff
- offer counsellor support to any affected children
- contact the YP's mother for an update concerning the YP's wellbeing

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031728

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 10:45, Wed, Nov 28, 2012

Entered: 13:00, Wed, Nov 28, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	P	Hunter/Central Coast - H/CC3	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Tuggerah Lakes	02 4390 1200
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Other - Uncontrollable student

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP), [redacted] became aggressive towards his school learning support officer (SLSO) and the principal.

In the classroom, the YP overturned furniture and the other students had to be evacuated for their safety.

The YP left the room and armed himself with a large stick which he used to threaten the SLSO, the principal and an AP.

The YP's mother was contacted and stated that she may be delayed in getting to the school.

Police were called to assist.

The YP's mother arrived before police and disarmed the YP. When police arrived the YP had calmed down.

The YP and his mother accompanied police to the station.

The YP is to be suspended for violent behaviour.

No one was injured in the incident.

Action

SSRU advised:

- request a medical assessment for the YP

SSRU Leader Incident Management advises:

- consider YLO and / or counsellor support in any return from suspension meeting
- offer EAPS support to staff
- offer counsellor support to any children affected by the incident
- update or review the YP's risk management plan

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031762

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 10:00, Wed, Nov 28, 2012
Entered: 10:16, Fri, Nov 30, 2012 [REDACTED]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[REDACTED]	P	Riverina - Riverina South	[REDACTED]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Albury	02 6023 9299
Police			No
Attended	COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Weapons Related - Students threatened with a knife

Narrative

A [REDACTED] male (victim 1) and the mother of [REDACTED] male (victim 2) informed a teacher that a [REDACTED] male had been in possession of a knife in the boys toilets.

Victim 1 told the teacher that the YP had the blade of the knife open [REDACTED]. The YP allegedly asked victim 1 if he wanted to go into the playground with him and scare people.

The YP then went into the playground and asked victim 2 if he would play with him. Victim 2 declined and the YP threatened to harm victim 2 with the knife.

The YP admitted to having the knife at school. The YP's mother was informed of the incident and the YP has been suspended.

A condition of the YP returning to school is that he must see the school counsellor.

Action

SSRU advises:

- issue No Knives at School fact sheet
- contact police YLO
- YLO to deliver a crime prevention presentation regarding knives at school.

SSRU Leader Incident Management advises:

- provide counsellor support to victims

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031737

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: [redacted] Nov [redacted] 2012

Entered: [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[redacted]		South Western Sydney - [redacted]	[redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
			Police
			Yes

Attended Bridge Street Blacktown COPS Event # Pending

Assault - Student indecently assaulted on way home

Narrative

An unknown male (POI) approached a [redacted] (victim) when [redacted]

The POI performed an indecent act on himself while pursuing the victim. He then [redacted] the victim before [redacted] ran away and hid in the [redacted]. The victim reported that the POI ran back towards the [redacted].

The victim then walked home and reported the incident to [redacted] parents and police were called.

The victim was provided with school counsellor support at school on [redacted]

The SED contacted the school.

Action

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031759

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: [redacted] Nov [redacted] 2012
Entered: [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[redacted]	[redacted]	New England - [redacted]	[redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	Police
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	No

Attended Bridge Street Blacktown COPS Event # Pending

Weapons Related - Knife threat and alleged indecent assault

Narrative

A group of students attended [redacted] with students from other schools. During the [redacted] a [redacted] (YP) took a [redacted] knife and allegedly held it to [redacted] a student (victim) from another school.

It is alleged that the YP also [redacted] to other students on the [redacted] and, in a separate incident, took [redacted] another student (victim 2) while victim 2 was [redacted]

The principal is still obtaining details about the incidents.

The principal will inform the YP's parents and take appropriate disciplinary action.

The victims both attend a nearby school.

Action

The SSRU recommended:

- the school inform local police of all incidents and be guided by police concerning any school based investigation into the alleged indecent assault.

SSRU Leader Incident Management advises:

- liaise with the principal of the other school to outline the alleged incident
- assist the other principal in contacting the victim's parents if required
- ensure counsellor support is provided to any affected students
- consider YLO and / or counsellor support in any return from suspension meeting

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031712

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 11:00, Tue, Nov 27, 2012
Entered: 14:07, Tue, Nov 27, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
		South Western Sydney - Liverpool	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Macquarie Fields	02 9605 0400
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Weapons Related - Student threatens staff and students with a knife

Narrative

A (YP) produced a blade and threatened students and staff with it. He also removed a from a cabinet and threatened to harm staff.

The YP was restrained and disarmed by staff. The principal received and another staff member was by the YP. First aid has been provided.

Police were called and attended.

The YP's mother was contacted and arranged for the YP's to be with the YP.

The YP will be suspended and behaviour management plan will be reviewed before return.

Action

SSRU advised:

- report staff injuries to WHS

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031710

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 10:40, Tue, Nov 27, 2012
Entered: 12:23, Tue, Nov 27, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
		New England - New England South	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Oxley	02 6768 2999
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Threat or Intimidation - Agitated student causes lockdown

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) became agitated and began to behave in an aggressive manner towards staff.

The principal approached the YP in an attempt to calm him, but the YP escalated his behaviour and began [redacted] and throwing them at the principal. The YP then began to hit the principal with the [redacted]

The principal put the school into lockdown and called the YP's carers and the police.

The YP's carers and the police came to the school. The police released the YP into [redacted] care.

The school has taken appropriate disciplinary action and will revise the YP's risk management plan.

Action

The SSRU recommended the principal liaise with the SED and the DEC Media Unit to issue a short debrief to parents and students.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031793

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 8:45, Tue, Nov 27, 2012

Entered: 11:15, Tue, Dec 4, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	P	Illawarra and South East -	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Goulburn	02 4823 0399
			Police
			Yes

Attended

Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event

Pending

Threat or Intimidation - [redacted] threatens student

Narrative

The principal was informed that a [redacted] (YP) had threatened a [redacted] (victim) with a long piece of [redacted] on the [redacted]. The YP sat next to the victim and took the piece of [redacted] from [redacted] school bag. The YP then threatened to use the [redacted] to scratch the victim.

The principal investigated the incident and the YP admitted to threatening the victim. The YP's mother was informed and the YP was suspended.

The victim's mother was contacted and counselling was provided for the victim.

The Police Youth Liaison Officer attended the school and spoke to the YP.

Action

SSRU advises:

- Risk Assessment Plan to be completed for the YP

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031704

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 8:25, Tue, Nov 27, 2012
Entered: 10:57, Tue, Nov 27, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	P	Illawarra and South East -	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Wollongong	02 4226 7899
			Police
			No

Attended Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event # Pending

Threat or Intimidation - Outsider confronts students

Narrative

A male (YP) and five other students were walking to school near a pedestrian bridge. An unknown male (POI) was taking photographs near the bridge.

The YP and his friends asked the POI what he was doing and the POI began arguing with the YP. The YP alleges that the POI made an indecent suggestion to him.

The POI ran ahead of the students and entered the school. The POI alleged to the principal that the YP had exposed himself to the POI. The POI then left the school.

The YP denies the allegation.

The principal will inform parents. The principal has informed the SED and the DEC Media Unit.

The YP and the other students will be offered counsellor support.

Action

The SSRU recommended the school inform local police.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031784

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 8:00, Tue, Nov 27, 2012
Entered: 13:53, Mon, Dec 3, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	South Western Sydney - Strathfield	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Flemington	02 9646 8600
			Police
			Yes

Attended

Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event #

Pending

Drugs - Students smoking

Narrative

Two males (YP1 and YP2) arrived at school YP2 collapsed and an ambulance was called. YP2's parents were contacted and accompanied YP2 to the local hospital.

The YPs admitted to smoking on their way to school.

YP1's parents were informed of the incident. The YPs have been suspended.

The School Liaison Police Officer was informed and police counselling is mandatory as part of the return to school resolution.

Action

SSRU advises:

- Injury notification to be completed

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031714

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 15:00, Mon, Nov 26, 2012

Entered: 14:16, Tue, Nov 27, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	Northern Sydney - Hills Network	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Eastwood	02 9858 5944
Attended		COPS Event #	Police
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	Yes

Threat or Intimidation - Student threatens other students

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP), [redacted] was referred to the deputy principal (DP) regarding comments and images he had placed on his DER laptop.

The YP had made comments on the computer which implied he wanted other students to die and he had references to school shooting incidents in the United States.

[redacted]

The deputy principal has informed police and the YP's parents.

Action

The SSRU recommended the school involve regional office personnel, the YP's parents [redacted] in conducting a risk assessment and revising the YP's risk management plan.

The deputy principal is aware that police or ambulance can transport the YP for assessment if he becomes agitated at school.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031696

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 13:45, Mon, Nov 26, 2012
Entered: 16:10, Mon, Nov 26, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
		South Western Sydney - Liverpool	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Macquarie Fields	02 9605 0400
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Other - Uncontrollable student causes damage to classroom

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) had an [redacted] in class and began damaging doors, windows, window frames and furniture.

Police and an ambulance were called to assist. By the time they arrived the YP had calmed [redacted]

Other students were removed from the room for their own safety. No one was injured during the incident.

The YP will be suspended.

Staff have been debriefed and anyone distressed by the incident will be offered support from EAP.

Action

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031690

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 11:30, Mon, Nov 26, 2012
Entered: 12:23, Mon, Nov 26, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	Western Sydney	
Principal	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
Director	Blacktown	02 9622 0000	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Other - Staged fight [redacted] disrupts school

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP1) [redacted] that there would be a brawl at the school the following day.

During recess, YP1 and another [redacted] male (YP2) staged a fight on the school oval. A large group of student spectators arrived and several students began filming the fight with their mobile phones.

The fight did not appear to be serious and was quickly broken up by staff. No one was injured.

YP1 claimed he initially planned to hold the fight at a nearby [redacted] but decided to have it at school instead.

The SLP was contacted and advised the Deputy Principal to encourage YP1 to [redacted]

Parents of both YPs are to be contacted and disciplinary action will follow.

Students who filmed the fight will be asked to delete the footage and will face disciplinary action for their actions.

Action

SSRU advised:

- ensure that YP1's parent takes some responsibility [redacted]
- take disciplinary action against the YPs for causing disruption to the school
- take disciplinary action against those who filmed the fight
- take disciplinary action against those who were encouraging the YPs to fight

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031698

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 10:30, Mon, Nov 26, 2012
Entered: 9:36, Tue, Nov 27, 2012 [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
[redacted]		Hunter/Central Coast - H/CC1	[redacted]	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police No
[redacted]				
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Other - Two students attempt self harm

Narrative

A [redacted] (YP1) [redacted] climbed onto the roof of a school building [redacted] in front of a large number of other students.

At the same time, [redacted] (YP2), ran into a toilet and made cuts [redacted]

Friends took YP2 from the toilets and reported the incident to a teacher. The cuts were not serious and YP2 was given first aid at school.

Both YPs have been released into their parents' care. The [redacted] has been coordinating support for the YPs has been informed.

Risk management plans will be put in place for the YPs.

Student witnesses will be offered counsellor support and staff are aware of the support available through the EAP. The SED has been informed.

It is not known what implement YP2 used to cut [redacted] If [redacted] used a weapon the principal will inform police.

Action

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031686

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 10:20, Mon, Nov 26, 2012
Entered: 11:33, Mon, Nov 26, 2012 [REDACTED]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[REDACTED]	P	Riverina - Riverina Central	[REDACTED]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Albury	02 6023 9299
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Weapons Related - Student with live bullet

Narrative

A teacher reported that a [REDACTED] male (YP1) was in possession of a live bullet at school.

YP1 claimed he took the bullet from [REDACTED] (YP2) [REDACTED] YP2 was allegedly telling other students that he was going to shoot someone.

The bullet was confiscated and police will be asked to collect it.

Action

SSRU advised:

- request that police collect the bullet and speak with [REDACTED] about the safe storage of ammunition.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031680

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 14:15, [redacted] Nov [redacted] 2012
Entered: 16:50, [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
[redacted]	P	Illawarra and South East -	[redacted]	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[redacted]	[redacted]	Wollongong	02 4226 7899	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Threat or Intimidation - Agitated student causes lockdown

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) from the [redacted] school became agitated when asked to board a bus at the end of the day.

The YP climbed a tree and broke off a branch which he then fashioned into a sharpened implement. The YP climbed a fence into the main school area and tried to smash a window to gain access to the office.

The YP ignored staff instructions to cease his behaviour and climbed onto the roof of the school.

The school was placed into lockdown and the police were called.

The police arrived and removed the YP from the school. The school ceased its lockdown and students were able to leave the school approximately 5 minutes after their normal finishing time. There were no injuries.

The school bus waited until all students were on board.

The school will take appropriate disciplinary action and revise the YP's risk management plan. Attempts to contact the YP's parents during the incident were unsuccessful.

The principal will debrief parents, staff and students on Monday [redacted]

The DEC Media Unit and the SED have been informed.

Action

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031678

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 13:00, Fri, Nov 23, 2012
Entered: 15:42, Fri, Nov 23, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	P	Hunter/Central Coast - H/CC1	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
			Police
			Yes
Attended	COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Assault - High school students assault students

Narrative

The school was celebrating [redacted] with many visitors entering the school. There were a number of students from the local high school in attendance. Two [redacted] females (victim 1 and victim 2), who were in the female toilets, were assaulted by two [redacted] females (YP1 and YP2).

The YPs entered the girls' toilets and began verbally abusing and harassing the victims. The incident escalated with YP1 assaulting victim 2. YP1 punched kicked and pulled victim 2's hair. YP1 pushed victim 1 to the ground and continued kicking her. YP1 grabbed victim 1 by the shirt and punched her several times [redacted] Victim 2 received [redacted]

As the YPs left the toilets, YP1 turned and picked up victim 1's [redacted] YP1 threw the [redacted] at victim 1 hitting her [redacted] Victim 1 received [redacted]

The victims' parents were informed and the school provided counselling for the victims.

The Principal has contacted the local high school to inform them of the incident.

Action

SSRU advised:

- contact police and liaise with the OIC
- Injury notification for the victim's

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031672

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 12:00, Fri, Nov 23, 2012
Entered: 13:58, Fri, Nov 23, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	P	Riverina - Riverina South	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Albury	02 6023 9299
Attended		COPS Event #	Police
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	Yes

Threat or Intimidation - Siblings threaten student and cause disruption to school

Narrative

During the recess break a [redacted] male (YP1) and [redacted] male (YP2) who are siblings, had an altercation with a [redacted] male (victim) over toy cars they were playing with. They YPs threatened to assault the victim before the victim was removed to a safe location inside a building. The YPs attempted to enter the building to get to the victim. One of the YPs broke a [redacted] when he used it to hit walls.

YP2 attempted to access the building by smashing a window.

The YPs' mother was contacted and stated she could not come to the school. She instructed the principal to [redacted]

Police were called and attended. Police removed the YPs from the school and stated they would take the YPs to the police station and contact their mother.

The YPs' mother phoned the school [redacted]

No staff or students were injured during the incident.

The YPs are to be suspended.

Action

SSRU advsied:

- notify the victim's parent of the incident

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031679

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 12:00, Fri, Nov 23, 2012
Entered: 15:45, Fri, Nov 23, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
		South Western Sydney -	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Bankstown	02 9709 5299
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Threat or Intimidation - Violent students

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP 1) and a [redacted] male (YP 2) left the school grounds and went to the local shops. The YPs brought [redacted] and then returned to the school. The YPs sat in a quad and ate the food. The YPs yelled and screamed at other students in classrooms to come and join them. The YPs banged on doors and windows to entice students from class. The YPs then threw [redacted]

The YPs entered a classroom and began to make a mess. YP 2 was escorted from the room. YP 1 threatened to have staff killed. YP 1 left the classroom and went outside. The YPs broke branches off a tree and attacked staff and staff cars with the branches. The YPs attempted to break windows and hurled objects at staff.

Police were informed and attended.

YP 1 went home with his carer. YP 2 went home [redacted]

The YPs were suspended.

Action

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031669

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 11:30, Fri, Nov 23, 2012

Entered: 13:32, Fri, Nov 23, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
		Riverina - Riverina North		
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Wagga Wagga	02 6923 1800	Yes
Attended	COPS Event #			
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending			

Threat or Intimidation - Student threatens self harm

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) became agitated and aggressive in class. The YP held a pair of scissors to [redacted]. The YP made cutting motions on [redacted]. The class teacher confiscated the scissors. The SLSO attempted to escort the YP out of the room but the YP refused to leave.

Students were removed from the classroom and the principal attempted to calm down the YP.

The school attempted to ring the YP's mother.

Police were informed of the incident and attended. [redacted]

The YP's mother was informed of the incident.

Action

The SSRU officer advised:

-a review of the YP's risk management plan.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031662

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 10:00, Fri, Nov 23, 2012

Entered: 11:41, Fri, Nov 23, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	P	Illawarra and South East -	
Principal	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
	Lake Illawarra	02 4295 2699	Yes
Attended	COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Other - Police required for uncontrollable student

Narrative

A [redacted] female (YP) [redacted] had arrived at school in a bad mood and her behaviour became worse throughout the morning. The YP began throwing rocks, [redacted] at staff and then at passing motor vehicles on the road beside the school.

Some staff members sustained minor injuries.

Police were contacted and attended. The YP had to be [redacted] transported home by police.

Attempts were made to contact the YP's parent. Eventually the YP's grandmother was contacted and informed of the incident.

The YP is to be suspended and her behaviour management plan will be reviewed before she returns.

Action

SSRU advised:

- injured staff to make a WHS injury notification
- offer EAP support to staff who may be affected by the incident

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031689

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 9:25, Fri, Nov 23, 2012
Entered: 12:04, Mon, Nov 26, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
		Sydney - Inner City	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Sutherland	02 9542 0899
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Assault - Highly agitated student

Narrative

A (YP) arrived at school in a highly agitated state. The YP refused to alight from parent's vehicle so a staff member intervened and attempted to calm. However, the YP escalated behaviour.

kicked and punched then picked up two that were in the vehicle and threatened to use them as weapons. Staff managed to disarm the YP.

The YP continued to refuse to alight from the vehicle. locked in and kicked the windows, eventually damaging the windscreen. The YP's parent unlocked the vehicle and the YP was removed. The parent was very distressed.

As the YP's parent drove away from the school, the YP made threats to self-harm and began scratching and biting in front of students, staff and parents.

The school contacted the police and an ambulance.

Action

SSRU recommended:

- review the YP's risk assessment with support from the school counsellor
- EAP support for staff affected by the incident

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031660

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 8:50, Fri, Nov 23, 2012
Entered: 11:06, Fri, Nov 23, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	P	Western NSW - Orange	
Principal	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
Director	Canobolas	02 6361 5499	Yes

Attended Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event # Pending

Threat or Intimidation - Abusive parent threatens students

Narrative

A female parent (POI) came into the school and was abusive and threatening towards students who she accuses of bullying her children. She was involved in a similar incident on [redacted] and was sent a warning letter on [redacted]

The POI threatened to take legal action against a [redacted] male (victim) before claiming she would use a knife to stab him if he continued to harass her children.

The POI was asked to leave the premises by the principal. She continued her abusive tirade as she left the school. The incident was witnessed by staff and students.

Police are to be informed of the incident.

The victim's parent has been notified of the incident.

Action

SSRU advised:

- request police serve the ban letter to the POI (see Memo DN/12/00119)

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031655

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 8:30, Fri, Nov 23, 2012
Entered: 9:57, Fri, Nov 23, 2012 [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
[redacted]	P	Western NSW - Dubbo	[redacted]	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[redacted]	[redacted]	Orana	02 6881 3266	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Threat or Intimidation - Parent threatens students

Narrative

A female parent (POI) came to the school in an aggressive state to complain about the treatment of her child following an incident yesterday. She wanted to speak to a member of the school executive but was abusive and aggressive. She was asked to wait in the office but proceeded to abuse and threaten students.

When the POI walked out of the office a lockdown was implemented to prevent her returning. She then threatened to break windows.

The POI phoned [redacted] who is subject to an Inclosed Lands Act ban, and asked her to come to the school to assist. It is not known if [redacted] did attend. She was not seen at the school.

The POI's [redacted] attended the school and became involved in the incident. The principal [redacted] will be informed.

Police were called and attended. Police took the POI into custody and removed her from the school. Three staff members are making statements to police.

Parents of the students who had been threatened were informed of the incident.

The POI will be banned from the school under the Inclosed Lands Protection Act.

Action

SSRU advised:

- request police serve the ban notice on the POI

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031688

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: [redacted] Nov [redacted] 2012
Entered: [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
[redacted]		Illawarra and South East -	[redacted]	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[redacted]				No
Attended	COPS Event #			
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending			

Other - Students report pornography on school server

Narrative

Two [redacted] (Informants) told the [redacted] that they had viewed pornographic material in a folder on the school server. The informants claimed that other students may have viewed the material.

Investigations revealed that inappropriate images [redacted] had been placed on the school server by [redacted] (POI). No evidence of [redacted] was found.

The SED and EPAC were notified.

The informants were provided with school counsellor support and their parents were informed.

Action

SSRU recommended:

- seek advice from the SED and EPAC in relation to the impartial management of the situation
- EAP support for staff
- school counsellor support for any other students who have viewed the material
- inform the Media Unit

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031668

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 14:55, Thu, Nov 22, 2012

Entered: 13:29, Fri, Nov 23, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[REDACTED]	H	South Western Sydney - Macarthur	[REDACTED]
Principal	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
Director	Camden	02 4655 0500	No
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Assault - Student assaults student after receiving suspension

Narrative

A [REDACTED] (YP) had been bullying and assaulting a [REDACTED] (victim) by punching him [REDACTED]. This resulted in the victim receiving [REDACTED]. The school investigated this report and proposed a long suspension upon the YP.

The suspension was being explained to the YP in the office by the DP. The YP stood without cause and verbally abused the DP and threatened to kill the victim. The YP defied the DP's instructions not to approach the victim and left the office.

The YP immediately approached the victim and [REDACTED] punching him [REDACTED]. The victim landed awkwardly [REDACTED]. The victim sustained injuries [REDACTED].

The school contacted the victim's parents and an ambulance who attended a short time later. The YP left the school grounds and the victim was taken home by his parents.

The principal is considering options under the suspension and expulsion policy.

Action

The SSRU has recommended the following;

- * Contact and report the matter to police
- * Continue to offer support for the victim
- * Consider contacting the SLP and utilise their services for any return from suspension or expulsion meeting.
- * Encourage the victim's parents to make a complaint to police and seek an PVO
- * Exchange information about the violent student to any future/proposed school

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031645

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 14:00, Thu, Nov 22, 2012
Entered: 16:07, Thu, Nov 22, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	P	South Western Sydney -	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Bankstown	02 9709 5299
			Police
			No
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Weapons Related - Student jabs another student with [redacted] needle

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) bought a number of unused [redacted] needle tips from home to show students at school. The YP was in the classroom sitting next to [redacted] male (victim). The YP took one of the [redacted] needle tips from his bag and [redacted]. The YP then jabbed the victim [redacted] with the needle. The teacher intervened and informed the Principal.

The victim was spoken to and stated the needle [redacted] did not penetrate the skin. The victim received [redacted].

The victim's mother was contacted and took the victim to the local doctor.

The [redacted] was informed and stated the needle tips belonged to the [redacted]. The [redacted] confirmed the needle tips had not been previously used.

The SED was informed of the incident.

Appropriate disciplinary action will follow for the YP.

Action

SSRU advises:

- WHS notification of injury
- follow up with the victim's mother

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031659

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: [redacted] Nov [redacted] 2012
Entered: [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
Attended			COPS Event #
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	[redacted]	[redacted]

Assault - Alleged assault upon student

Narrative

A [redacted] (victim) disclosed to friends that [redacted] had been [redacted] by a male person. The two friends took the victim to see the AP.

The victim disclosed to the AP that [redacted] had been in the [redacted] and [redacted] by a male person described as being tall, wearing a hooded jumper and black pants. The AP asked the victim if [redacted] was touched and the victim replied "no". Further specific details about the alleged assault and process of escape are unknown. The victim appeared a little scared but was not crying.

The AP accompanied the victim to the toilet block and a piece of [redacted] on the ground was identified by the victim as the [redacted]. The victim also identified the [redacted]. The AP took possession of the [redacted] which belongs to another student.

The AP telephoned the victim's mother who attended and both questioned the validity of the version supplied. The school counsellor was on site and spoke to the victim in the presence of [redacted] mother. The AP contacted police and advised them of the matter and was told to call back if the report appeared to be bona fide.

On [redacted] the victim attended school with [redacted] mother, who believes the report to be factual. The school has contacted police to attend and investigate. The AP contacted the principal who informed the SED and SSRU. The school has contacted the media unit.

Action

The SSRU has recommended the school;

- * Secure and refrain from touching the [redacted]. Make this possible exhibit known to police.
- * Lock the toilets it is alleged this occurred until such time as released by police.
- * Provide all necessary statements to police.
- * Refrain from speaking to the victim further about the matter until specialist police speak to [redacted].
- * Provide victim support

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031656

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 11:50, Thu, Nov 22, 2012
Entered: 10:07, Fri, Nov 23, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	North Coast - Coffs Harbour	
Principal	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
Director	Coffs Clarence	02 6652 0299	No

Attended Bridge Street Blacktown
COPS Event # Pending

Weapons Related - Student assaults other student

Narrative

A (victim) was teasing a (YP) during a class in a room. The YP approached the victim with a and attempted to hit with

The victim put arms up to protect and received

The YP ceased the assault and put down. The victim reported the incident to the teacher who was helping another student with their work at the time.

The DP has taken appropriate disciplinary action and informed the YP's parents. A risk management plan will be implemented for the YP.

The victim did not require first aid and parents have been informed.

Counsellor support will be offered to both students.

Action

The SSRU recommended the school inform local police with a view to police SLP intervention for the YP.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031626

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 9:10, Thu, Nov 22, 2012
Entered: 11:03, Thu, Nov 22, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	Western NSW - Dubbo	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Orana	02 6881 3266
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Assault - Student assault

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) and [redacted] male (victim) became involved in a verbal dispute playing handball before school. The YP was asked to stand outside a deputy principal's (DP) office. The victim was taken to the other deputy principal's office.

A DP spoke with the YP and the YP became enraged and left the office. The YP ran to where the victim stood and assaulted him. The YP [redacted] punched the victim and the DPs restrained the YP.

The victim sustained a [redacted]

The YP continued to yell abuse and make threats when his parents were informed of the incident and then left the school grounds to walk home.

The victim's carer was informed of the incident.

Discipline actions to follow.

Action

The SSRU officer advised:

-revising the YP's risk assessment on return to school after suspension.

SSRU Police Inspector advises,

- Report the incident to police
- Injury notification for the injuries to the student.
- Follow up with welfare and support to the victim

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031623

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: [redacted] Nov [redacted]

[redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
			Police No

Attended

Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event #

Pending

Assault - Alleged sexual assault

Narrative

A [redacted] (victim) was getting changed after a PE lesson when three other [redacted] (YPs) forced [redacted] to a section of the changeroom where others could not see them. The YPs proceeded to [redacted] the victim. One of the YPs (YP1) [redacted]

The victim did not call for help during the incident or inform a teacher after the incident. The school was not aware of the incident until the victim's mother informed the deputy principal (DP) the following morning.

Disciplinary action is to be taken against all three YPs.

Action

SSRU advises:

- contact police
- take advice from police before investigating further
- encourage the victim's mother to report the incident to police
- take disciplinary action against the YPs
- review student supervision procedures

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031632

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: [redacted] Nov [redacted]
Entered: [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
			Police No

Attended
 Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event #
Pending

Assault - Allegation of indecent assault

Narrative

On [redacted] a [redacted] (victim) disclosed to a teacher that a [redacted] (YP) had indecently assaulted [redacted]. The incident took place while the victim was returning to [redacted] following permission given by the supervising teacher to attend the toilet. The victim alleged that the YP had threatened to spread rumours about [redacted] told anyone about the incident.

The victim was supported by the head teacher of [redacted] and will be provided with school counsellor support.

The supervising teacher verified that the YP had left the [redacted] around the same time as the victim and that the victim had appeared upset on [redacted] return.

Action

SSRU recommended:

- contact police and seek advice
- seek support from the SLP with crime prevention strategies around indecent assault
- inform the victim's carer
- contact the YP's parent

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031615

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 14:15, Wed, Nov 21, 2012

Entered: 15:58, Wed, Nov 21, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
		Western Sydney - Nirimba	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Blacktown	02 9622 0000
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Assault - Bus driver assaulted by outsider

Narrative

A [redacted] driver (victim) arrived outside the school and waited to transport students home at the end of the day.

An unknown male (POI) approached the bus from a nearby house and claimed the bus had disturbed his sleep. The POI argued with the victim before [redacted]

Police were nearby and came quickly to the scene. The police spoke with the POI and called an ambulance for the victim.

The relieving principal implemented a lockout and kept all students in their classrooms until the incident had been resolved. No students witnessed the incident.

[redacted] All students were transported home on time.

The relieving principal informed the SED and issued a short note to parents to inform them of the incident.

The relieving principal will remind all [redacted] drivers to be considerate of the school's neighbours when parking outside the school.

Action

The SSRU recommended:

- the school obtain copies of any court orders arising and report breaches to police.
- consider an Inclosed Lands Act ban for the POI.

The SSRU informed the DEC Media Unit.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031621

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 13:50, Wed, Nov 21, 2012
Entered: 9:43, Thu, Nov 22, 2012

Location		Type	Region/School Group	Phone
		H	New England - New England South	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Oxley	02 6768 2999	No
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Assault - Serious assault upon student

Narrative

A [redacted] male (victim) [redacted] and threw it to the ground with force. The [redacted] and hit the [redacted] male (YP) in the side of [redacted]

The YP approached the victim and forcefully punched the victim [redacted]. The victim suffered serious injuries including a [redacted]. This caused an amount of bleeding [redacted].

First aid was provided to the victim for the injury [redacted] and to the YP for [redacted]. The school contacted an ambulance and the victim's parents. [redacted]

The school contacted the YP's parents and an ambulance [redacted]

Action

- The SSRU has advised the school;
- * Contact police and report the incident.
- * Complete student injury notifications
- * Supply copies of incident report forms to police if requested
- * Complete a risk assessment for the YP

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031627

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: [redacted] Nov [redacted] 2012
Entered: [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
			Police Yes

Attended Bridge Street Blacktown COPS Event # Pending

Other - Attempted abduction

Narrative

On [redacted] a [redacted] (victim) informed the principal that [redacted] had been approached by two unknown males (POIs) in a [redacted] as [redacted] walked home from school on [redacted]. The incident occurred around the corner from the victim's home.

The victim reported the male passenger (POI 1) initially remained in the vehicle and asked [redacted] for directions. POI 1 then alighted from the vehicle, held the victim's arm and attempted to coerce [redacted] into the vehicle. The victim reportedly ran away around the corner and hid [redacted]. POI 1 then entered the vehicle and both POIs drove around the corner in pursuit of the victim, before eventually driving off.

The victim informed [redacted] parent who reported the incident to police. Police attend the victim's home and are conducting investigations.

The victim was offered school counsellor support.

Action

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031616

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 13:30, Wed, Nov 21, 2012

Entered: 16:03, Wed, Nov 21, 2012

Location		Type	Region/School Group	Phone
		P	Riverina - Riverina West	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Griffith	02 6969 0400	No
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Weapons Related - Student threatens staff with scissors

Narrative

A (YP) became agitated during the recess break. The YP was spoken to by the principal and was returned to the class during recess to apologise to the classroom teacher.

The YP became angry and began kicking chairs and swearing. The YP took scissors from the teacher's desk and held them toward the principal and teacher. The YP told the staff could stab and kill them. The principal successfully negotiated with the YP to put the scissors down. The YP remained agitated and picked up a number of other student scissors but was not as threatening. The YP was provided with options with which he complied.

The school contacted the YP's parents and advised them of the incident. The school will meet with the parents the following day to establish options for the YP.

Action

The SSRU has recommended the school

- * Implement a risk assessment/management plan for the YP
- * Explain to the members of the staff the services available from EAP

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031620

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 13:30, Wed, Nov 21, 2012
Entered: 8:45, Thu, Nov 22, 2012 by Travis Evans

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[REDACTED]	H	Illawarra and South East -	[REDACTED]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Wollongong	02 4226 7899
			Police
			Yes

Attended Bridge Street Blacktown COPS Event #
E49531822

Other - Agitated student

Narrative

Two [REDACTED] (YPs) did not return home from school on [REDACTED]. The parents of YP1 reported [REDACTED] as missing and the parents of YP2 received a phone call from YP2 who indicated that [REDACTED] would not be home.

The parents of YP1 notified the school the following day that YP1 had not returned home.

About [REDACTED] both YPs arrived at school and were sent to the office. The school contacted YP1's mother who indicated that she would immediately attend the school. YP2's mother indicated that she would attend at the end of the day.

YP1 became agitated upon hearing [REDACTED] mother would be arriving at the school and began swearing and rudely defying instructions. The school contacted the mother to ascertain how long she would be and was advised by the parent to contact police. The school contacted police who attended and sought the assistance of [REDACTED] behaviour. [REDACTED]

The school is not pursuing any disciplinary action and dealing with the matter as a welfare issue. There were no issues with YP2.

Action

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031752

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: [redacted] Nov [redacted], 2012

[redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[redacted]			
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[redacted]			
Attended			COPS Event #
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Threat or Intimidation - Student attempts self harm and threatens other students

Narrative

A [redacted] (YP) [redacted] became agitated during a lesson. The YP [redacted] in an attempt to [redacted]

The YP also attempted to self-harm with a pair of scissors.

[redacted]

Police and ambulance were called [redacted]

The YP's parents were informed. The YP's risk management plan will be revised and the school will liaise with regional staff and outside agencies to provide appropriate support for the YP.

Students who witnessed the incident have been offered counsellor support.

The YP has since posted threats to staff and other students [redacted] The DP will take appropriate action.

Action

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031631

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: [redacted], Nov [redacted], 2012

[redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[redacted]		Western Sydney - Blue Mountains	[redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
			Police
			Yes

Attended

Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event #

Pending

Other - Student attempts self harm

Narrative

A [redacted] (YP) [redacted] was agitated during the morning [redacted] was being interviewed by the deputy principal when [redacted] became upset and ran off. As the YP was about to run in front of a motor vehicle the road in front of the school [redacted] tripped. The [redacted] driver was able to stop in time to prevent injury to the YP. The YP proceeded to hit and kick the vehicle, causing some damage.

The YP then attempted to damage another vehicle in the immediate area.

Police and an ambulance were called [redacted]

The YP's [redacted] attended and was able to take the YP [redacted]

Police took details of the damage caused to the driver's vehicle.

A [redacted] will be required before the YP returns to school.

Action

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031600

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 9:40, Wed, Nov 21, 2012
Entered: 10:22, Wed, Nov 21, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	P	Sydney - Network 8	
Principal	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
Director	Campsie	02 8525 0399	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Other - Intruder enters boys toilets

Narrative

Two parents of a student attended the school office and informed the Principal they had seen an unknown male (POI) jump a boundary fence and enter the school. The parents alleged that they saw the POI enter the boys toilets. The school was placed into lockdown.

The General Assistant, Assistant Principal and Deputy Principal investigated but could not locate the POI.

Police were informed and conducted a thorough search of the school grounds. The POI was not located. After Police deemed the school to be safe, the school ceased the lockdown.

Action

SSRU advised:

- inform the SED

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031601

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 9:15, Wed, Nov 21, 2012
Entered: 10:51, Wed, Nov 21, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	P	North Coast - The Wilson	
Principal	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
Director	Richmond	02 6625 0799	No
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Assault - Outsider allegedly assaults student

Narrative

A [redacted] male (victim 1) went to the home of a [redacted] male (victim 2) before both boys and three other [redacted] walked down the driveway to wait for a school bus.

As they approached the bus stop, victim 1 allegedly threw a rock at a passing car.

The male driver (POI) stopped the car and allegedly drove at the students. The POI then allegedly got out of his car and chased the victims, grabbing victim 1 by the arm and yelling at him.

Victim 2 sustained [redacted] when he jumped through a fence to escape the POI.

Victim 2's mother drove down the driveway and put all the students in her car. The POI yelled at the mother and left. Victim 2's mother stayed with the students until the bus arrived.

The students continued to school and Victim 2's mother informed the principal.

The victims were upset when they arrived at school and were to be provided with appropriate support. The principal will investigate the incident and take disciplinary action if required.

At the time of reporting the incident, the principal did not have a description of the POI or the registration number of the car.

Action

The SSRU recommended:

- inform victim 1's parents
- inform local police

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031603

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 9:00, Wed, Nov 21, 2012
Entered: 11:14, Wed, Nov 21, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
		Western Sydney - Mt Druitt	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Mount Druitt	02 9625 9920
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Other - Aggressive student

Narrative

A [redacted] (YP) [redacted] arrived at school in an agitated state. The school ascertained that the YP had not taken [redacted] medication prior to school and administered the medication to [redacted]

While [redacted] the YP attempted to jump [redacted]. The YP sustained [redacted] and was restrained. The YP was returned to school and met at the gate by the Assistant Principal (AP). The YP was taken to the office area where [redacted] was provided with a drink and [redacted] injury assessed.

The YP became increasingly agitated which escalated into aggression. [redacted] began uplifting furniture in the principal's office. The YP's parents were contacted and advised to collect the YP but they were not receptive and became abusive towards the AP. The YP was removed to the sick bay where [redacted] demanded to be left alone. The YP started [redacted] at the AP and principal before [redacted] shattered the glass panel on the door.

The school contacted police who attended and took the YP into their care.

Action

The SSRU has recommended the school

* Document the damage to property on FMweb.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031606

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 15:45, Tue, Nov 20, 2012
Entered: 11:58, Wed, Nov 21, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	Illawarra and South East - Sapphire	
Principal	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
Director	Far South Coast	02 4478 9910	Yes

Attended
 Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event #
Pending

Weapons Related - Threat with pair of scissors

Narrative

The parent of a [redacted] male (victim) contacted the school and informed the principal that a [redacted] male (YP) had used a pair of scissors to threaten the victim [redacted]

When questioned about the incident on [redacted] the YP admitted to the allegation, but alleged that he had been acting in jest with no intention of harming the victim. The YP also admitted that he had stolen the scissors from a staff room.

The YP has no previous history of aggressive behaviour or violence. His parent was contacted and the YP has been suspended.

The school contacted the police.

Action

SSRU recommended:

- seek support from the SLP with crime prevention strategies
- offer school counsellor support to the victim and the YP
- conduct a risk assessment for the YP

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031597

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 13:30, Tue, Nov 20, 2012
Entered: 16:39, Tue, Nov 20, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[Redacted]	H	Sydney - Inner West	[Redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[Redacted]	[Redacted]	Campsie	02 8525 0399
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Threat or Intimidation - Aggressive exstudent

Narrative

A [Redacted] male ex student (POI) walked passed the school and students yelled out at the POI. The POI became angry and screamed and yelled at the students. The POI threw rocks over the fence and was uncontrolled and enraged.

The school asked for police assistance and the principal went outside to speak to the POI.

Police attended and searched the POI. The POI was released.

Action

The SSRU officer advised:

-Media Unit be informed of the incident.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031635

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 11:15, Tue, Nov 20, 2012
Entered: 13:29, Thu, Nov 22, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
		Western NSW - Bourke	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Castlereagh	02 6828 6899
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Assault - Student threatens other student and assaults teacher

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP1) and a [redacted] male (YP2) were intimidating and threatening another [redacted] male (victim 1) in the playground. The YPs and six other students had surrounded victim 1 and the YPs appeared to be about to assault him.

The incident arose after comments were exchanged between the students [redacted]

Staff intervened and separated the students. The YPs were sent home with parent permission.

Police had been called and as they were driving to the school the police officers saw YP2 walking home. Knowing he had been involved in the incident they picked up YP2 and brought him back to school.

YP2 was still in an agitated state. When he was being spoken to by a head teacher (victim 2) he began eating some potato chips and then spat the contents of his mouth at victim 2's face.

The police officers, who witnessed this incident, arrested YP2 and transported him to the police station.

The DP has taken appropriate disciplinary action and informed the YPs' parents.

Victim 1 has been offered counsellor support and victim 2 is aware of the support available through the EAP.

Action

The SSRU recommended the school be aware of any court orders arising from the incident.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031589

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 11:10, Tue, Nov 20, 2012
Entered: 12:20, Tue, Nov 20, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	Illawarra and South East -	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Lake Illawarra	02 4295 2699
			Police
			No

Attended
 Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event #
Pending

Other - Student allegedly starts fire

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) allegedly set fire to a large palm tree in the school playground. A number of students witnessed the YP set fire to the tree and then try to off load the lighter.

The tree burned freely and the flames began to threaten a learning area. The school was evacuated and the fire brigade called.

Staff began to extinguish the flames with fire hoses and were assisted by the fire brigade to put out the fire.

A [redacted] female (victim 1) and a [redacted] female (victim 2) were injured when [redacted] the [redacted] fell [redacted]. The victims were given first aid at school and their parents informed.

The YP has denied lighting the fire. His mother has been informed and is coming to the school. The principal will investigate the incident and take appropriate disciplinary action.

The principal will inform the DEC Media Unit and the SED.

Action

The SSRU recommended the school inform local police and seek school liaison police intervention for the YP.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031585

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 11:05, Tue, Nov 20, 2012
Entered: 11:28, Tue, Nov 20, 2012 [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
[redacted]	H	South Western Sydney -	[redacted]	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[redacted]	[redacted]	Bankstown	02 9709 5299	No
Attended	COPS Event #			
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending			

Weapons Related - Student threatens other student with knife

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) confronted a [redacted] male (victim) in a hallway after recess. The YP was angry over comments the victim made to [redacted]

The YP took [redacted] knife from [redacted] pocket and held it up to the victim.

The victim ran from the area.

The YP punched and broke a window and then went to the playground where he was located by a head teacher. The YP gave the knife to the head teacher.

The YP was given first aid [redacted] The DP will contact the YP's parents and take appropriate disciplinary action. A risk management plan will be implemented for the victim.

The school will contact the victim's parents and offer the victim counselling.

Action

The SSRU recommended:

- the school inform police
- secure the knife and give it to police when they attend
- possible school liaison police involvement in the YP's return to school process.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031593

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 11:00, Tue, Nov 20, 2012
Entered: 14:14, Tue, Nov 20, 2012 [REDACTED]

Location [REDACTED]	Type H	Region/School Group South Western Sydney - Strathfield	Phone [REDACTED]
Principal [REDACTED]	Director [REDACTED]	LAC Campsie	LAC Phone 02 8525 0399
Attended <input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown		COPS Event # Pending	

Assault - Students fighting

Narrative

Two [REDACTED] males (YP1 and YP2) became involved in an argument over name calling that escalated into a physical altercation. YP1 sustained an injury [REDACTED] that required first aid. [REDACTED] appeared to be [REDACTED] and an ambulance was called.

[REDACTED]

YP1's parent was contacted [REDACTED]

YP2's parent was contacted and YP2 has been sent home. He will return this afternoon with his mother for a meeting to discuss the incident.

Disciplinary action to follow meetings with the YPs and their parents.

Action

SSRU advised:

- inform local police of the incident due to the injury to YP1 requiring medical attention.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031594

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 16:15, Mon, Nov 19, 2012
Entered: 14:42, Tue, Nov 20, 2012 [redacted]

Location [redacted]	Type H	Region/School Group Northern Sydney - Hills Network	Phone [redacted]
Principal [redacted]	Director [redacted]	LAC Eastwood	LAC Phone 02 9858 5944
Attended <input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown		COPS Event # E50299669	

Weapons Related - Student stabs adult male after school

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) caught a train after school to [redacted]. The YP was walking in the station underpass when he was approached by an adult male (victim). The YP and victim became involved in a heated argument which turned into a physical fight.

The victim and YP exchanged punches and the victim held the YP in a headlock for a short time.

The YP produced a [redacted] knife from the front of his school shirt and used it to stab the victim in the [redacted].

Several witnesses including a [redacted] (witness) separated the YP and victim. Police attended and [redacted]. Ambulance attended [redacted]. [redacted] injuries are not believed to be life threatening.

Police have attended the school and conducted further enquiries with the witness.

The school has spoken to the SED and the YP's parents. The school will investigate the matter on a departmental level before deciding on appropriate disciplinary action. School counselling services have been offered and used by the YP and witness.

Action

The SSRU has provided the school with the COPS event number and exchangeable information from the police report [redacted].

The SSRU recommends the school contact the media unit as the incident has attracted media attention.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031579

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 15:30, Mon, Nov 19, 2012
Entered: 8:07, Tue, Nov 20, 2012 [REDACTED]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[REDACTED]	P	Illawarra and South East -	[REDACTED]
Principal	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[REDACTED]	Shoalhaven	02 4421 9630	Yes
Attended	COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Other - Stranger danger

Narrative

A [REDACTED] male (victim) reported to his mother at the end of the school day that an unknown man (POI) grabbed him by the arm after he left his classroom. Allegedly the teacher and other students had left the classroom area before the alleged incident.

No staff member or student witnessed the incident.

Police were contacted and attended. They spoke to the victim and his mother at the school.

Action

SSRU advised:

- ask staff if they saw anyone fitting the POI's description
- provide any new information to investigating police officers

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031572

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 14:30, Mon, Nov 19, 2012
Entered: 15:37, Mon, Nov 19, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	South Western Sydney -	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Bankstown	02 9709 5299
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Threat or Intimidation - Staff intimidated by student during conference

Narrative

Four staff members and the principal were involved in a [redacted] Conference following an incident on [redacted] where a [redacted] (YP) caused malicious damage and assaulted a staff member [redacted]. The conference was convened by a [redacted]. There was a delay in starting the meeting as they were waiting for a police officer to attend.

The supervisor at the police station was contacted when no officer attended. He indicated there was no officer available to attend the conference.

The convenor decided to hold the conference without police presence.

During the conference the YP became aggressive and abusive. [redacted] threw a garbage bin in the direction of the principal and staff before walking out of the room.

The YP's father was present for the conference.

Staff feel distressed and intimidated by the YP as [redacted] a history of violence towards staff.

The SED has been notified of the incident.

EAP support has been offered to staff involved.

Action

SSRU advised:

- speak to the SED regarding a suitable educational setting for the YP
- contact [redacted] regarding the conference

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031567

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 14:10, Mon, Nov 19, 2012
Entered: 14:41, Mon, Nov 19, 2012 [REDACTED]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
[REDACTED]	H	Northern Sydney - North Shore	[REDACTED]	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	North Shore	02 9411 0999	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Drugs - Student offering prescription medication to others

Narrative

A [REDACTED] (YP) [REDACTED] was observed by a teacher on playground duty attempting to sell [REDACTED] prescription medication to other students.

The YP ran away when the teacher approached.

Police were called due to concern that the YP made an earlier comment to another teacher that [REDACTED] wanted to self harm.

The YP's parent was informed via a community liaison officer at the regional office.

Update [REDACTED] The principal reported that police located the YP safe and well on the evening of [REDACTED]

Action

SSRU recommended:

- ongoing school counsellor support for the YP
- review the YP's risk assessment

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031573

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 14:05, Mon, Nov 19, 2012
Entered: 16:04, Mon, Nov 19, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	Hunter/Central Coast - H/CC5	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Newcastle City	02 4929 0631
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Weapons Related - Student in possession of a knife at school

Narrative

A [redacted] female (victim) reported to her teacher that a [redacted] male (YP) produced [redacted] knife from his bag and threatened her with it during class. The principal who was visiting a nearby class attended and confiscated the knife from the YP. The YP claimed he had the knife for a cooking class.

The bell sounded for the end of the day and both the victim and YP were required to take a bus home. Both left the school before the incident could be fully investigated.

Messages were left for the YP's parent to contact the school to discuss the incident.

The victim's parent contacted her daughter's teacher regarding the incident.

Following further investigations police may be contacted and the YP suspended.

Action

SSRU advised:

- speak with the YP (procedural fairness)
- speak with the victim re reason for the YP's threat
- enquire if there are any witnesses to the incident
- notify police if the YP had the knife (without reasonable cause) or had threatened the victim with the knife

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031584

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 14:00, Mon, Nov 19, 2012
Entered: 9:55, Tue, Nov 20, 2012 [REDACTED]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
[REDACTED]	H	Western Sydney - Minchinbury	[REDACTED]	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Blacktown	02 9622 0000	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Other - Ambulance and police required for uncontrollable female student

Narrative

An ambulance was called to assist with a [REDACTED] female (YP) who was uncontrollable and threatening self harm. An ambulance attended but called for police to assist.

Police attended and assisted ambulance officers [REDACTED]

The YP's parent was contacted [REDACTED]

Action

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031571

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 14:00, Mon, Nov 19, 2012

Entered: 15:31, Mon, Nov 19, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
		New England - New England North	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		New England	02 6771 0603
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Assault - Student assaults others

Narrative

While the principal was investigating an allegation of a [redacted] female (YP) being involved in a physical altercation with other students, two caseworkers [redacted] arrived into the office and spoke with the YP.

When the caseworkers left to speak with the YP's parent, the YP became highly agitated. She threw items around the principal's office and hit the principal (victim) [redacted] as she attempted to climb out the window.

When the caseworkers returned, the YP's behaviour escalated. She kicked the victim [redacted] and was restrained as a safety measure.

When the YP calmed, she was escorted to the school bus by two staff members. The YP will be suspended and her risk assessment will be reviewed.

A WHS report has been made.

The SED will be informed.

Action

SSRU recommended:

- EAP support for the victim

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031570

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 13:50, Mon, Nov 19, 2012
Entered: 15:28, Mon, Nov 19, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[REDACTED]	H	Western Sydney - Minchinbury	[REDACTED]
Principal	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
Director	Blacktown	02 9622 0000	Yes

Attended

Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event #

Pending

Drugs - Student appears to be under the influence of a drug

Narrative

A [REDACTED] male (YP) appeared to be [REDACTED] while in the school playground. He appeared [REDACTED]

The YP was given first aid and an ambulance called. [REDACTED]

The YP's father was contacted and intended to [REDACTED] be with the YP.

The YP's bag contained [REDACTED] and a pipe used for smoking [REDACTED] This will be given to police.

A meeting will be convened with the YP and his parent once he recovers. Any discipline action to follow this meeting.

Action

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031587

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 13:45, Mon, Nov 19, 2012
Entered: 12:11, Tue, Nov 20, 2012 [REDACTED]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[REDACTED]	P	Illawarra and South East -	[REDACTED]
Principal	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
Director	Shoalhaven	02 4421 9630	Yes

Attended
 Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event #
Pending

Weapons Related - Scissors used as weapon

Narrative

A [REDACTED] female (YP) and a [REDACTED] male (victim) were playing under a verandah near a classroom at lunchtime. The YP thought the victim was going to kick her so the YP went to a nearby classroom and took a pair of scissors and returned to the victim. In an overhand motion the YP threatened to stab the victim.

The victim jumped over a handrail and ran away. The YP threw the scissors at the victim. The scissors missed hitting the victim.

The victim told the teacher on playground duty and the Principal was informed.

The Principal contacted the victim's mother and informed her of the incident. The victim has been offered school counselling.

The YP's father was contacted and the YP has been suspended.

The Principal informed police.

Action

SSRU advised:

- update risk assessment plan for YP

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031582

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 13:40, Mon, Nov 19, 2012
Entered: 9:33, Tue, Nov 20, 2012 [redacted]

Location [redacted]	Type H	Region/School Group Riverina - Riverina North	Phone [redacted]	
Principal [redacted]	Director [redacted]	LAC Cootamundra	LAC Phone 02 6942 0030	Police No
Attended <input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown		COPS Event # Pending		

Assault - Female students fighting

Narrative

A [redacted] female (YP1) and a [redacted] female (YP2) became involved in a verbal altercation earlier in the day. The incident gradually progressed with YP2 going in search of YP1 at the end of the lunch break. YP2 walked to an out of bounds area and located YP1. The YPs began punching each other.

Teachers intervened and administered first aid to the YPs. YP1 received [redacted]

An ambulance was called [redacted]

The YPs' parents were informed [redacted] to take the YPs home.

Appropriate disciplinary action will follow.

Action

SSRU advised:

- A Risk Assessment Plan will be completed for the YPs.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031577

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 13:00, Mon, Nov 19, 2012
Entered: 7:36, Tue, Nov 20, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	Illawarra and South East - Sapphire	
Principal	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
Director	Far South Coast	02 4478 9910	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Threat or Intimidation - Student making threats - property damaged

Narrative

Three females (victims) ran into the deputy principal's (DP) office to seek refuge because a female (YP) was pursuing them and making threats to harm them.

The YP entered the office area in a highly agitated state where she attempted to gain access to the victims. The YP then threw items of furniture, kicked walls and glass doors and removed paintings and posters from the walls in the foyer.

Staff intervened and the YP was restrained as a safety measure.

The school contacted police who attended the school

The YP's parent was contacted and the YP will be suspended.

Action

SSRU recommended:

- provide staff with the contact details of EAP support
- offer the victims school counsellor support
- seek support from the SLP with crime prevention strategies around threats
- conduct a risk assessment and develop a Behaviour Management Support Plan for the YP with support from regional personnel

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031559

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 11:30, Mon, Nov 19, 2012
Entered: 11:59, Mon, Nov 19, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
	H	Illawarra and South East -		
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Lake Illawarra	02 4295 2699	Yes

Attended
 Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event #
Pending

Assault - Student assaults student

Narrative

A [redacted] female (YP 1) assaulted a [redacted] female (victim) at the end of recess in the [redacted]. YP1 reportedly punched the victim and hit [redacted] several times, causing the victim to sustain [redacted].

The victim was provided with first aid and an ambulance was called. The victim's parent was contacted and [redacted].

YP1's parent was contacted and YP1 will be suspended.

The school is investigating the role of another [redacted] female (YP2) in the incident.

Police were contacted and the school will seek support from the SLP with crime prevention strategies

Action

SSRU recommended:

- report the victim's injuries as per WHS reporting requirements
- conduct a risk assessment for YP1

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031588

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 15:15, Fri, Nov 16, 2012

Entered: 12:11, Tue, Nov 20, 2012

Location		Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[REDACTED]		H	Western Sydney - Nirimba	[REDACTED]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[REDACTED]		Blacktown	02 9622 0000	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown		Pending		

Assault - Students assaulted by others students on way home

Narrative

Two [REDACTED] males (victims) were walking down a laneway towards shops when they were confronted by two [REDACTED] males and three [REDACTED] males (YPs). One of the YPs (YP1) is on a long suspension following a previous incident involving one of the victims. The YPs proceeded to assault the victims.

One of the YPs went to a nearby cafe and removed a chair which he used to assault the victims.

Community members intervened and the YPs fled the scene.

The victims made their way home and medical attention was sought. One of the victims sustained damage to [REDACTED]

Police were notified by the victims' parents and the school has contacted the SLP.

All YPs are to be suspended following interviews. Some are claiming they were not involved, however, they have been implicated by others. Parents are to be informed.

Action

SSRU advised:

- follow up on the condition of the victims

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031591

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 14:30, Fri, Nov 16, 2012
Entered: 12:51, Tue, Nov 20, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
	H	Illawarra and South East -		
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
	Graham Kahabka	Wollongong	02 4226 7899	Yes

Attended
 Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event #
Pending

Drugs - Student admits to supplying

Narrative

The mother of a male (YP1) revealed that YP1 had been caught with on the weekend. YP1 admitted to obtaining the drug from another male (YP2).

YP2 and his mother were meeting with the DP regarding another matter. The allegation of drug supply was put to YP2 and he admitted to providing to YP1. YP2 has been given a long suspension.

YP2's mother alleged there were other students also providing drugs in the school but declined to name anyone.

Police were contacted and attended. They were provided with names and details of those involved.

Action

SSRU advised:

- contact the SLP for advice in managing the allegation of other drug suppliers

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031687

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 13:30, Fri, Nov 16, 2012

Entered: 11:35, Mon, Nov 26, 2012

Location		Type	Region/School Group	Phone
		H	Hunter/Central Coast - H/CC7	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Lake Macquarie	02 4942 9940	No
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Weapons Related - Student allegedly uses scissors and knife to threaten other students

Narrative

The mother of a [redacted] male (victim 1) informed the Deputy Principal (DP) that her son and a [redacted] male (victim 2) had been been threatened at school by another [redacted] male (YP).

The DP investigated the incident and the victims alleged the YP had confronted them in a school stairwell with [redacted] scissors. The YP then allegedly took a [redacted] knife from his bag and used that to threaten the victims.

When the DP spoke with the YP he denied threatening the victims but did give the DP a [redacted] knife from his bag.

The DP has taken appropriate disciplinary action and will implement a risk management plan for the YP. The YP's mother has been informed and she collected the [redacted] knife from the DP.

The victims will be offered counsellor support.

Action

The SSRU recommended:

- The DP inform police
- The school be aware of any court orders arising from the incident.

The SSRU supplied the school with the No Knives at School fact sheets.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031565

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 12:00, Fri, Nov 16, 2012

Entered: 14:25, Mon, Nov 19, 2012

Location [Redacted]	Type H	Region/School Group Riverina - Riverina South	Phone [Redacted]	
Principal [Redacted]	Director [Redacted]	LAC Albury	LAC Phone 02 6023 9299	Police Yes
Attended <input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown		COPS Event # Pending		

Drugs - Students with [Redacted]

Narrative

A teacher noticed a [Redacted] male (YP1) holding a suspicious package in the playground. The teacher asked YP1 about the package and he gave the teacher a small bag of [Redacted] and a smoking pipe.

The DP interviewed YP1 and he admitted the substance was [Redacted] and said he had been given the [Redacted] by a [Redacted] male (YP2).

YP2 admitted giving the [Redacted] to YP1 and told the DP that he was sold the [Redacted] by another [Redacted] male (YP3). YP3 has also admitted to his part in the incident.

The DP informed police who have spoken with the YPs and taken possession of the [Redacted]

The YPs' parents have been informed and the school has taken appropriate disciplinary action. Risk management plans will be implemented for the YPs.

Action

SSRU Police Inspector advises,

Liase with police who attended to determine what action they will be taking against the YPs and if that action will have any impact of the management of the YPs at school.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031568

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 11:00, Fri, Nov 16, 2012
Entered: 14:54, Mon, Nov 19, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
	H	North Coast - Hastings		
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Mid North Coast	02 6583 0133	No
Attended	COPS Event #			
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Assault - Ex-students assault student

Narrative

Two male ex-students (POIs) entered the school just before recess and approached a male (victim) while he was sitting in the playground.

The POIs headbutted and punched the victim before leaving the school.

The victim was not hurt and did not require first aid. His parents have been informed and he will be offered counsellor support.

The victim has reported the incident to police.

The school is intending to serve the POIs with an Inclosed Lands Act ban.

Action

The SSRU recommended:

- the school inform police and have police serve the ILA bans to the POIs.
- the school be aware of any court orders which arise as a result of the incident and report any breaches to police.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031549

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 8:15, Fri, Nov 16, 2012
Entered: 14:40, Fri, Nov 16, 2012 [REDACTED]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[REDACTED]	H	Illawarra and South East -	[REDACTED]
Principal	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
Director	Lake Illawarra	02 4295 2699	No

Attended Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event # Pending

Other - Student lights fire inside school fence

Narrative

Fire and Rescue NSW were contacted to extinguish a fire inside the school fence. The fire burnt dry pine and trees in the immediate area.

Following an investigation by staff a [REDACTED] male (YP) was identified as the person responsible. He allegedly lit the fire with a green lighter and then left the area. He did not report to school.

The YP's father was contacted. He asked if the YP had used a green lighter as it was stolen from him that morning.

Disciplinary action is being taken against the YP.

Action

SSRU Police Inspector advises,

- Consider advising the school liaison police officer of the incident.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031628

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 15:00, Thu, Nov 15, 2012
Entered: 11:13, Thu, Nov 22, 2012 [REDACTED]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[REDACTED]	P	Illawarra and South East -	[REDACTED]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Goulburn	02 4823 0399
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Assault - Violent student

Narrative

On return from [REDACTED] a [REDACTED] male (YP) became aggressive and agitated. The YP escalated his behaviours and smashed glass in a door and then threw a [REDACTED] at a teacher (victim).

The YP then went down to catch his bus at the bus bay. The YP picked up [REDACTED] and swung it towards students and staff. The YP then attempted to smash the school sign with the [REDACTED]

The YP's parents were notified of the incident.

The YP was suspended.

Action

The SSRU officer advised:

-revising the YP's risk management plan.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031550

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 14:00, Thu, Nov 15, 2012
Entered: 14:45, Fri, Nov 16, 2012 [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[redacted]	P	South Western Sydney - Fairfield	[redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[redacted]	[redacted]	Fairfield	02 9728 0399
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Assault - Student assaults student

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) [redacted] had tripped a younger student before helping him to his feet.

A [redacted] male (victim) began taunting the YP about tripping before the YP picked up the victim and tackled him to the ground. The YP started punching the victim and as a result of the assault the victim suffered a [redacted]

The victim attended the office where first aid was administered and his father contacted. The victim was [redacted] where it was established that he suffered [redacted]

The school will impose a suspension period due to the injuries sustained to the victim.

Action

The SSRU has recommended the school;

- * Ensure an injury notification has been completed.
- * Consider utilising the services of the SLP in a return from suspension resolution meeting.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031542

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 12:00, Thu, Nov 15, 2012
Entered: 9:27, Fri, Nov 16, 2012

Location		Type	Region/School Group	Phone
		H	Northern Sydney - Peninsula	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Northern Beaches	02 9971 3306	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Drugs - Drug search

Narrative

Police visited the school and witnessed an ex-student (POI) make an exchange with two [redacted] males (YPs). Police searched the YPs and confiscated [redacted] from the POI's car.

Parents of the YPs will be informed of the incident.

Media Unit was notified of the incident.

Action

SSRU Police Inspector advises,

- Maintain a liaison with the police and call if POI's return to the school area.
- Involve the school liaison police officer with drug awareness strategies.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031530

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 10:15, Thu, Nov 15, 2012
Entered: 12:29, Thu, Nov 15, 2012 [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
[redacted]	H	Northern Sydney - Hills Network	[redacted]	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[redacted]	[redacted]	Eastwood	02 9858 5944	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Assault - Student assaults student

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) who is currently on suspension from school, attended the school during recess and pursued a [redacted] male (victim) into the main office area. The YP then assaulted the victim by punching him several times.

Staff intervened and restrained the YP.

The school contacted the police and the YP's carer was informed. Disciplinary action is pending.

The victim sustained [redacted] and was provided with first aid. The victim's [redacted] attended the school and called an ambulance via triple zero. An ambulance attended and assessed the victim. The victim [redacted]

A staff member reported [redacted] and will seek medical attention. A WHS report has been made.

Action

SSRU recommended:

- review the YP's risk assessment
- provide staff involved in the incident with the contact details of EAP
- offer the victim and the YP school counsellor support

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031535

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 9:20, Thu, Nov 15, 2012
Entered: 16:11, Thu, Nov 15, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	P	North Coast - Hastings	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Mid North Coast	02 6583 0133
			Police
			No

Attended Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event # Pending

Other - Student smashes window with bin

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) defied teachers' instructions as he was lined up during assembly.

The YP became very agitated and moved from the assembly line where he picked up a bin and threw it at a window to the staff toilet. The window shattered and the YP's father was contacted.

The school has imposed a long suspension period.

Action

The SSRU has advised the school;

* Implement a Risk Assessment for the YP

* Report damage to the school property through FMweb

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031538

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 8:28, Thu, Nov 15, 2012

Entered: 16:57, Thu, Nov 15, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
		Illawarra and South East -		
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Lake Illawarra	02 4295 2699	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Threat or Intimidation - Student threatened by POI

Narrative

A female (victim) informed another student (witness) that an unknown adult male (POI) had approached her as she walked to school and grabbed her arm. The victim ran from the POI until she reached the school.

The witness informed the principal at the end of the school day.

The principal rang the victim's mother and asked her to verify the incident. The victim's mother verified the incident with the victim and informed the principal.

The principal asked the victim's mother to inform police.

Action

The SSRU officer advised:

- police be notified by the principal.
- school counselling support be offered to the victim.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031523

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: [redacted] Nov [redacted] 2012
Entered: [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
			Police Yes

Attended Bridge Street Blacktown COPS Event # Pending

Threat or Intimidation - Students threatened by unknown man

Narrative

An unknown adult male (POI) entered the school grounds and approached four [redacted] males (victims). The POI verbally abused the victims and yelled abusive language at them. Other students informed teachers of the incident and the principal and deputy principal went to investigate. The POI left the school grounds and drove off in a car before the principal arrived.

Police were informed of the incident and continue to investigate.

The victim's parents will be notified of the incident.

The victims will be offered support in the school.

Action

The SSRU officer advised:

- SED be informed of the incident.
- The Media Unit be informed of the incident as the POI was not local to the area.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031525

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 14:10, Wed, Nov 14, 2012

Entered: 17:24, Wed, Nov 14, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	P	Sydney - Inner City	
Principal	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
Director	City Central	02 9265 6499	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Threat or Intimidation - False report of crime forces lock down

Narrative

Due to proximity reasons the police communicated with the school resulting in a lock down procedure being implemented. The principal made contact with a teacher currently participating in an off site class sporting activity. Appropriate arrangements were made to ensure this class was secured from the nearby park.

The lock down was in place for approximately two hours with police assisting with a staggered evacuation of the school via a secondary exit.

Police have released information that the '000' was a false report. There has been media attention surrounding this incident.

The SED attended the location and the principal conducted a staff debrief. The principal rates the lock down implementation as satisfactory and appropriate in the circumstances.

Action

The SSRU has provided the police media release to the school principal for appropriate dissemination.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031536

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 13:20, Wed, Nov 14, 2012
Entered: 16:20, Thu, Nov 15, 2012 [REDACTED]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[REDACTED]	H	Hunter/Central Coast - H/CC10	[REDACTED]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Central Hunter	02 4934 0200
			Police
			Yes

Attended Bridge Street Blacktown COPS Event # Pending

Weapons Related - High School students threaten [REDACTED] with a knife

Narrative

A [REDACTED] male (YP) and [REDACTED] (YP2) left school with an early leave pass authorised by their [REDACTED]

The YPs attended a local Public School where they stood outside the secure school fencing. The YPs called out to a [REDACTED] male (victim) [REDACTED]

The victim arrived at the fence line and the YPs threatened to cut his wrists. At the time of making this threat, one of the YPs produced a [REDACTED] knife to intimidate the victim. The victim was scared and ran to the office where he reported the matter.

The principal of the local Public School contacted the YPs' high school to report the incident.

The school has contacted the victim's mother who stated the YPs attended her residence to apologise some time later. The school contacted the YPs' mother about the matter.

The YPs have not returned to the school to participate in an interview at this stage. The school intends to investigate the matter and impose long suspensions if appropriate.

Action

The SSRU has recommended the school;

- * Refer to the Knives Fact Sheet.
- * Interview the YPs regarding the matter
- * Notify police
- * Request the attendance of the SLP for any suspension resolution meeting if appropriate

The SSRU has notified the Primary School of the report.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031797

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 12:00, Wed, Nov 14, 2012
Entered: 13:47, Tue, Dec 4, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	Illawarra and South East -	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
			02 4421 9630
Attended		COPS Event #	Police
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	No

Other - Student hacks computer and obtains information

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) had previously been suspended for computer related incidents occurring within the school and has since returned from suspension.

The principal has received information that the YP has produced a program effectively bypassing the school's computer security program and accessed a large number of personal documents relating to staff and students.

Information provided to the school indicates that the YP has provided this program to students on a portable disk drive. One portable disk drive has been provided to the principal and proven to work.

The principal has isolated the YP and has contacted the SSRU for advice.

Action

The SSRU has advised the principal to contact the Information & Technology directorate.

The SSRU recommends the school:

- * Contact the SED
- * Contact police to attend
- * Interview the YP and advise parents
- * Implement necessary disciplinary procedures avoiding the long term category of Serious Criminal Behaviour.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031543

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 11:35, Wed, Nov 14, 2012
Entered: 9:36, Fri, Nov 16, 2012 [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[redacted]	H	Western Sydney - Minchinbury	[redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[redacted]	[redacted]	Mount Druitt	02 9625 9920
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Drugs - Student sells [redacted]

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP1) brought [redacted] to school and sold it to a [redacted] male (YP2). YP2 became unnerved by the incident and gave the [redacted] to his mother when he arrived home from school.

On [redacted] YP2 and his mother came and informed the deputy principal (DP) of the incident. YP2 gave the [redacted] to the the DP.

The DP informed police of the incident.

YP1 confessed to selling [redacted]

YP1's parents will be informed.

The YPs will be suspended.

Action

The SRRU officer advised:

- counselling support being offered to the YPs on return to school.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031516

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 11:20, Wed, Nov 14, 2012

Entered: 14:04, Wed, Nov 14, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
	H	Hunter/Central Coast - H/CC8		
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Central Hunter	02 4934 0200	No
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Weapons Related - Student threatens student with knife

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) was involved in a verbal dispute with a [redacted] male (victim) in the playground area during recess.

The YP was inciting violence and told the victim he wanted to fight him. The YP produced a [redacted] knife from his school bag and pointed it at the victim who was in close proximity while threatening to fight him. The victim held fears and ran to the office to report the matter. The victim was visibly upset and has been afforded the services of the school counsellor.

The YP attended the DP's office and when asked about the knife, the YP produced the knife and placed it on the DP's table without incident.

The DP contacted the YP's carer who attended the school and took part in the interview. The YP received a long suspension and the knife has been retained by the school. The school contacted police.

Action

The SSRU has advised the school to

- * Surrender the knife to police and provide necessary information.
- * Provide a copy of the Knives Fact Sheet to the parent and YP.
- * Seek the assistance of the SLP to attend and participate in the return from suspension resolution meeting.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031512

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 11:00, Wed, Nov 14, 2012
Entered: 11:50, Wed, Nov 14, 2012 [REDACTED]

Location [REDACTED]		Type H	Region/School Group Western NSW - Broken Hill	Phone [REDACTED]
Principal [REDACTED]	Director [REDACTED]	LAC Barrier	LAC Phone 08 8087 0203	Police No
Attended <input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown		COPS Event # Pending		

Assault - Parent assaults own student

Narrative

The mother (POI) of a [REDACTED] male (YP) attended the school to discuss concerns for the YP. The YP has recently [REDACTED]

The POI proceeded to assault the YP before the YP retaliated and assaulted the POI.

Staff intervened and separated the combatants. The POI was given first aid [REDACTED] and escorted outside, away from the YP.

The POI stated she did not want the YP in her home any more.

Action

SSRU advised:

- contact local police or the YLO for advice and assistance
- make required notifications
- provide support for the YP

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031515

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 9:05, Wed, Nov 14, 2012

Entered: 13:18, Wed, Nov 14, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
	P	South Western Sydney - Strathfield		
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Campsie	02 8525 0399	No

Attended

Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event #

Pending

Other - Parent abuses teacher

Narrative

The mother (POI) of a [redacted] male attended the school and approached her son's classroom.

The POI entered the classroom without her son present and verbally abused the female teacher (victim) in the [redacted]. The abuse consisted of offensive sexual innuendoes and language. The POI believed the victim was making her son [redacted] unnecessarily.

The POI was asked to attend the DP's office where she was spoken to. Investigations have revealed the POI's son often arrives tired at school and has previously been sent to the sick bay to sleep. The teacher has implemented strategies to assist in calming down the class particularly when the POI's son acts violently.

The DP will consider issuing a warning letter to the POI.

The DP has supplied the victim with appropriate EAP brochures.

Action

The SSRU has supplied the DP with information about Legal Issues Bulletin 31.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031527

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 9:05, Wed, Nov 14, 2012
Entered: 9:34, Thu, Nov 15, 2012

Location		Type	Region/School Group	Phone
		P	North Coast - Manning Camden	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Manning Great Lakes	02 6555 1203	No
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Assault - Students fighting

Narrative

Two [redacted] males (YP1 and YP2) were involved in a physical altercation over a name-calling incident. YP1 antagonised YP2 who retaliated with punches [redacted] resulting in injuries [redacted]

YP1 was given first aid and his parent contacted. YP1's parent attended the school and took YP1 home. She was advised to seek medical attention. YP1 was assessed [redacted] and diagnosed with [redacted]

YP2's parent was contacted and YP2 was sent home, with parental permission.

Disciplinary action will be taken against both YPs.

Action

SSRU advised:

- notify local police of the incident due to injuries requiring medical attention sustained by YP1
- ensure procedural fairness principles are implemented before suspending the YPs

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031520

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 8:30, Wed, Nov 14, 2012
Entered: 15:05, Wed, Nov 14, 2012 [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[redacted]	H	Western Sydney - Minchinbury	[redacted]
Principal	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[redacted]	St Marys	02 9623 2899	Yes
Attended	COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Threat or Intimidation - Social network threats

Narrative

The father of the [redacted] female (victim) came to the school and gave the deputy principal (DP) a transcript printed from a social network site. The transcript was written by a [redacted] male (YP) [redacted]

The DP investigated and the YP admitted to writing the threats.

The YP's parents will be informed.

The school will inform the YLO of the incident.

Discipline actions to follow.

Action

The SSRU officer advised:

- a risk management plan be made for the YP.

SSRU Police inspector advises;

- Ensure the YP removes the comments from the social networking site
- Ensure support is given to the victim and investigate if there were other comments directed towards the victim by the YP.
- Make contact with the School Liaison Police officer to assist with ensuring students understand the appropriate uses for social networking and to speak to the YP about his threats.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031519

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 8:20, Wed, Nov 14, 2012
Entered: 15:00, Wed, Nov 14, 2012 [redacted]

Location		Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[redacted]		P	South Western Sydney -	[redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[redacted]		Campbelltown	02 4620 1265	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Threat or Intimidation - Youths in vehicle follow female student

Narrative

A [redacted] female (victim) reported being followed to school by two male youths in a [redacted] vehicle [redacted]. The victim claimed the vehicle drove slowly behind her. She became fearful and ran to the school. The vehicle allegedly followed slightly behind her as she ran to school. When she got to the school the vehicle drove away.

The victim claims the same POIs and vehicle were involved in three previous incidents with herself and her friends. These incidents were in the community and not when walking to or from school. Her friends confirmed this.

The incident was not reported to a teacher until the lunch break.

Police were contacted.

Action

SSRU advised:

- notify the victim's parent and invite her to be with the victim when speaking to police
- support the victim while she is speaking to police if her parent is not present

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031498

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 14:30, Tue, Nov 13, 2012
Entered: 14:41, Tue, Nov 13, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	P	South Western Sydney - Macarthur	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Camden	02 4655 0500
			Police
			Yes

Attended
 Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event #
Pending

Other - Custody issue

Narrative

There have been ongoing custody issues between the mother (POI 1) and father (POI 2) of a female (Victim 1). Victim 1 and (Victim 2) have been living with POI 2 and (Informant). The school does not have a copy of current Custody Orders.

The informant entered the school office and reported that POI 1 had grabbed Victim 2 in the playground while the informant waited to pick up Victim 1. She also reported that POI 1 was heading towards the library to take Victim 1.

The deputy principal (DP) attended the library and attempted to reason with POI 1 who became verbally abusive in front of students and staff. POI 1 left with the two victims and entered her vehicle that was parked in the staff car park.

POI 2 arrived and parked his vehicle across the drive way to prevent POI 1 from leaving with the children. A verbal exchange took place and POI 2 stood in front of POI 1's vehicle. POI 1 drove at POI 2 a number of times, causing him to fall over. POI 1 then drove across the school garden and left school grounds.

POI 2 drove off in his vehicle in pursuit of POI 1.

Police were contacted.

Action

SSRU advised:

- offer school counsellor support to victim 1
- speak to the POIs and request they obtain Custody Orders and provide the school with a copy
- speak to Legal Services regarding correspondence with the POIs
- consider issuing the POIs with a warning / banning notice under the Inclosed Lands Act

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031491

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 12:45, Tue, Nov 13, 2012
Entered: 12:57, Tue, Nov 13, 2012 [REDACTED]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[REDACTED]	P	Sydney - Port Hacking	[REDACTED]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Miranda	02 9527 8199
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Threat or Intimidation - Highly agitated student

Narrative

A [REDACTED] male (YP) became highly agitated in class when another student teased him. He left the room and went into the playground where he picked up [REDACTED] and smashed it against a wall.

The principal attempted to calm the YP but he was non compliant.

Students were removed from the school [REDACTED] due to the YP's level of agitation.

The YP's mother was contacted, but the YP refused to speak with her on the phone. The YP's parent was unable to attend the school promptly because she was located a distance from the school.

When the YP commenced throwing rocks at students and motor vehicles over the school fence, police were contacted and attended the school.

The SED was informed and attended the school.

The YP will be suspended.

Action

SSRU recommended:

- review the YP's risk assessment with support from regional counselling staff
- EAP support for staff
- school counsellor support for the YP

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031484

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 11:15, Tue, Nov 13, 2012
Entered: 11:34, Tue, Nov 13, 2012 [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
[redacted]	H	Northern Sydney - Hills Network	[redacted]	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[redacted]	[redacted]	The Hills	02 9680 5300	Yes
Attended	COPS Event #			
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending			

Drugs - Student in possession of [redacted]

Narrative

A student informed the deputy principal (DP) that a [redacted] female (YP) allegedly had [redacted] in her possession and that she also intended to sell the [redacted] at school.

The Principal investigated and spoke to the YP. The YP in the presence of the Principal and the DP opened her school bag and allowed a search of her school bag. The Principal removed a small clear plastic snap lock bag [redacted] The YP admitted to the substance being [redacted]

The police were contacted.

The Principal contacted the YP's mother and the YP has been suspended.

Action

SSRU advised:

- counselling for the YP
- liaise with the OIC of the incident

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031492

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 10:10, Tue, Nov 13, 2012
Entered: 13:08, Tue, Nov 13, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	P	New England - New England South	
Principal	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
Director	Oxley	02 6768 2999	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Threat or Intimidation - Uncontrollable student

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) was standing on a table in the classroom and refused to get down. The teacher repeatedly asked him to come down and commence his school work. The principal was informed and came to the classroom.

The principal entered the classroom and witnessed the YP up ending chairs and throwing students class work around the classroom. The YP began throwing pencils and rulers at the principal.

The principal placed the YP in a non-crisis intervention hold and sat him on the floor. The YP threatened to scratch and bite and continued to struggle. The YP began kicking out at the principal and refused to calm down.

The YP's mother and police were contacted.

The YP eventually calmed down.

The YP's mother arrived at the school and began walking the YP to the school gate. Police arrived and spoke to the YP and his mother. The principal carried the YP to the police vehicle and placed him inside.

The police took the YP and his mother home. The YP has been suspended.

Action

SSRU advised:

- contact the Youth Liaison Officer
- counselling for the YP
- Risk Assessment Plan to be updated

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031490

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 9:30, Tue, Nov 13, 2012
Entered: 12:50, Tue, Nov 13, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	Western Sydney - Mt Druitt	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Mount Druitt	02 9625 9920
			Police
			Yes

Attended
 Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event #
Pending

Weapons Related - Student in possession of knife

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) was taken to the deputy principal (DP) after his behaviour became erratic in class. Staff

The [redacted] was speaking with the YP when he noticed a [redacted] knife in the YP's jacket pocket.

Because of concerns about the YP's behaviour the DP called police.

The YP gave the knife to staff before police arrived. When police arrived they searched the YP and took him into custody.

The YP's mother has been informed and will meet the YP at the police station.

The YP will be offered counsellor support and the DP will continue to investigate the YP's suspected use of drugs.

The DP will take appropriate disciplinary action and will revise the YP's risk management plan.

Action

The SSRU informed the SED.

The SSRU provided the school with the DEC parent/student fact sheets on knives in schools.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031495

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 9:20, Tue, Nov 13, 2012
Entered: 13:52, Tue, Nov 13, 2012 [REDACTED]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[REDACTED]	H	Western Sydney - Mt Druitt	[REDACTED]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	St Marys	02 9623 2899
Police			No
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Other - Student sets off firecracker at school

Narrative

A [REDACTED] male (YP) set off a large firecracker in a hallway at the school.

When interviewed by the DP the YP admitted to causing damage to residences in the area by placing firecrackers in letter boxes the previous evening.

A staff member working near the explosion has complained of [REDACTED] will complete a WH&S referral and seek medical advice.

The DP has taken appropriate disciplinary action and informed the YP's parents.

Action

The SSRU recommended the DP contact local police.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031595

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: [redacted] Nov [redacted] 2012

Entered: [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[redacted]		South Western Sydney	[redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	02 4655 0500
			Police
			Yes

Attended

Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event

Pending

Other - Students sexting

Narrative

The mother of a [redacted] (YP1) informed the Deputy principal (DP) that she had become aware that [redacted] had sent compromising photos of [redacted] to a [redacted] (YP2) on a social networking site.

The DP spoke to YP1 who admitted taking three photos of [redacted] and sending them to YP2 after [redacted] had made numerous requests over a two month period for the photos to be sent. YP2 assured YP1 [redacted] would not send them on. YP2 then came to school, accessed a social networking site on [redacted] mobile phone and showed the photos to a [redacted] (YP3).

YP3 sent YP1 a request via the social networking site requesting photos to be sent to [redacted] YP1 sent YP3 two semi naked photos of [redacted]. YP1 also sent a photo of [redacted] to a [redacted] (YP4).

During a science class YP3 sent the received photos onto a [redacted] (YP5).

YP1 and YP5 became involved in a verbal altercation and YP5 threatened to send the photos onto other students.

The DP spoke to the YPs and appropriate disciplinary action will follow.

The DP will contact police.

YP1 has received school counselling.

Action

SSRU advised:

- contact the SLP Supervisor or discuss with the local SLP about bringing in a Sergeant at the local police station to speak to the YPs if as discussed more impact is needed towards the students than just the SLP.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031522

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 15:30, Mon, Nov 12, 2012
Entered: 15:41, Wed, Nov 14, 2012 [REDACTED]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[REDACTED]	H	South Western Sydney - Granville	[REDACTED]
Principal	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
Director	Rosehill	02 9760 6120	Yes

Attended Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event # Pending

Threat or Intimidation - Student approached walking home

Narrative

A [REDACTED] male (victim) was walking home from school when he was allegedly approached by an unknown adult male (POI). The victim alleges the POI asked him to try a white powder drug. The POI intimidated the victim suggesting that he does not tell any authority and while saying this he lifted his shirt and exposed a firearm.

The victim did not report this to any person on that day.

On the [REDACTED] the victim was detected truanting from school and his father contacted. His father attended the school and the victim attended a short time later. The victim explained his absence by disclosing the information to the DP and his father.

The school is affording counselling to the victim and has contacted police to investigate the matter.

Action

The SSRU has advised the school to liaise with the SLP and implement a strategy of informing students/parents about the alleged incident.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031513

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 14:30, Mon, Nov 12, 2012
Entered: 12:25, Wed, Nov 14, 2012

Location		Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[Redacted]		H	South Western Sydney - Granville	[Redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[Redacted]		Holroyd	02 9897 4899	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	E49848364		

Other - Students lights grass fire

Narrative

A [Redacted] male (YP) left the school grounds and lit a fire near a bus shelter using dried grass.

Fire & Rescue, ambulance and police personnel all attended the scene. The fire was quickly extinguished and the deputy principal (DP) spoken to regarding suspicious students.

The DP conducted an investigation and interviewed the YP, who is alleged to have made admissions to lighting the fire. At the time the YP lit this fire, he was allegedly in company with a [Redacted] male (YP2). Investigations revealed YP2 was not involved in lighting this fire.

The DP has imposed a long suspension period upon the YP and issued a suspension warning letter to YP2.

Both parents have been advised.

Action

The SSRU has provided the police event number and the name of the officer in charge to the DP.

The SSRU recommends the school notify police of their investigations and provide necessary information to police for further investigation and legal process.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031494

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: [redacted] Nov [redacted] 2012
Entered: [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[redacted]	[redacted]	Sydney - [redacted]	[redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[redacted]			Police Yes

Attended
 Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event #
Pending

Other - Sexting incident

Narrative

A [redacted] student informed the year adviser of photos circulating on social media of a naked [redacted] (victim). The victim was questioned about the allegation and confirmed that a [redacted] (POI) has been sending the photos to other people. Several weeks ago the victim took the photos of [redacted] and sent them to the POI who is a student at a non-government school. The victim alleges the POI harassed [redacted] and threatened to spread rumours about [redacted] if [redacted] didn't send [redacted] the photos. The photos have been sent to students in the school as well as students in one other government high school and two non-government high schools.

The victim's mother has been notified.

Police have been contacted and the DP is awaiting their arrival. The victim and [redacted] mother are waiting at the school to speak to police.

Action

SSRU advised:

- provide support for the victim
- take disciplinary action against any student who is distributing the photos
- if the incident is wide spread arrange for the SLP to speak with students about the dangers associated with sexting

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031562

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 14:00, Mon, Nov 12, 2012
Entered: 13:09, Mon, Nov 19, 2012 [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[redacted]		Hunter/Central Coast	[redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[redacted]	[redacted]	Hunter Valley	02 6542 1302

Attended Bridge Street Blacktown COPS Event # Pending

Weapons Related - [redacted] male in possession of scissors

Narrative

The teacher gave permission for a [redacted] male (YP) and a [redacted] male (victim) to work together in the classroom. The YP and the victim began talking in class and walking around, not complying with the teacher's instructions. The YP walked to the victim who was seated at his desk. The victim inadvertently lifted his chair and placed the leg of the chair down onto the foot of the YP.

[redacted]

The YP grabbed the victim's arm and pulled it behind his back. The YP then grabbed a pair of scissors and [redacted] The victim received [redacted]

The YP's parents were contacted and the YP was long suspended.

The victim's mother was contacted and informed of the incident.

Action

SSRU advised:

- contact the YLO and seek advice in regard to the offence

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031583

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 14:00, Mon, Nov 12, 2012

Entered: 9:36, Tue, Nov 20, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
	P	Hunter/Central Coast - H/CC6		
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Lake Macquarie	02 4942 9940	No

Attended

Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event #

Pending

Assault - Student throws [redacted] and injures student

Narrative

A [redacted] female (YP) was playing a game with other students including the [redacted] female (victim). During this game the victim dragged the YP off a group of students.

The YP became agitated and located a broken [redacted]. The YP threw this [redacted] at the victim which hit her in the [redacted].

The victim was given first aid and her parents contacted. The victim's parents conveyed her to a medial centre where she received [redacted].

The YP's parents were contacted and attended the school. The YP was placed on a long suspension. The school will implement a risk management plan and has informed the welfare officer.

Action

The SSRU has recommended the school complete a student injury notification to WH&S.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031479

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 13:30, Mon, Nov 12, 2012
Entered: 15:48, Mon, Nov 12, 2012 [redacted] s

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[redacted]		Riverina - Riverina South	[redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[redacted]	[redacted]	Albury	02 6023 9299
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Assault - Student assaults staff

Narrative

A [redacted] (YP) [redacted] found it humorous to break a window. [redacted] became aggressive towards a female teacher who intervened. The YP pulled her hair and grabbed her around the legs in an attempt to cause her to fall to the floor. The principal intervened and was also assaulted by the YP. Two other female staff members went to assist in restraining the YP to prevent injury to staff and [redacted]. The YP attempted to hit and bite staff.

The YP's father and police were called to assist.

The YP eventually calmed before [redacted] father and police arrived.

The YP has been suspended and taken home by [redacted] father. [redacted] behaviour management plan will be reviewed before [redacted] returns to school.

Staff involved do not appear to be injured and no medical attention is required.

The SLP contacted the principal to enquire about her welfare and that of staff involved.

Action

SSRU advised:

- make WHS notifications for all staff involved in the incident
- offer EAP support to staff involved
- in future contact police as soon as the YP becomes uncontrollable.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031477

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 13:30, Mon, Nov 12, 2012
Entered: 14:58, Mon, Nov 12, 2012 [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
[redacted]		Western NSW - Broken Hill	[redacted]	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[redacted]				Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Assault - Student assaulted by outsider and other student

Narrative

A [redacted] female (victim) was approached by a [redacted] female (YP) and her [redacted] (POI) who does not attend the school.

The YP was officially absent from school and she and the POI drove to the school to confront the victim over comments she had allegedly made on a social networking site (SNS).

The YP and the POI then began assaulting the victim, [redacted]

Staff intervened and the YP and POI were escorted from the school.

The victim suffered [redacted] and was given first aid at school. Her mother has been informed and has come to the school.

The principal has informed police. The principal will take appropriate disciplinary action and inform the YP's parents.

Action

The SSRU recommended:

- the school be aware of any court orders arising from the incident
- the school have police serve an Inclosed Lands Act ban to the POI

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031524

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 10:55, Mon, Nov 12, 2012

Entered: 16:07, Wed, Nov 14, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
		South Western Sydney - Liverpool		
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Macquarie Fields	02 9605 0400	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	E49874646		

Other - Aggressive student forces lockdown

Narrative

A [redacted] (YP) was refusing to follow instructions and became defiant in class. A fellow class member began mimicking the YP which angered [redacted]. The YP became aggressive and threatened to assault the the class member before being told to leave the room.

The YP behaved violently by picking up a stick and hitting objects with it.

The school initiated a lock down procedure and contacted police.

The YP smashed a number of windows, threw garbage bins and kicked buckets.

Police attended and took the YP into custody. The school contacted the YP's carer who attended the police station where the YP was interviewed by police. The school will impose a long suspension.

Action

The SSRU provided the event number and police officers name.

The SSRU recommends the school report the damage on FMweb.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031473

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 10:30, Mon, Nov 12, 2012
Entered: 13:53, Mon, Nov 12, 2012 [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
[redacted]	H	Sydney - Port Jackson	[redacted]	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[redacted]	[redacted]	Leichhardt	02 9552 8099	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Assault - Student assaults other student

Narrative

A [redacted] female (YP) approached a [redacted] female (victim) from the [redacted] in the playground at recess. The YP and the victim have had ongoing issues at school.

The YP punched the victim [redacted] resulting in [redacted]

The school called an ambulance and the victim's carer. The ambulance officers assessed the victim's injuries and released her into the care of her carer.

The school informed police who have come to the school to interview the victim and witnesses.

The school has informed the YP's parents and will take appropriate disciplinary action.

The victim will be offered counsellor support.

Action

The SSRU recommended:

- the school be aware of any court orders resulting from the incident.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031462

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 13:15, Fri, Nov 9, 2012

Entered: 15:56, Fri, Nov 9, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[REDACTED]	H	Hunter/Central Coast - H/CC3	[REDACTED]
Principal	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
Director	Tuggerah Lakes	02 4390 1200	Yes

Attended

Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event #

Pending

Other - Uncontrollable student

Narrative

A [REDACTED] male (YP), [REDACTED] stole [REDACTED] computers from a learning area. When confronted over the theft the YP became agitated.

The YP began trying to hit staff and had to be restrained by staff.

The YP calmed down and the staff members released him. The YP ran to the carpark and began kicking cars.

The YP then moved onto a nearby street and sat on the [REDACTED]. Staff members again restrained the YP and moved the YP to a quiet area in the playground.

Police had been called and when they arrived they handcuffed the YP.

Police called an ambulance [REDACTED]

The principal will take appropriate disciplinary action and will revise the YP's risk management plan.

The computers were recovered.

Action

SSRU advises,

- Provide advice to staff in relation to the availability of EAPS support.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031459

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 13:10, Fri, Nov 9, 2012
Entered: 15:25, Fri, Nov 9, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	South Western Sydney - Fairfield	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Fairfield	02 9728 0399
			Police
			Yes

Attended

Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event

E 49395227

Weapons Related - Student uses on other student

Narrative

A male (YP) used a on a male (victim). The victim was as he was drinking at a bubbler. He was not injured however he had for some time.

The YP was interviewed by the DP and admitted to using the on the victim. He claimed he had purchased the online and wanted to test it on someone. The victim knew the YP but there was no conflict between them.

Following the incident, the YP allegedly gave the to another male student who has since left school for the day. The YP claimed he would hand in the on Monday morning.

Police were contacted.

The YP's parents are unavailable today and a meeting has been arranged for next week to discuss a suspension.

Action

SSRU Police Inspector advises,

- Supply police with all information necessary for them to locate and seize the including the name of the alleged student who now has the along with contact details and contact details of the YP. All exchange of information is covered by the MOU.
- Ensure the victims parents are made aware of the incident and encourage them to report the matter to police.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031466

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 11:40, Fri, Nov 9, 2012
Entered: 16:38, Fri, Nov 9, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	P	Sydney - Inner City	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Marrickville	02 9568 9299
Attended		COPS Event #	Police
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	Yes

Threat or Intimidation - Parent threatens staff

Narrative

The father (POI) of a male (YP) entered the school and approached office staff. The POI demanded to speak to a staff member (victim 1) and made allegations about the victim.

The principal (victim 2) spoke with the POI and the POI continued to behave in a threatening manner. The POI stood over victim 2 and yelled demands. The POI demanded to speak with his son and the YP came to the office. The POI spoke with the YP and then left the school with his children.

The POI re-entered the school without his children. The POI went into the administration block and victim 2 warned victim 1 that the POI was back on site. Victim 1 was teaching a lesson in the quad and the POI approached him. Victim 1 walked the POI away from children and the POI threatened that he would smash victim 1's face and tear his head off. Victim 2 demanded that the POI leave the premises.

The school requested police assistance and the POI left the site before police arrived.

The school will impose an Inclosed Lands Act Ban on the POI.

Action

The SSRU officer advised:

- imposing an Inclosed Lands Act Ban on the POI.
- SSRU officer alerted the SED to the incident.
- recommended asking for police assistance to deliver the Inclosed Lands Act Ban to the POI.
- recommended making an WHS report.
- recommended offering victim 1 EAPs support.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031471

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 11:30, Fri, Nov 9, 2012

Entered: 12:45, Mon, Nov 12, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
	H	Riverina - Riverina Central		
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Wagga Wagga	02 6923 1800	Yes
Attended	COPS Event #			
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Assault - Former student assaults student

Narrative

A [redacted] female (victim) and other students were attending a rehearsal [redacted] The YP and some of the other students left [redacted] to ask local shopkeepers if they would display a flyer [redacted]

[redacted] female former student (POI) saw the victim putting up a flyer and confronted her over comments the victim had placed on a social networking site (SNS).

The POI then began [redacted] the victim.

Other students intervened and the POI eventually stopped assaulting the victim. Staff also came to the scene.

The victim suffered [redacted] Her mother picked her up and took her to the police station and then to hospital for medical treatment.

The school will offer the victim counsellor support.

Police have interviewed the victim and student witnesses.

Action

The SSRU recommended:

- the school be aware of any court orders arising from the assault and report any breaches to police.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031453

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 10:00, Fri, Nov 9, 2012

Entered: 13:43, Fri, Nov 9, 2012

Location		Type	Region/School Group	Phone
		H	South Western Sydney - Macarthur	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Camden	02 4655 0500	No
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown		E 49597276		

Drugs - Students admit to using

Narrative

Two males (YP1 and YP2) and a male (YP3) went to a park before school and used
They arrived at school late

YP3 and his parent was contacted. YP3 was taken home by his parent and has not been interviewed about his use. A meeting has been arranged for

YP1 and YP2 were interviewed and admitted to smoking A search of the YPs' bags was conducted. A small amount of and approximately \$110 in small denomination notes as well as coins, in re-sealable bags, were located in YP1's bag. The and money has been confiscated.

Attempts have been made to contact the YPs' parents.

All YPs will be suspended for the use of an illegal drug.

Action

SSRU advised:

- secure the and money
- contact local police and request they come to collect the substance
- provide details of all YPs to police

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031534

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 9:30, Fri, Nov 9, 2012

Entered: 15:33, Thu, Nov 15, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	Western Sydney	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
			Police
			Yes
Attended	COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Other - Inappropriate photo on social media

Narrative

A parent contacted the school to complain about an inappropriate photo of her (YP) that has been posted on a social networking site (SNS). The photo shows the YP in class. The photo was taken by a (POI) and uploaded onto the SNS by the POI.

The POI's has been contacted and demanded the POI remove the photo from the SNS. The photo was removed.

The following week teachers informed the principal that the photo was still on the SNS. The POI had removed the photo from page but had linked it to another section where images could be shared.

Police were contacted and attended the school. Screen shots and other evidence has been provided.

The YP has been suspended for in class.

Action

SSRU advised:

- contact local police and ask to speak with the supervisor or duty officer as there is no report on COPs or liaise with the SLP.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031444

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 16:00, Thu, Nov 8, 2012
Entered: 11:26, Fri, Nov 9, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	North Coast - Mid North Coast	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Coffs Clarence	02 6652 0299
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Weapons Related - Student self harms with knife on bus

Narrative

A (YP), was travelling home from school on a bus with students from the school and students from a local primary school.

The YP produced a knife and asked the primary school students if they would like to see

The YP then

Other students informed the bus driver who was able to confiscate the knife. The YP and proceeded home.

The incident was reported to the principal the next morning.

The principal is taking appropriate disciplinary action and is liaising with the school counsellor and the YP's parents to co-ordinate appropriate support for the YP. The YP's risk management plan will be updated.

The principal has informed the principal of the primary school. The primary school is offering appropriate support for any affected students and informing their parents.

The principal will inform the SED.

The principal has informed police. The bus company still have possession of the knife.

Action

The SSRU informed the DEC Media Unit.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031454

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 15:15, Thu, Nov 8, 2012

Entered: 14:33, Fri, Nov 9, 2012

Location		Type	Region/School Group	Phone
		H	North Coast - Coffs Harbour	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Coffs Clarence	02 6652 0299	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Assault - Student repeatedly assaults student

Narrative

A [redacted] male (victim) was retrieving his bicycle at the end of school.

For unknown reasons, a [redacted] male (YP) approached the victim from behind and punched [redacted]. As a result the victim fell [redacted] on the ground. The YP continued to punch the victim [redacted].

A teacher and a number of students broke up the assault and the YP was escorted to the DP's office.

The victim was given first aid and his parents contacted. [redacted]

The YP's parents were contacted and conveyed the YP home. The school has imposed a long suspension upon the YP and contacted police to report the matter.

Action

The SSRU has recommended the school;

* Complete a student injury notification

* Liaison with the SLP and invite them to attend any return from suspension interview.

The SSRU has offered to contact Legal Services on the school's behalf.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031458

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 14:40, Thu, Nov 8, 2012
Entered: 15:14, Fri, Nov 9, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
	H	Hunter/Central Coast - H/CC2		
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Brisbane Water	02 4323 5511	No
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Weapons Related - Student brandishes knife and issues threat

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP), from the [redacted] removed a [redacted] knife from his bag as he was boarding a bus to go home and showed it to other students.

The YP then told other students he wanted to harm a female student (victim) and motioned with the knife as if he was cutting someone's throat.

Witnesses reported the incident to the DP on [redacted]. The DP has searched the YP's bag to ascertain that he doesn't have the knife at school today.

The DP has taken appropriate disciplinary action and will inform the YP's parents.

The victim was not present at the time the threat was made. She will be offered counsellor support.

Action

The SSRU recommended:

- the school report the incident to police

The SSRU provided the school with the No Knives at School fact sheets

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031438

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 12:30, Thu, Nov 8, 2012
Entered: 9:07, Fri, Nov 9, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	P	Illawarra and South East -	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Shoalhaven	02 4421 9630
			Police
			No

Attended
 Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event #
Pending

Weapons Related - Student stabs other student with

Narrative

A male (YP) approached another male (victim) while the boys were waiting outside a classroom. The YP and the victim had an argument in a previous lesson.

The YP took a from his bag and brought it down in a stabbing motion

A staff member intervened and separated the students.

The victim was given first aid and his parents informed. The victim will be offered counselling.

The principal will take appropriate disciplinary action and revise the YP's risk management plan. The YP's parents have been informed.

The YP was involved in a similar incident earlier this year.

Action

The SSRU recommended the school inform the police YLO.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031430

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 12:00, Thu, Nov 8, 2012
Entered: 15:39, Thu, Nov 8, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
		North Coast - Coffs Harbour		
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Coffs Clarence	02 6652 0299	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	E 49658561		

Threat or Intimidation - Uncontrollable student

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) became highly aggressive towards a [redacted] male (victim) in the classroom. The YP verbally abused the victim and attempted to assault him.

A male teacher and the teachers aid intervned and restrained the YP. The victim was removed from the class and taken to a safe area at the administration block.

The YP broke free and ran to the administration block in search of the victim. The YP lost all control kicking office doors and running around the outside of the building. The YP picked up bamboo and was swinging it at the windows outside.

Police were contacted.

The male teacher and the teachers aide again restrained the YP on the ground for a period of time. The YP was continually kicking and punching. No injuries were received as a result of the YPs behaviour.

Police arrived at the school and spoke to the YP. The YP eventually calmed down and the YP's parents were contacted.

Police took the YP home.

The Principal will review the Risk Assessment Plan.

The YP has been suspended.

Action

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031441

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 9:30, Thu, Nov 8, 2012
Entered: 10:07, Fri, Nov 9, 2012 [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[redacted]		Hunter/Central Coast	[redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[redacted]	[redacted]	Tuggerah Lakes	02 4390 1200
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Other - Unknown male tries to entice students out of school

Narrative

A teacher observed an unknown male (POI) using the offer of a flavoured milk drink to try and entice some [redacted] students to leave the school during a sports lesson.

The POI was offering the drink through the school fence and then asking the students to join him outside the school.

The teacher moved the class indoors and informed the principal.

The POI left the area when he saw the principal. The principal followed the POI for a short distance and saw him get into a [redacted] car driven by an accomplice and drive away.

The principal was unable to see the licence plate of the car. The POI is described as being [redacted] years of age with [redacted]

The principal has informed police.

Action

The SSRU recommended the principal contact the police YLO and discuss appropriate information to give students and parents when revising stranger danger precautions.

The SSRU contacted the SED who will disseminate appropriate information to neighbouring schools.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031431

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 9:15, Thu, Nov 8, 2012

Entered: 15:45, Thu, Nov 8, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[REDACTED]	P	Illawarra and South East -	[REDACTED]
Principal	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
Director	Goulburn	02 4823 0399	Yes

Attended

Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event #

Pending

Other - Students hoax call to 000

Narrative

A [REDACTED] female (YP1) had possession of a mobile phone and provided it to a [REDACTED] female (YP2).

YP 2 used the phone to call '000' with another [REDACTED] female (YP3) and told the operator that there was a robbery occurring within the school. As a result of this call, police attended and spoke to the principal.

The YPs provided their names to the '000' and were spoken to by police upon attendance.

The YPs were warned about their actions in the presence of the R/Principal.

The school has restricted the YPs access to a school activity and will be removing their lunch privileges for the next few days.

The YPs parents were contacted.

Action

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031445

Status: 2, Verified

[Redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[Redacted]			
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[Redacted]			Police Yes

Attended Bridge Street Blacktown Pending
COPS Event #

Other - [Redacted]

Narrative

[Redacted]

The child was removed from the [Redacted] and lined up waiting [Redacted] before the commencement of school as per procedures.

[Redacted]

The SED had been contacted and attended the school. The principal had advised the school counsellor of the matter and notified the media unit [Redacted] Police contacted the school and arrived through the morning. Police advised the principal [Redacted]

[Redacted]

Action

The SSRU has offered to provide any appropriate support required.

The SSRU has recommended the school

- * Utilise EAPS services and counsellors through the SED to assist staff and students.
- * Provide copies of all documents relating to the child to police if requested.
- * Provide incident report statements from the members of staff, [Redacted] to police.
- * Contact the WH&S directorate (phone number provided by the SSRU)

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031420

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 22:30, Wed, Nov 7, 2012
Entered: 12:51, Thu, Nov 8, 2012 [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[redacted]	P	North Coast - Coffs Harbour	[redacted]
Principal [redacted]	Director [redacted]	LAC Coffs Clarence	LAC Phone 02 6652 0299 Police Yes
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Weapons Related - Student threatens another student with a knife

Narrative

[redacted] students from the school are currently attending an excursion [redacted] At approximately 10:30 pm staff and parents attending the excursion heard a scream from one of the accommodation cabins.

When staff arrived at the cabin a [redacted] (YP) was holding a [redacted] knife from the kitchen area of one of the cabins to [redacted] another [redacted] (victim).

When [redacted] saw staff, the YP tossed the knife away and ran from the cabin.

The YP was later located near the cabins and had to be restrained by staff until [redacted] calmed down. [redacted] was moved to a staff area and supervised by [redacted] parent.

The knife was located and, along with other knives, removed from the area.

Staff informed police and the YP's carers. The YP's carers drove to the accommodation cabins and, with permission of the police, took the YP home.

The victim's parents have been informed and have allowed the victim to remain on the excursion. The victim's parents have been given the contact number of the senior teacher on the excursion.

The victim will be offered counsellor support when [redacted] returns to school.

The principal will take appropriate disciplinary action and implement a risk management plan for the YP.

The principal [redacted] will seek advice from the school counsellor and regional staff about appropriate support for the YP.

Action

The SSRU recommends:

- the principal inform the local police YLO
- the school conduct a risk assessment that includes the types of utensils stored in accommodation areas

The SSRU informed the DEC Media Unit.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031406

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 14:10, Wed, Nov 7, 2012

Entered: 17:07, Wed, Nov 7, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
[Redacted]			[Redacted]	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[Redacted]			02 6870 0800	No
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Weapons Related - Student making threats - knife used

Narrative

A [Redacted] male (YP) became upset when a [Redacted] female (victim) teased him.

The YP went to another classroom and asked to borrow a knife to peel fruit. He then returned to his class with the knife and threatened to harm the victim.

Staff intervened and the YP surrendered the knife to a teacher.

The YP's and victim's parents were contacted.

Appropriate disciplinary action will be taken.

Action

SSRU recommended:

- inform local police
- conduct a risk assessment for YP
- offer both YP and victim school counsellor support

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031407

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 13:30, Wed, Nov 7, 2012

Entered: 17:32, Wed, Nov 7, 2012

Location		Type	Region/School Group	Phone
		H	Western NSW - Lachlan	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Canobolas	02 6361 5499	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	E 49443813		

Assault - Student assaults another student

Narrative

A [redacted] female (YP) approached another [redacted] female (victim) on the [redacted] and a verbal exchange took place. The YP then [redacted] the victim several times [redacted]

The assault took place despite teacher intervention and instruction for the YP to stop the behaviour. The teacher was eventually able to escort the YP to the office area.

[redacted]

The YP's parent was contacted and the YP will be suspended.

The principal contacted the police.

Action

SSRU recommended:

- conduct a risk assessment and develop a Behaviour Management Support Plan for the YP
- complete a WHS report for the victim
- involve the SLP in crime prevention strategies around assault
- EAP support for staff involved

SSRU Leader Incident Management advises:

- liaise with victim's parents regarding the victim's medical situation
- offer the victim school counsellor support

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031403

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 12:30, Wed, Nov 7, 2012
Entered: 16:05, Wed, Nov 7, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	Illawarra and South East -	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Wollongong	02 4226 7899
			Police
			Yes

Attended Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event #
E 49326936

Drugs - Student provides [redacted] and threatens self harm

Narrative

A male student surrendered a small amount of [redacted] to a teacher, claiming he was given the substance by a [redacted] male (YP). The YP was interviewed and admitted to finding the [redacted] while on work experience and attempting to sell it.

Police were contacted and attended to collect the [redacted]

When the YP was informed his carer would be contacted he became distressed and picked up a pen and [redacted]. He then picked up scissors from the desk and [redacted] threatening self-harm.

The YP's carer was contacted.

Attempts were made to calm the YP and police were called again. Police attended and were able to encourage the YP to surrender the scissors. Police transported the YP home and would speak with his carer.

The YP has been suspended and a risk assessment will be conducted before he returns to school. Counselling will be arranged for the YP.

Action

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031393

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 9:30, Wed, Nov 7, 2012

Entered: 11:17, Wed, Nov 7, 2012 by [REDACTED]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[REDACTED]	H	Hunter/Central Coast - H/CC2	[REDACTED]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[REDACTED]			Police Yes
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Threat or Intimidation - POI intimidates and abuses staff

Narrative

The boyfriend (POI) of [REDACTED] female (victim) followed the victim onto the school grounds after they had an argument. The POI refused to leave and began verbally abusing the victim and a teacher.

The Principal attended the school grounds and requested the POI to leave. The POI became highly agitated, verbally abusing the principal in an intimidating and threatening manner.

The Principal removed the victim for her own safety and took her to the administration area. The POI walked to the administration door and continued the verbal abuse.

The Principal placed the school into lockdown and contacted police.

The POI eventually left the school grounds and stood outside the school gate.

Police attended the location and conducted a patrol of the area.

Police will be delivering the POI a banning notice under the Inclosed Lands Act.

Action

SSRU advised:

- Liaise with the OIC of the matter

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031408

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 15:15, Tue, Nov 6, 2012
Entered: 9:11, Thu, Nov 8, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	South Western Sydney - Hoxton	
Principal	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
Director	Green Valley	02 9607 1799	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	E49737019	

Assault - Student assaults another student

Narrative

Two [redacted] males (YP1 and YP2) were play fighting and throwing a ball around while waiting for the school bus to go home. YP1 went to retrieve the ball and on his way back he was tripped over by his [redacted] YP1 fell onto the concrete [redacted] YP1 rubbed [redacted] and continued playing.

A short time later the YPs got on the school bus and continued their behaviour of attempting to hit each other [redacted] YP2 became very upset and punched YP1 [redacted] YP1 then fell to the floor.

The bus driver (witness) noticed the students on the bus were quiet and looked in the rear vision mirror. The witness observed YP1 [redacted] The witness pulled the bus over to the side of the road and contacted ambulance and police.

YP1's parents were contacted and arrived at the location. [redacted]

Police spoke to YP1 and his parents. Police are investigating.

YP2 has been suspended.

Action

SSRU advised:

- counselling for the YPs
- WHS notification of injury
- Liaise with the OIC of the incident

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031463

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 15:00, Tue, Nov 6, 2012

Entered: 16:01, Fri, Nov 9, 2012

Location		Type	Region/School Group	Phone
		H	Sydney - Woronora River	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Sutherland	02 9542 0899	No
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Assault - Student assaults student

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) and another [redacted] male (YP2) were taunting each other while walking home. There is a history of dispute between the two YPs with both claiming to be the subject of bullying by the other.

While walking through an oval near a railway station and after exchanging verbal abuse, the YP punched the YP2 [redacted]

YP2 reacted violently to this punch and proceeded to repeatedly punch the YP [redacted]. There is no dispute between the parties that this second assault went beyond the level of self defence.

After the incident the YP walked home and advised his parents. The YP was conveyed to a medical practitioner for assessment [redacted]

The school has been in contact with both parents and requested the YPs parents provide a medical risk management plan for the YP.

The school has imposed suspension periods on both YPs.

Action

The SSRU has recommended the school;

- * Report the incident to police for appropriate investigation.
- * Complete a WH&S injury notification for the injury sustained to the teacher.
- * Invite the SLP or other identified appropriate officer to assist and take part in a return from suspension mediation between both YPs.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031386

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 13:00, Tue, Nov 6, 2012
Entered: 16:36, Tue, Nov 6, 2012 [REDACTED]

Location [REDACTED]		Type P	Region/School Group Hunter/Central Coast - H/CC10	Phone [REDACTED]
Principal [REDACTED]	Director [REDACTED]	LAC Central Hunter	LAC Phone 02 4934 0200	Police Yes
Attended <input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown		COPS Event # E 49721207		

Other - Student disrupts school and removed for assessment

Narrative

A [REDACTED] male (YP) became agitated and distressed. He locked himself in a toilet and began kicking the walls.

The YP's [REDACTED] was contacted and attended. He could not calm the YP and called for assistance from [REDACTED]

The YP was taken to an office where he began swearing, spitting and trashing the room.

Police and an ambulance were called and attended.

The YP attempted to kick police officers and spat at them. He was restrained [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Action

SSRU:

- develop a risk management plan for the YP

SSRU Leader Incident Management advises:

- liaise with the YP's guardian regarding the incident and any issues or recommendations arising
- consider MRG responsibilities
- report any property damage to FMWeb

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031373

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 10:45, Tue, Nov 6, 2012

Entered: 11:01, Tue, Nov 6, 2012

Location		Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[REDACTED]		H	North Coast - Southern Cross	[REDACTED]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Tweed Byron	07 5536 0999	No
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Other - Self harm

Narrative

Three [REDACTED] students (witnesses) discovered a [REDACTED] (YP) in the toilet, cutting [REDACTED] with a [REDACTED] blade. The YP [REDACTED] and the school has a management plan in relation to [REDACTED]

One of the witnesses took possession of the blade and deposited it in a secure bin in the toilets.

The deputy principal (DP) and the first aid officer were informed. The YP was provided with first aid and an ambulance was contacted.

The YP's parent was informed of the incident.

The witnesses are very distressed and have been provided with school counsellor support. Their parents will be informed.

Action

SSRU advised:

- review the YP's risk assessment and management plan
- EAP support for staff affected by the incident
- contact the police

SSRU Leader Incident Management advises:

- mandatory reporting decision making guide consulted regarding any reporting requirement to other authorities

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031377

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 10:30, Tue, Nov 6, 2012

Entered: 13:56, Tue, Nov 6, 2012

Location		Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[Redacted]		H	North Coast - Southern Cross	[Redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[Redacted]		Tweed Byron	07 5536 0999	No
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Other - Agitated student with evidence of self harm injuries

Narrative

A staff member (witness) became concerned when she noticed a [Redacted] (YP) [Redacted]. The YP [Redacted] and the cuts were reported as self inflicted.

The YP became highly agitated when [Redacted] questioned about [Redacted] welfare. [Redacted] punched a glass window pane, causing the glass to break. The YP sustained [Redacted].

The YP's parent was contacted and attended the school. However, the YP refused to talk [Redacted].

The YP was provided with first aid.

Action

SSRU advised:

- EAP support for staff affected by the incident
- inform police
- contact the SED regarding appropriate regional support to assist staff review management plans for students who are at risk of self harm at the school

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031469

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 15:15, Mon, Nov 5, 2012

Entered: 12:02, Mon, Nov 12, 2012

Location		Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
[REDACTED]		H	Sydney - Network 8	[REDACTED]	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police	
[REDACTED]		Botany Bay	02 8338 7300	Yes	
Attended		COPS Event #			
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	E49577834			

Assault - Students fighting

Narrative

Two [REDACTED] males (YP1 and YP2) arranged to have a fight in a park after school. The YPs and about 20 other students went to the park and the YPs began fighting.

YP2 dominated the fight and inflicted [REDACTED] to YP1. YP1 did not require medical attention.

The fight was reported to the school [REDACTED]. The principal has investigated the incident and will take appropriate disciplinary action.

The principal is notifying parents and has informed police.

At least one student filmed the fight. The principal has given police a copy of the footage and is attempting to have all other copies deleted.

Action

The SSRU informed the DEC Media Unit.

SSRU Leader Incident Management advises:

- consider SLP and / or counsellor involvement in any return from suspension meeting

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031369

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 15:05, Mon, Nov 5, 2012
Entered: 10:08, Tue, Nov 6, 2012 [REDACTED]

Location [REDACTED]		Type P	Region/School Group South Western Sydney -	Phone [REDACTED]
Principal [REDACTED]	Director [REDACTED]	LAC Flemington	LAC Phone 02 9646 8600	Police Yes
Attended <input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown		COPS Event # Pending		

Assault - Fight between parent and her male friend

Narrative

An exchange of words took place outside the school between the mother (POI 1) of a [REDACTED] and POI 1's boyfriend (POI 2). The exchange escalated, with the POIs assaulting each other in the presence of students, staff and community members. The POIs [REDACTED] were arguing about money.

The teacher on duty informed the principal and police were contacted.

A number of parents called out to the POIs to stop the behaviour. POI 2 grabbed POI 1's bag and ran from the scene. POI 1 then walked away in the opposite direction with her [REDACTED]

The principal was later informed that POI 1 had contacted the police [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] POI 2 is the subject of a current AVO taken out by POI 1.

Action

SSRU recommended:

- staff affected by the incident be provided with the contact details of EAP
- offer [REDACTED] school counsellor support

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031370

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 14:00, Mon, Nov 5, 2012

Entered: 10:47, Tue, Nov 6, 2012

Location		Type	Region/School Group	Phone
		P	Hunter/Central Coast - H/CC1	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
				Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Assault - Student disrupts school and damages property

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) became disruptive in class and escalated his behaviours. The YP upturned desks and chairs and threw books around the room. The principal and deputy principal (DP) came to assist the class and the students were removed.

The YP attempted to punch the teacher (victim) and then picked up a chair and threw it, damaging the white board.

The YP's parents were informed and came to the school. The YP and his parents cleaned the classroom.

The principal informed the YP's father (POI) that the YP would be suspended and the POI became verbally abusive and volatile. The POI stood over the principal in an aggressive and intimidating manner. The principal asked the POI to move out of his space and leave the school. The POI continued to swear and berate the principal.

The principal asked office staff to ring for police assistance. Eventually, the POI left the school grounds with his son.

Action

The SSRU officer advised:

- informing police of the incident and asking for police assistance to deliver an Inclosed Lands Act Ban to the POI.
- informing the SED of the incident.
- staff involved should make an WHS report.
- injured staff to be offered EAPs support.
- reviewing the YP's risk assessment.

SSRU Leader Incident Management advises:

- report any property damage to FMWeb

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031354

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 11:00, Mon, Nov 5, 2012

Entered: 13:44, Mon, Nov 5, 2012

Location		Type	Region/School Group	Phone
		P	Western NSW - Dubbo	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Orana	02 6881 3266	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Threat or Intimidation - Agitated parent refuses to leave the school

Narrative

The mother (victim) of [redacted] students (YPs) reported to the principal that the YPs' father (POI) had recently returned to the area. The victim alleged that the POI had attended their house the previous evening and threatened her.

The victim was concerned that the POI would come to the school looking for her children.

While the principal was talking to the victim, the POI turned up at the school and demanded to see the victim. The POI was agitated, but not aggressive. The principal asked the POI to leave, but he refused.

There is an Inclosed Lands Act ban in place that prevents the POI from entering the school so the principal called the police.

The POI then left the school.

The police came to the school and they have escorted the victim and the YPs from the school.

Action

The SSRU advised the school to call police immediately if the POI enters the school grounds.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031352

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 9:30, Mon, Nov 5, 2012

Entered: 13:25, Mon, Nov 5, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	P	Western Sydney - Penrith Valley	
Principal	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
Director	St Marys	02 9623 2899	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Threat or Intimidation - Violent student

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) became agitated and non-compliant in class. The YP threw objects around the room and chased students with pencils and rulers. The YP picked up chairs and threw them around the room.

The teacher evacuated the class and asked for assistance from the assistant principal (AP). The AP entered the room and the YP pushed her and ran outside. The YP climbed onto a fence and up onto the roof of the building.

The school rang the YP's mother to come and pick the YP up, but she was unable to attend.

The school rang police for assistance. Police attended and talked the YP down from the roof.

The YP's grandmother came to the school and took the YP home.

The YP was suspended.

Action

The SSRU officer advised:

- revising the YP's risk management plan.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031347

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 9:15, Mon, Nov 5, 2012
Entered: 11:12, Mon, Nov 5, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	P	Riverina - Riverina West	
Principal	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
Director	Griffith	02 6969 0400	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Other - Outsiders committing theft

Narrative

Three [redacted] males (Witnesses) encountered two high school aged males (YPs) rummaging through students' bags in the playground, during a morning assembly.

When staff attended the scene, the YPs ran out of the school. The YPs were identified as students from a local high school who have committed other offences at the school.

Police were contacted, attended the school and indicated they would attend the YPs' school.

The deputy principal contacted the YPs' high school.

Three students reported small amounts of cash missing from their bags.

Action

SSRU recommended that students affected by the incident be offered school counsellor support.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031363

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: , Mon, Nov 5, 2012
Entered: 15:25, Mon, Nov 5, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
	H	Illawarra and South East -		
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Lake Illawarra	02 4295 2699	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	E 49632021		

Assault - Parent assaulted by parent

Narrative

There have been ongoing community related issues between the families of two females (YP1 & YP2).

Or YP1 claimed she had been threatened by YP2. Then YP2's mother (victim) attended the school and alleged that YP1's mother (POI) and her two male friends (POIs) had threatened YP2 outside the school.

The deputy principal (DP) escorted the victim to her vehicle and witnessed the mother (POI 1) of another female, who is a friend of YP1's family, punch the victim through the window of her vehicle.

The DP contacted police who attended the school and are now conducting investigations.

The principal informed the SED and the Media Unit.

Action

SSRU recommended:

- keep working proactively with the local police to manage the situation
- offer school counsellor support to the YPs
- risk assess the situation and conduct a mediation session to manage the issues between the YPs
- speak to the SED and Legal Services regarding any correspondence to the YPs' parents about the impact of their behaviour on the school

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031337

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 15:00, Fri, Nov 2, 2012

Entered: 15:50, Fri, Nov 2, 2012

Location		Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[REDACTED]		P	New England - New England South	[REDACTED]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Oxley	02 6768 2999	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Other - Custody issue looming

Narrative

A [REDACTED] (victim), who lives with [REDACTED] had returned to school after a school camp and was leaving from the front of the school with [REDACTED]

The victim's mother (POI), [REDACTED] approached the victim and [REDACTED] told them that the victim was to come with her. The POI informed the victim that [REDACTED] father had asked [REDACTED] to pick the victim up from school.

The victim went with the POI willingly and the POI quickly drove away.

The victim's father had no knowledge that the POI was picking up his [REDACTED]. It is feared that the POI is taking the victim to her home [REDACTED]

The victim's father informed the police.

The principal will inform the SED.

There are no custody orders in place.

Action

The SSRU recommended the school obtain copies of any custody orders put in place. The SSRU notified the DEC Media Unit.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031327

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 11:47, Fri, Nov 2, 2012
Entered: 14:19, Fri, Nov 2, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	P	Illawarra and South East -	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Goulburn	02 4823 0399
			Police
			No

Attended
 Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event #
Pending

Other - Student injured at school

Narrative

The male deputy principal (DP) was called to a classroom to assist the teacher with a male's (victim) continual disobedience. The victim was removed from the room and given time outside to settle. He was being monitored by the DP.

The victim began throwing rocks at the class windows. The DP restrained the victim to prevent injury to students and damage to windows. The DP took the victim by the wrist and began escorting him to the office. While walking to the office the victim attempted to lunge head first towards a concrete wall. The DP pulled the victim back to prevent a serious head injury which resulted in an injury.

The victim's carer was contacted and informed of the incident.

notification is to be made.

Action

SSRU advised:

- follow-up on the condition of the victim
- gather any witness reports

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031339

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 11:45, Fri, Nov 2, 2012
Entered: 16:02, Fri, Nov 2, 2012

Location		Type	Region/School Group	Phone
		H	Hunter/Central Coast - H/CC7	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Lake Macquarie	02 4942 9940	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Assault - Student assault

Narrative

During a break period, a [redacted] male (YP1) and a [redacted] male (YP2) left the school grounds and engaged in a fight down the road from the school. The YPs then walked back to the school.

An unknown adult male (POI) witnessed the fight and took video footage. The POI informed the principal and showed her footage of the fight.

The principal investigated the fight and the YP's parents were informed.

The YPs were suspended.

Action

The SSRU officer:

- gave information about the POI to the principal so that the video footage could be retrieved.
- advised that the DEC Media Unit should be advised of the incident.
- police should be informed of the incident.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031320

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 10:40, Fri, Nov 2, 2012

Entered: 12:03, Fri, Nov 2, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[REDACTED]	H	Sydney - Inner City	[REDACTED]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Newtown	02 9550 8199
Attended		COPS Event #	Police
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	E49727566	Yes

Drugs - Student in possession of [REDACTED]

Narrative

The police YLO attended the school to speak to a [REDACTED] male (YP) about reported drug use and distribution within the school.

Police spoke to the YP in the presence of the DP and during this conversation the YP made admissions to having used [REDACTED]. As a result of these enquiries the police officer has conducted a search of the YP's bag and located a large amount of [REDACTED] and electronic scales.

The YP was arrested by police. The YP picked scissors from the DP's desk and [REDACTED] threatening to kill himself. The police officer immediately intervened, took possession of the scissors and restrained the YP.

The YP [REDACTED] will be investigated for the drugs in his possession.

The school contacted the YP's parents and will impose a long suspension.

Action

The SSRU has emailed the school a Legal Issues Bulletin #13

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031328

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: [redacted] Nov [redacted] 2012
Entered: [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
[redacted]		Illawarra and South East -	[redacted]	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	Yes

Attended
 Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event #
Pending

Assault - Sexual assault

Narrative

The relieving principal (R/P) was informed by students that a [redacted] (victim) had made allegations on a social network site that a [redacted] (YP) had sexually assaulted [redacted]. The principal took a copy of the allegations.

The principal and head teacher confirmed the allegations with the victim.

Police were informed of the incident and continue to investigate. A copy of the social network printout was supplied to police.

Support will be offered to the victim.

The victim's mother will be informed.

The principal will ask students to take down the comments on [redacted]

Action

The SSRU officer advised:

-the victim's mother informed with police permission

-the school flag the material as inappropriate on [redacted]

SSRU Police Inspector advises;

- Liaise closely with police investigators to ascertain what actions, if any, will be taken and how this will impact on the management of the students at school.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031402

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 10:00, Fri, Nov 2, 2012
Entered: 15:47, Wed, Nov 7, 2012

Location		Type	Region/School Group	Phone
		H	Hunter/Central Coast - H/CC7	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Lake Macquarie	02 4942 9940	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Other - Students caught stealing

Narrative

The Principal was informed by a local shop owner that three [redacted] males (YP1, YP2 and YP3) had been captured on CCTV footage, stealing goods from the shop.

YP2 was wearing [redacted] at the time of the offence. YP1 and YP2 were truanting from school and YP3 is currently on suspension for a previous incident at the school.

The Principal identified all YPs to be students at the school.

The Principal will contact police and the YPs' parents.

Appropriate disciplinary action will follow.

Action

SSRU advised:

- Contact the SLP for return to school meeting.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031323

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 8:45, Fri, Nov 2, 2012
Entered: 12:47, Fri, Nov 2, 2012 [REDACTED]

Location		Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[REDACTED]		H	Western Sydney - Blue Mountains	47287200
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[REDACTED]		Penrith	02 4721 9461	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Weapons Related - Alleged armed robbery of a student

Narrative

A [REDACTED] male (victim) reported being robbed by three male youths as he was walking to school. The victim claimed he was walking through a park when he was pushed over by a male wearing the uniform of a neighbouring high school. Another of the youths threatened him with a knife while the third youth took his wallet containing \$55.

The victim claimed this was the fourth time he has been robbed by the youths but has not reported them to the school. He has informed his mother on two occasions but no police notifications have been made.

The victim's parent has been notified and confirmed previous incidents.

Police were contacted and attended. They took the victim to the scene and intend investigating further.

Action

SSRU advised:

- inform the principal at the youths' school
- provide support for victim
- liaise with police as to result of investigation and any further risk to the victim or other students.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031322

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 8:30, Fri, Nov 2, 2012
Entered: 12:27, Fri, Nov 2, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	P	Hunter/Central Coast - H/CC7	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Lake Macquarie	02 4942 9940
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Weapons Related - female in possession of a knife

Narrative

A female (YP) brought a knife from home and contained the knife in her school bag. The YP was walking out of the with another student and for no apparent reason took the knife from her bag and pointed it at a male (victim). The YP called the victim a bitch and began swearing at the victim. The YP then ran with the knife in her hand towards the victim. The YP ran away to the other side of the school building.

A teachers aide unaware of the situation saw the YP and administered first aid and took the knife from the YP.

The principal contacted the YP's mother and the YP has been suspended.

The victim's carer has been informed.

Action

SSRU advised:

- contact police.
- contact the YLO for returned to school meeting.
- Counselling for the YP and the victim
- WHS incident report
- risk assessment plan to be completed

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031313

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 17:00, Thu, Nov 1, 2012
Entered: 9:26, Fri, Nov 2, 2012 [REDACTED]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[REDACTED]	P	South Western Sydney - Granville	[REDACTED]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Holroyd	02 9897 4899
Attended		COPS Event #	Police
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	E95573201	Yes

Threat or Intimidation - Student approached student with knife after school

Narrative

A [REDACTED] male (victim) was walking home [REDACTED] with [REDACTED] (witness) from a high school.

A [REDACTED] male (YP) stood outside his premises and approached the victim and witness. It is alleged the YP produced a [REDACTED] knife and held it out to the victim threatening to stab him at school the following day.

The victim and witness continued walking home and advised their parents. The victim's father reported the matter to police. The victim's parents advised the R/Principal the following day.

The R/Principal contacted the SSRU for advice.

Action

The SSRU has advised the school of the Police event number and provided appropriate related information contained within the report.

The SSRU directed concerns relating to suspensions to an appropriate DET staff member.

Legal Issue Bulletins and the No Knives at School Fact Sheet has been emailed to the school for reference.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031342

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 15:45, Thu, Nov 1, 2012

Entered: 16:39, Fri, Nov 2, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	Northern Sydney - Lane Cove	
Principal	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
Director	Eastwood	02 9858 5944	Yes

Attended

Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event #

Pending

Assault - Students assaulted

Narrative

Three male students (victims) caught a bus after school. The victims were taunted by six unknown adult males (POIs) on the bus.

When the victims alighted from the bus victim 3 ran away. Victims 1 and 2 walked towards the station. The victims were approached from behind and assaulted by the POIs. The POIs then left the area and the victims caught the train home.

Victim 1's carers informed police of the incident and police continue to investigate.

The school has made a safety plan for the future safe travel home of the victims.

Action

The SSRU officer advised:

-offering counselling support to the victims.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031309

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 15:45, Thu, Nov 1, 2012
Entered: 16:56, Thu, Nov 1, 2012 [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
[redacted]	H	South Western Sydney - Strathfield	[redacted]	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[redacted]	[redacted]	Flemington	02 9646 8600	Yes

Attended Bridge Street Blacktown COPS Event # Pending

Drugs - Student in possession of knife and [redacted]

Narrative

Staff were alerted to the possibility of a fight near the school at the end of the day. The principal informed police who came to the area.

A large group of students and ex-students gathered across the road from the school. The police questioned one of the main protagonists, a [redacted] male (YP).

Police searched the YP's bag and located a [redacted] knife and a quantity of [redacted]. The YP admitted the substance was [redacted].

Police took the YP into custody and informed his parents.

The other students and ex-students dispersed.

The principal will take appropriate disciplinary action.

Action

The SSRU informed the DEC media unit. SED informed.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031303

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 15:30, Thu, Nov 1, 2012

Entered: 15:58, Thu, Nov 1, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
	H	Western Sydney - Nirimba		
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Quakers Hill	02 9678 8900	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Other - Self Harm

Narrative

A female (YP) consumed in an attempt to self harm. The YP had brought the drug from home.

The principal was informed of the incident as the YP was feeling sick.

The YP's mother was informed

The SED will be informed.

Action

SSRU Police Inspector advises,

- Insure an up to date risk assessment is in place for the YP
- Provide councillor support for the YP upon return to school.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031304

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 15:20, Thu, Nov 1, 2012
Entered: 16:05, Thu, Nov 1, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	Riverina - Riverina West	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Griffith	02 6969 0400
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Assault - Parent assaults a student

Narrative

A female parent (POI) physically assaulted a female (victim) at the school. She accused the victim of assaulting her daughter. The incident was witnessed by several students as well as the general assistant and head cleaner. The principal intervened and moved between the victim and POI to prevent injury to the victim.

The victim left the scene before her injuries could be assessed. Her carer will be contacted to check on her welfare.

drug-related incident which also involved the POI on

On a recent day, the POI threatened another female student after the student assaulted her son.

A message was left for the police crime manager to contact the principal to discuss the incident.

The principal will consider banning the POI from the school.

Action

SSRU advised:

- encourage the victim to report the assault to police
- if the POI's is to be banned, request police serve the notice

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031298

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 13:00, Thu, Nov 1, 2012

Entered: 14:52, Thu, Nov 1, 2012

Location		Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[REDACTED]		H	Hunter/Central Coast - H/CC9	[REDACTED]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[REDACTED]		Central Hunter	02 4934 0200	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown		Pending		

Assault - Student assaults student and staff member

Narrative

A [REDACTED] female (YP) entered a classroom at the end of a lesson and confronted a [REDACTED] female (victim 1) because she claimed victim 1 had called her a rude name. The YP pushed victim 1 against a window and punched her [REDACTED]

The class teacher (victim 2) intervened and attempted to restrain the YP, to calm the situation. The YP responded by punching victim 2 [REDACTED] before exiting the school.

The deputy principal has also received reports that students took footage of the incidents using their mobile phones.

The school contacted the police.

Victim 1 sustained injuries [REDACTED]. She was provided with first aid. Her parent was contacted and was advised to convey victim 1 for medical attention.

Victim 2 is very shaken and is debriefing with the school counsellor. It is not clear if she sustained any physical injuries.

The YP's parent was contacted and the YP will be suspended.

Action

SSRU recommended:

- provide victim 2 with the contact details of EAP
- check on the welfare of victim 1 and offer her school counsellor support
- report the victims' injuries as per WHS reporting requirements
- conduct a risk assessment for the YP
- inform the Media Unit
- inform the SED

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031344

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 11:00, Thu, Nov 1, 2012
Entered: 8:25, Mon, Nov 5, 2012

Location		Type	Region/School Group	Phone
		P	Western NSW - Bourke	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Darling River	02 6870 0800	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	E49803262		

Threat or Intimidation - Student threatens teachers and students

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) was with a group of other students lining up after recess to return to class. The YP began throwing sticks at a group of students with some landing on the students' shoes.

A [redacted] male (victim 1) informed the teacher (victim 2) on duty. The YP immediately lost control and intimidated, threatened and verbally abused the victims.

The principal attended and removed the YP from the area. The YP then verbally abused and threatened the principal. The YP walked to the front gate and picked up a large piece of wood and threatened to harm the principal. The YP also threatened to damage a number of vehicles parked on the roadside.

The principal contacted police by mobile phone and the YP ran from the scene.

Police attended and located the YP not far from the school.

The police took the YP home and spoke to the YP's carer.

The YP has been suspended.

Action

SSRU advised:

- Risk Assessment Plan to be updated for the YP
- counselling for the victims
- YLO involvement with return to school meeting

SSRU Leader Incident Management advises:

- offer EAP support to any affected staff
- report any damage to FM Web

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031286

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 8:15, Thu, Nov 1, 2012
Entered: 9:16, Thu, Nov 1, 2012 [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
[redacted]	H	Hunter/Central Coast - H/CC9	[redacted]	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[redacted]	[redacted]	Central Hunter	02 4934 0200	Yes

Attended Bridge Street Blacktown COPS Event # Pending

Assault - [redacted] male assaults student

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) and another [redacted] male (victim) were in the quadrangle area before the commencement of school. The YP and the victim have had a recent altercation over a girlfriend.

For no apparent reason, the YP walked up to the victim and began assaulting him. The victim attempted to defend himself. The YP was highly agitated and [redacted] punched the victim [redacted]

The YP lost control and refused to follow teachers requests to cease the assault. The YP eventually complied.

The assault resulted in [redacted] of the victim, [redacted]
[redacted]

The Principal contacted police.

Parents were contacted and the YP has been suspended.

Action

SSRU advised:

- liaise with the local police officer in charge of the incident
- contact victim's parents to get an update on the victim's condition
- seek SLP and / or counsellor support during any return from suspension meeting
- review YP's risk management plan

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031335

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 8:00, Thu, Nov 1, 2012

Entered: 15:47, Fri, Nov 2, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	New England - New England North	
Principal	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
	New England	02 6771 0603	No
Attended	COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Threat or Intimidation - Students use blades to threaten another student

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP1) was involved in a dispute with another [redacted] male (victim) while playing handball before school.

During the argument, YP1 and another [redacted] male (YP2) produced a number of utility blades from his bag and threatened the victim while holding the blades.

The matter was reported to the deputy principal (DP) who investigated.

YP1 denied having custody of any blades and his bag was the subject of a search. The DP located a number of utility blades in the front pocket of YP1's school bag.

YP2 made admissions regarding the blades.

The YPs' parents have been contacted and the YPs have been suspended.

Action

The SSRU has advised:

- the school to provide appropriate support to the victim.
- issue the parents and the parents with the 'No Knives at School Fact Sheet' (the principal was e-mailed a copy of the Fact Sheet)

SSRU Leader Incident Management advises:

- contact SLP and inform them of the incident
- consider SLP and / or counsellor involvement in any return from suspension meeting

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031401

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 14:40, Wed, Oct 31, 2012
Entered: 15:31, Wed, Nov 7, 2012 [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[redacted]	H	Hunter/Central Coast - H/CC7	[redacted]
Principal	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[redacted]	Lake Macquarie	02 4942 9940	Yes

Attended Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event #
Pending

Other - Students caught stealing

Narrative

The Principal was informed by a local shop owner that one [redacted] male (YP1) and two [redacted] females (YP2 and YP3) had been captured on CCTV footage, stealing goods from the shop. YP2 and YP3 were wearing [redacted] at the time of the offence.

The Principal identified all YPs to be students at the school.

The Principal will contact police and the YPs' parents.

Appropriate disciplinary action will follow.

Action

SSRU advised:

- Contact the SLP for involvement with return to school meeting

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031321

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 14:00, [redacted] Oct [redacted] 2012

Entered: [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
Attended			COPS Event #
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Threat or Intimidation - Student harasses other student

Narrative

A [redacted] (YP) began harassing a [redacted] (victim) during [redacted] lesson. The YP got up on a desk and [redacted] towards the victim's face.

The YP also tried to [redacted] The YP then emptied the victim's bag and showed the rest of the class [redacted] from the victim's bag.

The classroom teacher witnessed the incident and reported it to the DP.

The DP has taken appropriate disciplinary action and will revise the YP's risk management plan. The DP will inform the YP's parents.

The victim's parents have been informed and the victim will be offered counsellor support.

Action

The SSRU recommended the school inform local police.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031317

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: [redacted] Oct [redacted] 2012
Entered: [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[redacted]	[redacted]	Western NSW [redacted]	[redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
			Police Yes

Attended
 Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event #
Pending

Assault - Alleged indecent assault

Narrative

A [redacted] (victim), [redacted] reported to other students that a [redacted] (YP) had approached [redacted] at [redacted] the local pool.

The victim alleges the YP grabbed [redacted]

The incident was reported to the DP who informed police and the victim's parents.

Police attended the school but have indicated they will be taking no further action.

The DP will take appropriate disciplinary action and inform the YP's parents.

The victim has been offered appropriate support.

Action

The SSRU recommended the school contact the school liaison police officer for advice and possible intervention.

SSRU Police Inspector advises

- Encourage victims parents to also report to police if they wish.
- Record names of police officers who attended.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031283

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 13:20, Wed, Oct 31, 2012
Entered: 15:44, Wed, Oct 31, 2012 [REDACTED]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[REDACTED]	H	South Western Sydney - Liverpool	[REDACTED]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Green Valley	02 9607 1799
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Threat or Intimidation - Intruder threatens students

Narrative

The ex-boyfriend (POI) of a [REDACTED] female (victim) came to the front entrance of the school during the lunch break to speak to the victim. The POI became highly agitated and aggressive towards the victim. The POI threatened the victim and became aggressive towards two male students.

Staff intervened and were successful in removing the POI from the school. The POI then walked around to a side perimeter of the school and commenced throwing projectiles over the fence and demanded students come out and speak to him.

The deputy principal (DP) contacted police.

The Principal locked the front gates for the protection of students and staff.

Police will provide a presence in the area at the end of the school day.

The victim will be taken home by school staff for her own safety.

Action

SSRU advised:

- consider Inclosed Lands Act banning Notice

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031293

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 12:00, Wed, Oct 31, 2012

Entered: 11:59, Thu, Nov 1, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	South Western Sydney - Macarthur	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Camden	02 4655 0500
			Police
			No

Attended Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event # Pending

Weapons Related - Student uses scissors as weapon

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) became agitated in class and went to a storeroom and threatened self harm. Teachers talked the YP down and the YP came out of the storeroom.

On the way out of the classroom, the YP picked up a pair of scissors and held them in a threatening manner towards the deputy principal (DP). Another staff member disarmed the YP. The YP was escorted to the office by staff.

The YP's mother was informed and took the YP home.

The YP was suspended.

Action

The SSRU officer advised:

- the DP make an WHS report.
- a review of the YP's risk assessment.

SSRU Leader Incident Management advises:

- inform local police
- consider SLP and / or counsellor support at any return from suspension meeting

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031277

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 11:45, Wed, Oct 31, 2012
Entered: 13:08, Wed, Oct 31, 2012 [redacted] n

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
[redacted]	P	Western Sydney - Mt Druitt	[redacted]	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[redacted]	[redacted]	Mount Druitt	02 9625 9920	No
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Threat or Intimidation - Parent making threats

Narrative

A male person (POI) who claimed to be the father of a [redacted] female (Victim 1) and a [redacted] male (Victim 2), attended the school office in a highly agitated state with the victims. The POI is not listed on the enrolment form as a contact person for the victims.

The POI made threats to harm the principal (Victim 3) and [redacted] (Victim 4) who had spoken with Victims 1 & 2 at school on [redacted]. The POI's behaviour was witnessed by students, parents and staff.

The principal is not on the school site today, so the deputy principal (DP) intervened and took the POI into her office to calm the situation.

The POI stated he was a member of [redacted] and expressed his intention to attend the [redacted] with other members of the [redacted] to carry out the threats.

The POI eventually left the school and Victims 1 & 2 returned to class.

Action

SSRU recommended:

- find out the name of the POI
- contact the police
- consider imposing an Inclosed Lands Act ban on the POI and request that police deliver the banning letter to the POI
- offer the two children school counsellor support
- inform the children's mother, check if Custody Orders are available and request a copy for school records
- provide staff who were affected by the POI's behaviour with the contact details of EAP.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031292

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 9:30, Wed, Oct 31, 2012
Entered: 11:19, Thu, Nov 1, 2012

Location		Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
		H	Western Sydney - Nirimba		
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police	
		Blacktown	02 9622 0000	Yes	
Attended		COPS Event #			
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending			

Threat or Intimidation - Aggressive student removed by police

Narrative

A female (YP) became aggressive and agitated in class and was asked to leave the room. The YP refused to follow instructions and escalated her behaviours. The deputy principal (DP) and principal were asked to assist. The YP continued to refuse to follow any instructions and verbally berated staff.

The YP's mother was already at the school and witnessed the incident.

The school asked for police assistance, but the YP refused to follow any police instructions. The YP was physically restrained and removed from the school by police.

The YP was suspended with the principal considering expulsion.

Action

The SSRU officer advised:

SSRU Leader Incident Management advises:

- offer EAP support to any affected staff members
- review YP's risk management plan and consider involvement of SLP and / or counsellor support in any return from suspension meeting

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031264

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 13:00, Tue, Oct 30, 2012
Entered: 16:04, Tue, Oct 30, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	P	North Coast - The Wilson	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Richmond	02 6625 0799
		COPS Event #	Police
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown		Pending	Yes

Assault - Violent student

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) became agitated in class and punched another [redacted] male (victim 1). The YP went into the playground and pushed five [redacted] males (victims). The YP held a [redacted] in his hand and [redacted] five students (victims) [redacted]. The YP then kicked a [redacted] male (victim).

The principal asked the YP's mother to come and take the YP home but it took an hour before she arrived.

The school operated lock down procedures.

The YP rampaged through the school and banged windows. The YP left the school grounds.

Police were informed of the incident [redacted]

The YP's mother attended and took her son home.

The YP was suspended.

Action

The SSRU officer advised:

-a review of the YP's risk assessment be conducted in conjunction with [redacted] personnel.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031262

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 11:30, Tue, Oct 30, 2012
Entered: 15:42, Tue, Oct 30, 2012 [redacted]

Location		Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[redacted]		H	Northern Sydney - Lane Cove	[redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[redacted]	[redacted]	Eastwood	02 9858 5944	No
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Assault - Student assaults other student

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) confronted another [redacted] male (victim) and a fight ensued. The YP picked the victim up [redacted]. He then attempted to assault the victim [redacted].

Following the assault the YP absconded from school.

The victim sustained an injury [redacted].

The victim's parents were contacted.

The YP's parent was contacted and informed of the incident and the YP had left the school.

The YP is to be suspended for physical violence.

Update [redacted]

Footage of the fight has been placed on a social media site by an unknown person. The principal will advise the police and the SED.

The victim has reported the incident to police.

Action

SSRU advised:

- notify local police due to the victim requiring medical attention

SSRU advice [redacted]

- if police advise they do not require the video footage, the school and SSRU will attempt to have it removed.

The SSRU have informed the DEC Media Unit.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031252

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 10:45, Tue, Oct 30, 2012
Entered: 13:22, Tue, Oct 30, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	South Western Sydney -	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Campbelltown	02 4620 1265
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Drugs - Students admit to smoking

Narrative

Three males (YPs) truanted from school and when they returned, staff became concerned because the YPs appeared drug affected.

The YPs admitted they had gone to the home of one of the YPs (YP1) where they had smoked. No bag searches were conducted.

The YPs' parents were contacted and the YPs have been suspended.

The deputy principal contacted the police.

Action

SSRU recommended:

- speak to the Duty Officer at the LAC re: concerns regarding police response
- conduct risk assessments for the YPs and offer them school counsellor support
- seek support from the SLP with crime prevention programs around illegal drugs

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031246

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 10:30, Tue, Oct 30, 2012
Entered: 11:13, Tue, Oct 30, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[Redacted]	H	Western Sydney - Penrith Valley	[Redacted]
Principal [Redacted]	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
Director [Redacted]	Penrith	02 4721 9461	Yes
Attended	COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Threat or Intimidation - Violent student

Narrative

A [Redacted] male (YP) refused to engage in class and then escalated his behaviours. The YP picked up a chair and threw it across the room, damaging the classroom door. The YP left the classroom and sat in the foyer.

Police were informed of the incident and came and escorted the YP to the local police station.

The YP's carer will be informed.

The YP will be suspended.

Action

The SSRU officer advised:

- a review of the YPs risk assessment

SSRU Police Inspector advises;

- Liaise with police to determine what action was taken with the YP and if it impacts upon the school

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031243

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 9:15, Tue, Oct 30, 2012

Entered: 10:57, Tue, Oct 30, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	Western NSW - Dubbo	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Orana	02 6881 3266
			Police
			Yes
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Assault - Staff assaulted and threatened by a student

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) refused to answer questions put to him in an interview with the principal relating to an incident the previous day. The YP left the principal's office. He walked past another [redacted] male (victim 1) who was also to be interviewed regarding the same matter. The YP assaulted Victim 1 before two deputy principals intervened. The YP pushed and punched a female DP (Victim 2) before pushing the male DP (Victim 3). Another male teacher (Victim 4) came to assist the DPs. The YP threatened to "cut his throat" at the end of the school day.

The YP's parent was contacted and attended the school.

Police were contacted and attended. Police took the YP into custody.

Local media arrived just after police.

Staff involved are to be supported at school.

Action

SSRU advised:

- make a WHS notification for staff
- offer EAP support to staff involved

SSRU notified the Media Liaison Officer.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031307

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 9:00, Tue, Oct 30, 2012
Entered: 16:47, Thu, Nov 1, 2012

Location		Type	Region/School Group	Phone
		H	Sydney - Botany Bay	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Eastern Beaches	02 9349 9299	No
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Assault - Student seriously assaults student

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP1) was engaged in a physical altercation with a [redacted] male (YP2) in the corridor outside a classroom.

Witness reports state that both YPs were slapping each other and both levels of aggression increased resulting in pushing and YP1 punching YP2 [redacted]

YP2 went to class for a short time [redacted] An ambulance was contacted [redacted]

The YPs have been interviewed since the incident and advised the DP that they were slapping each other and not engaged in a fight. The YPs have both received long suspensions for participating in the violent act.

Both parents were contacted. The school is considering contacting the police YLO.

Action

The SSRU has recommended the school to;

- * Contact and report the assault to police
- * Engage the services of the SLP to participate in any resolution or mediation meeting with the YPs. The school was advised that police have an ACLO who can also assist with the YPs.
- * Complete the injury notification for the student.

The SSRU will contact the SED by this email report.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031259

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 2:45, Tue, Oct 30, 2012

Entered: 14:53, Tue, Oct 30, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
		Western Sydney - Minchinbury		
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Penrith	02 4721 9461	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Threat or Intimidation - Police called for uncontrollable student

Narrative

A male student (YP) was non-compliant all afternoon and becoming uncontrollable. At one stage he had scissors in his possession and threatened to self-harm. The principal was able to remove scissors from the YP.

The YP's mother was contacted but she refused to come to the school to collect the YP.

When the YP could not be calmed sufficiently to go home on the bus. The police were called. The YP was informed that police had been contacted. He calmed down and was able to go on the bus.

The YP will be suspended to enable time for the YP's behaviour management plan to be reviewed.

Police were contacted again and informed the situation had de-escalated.

Action

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031263

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 16:30, Mon, Oct 29, 2012
Entered: 15:53, Tue, Oct 30, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	Hunter/Central Coast - H/CC3	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Tuggerah Lakes	02 4390 1200
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Assault - Students fighting at shopping complex

Narrative

Three male students () were involved in a physical altercation with an unknown adult male (POI) at a local shopping complex after school. The POI believed a female student who was with the males students was involved in an incident on at a local fast food restaurant. The POI allegedly spat at the female student which prompted the melee.

Another female student (YP) filmed the incident on her mobile phone and posted the video on a social media site. The footage has since been removed.

No injuries were reported and no police involvement.

The students involved in the fight have been suspended along with the YP who filmed the fight and posted it online.

Action

SSRU advised:

- notify the DEC media liaison officer of the possibility of video footage being used by media outlets

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031238

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 11:30, Mon, Oct 29, 2012
Entered: 16:05, Mon, Oct 29, 2012 [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
[redacted]		South Western Sydney -	[redacted]	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[redacted]		Camden	02 4655 0500	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Assault - Student violently assaults teacher

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) [redacted] was asked to follow instructions and had manifested aggression.

The YP [redacted] punching and kicking a male teacher (victim) [redacted].
[redacted] The victim suffered no disclosed injuries.

The YP was restrained by staff with the police and ambulance contacted to attend.

[redacted]

The school will impose a suspension period and have offered the victim appropriate support.

Action

The SSRU has advised the school of the police event number

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031222

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 14:35, Fri, Oct 26, 2012
Entered: 16:49, Fri, Oct 26, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	Western NSW - Orange	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Chifley	02 6332 8628
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Assault - Student violently assaults another student

Narrative

It is alleged that a [redacted] male (victim) verbally abused a [redacted] female during sport. The [redacted] female informed her [redacted] male boyfriend (YP).

The YP approached the victim in class and verbally challenged him to a fight. The teacher told the YP to leave the room.

Both the YP and victim went outside the classroom and the YP aggressively kicked and punched the victim [redacted]

The teacher called for additional assistance and evacuated the room for the safety of other students.

A teacher was required to hold a chair out for his protection from the YP, who was displaying a high level of aggression.

The victim was taken to the library for immediate first aid to be administered [redacted]

The YP was taken to the office where he continued to make threats of assaulting the victim after school. The YP attempted to leave the office to find and assault the victim again causing the school to initiate an isolated reverse lockout to keep the YP inside.

The YP refused to go home until a teacher walked home with him.

The school will suspend the YP with a move to expulsion and will continue to make efforts to contact the YP's mother.

The school will offer support to the victim.

Action

The SSRU has recommended the school;

- make a WHS notification regarding the victim's injury
- offer appropriate staff support
- contact the SLP and seek assistance from them to take part in a return from suspension interview.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031209

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 9:45, Fri, Oct 26, 2012
Entered: 13:21, Fri, Oct 26, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
		North Coast - Coffs Harbour	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Coffs Clarence	02 6652 0299
Attended		COPS Event #	Police
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	Yes

Threat or Intimidation - Violent student

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) came to school in an agitated state and refused to go into class. The YP became verbally abusive towards staff.

The school informed the YP's carer and asked that he be taken home, but the carer was not able to assist.

The YP escalated his behaviours and picked up rocks and threw them at staff and classrooms.

The school operated lock down procedures.

[redacted] The YP continued to destroy property throughout the school.

The YP's carer was again contacted and asked to take the YP home.

Police attended and the YP went home with his carer.

Disciplinary actions to follow.

Action

The SSRU officer advised:

- ring 000 for immediate police assistance
- staff involved make an WHS report

SSRU Leader Incident Management advises:

- report any property damage to FMWeb

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031228

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 8:55, Fri, Oct 26, 2012

Entered: 9:14, Mon, Oct 29, 2012

Location		Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[Redacted]		H	North Coast - Coffs Harbour	[Redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[Redacted]	[Redacted]	Coffs Clarence	02 6652 0299	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Other - Student identified on CCTV stealing before school

Narrative

A [Redacted] female (YP) attended a [Redacted] in the company of two other [Redacted] females before school.

The YP was detected stealing items by store employees before the YP left the store. The store employees viewed CCTV footage which confirmed the YP stealing from the store and contacted the school. The deputy principal (DP) attended the store and identified the YP on the CCTV footage.

The YP's parents and police were contacted. The police will conduct a formal interview with the YP in the presence of her mother prior to taking any action.

The YP received a long suspension for stealing.

Action

SSRU Leader Incident Management advises:

- liaise with local police regarding any actions resulting from the incident
- consider counsellor support for the YP at any return from suspension meeting

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031202

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 15:20, Thu, Oct 25, 2012
Entered: 17:45, Thu, Oct 25, 2012 [REDACTED]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[REDACTED]	H	Western NSW - Bathurst	[REDACTED]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[REDACTED]	Chifley	02 6332 8628	Police
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Threat or Intimidation - Grandparent threatens student

Narrative

The grandmother (POI) of a [REDACTED] male (YP) came to the school and began abusing the deputy principal (DP) over an alleged bullying incident involving the YP.

The DP tried to calm the POI, but she moved outside the office area and confronted a [REDACTED] male (victim) over the incident.

The POI abused and threatened to assault the victim for some time before the victim left to go home. The DP and other staff tried to intervene, but the POI ignored their requests to leave the school. The POI tried to follow the victim, but the YP persuaded her to leave the area.

The DP called police, who came to the school, and they indicated that they will visit the POI at her home.

The victim's parents have been informed and the victim will be offered counselling.

The YP's parents have been informed and the YP will be offered counsellor support.

The DP will ask police to serve an Inclosed Lands Act ban to the POI.

A number of students witnessed the incident and the DP fears there may be video footage.

Action

The SSRU contacted the SED and the DEC Media Unit.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031247

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 13:00, Thu, Oct 25, 2012

Entered: 11:39, Tue, Oct 30, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	Sydney - Woronora River	
Principal	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
Director	Sutherland	02 9542 0899	No
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Assault - Student injures another student with a rock

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) attempted to become involved in a game during the lunch break. Pieces of grass and small pebbles were thrown between the YP and a group of male students. The YP picked up a large rock and threw it towards the students, striking a [redacted] male (victim) [redacted]. The victim sustained [redacted]. He was given first aid and an ambulance was called.

The YP posted a comment on a social media site stating he had been throwing rocks and "meant to harm" the victim. The YP's parent refutes this claiming it was a typing error and the YP meant to type "meant no harm". The posting was removed from the site.

The YP has been given a long suspension.

Action

SSRU advised:

- report the incident to local police due to the injuries to the victim

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031193

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 10:00, Thu, Oct 25, 2012
Entered: 13:57, Thu, Oct 25, 2012 [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
[redacted]	H	North Coast - The Wilson	[redacted]	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[redacted]	[redacted]	Richmond	02 6625 0799	No
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Weapons Related - Student uses scissors to threaten student

Narrative

A group of [redacted] males were throwing erasers within the classroom which angered a [redacted] male (YP).

The YP picked up a pair of scissors and ran at a [redacted] male (victim) in a threatening manner reportedly to stab the victim with the scissors.

As the YP approached the victim, he was tackled by another [redacted] male (witness) to prevent any injury to the victim. The scissors held by the YP made contact [redacted] but did not cause any injury.

The school contacted the YP's [redacted] who attended and conveyed the YP home.

The YP has been suspended.

Action

The SSRU has recommended;

- principal to ensure the victim's parents have been contacted and advised of the situation.
- contact and report the incident to the police.
- Contact and advise the SLP. Consider requesting the SLP to attend the suspension resolution meeting.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031180

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 8:30, Thu, Oct 25, 2012
Entered: 8:58, Thu, Oct 25, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
[REDACTED]	H	Sydney - Botany Bay	[REDACTED]	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Eastern Beaches	02 9349 9299	No
Attended	COPS Event #			
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending			

Drugs - [REDACTED] student admits to delivering drugs - Updated (false report)

Narrative

[REDACTED] student (YP), who is in [REDACTED] truanted from sport on [REDACTED]

When questioned about this on [REDACTED] the YP stated that he had been delivering drugs for an unnamed person (POI). The YP further alleged that he had been earning \$900 a fortnight from this activity.

The YP will be offered school counsellor support.

The SED has been informed.

The school has not been able to contact the YP's guardian or emergency contact person ([REDACTED]).

Appropriate disciplinary action will be taken for the YP.

The principal will ask the YP for possible alternative phone numbers for his guardian [REDACTED]

Update: [REDACTED]

The principal contacted [REDACTED] Police and spoke with the supervisor, who advised that they would not be sending a car out to the school because there was no evidence of drugs. The principal was advised that the YP could attend the station and make a statement. The YP appears willing to talk to police.

The principal further reported that the YP has earned \$900 per delivery.

The principal has contacted the SLP.

The YP's parent will be contacted [REDACTED]

Update: [REDACTED]

The principal contacted the SSRU to advise that after speaking to the SLP, Detectives attended the school yesterday afternoon and spoke to the YP where he was interviewed and disclosed details of his apparent drug involvement.

About 08:30 on [REDACTED] the YP's guardian attended the school with the YP and advised the principal that the YP had contrived the story in it's entirety.

Several facts were presented by the guardian providing clear evidence of the story being fictitious.

* The YP stated that he purchased a large amount of new clothes with the money he received. The guardian states the YP has not purchased any new clothes.

* The YP stated certain times and dates he was involved in the drug distribution. There are anomalies with these dates as the guardian was able to prove the YP was elsewhere.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031180

Status: 2, Verified

The principal has contacted police to advice of the new development. The principal has requested that police re attend to speak to the YP about providing false information. Legal process may take place upon the YP. The principal will consider what action to take upon the YP.

Action

SSRU advised the principal:

- contact the police and speak to the Duty Officer
- inform the [REDACTED]
- continue attempts to contact the YP's [REDACTED] (emergency contact person)

[REDACTED]
SSRU has contacted the LAC unit who responded to this matter to ensure they received this new information about the matter being falsified.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031175

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 15:15, Wed, Oct 24, 2012
Entered: 15:54, Wed, Oct 24, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
	H	North Coast - Southern Cross		
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Tweed Byron	07 5536 0999	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Assault - Male assaults a female and threatens staff member

Narrative

An unknown male (POI) who appeared alcohol affected, assaulted and spat on an unknown female (victim 1) in the bus bay area, as students were waiting to board the school bus.

Victim 1 contacted the police.

The POI then confronted a male staff member (victim 2) and threatened him.

The deputy principal (DP) intervened and contacted police via 000. Police attended and arrested the POI.

Staff will be provided with the contact details of EAP.

Action

SSRU Leader Incident Management advises increased staff presence at bus bay in the short term to monitor the situation

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031181

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 14:45, Wed, Oct 24, 2012
Entered: 9:18, Thu, Oct 25, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	North Coast - Coffs Harbour	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Coffs Clarence	02 6652 0299
			Police
			Yes
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	E49198036	

Drugs - Student in possession of drug paraphernalia

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) was observed by the [redacted] smoking [redacted] in a corridor near the [redacted] block. The YP was sent to the principal's office.

The principal contacted the YP's mother and police.

Police attended the school and interviewed the YP with the YP's mother present. The YP admitted to smoking [redacted] at school. Police conducted a search of the YP's school bag and located a mixing bowl, smoking pipe and a small quantity of [redacted]

The YP has been suspended.

Action

SSRU advised:

- liaise with the OIC for any follow up and outcome YP's legal process.

SSRU Leader Incident Management advises:

- consider SLP and / or counsellor involvement in any return from suspension meeting
- review YP's risk management plan

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031173

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: [redacted] Oct [redacted] 2012
Entered [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[redacted]	[redacted]	Hunter/Central Coast - [redacted]	[redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
Attended			COPS Event #
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	[redacted]	[redacted]

Other - Teacher threatens self harm

Narrative

Police were called to the school when a [redacted] (POI) threatened to suicide at school in front of students. The POI's threat was witnessed by the deputy principal and a head teacher.

Police attended and spoke with the POI. [redacted] admitted to threatening self harm, but denied saying [redacted] would do it if front of students. The POI has also threatened legal action.

Police called for an ambulance and the POI was escorted from the school to the ambulance.

Attempts were made to contact the POI's [redacted] When [redacted] could not be contacted the POI's [redacted] was contacted and informed of the incident.

Action

SSRU Leader Incident Management advises:

- offer EAPS counselling support to any affected staff
- complete any relevant WHS injury reports

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031167

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 8:50, Wed, Oct 24, 2012

Entered: 10:47, Wed, Oct 24, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
	H	Illawarra and South East - Sapphire		
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Far South Coast	02 4478 9910	No
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Weapons Related - Student threatens another student with scissors

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) [redacted] was informed by another [redacted] male (victim) that he could not play computer games as the library was closed.

The YP became angry and threatened the victim with scissors that he had in his pocket. The YP held the scissors towards the victim.

The incident was witnessed by a head teacher who took the scissors from the YP.

The YP's mother has been contacted and the YP is to be suspended.

Attempts have been made to contact the victim's parent.

Action

SSRU advised:

- review the YP's risk management plan before he returns to school
- seek permission from the YP's parent for the YP to reveal contents of his bag and pockets to ensure he is not carrying dangerous implements.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031162

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 12:45, Tue, Oct 23, 2012

Entered: 16:50, Tue, Oct 23, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
	H	Hunter/Central Coast - H/CC2		
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Tuggerah Lakes	02 4390 1200	No
Attended	COPS Event #			
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending			

Assault - School locked down following student assaults

Narrative

Two females (YPs) engaged in a planned fight during lunch in the playground.

During the fight, both YPs punched each other and required several staff members to separate them.

While escorting YP1 to the office area, YP2 ran up behind YP1 and punched her again which caused a second fight to occur.

To control other students and isolate the YPs, the school implemented a lockdown procedure.

The YPs were controlled and both attended the office.

YP2 was provided with first aid

The school contacted both parents who will attend the following day. The YPs will receive a long suspension for violent behaviour.

Action

The SSRU recommends;

* Completing a WH&S injury notification.

* Contact and inform the SLP for appropriate action and if suitable, request they attend a resolution meeting with the YPs.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031171

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 12:30, Tue, Oct 23, 2012
Entered: 14:41, Wed, Oct 24, 2012 [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
[redacted]	H	Hunter/Central Coast - H/CC10	[redacted]	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[redacted]	[redacted]	Port Stephens	02 4983 7599	Yes
Attended	COPS Event #			
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	E49216923			

Weapons Related - [redacted] male assaults student with scissors

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) and a [redacted] male (victim) have a history of being involved in minor incidents at school. The YP and the victim were in the [redacted] and were again involved in an altercation.

The YP grabbed the victim and pushed him up against the white board. The teacher (witness) observed the YP to be in possession of scissors and was holding them [redacted]

The teacher intervened and removed the YP from the classroom for the safety of the victim and students.

The principal investigated the incident and contacted police.

The victim and the YP's parents were contacted

The YP has been suspended.

Police are investigating the incident.

Action

SSRU advised:

- liaise with the police officer in charge of the incident.
- the details of the AVO were supplied to the principal for the welfare of the victim

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031148

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 11:00, Tue, Oct 23, 2012

Entered: 13:24, Tue, Oct 23, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
		Sydney	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
			Police
			Yes

Attended

Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event #

Threat or Intimidation: student threatens self harm

Narrative

A (YP) attended the school office and stated that was leaving the school. A short time later, the YP returned to the office and told the principal had gone to a nearby park and attempted to

The YP became highly irrational and made requests to speak to and the Youth Liaison Officer (YLO) from the local police station.

The principal and the deputy principal (DP) contacted a taxi in an attempt to take the YP home to mother. The YP refused to go and informed the principal that was going to. The YP walked to the local shops and purchased a

The YP walked back to the park and climbed a swing set. The principal intervened and removed the YP.

An ambulance and police were contacted and attended the location. The YP refused to leave with the ambulance officers. The YP ran from the location.

Police conducted a search of the area and located the YP in a nearby block of apartments.

Police contacted the YP's mother and informed her of the situation.

Action

SSRU advised:

- liaise with the YLO concerning the incident.
- contact student welfare directorate

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031141

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 8:55, Tue, Oct 23, 2012
Entered: 9:17, Tue, Oct 23, 2012 [REDACTED]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[REDACTED]		Western NSW [REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Orana	02 6881 3266
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Other - Student arrested at school

Narrative

A police officer arrived at the school and arrested a [REDACTED] female (YP) for a non-school related incident.

The DP contacted the principal who contacted the police.

The YP's father was informed and will attend the police station.

Action

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031138

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 14:30, Mon, Oct 22, 2012
Entered: 16:01, Mon, Oct 22, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	New England - New England South	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Oxley	02 6768 2999
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Weapons Related - Student stabs another student

Narrative

A male (YP) removed a from another male (witness) during a lesson. The YP then approached a male (victim) and made a threat to stab him with the

Following this, the YP stabbed the victim

The victim was taken to sick bay and first aid was administered. His parent was contacted, attended the school and conveyed the victim for medical attention.

The school has left a message for the YP's parent to contact the school. The YP will be suspended.

Action

SSRU recommended:

- contact police and surrender the to attending officers
- offer school counsellor support to the victim and the YP
- provide staff with the contact details of EAP
- seek support from the SLP with crime prevention strategies
- inform the SED

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031165

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 14:00, Mon, Oct 22, 2012
Entered: 9:54, Wed, Oct 24, 2012 [redacted]

Location [redacted]	Type H	Region/School Group Sydney - Port Hacking	Phone [redacted]	
Principal [redacted]	Director [redacted]	LAC Miranda	LAC Phone 02 9527 8199	Police Yes
Attended <input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown		COPS Event # Pending		

Other - Police remove student from school

Narrative

A [redacted] female (YP) was placed on a suspension for aggressive behaviour and asked to leave the school. The YP refused to leave the school despite repeated requests from the deputy principal (DP).

The YP became angry and the DP became concerned that she may pose a threat to staff and other students.

The DP called police who came to the school and escorted the YP from the premises.

The DP will revise the YP's risk management plan. Parents have been informed.

Action

SSRU Leader Incident Management advises:

- consider SLP and / or counsellor support for the YP in any return from suspension meeting

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031142

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 13:55, Mon, Oct 22, 2012
Entered: 11:20, Tue, Oct 23, 2012 [REDACTED]

Location [REDACTED]		Type P	Region/School Group Western NSW - Bourke	Phone [REDACTED]
Principal [REDACTED]	Director [REDACTED]	LAC Darling River	LAC Phone 02 6870 0800	Police Yes
Attended <input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown		COPS Event # Pending		

Assault - Student seriously assaults student

Narrative

A [REDACTED] male (YP) approached another [REDACTED] male (victim) in the playground during lunch. The YP spoke to the victim briefly and, as a result, the victim pushed the YP away from him.

The YP punched the victim [REDACTED]. The school administered first aid before contacting the victim's mother and an ambulance.

The victim [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

The principal has contacted police to report the incident and will report the student injury accordingly.

The school has suspended the YP and will establish a behaviour management plan as part of their risk assessment process.

Action

The SSRU has recommended the school afford appropriate victim support to the victim.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031146

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 13:45, Mon, Oct 22, 2012
Entered: 12:30, Tue, Oct 23, 2012 [redacted]

Location [redacted]		Type H	Region/School Group South Western Sydney	Phone [redacted]
Principal [redacted]	Director [redacted]	LAC Rosehill	LAC Phone 02 9760 6120	Police Yes
Attended <input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown		COPS Event # E50279508		

Assault - Student assaulted

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) from [redacted] attended a conference with his father (POI 1) and his mother (POI 2) at [redacted] regional office. POI 2 became involved in an altercation with the YP who grabbed POI 2 by the throat. POI 1 and POI 2 yelled verbal abuse at the YP.

A short time later, POI 1 became aggressive towards the YP, pushing him against a wall and punching him to [redacted]. A staff member intervened and the YP ran outside the building.

Police assistance was sought.

Staff walked outside the office to assist until police attended and found the YP [redacted]

Police attended and transported POI 1 to the local police station.

[redacted]

POI 1 and POI 2 phoned [redacted] office and verbally abused staff.

EAP support has been offered to staff involved in the incident.

Action

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031140

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 13:30, Mon, Oct 22, 2012
Entered: 9:05, Tue, Oct 23, 2012 [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
[redacted]	P	South Western Sydney - Fairfield	[redacted]	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[redacted]	[redacted]	Fairfield	02 9728 0399	No

Attended Bridge Street Blacktown COPS Event # Pending

Weapons Related - Students with [redacted]

Narrative

A teacher confiscated [redacted] from a [redacted] male (YP1) and a [redacted] male (YP2) during the lunch break. The YPs were not together and their use of the [redacted] were separate incidents. The YPs were [redacted] at female students.

[redacted]
YP2 claimed that he bought the [redacted]

Disciplinary action against the YPs is to be taken following discussion with the YPs' parents and local police.

Action

SSRU advised:

- contact local police as the [redacted] may be a prohibited weapon as per Schedule 1 of the Weapons Prohibition Act.
- inform the YPs' parents
- take appropriate action against the YPs.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031136

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 13:00, Mon, Oct 22, 2012
Entered: 15:14, Mon, Oct 22, 2012

Location		Type	Region/School Group	Phone
		H	New England - New England South	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Oxley	02 6768 2999	No
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Assault - Agitated student assaults a student and teachers

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) pushed a [redacted] female (victim 1) during [redacted] lessons. Both students [redacted]

The YP was non-compliant and his behaviour escalated when asked by a teacher to stop the behaviour.

The head teacher (victim 2) intervened, but the YP continued the behaviour. The YP picked up a chair and attempted to hit victim 2. The YP then threw a chair that made contact with victim 1, [redacted]

Students were removed from the classroom and victim 1 was provided with first aid.

A male teacher (victim 3) intervened and restrained the YP to prevent injury to others. The YP made a number of attempts to assault victim 3.

Police were contacted and attended.

The YP's parent was contacted and conveyed the YP home.

The YP will be suspended.

The principal reported extensive damage to display cabinets in the [redacted] classroom.

The SED was informed.

Action

SSRU advise:

- provide staff with the contact details of EAP support
- complete any required WHS reports
- review the YP's risk assessment and Behaviour Management Support Plan
- contact victim 1's parents and offer victim 1 and any other students affected by the incident school counsellor support

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031157

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 13:00, Mon, Oct 22, 2012
Entered: 16:07, Tue, Oct 23, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
	P	North Coast - Manning Camden		
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Manning Great Lakes	02 6555 1203	No
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Weapons Related - Student with a knife

Narrative

It was brought to the attention of the assistant principal (AP) that a [redacted] male (YP) [redacted] had a [redacted] knife at school.

The AP confiscated the knife. The YP's carer was informed who attended the school. The AP returned the knife to the YP's carer.

The principal was informed on 23/10/2012. Further investigations revealed that the YP had threatened other students while holding the knife.

The YP will be suspended.

The principal contacted the YLO.

Action

SSRU recommended:

- inform the YLO of the incident
- conduct a risk assessment for the YP
- check on the welfare of students who were threatened and offer them school counsellor support, if necessary

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031125

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 9:15, Mon, Oct 22, 2012

Entered: 10:28, Mon, Oct 22, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[Redacted]	[Redacted]	Western NSW - [Redacted]	[Redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[Redacted]	[Redacted]	Orana	02 6881 3266

Attended

Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event #

Pending

Other - Student arrested at school

Narrative

Police arrived at the school and arrested a [Redacted] female (YP) for non-school related incidents.

The YP's mother had given permission for police to arrest the YP at the school.

The principal contacted the YP's mother to confirm this.

Action

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031190

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 8:45, Mon, Oct 22, 2012
Entered: 12:51, Thu, Oct 25, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	Western Sydney - Hawkesbury	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Hawkesbury	02 4577 4372
			Police
			Yes

Attended Bridge Street Blacktown COPS Event #
E48947615

Other - Suspended student escorted from school by police

Narrative

A female (YP) currently on suspension re-entered the school prior to the suspension being lifted or the YP taking part in a return from suspension interview.

The YP demanded to be allowed back into class and became abusive to staff members including the principal. The YP roamed around the school using offensive language and refused to follow staff directions.

The principal contacted the YP's mother and police who attended and spoke to the YP. The YP was not under arrest, but in consultation with the YP's mother, arrangements were made for the YP to be conveyed from the school by police where suitable accommodation was arranged.

The school are considering placing the YP at a different school.

Action

The SSRU has recommended the school assist the YP's parents and provide contact details for the SLP for consideration in programs with the PCYC.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031113

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 14:00, Fri, Oct 19, 2012

Entered: 15:06, Fri, Oct 19, 2012

Location		Type	Region/School Group	Phone
		H	Sydney - Georges River	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		St George	02 8566 7420	No
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Weapons Related - Student intimidates other students with knife

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) brought a knife, [redacted] to school. The YP took the knife from his bag and approached a [redacted] male (victim 1) and two [redacted] males (victim 2 and victim 3) from behind in a corridor.

The YP pointed the knife towards the victims in an intimidating fashion. The YP did not speak to the victims.

The victims reported the incident to the principal who questioned the YP. The YP originally denied having the knife, but gave it to the principal when she asked to see the contents of his bag.

The principal has secured the knife and informed the YP's parents.

The principal will take appropriate disciplinary action and will inform police.

The victims will be offered counselling and their parents will be informed.

Action

SSRU advise:

- issue No Knives at School Fact Sheet to the parents and YP
- inform SLP and consider involving the SLP and / or counsellor support in any return from suspension meeting

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031108

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 11:30, Fri, Oct 19, 2012
Entered: 13:53, Fri, Oct 19, 2012 [REDACTED]

Location [REDACTED]		Type H	Region/School Group New England - New England North	Phone [REDACTED]
Principal [REDACTED]	Director [REDACTED]	LAC New England	LAC Phone 02 6771 0603	Police Yes
Attended <input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown		COPS Event # Pending		

Weapons Related - Student threatening with offensive implement

Narrative

The relieving School Education Director (SED) reported that a [REDACTED] male (YP1) was observed to be threatening a [REDACTED] male (YP2) while holding a sharp piece of [REDACTED]

When a staff member intervened YP1 ran away, and in the process, injured [REDACTED] when he fell on the [REDACTED]

Lockdown procedures were implemented.

Police and an ambulance attended the school. [REDACTED]

It was revealed that both YPs had organised a fight to take place [REDACTED]

YP1's parent will be contacted and YP1 will be suspended. A risk assessment will be conducted and a Behaviour Management Support Plan will be developed for YP1.

YP2 has attended the police station with the school counsellor to make a statement. His parent has been contacted and school disciplinary action is pending.

Staff will be provided with contact details for EAP.

Action

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031105

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 10:00, Fri, Oct 19, 2012
Entered: 11:53, Fri, Oct 19, 2012 [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
[redacted]	H	[redacted]	[redacted]	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[redacted]	[redacted]	Blue Mountains	02 4751 0200	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Weapons Related - Student makes threats with [redacted]

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) stole a [redacted] from the school's art room in the morning. During recess, the YP held the weapon towards three other [redacted] males (victims) and threatened to harm them.

The deputy principal (DP) was informed and investigated. The DP confiscated the weapon.

The YP's parents were informed of the incident.

The YP was suspended.

Action

SSRU advise:

- police should be notified of the incident
- contact the victims parents and inform them of the incident
- offer counselling support to the victims

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031174

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 9:30, Fri, Oct 19, 2012
Entered: 15:31, Wed, Oct 24, 2012

Location		Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[Redacted]		H	Western Sydney - Blue Mountains	[Redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[Redacted]		Blue Mountains	02 4751 0200	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Other [Redacted] male lights a fire with emergency services involved

Narrative

Two students reported to the principal that a [Redacted] male (YP), from [Redacted] had truanted class and walked to the bush land area within the school. The YP was smoking and lit a fire in a fallen tree trunk.

The principal contacted police and Fire and Rescue NSW. The fire was extinguished and police spoke to the YP.

The YP's carer was contacted and appropriate disciplinary action followed.

Action

SSRU advised:

- contact Asset Management Services in regard to back burning of the bushland

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031097

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: [redacted] Oct [redacted] 2012
Entered: [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[redacted]	[redacted]	Sydney - [redacted]	[redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]
Attended			COPS Event #
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Other - Student inciting sexual offences

Narrative

In the first half of the year, a [redacted] (YP) created a fake SNS profile in the name of a fabricated female person of about the same age.

The YP invited [redacted] to participate in [redacted] asking them to send messages containing [redacted]

It is believed that in excess of fifty males, predominately [redacted] years of age, have engaged in such communications. [redacted]

It became known that the YP was responsible for creating this SNS profile. During conversations with the principal the YP admitted creating the profile [redacted]

The school was notified that the SNS profile has since been deleted.

The school has contacted the YP's parents who have attended. A risk prevention strategy has recommended that, in the interim, the YP should be kept home for [redacted] own safety. A newsletter has been sent home reminding parents to supervise their children's access to SNS and use of the internet, without mentioning this incident.

The school has contacted police.

Action

The SSRU has conducted a number of searches on the SNS and on the police database exchanging relevant information with the principal.

The SSRU advises the principal to contact the Media Unit and provide appropriate support and counselling for the YP.

The SSRU is engaging in discussions with the relevant LAC regarding this incident.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031064

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 10:30, Wed, Oct 17, 2012
Entered: 11:46, Wed, Oct 17, 2012 [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
[redacted]		Riverina - Riverina North	[redacted]	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[redacted]	[redacted]	Wagga Wagga	02 6923 1800	No
Attended	COPS Event #			
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending			

Assault - Agitated student assaults staff

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) became agitated in a classroom and began throwing furniture around the room. Staff removed the YP from the room and tried to settle him down.

The YP escalated his behaviour and began throwing rocks at windows.

When the principal and an SLSO (victim) intervened, the YP threw a rock at the victim, hitting her [redacted]

The YP's carer was called who came to the school and took the YP home. The principal will take appropriate disciplinary action and revise the YP's risk management plan.

The victim suffered [redacted] She was provided with first aid at school before leaving to seek medical attention.

The victim will be offered EAP support and will complete a WHS referral.

Action

The SSRU recommended:

- inform the police YLO.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031062

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 9:30, Wed, Oct 17, 2012
Entered: 10:47, Wed, Oct 17, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	Hunter/Central Coast - H/CC3	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Tuggerah Lakes	02 4390 1200
			Police
			No

Attended
 Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event #
Pending

Assault - Student fighting with ex-student

Narrative

A [redacted] male (victim) was approached by a male ex-student (POI) at a [redacted] while walking to school. The POI challenged the victim to a fight.

The victim refused to fight the POI and brushed past him as he attempted to proceed to school. The POI punched the victim [redacted]. The POI then [redacted] the victim.

The victim [redacted] before punching the POI [redacted]. At this stage a [redacted] female (YP) intervened and kicked the victim [redacted].

The fight ended when a member of the public yelled at the group. The victim went to school and reported the incident to the DP.

The victim was given first aid at school [redacted] and his mother was informed. He will be offered counselling. The DP is taking appropriate disciplinary action with the YP and will inform her parents.

The incident was filmed by at least one and possibly two students. The DP has confiscated one phone with footage of the fight and is attempting to contact the other student.

Action

The SSRU recommended:

- report the incident to police and advise them of the video footage
- inform the SED

The SSRU informed the DEC media unit.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031061

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 9:00, Wed, Oct 17, 2012

Entered: 9:53, Wed, Oct 17, 2012

Location		Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[Redacted]		P	Riverina - Riverina North West	[Redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[Redacted]	[Redacted]	Griffith	02 6969 0400	No
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Weapons Related - Student assaults other student with [Redacted]

Narrative

A [Redacted] male (YP) began behaving erratically in the playground before school.

The YP approached a [Redacted] male (victim) and jabbed his [Redacted] that he had brought to school, causing a [Redacted]

Staff intervened and confiscated the [Redacted] The YP's mother was contacted who came to the school and took the YP home.

The principal has taken appropriate disciplinary action and will revise the YP's risk management plan. The principal will inform the police YLO who has been previously involved with the YP.

The victim will be offered counselling and his parents will be informed.

Action

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031101

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 8:00, Wed, Oct 17, 2012
Entered: 10:30, Fri, Oct 19, 2012

Location		Type	Region/School Group	Phone
		H	Illawarra and South East -	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Goulburn	02 4823 0399	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Other - Students shoplifting before school

Narrative

A female (YP1) and a female (YP2) were in uniform and entered a supermarket on their way to school.

Both YPs took part in shoplifting an amount of goods from the supermarket and left the store. Staff from the supermarket approached the YPs after identifying them as the shoplifters and escorted them to the manager's office. The YPs produced the goods that had been stolen and provided their details to the store supervisor.

The store supervisor permitted the YPs to leave and attend the school. The store contacted police and the school to advise of the incident.

Police attended the school and interviewed the YPs. YP1 was interviewed in the presence of her parent and received a long suspension. YP2 was interviewed in the presence of the principal and her parents were contacted.

Appropriate counselling is being afforded to the YPs.

Action

The SSRU has reminded the school of the legal issues bulletin relating to the interviewing of students by external agencies.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031052

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 14:40, Tue, Oct 16, 2012

Entered: 15:21, Tue, Oct 16, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
	H	South Western Sydney - Fairfield		
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Cabramatta	02 9725 8999	Yes
Attended	COPS Event #			
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Assault - Former student subject to an Inclosed Lands Act ban assaults staff member

Narrative

A [redacted] male (victim 1) ran into the school office and appeared frightened. Victim 1 reported that his brother (POI), who is a former student, approached him as he walked home. The POI does not reside at the same address as victim 1 and is the subject of a current Inclosed Lands Act banning notice.

A short time later, the POI entered the school administration area in a highly agitated state and demanded to know the whereabouts of victim 1.

When the relieving principal (victim 2) attempted to prevent the POI gaining access to victim 1, the POI attempted to push past victim 2. This caused both the POI and victim 2 to fall to the floor.

The school contacted police using triple zero.

Staff intervened and restrained the POI until police arrived. Police handcuffed the POI and removed him from the school grounds.

Victim 1's carer attended the school and conveyed victim 1 home.

The school will provide victim 1 with school counsellor support.

Victim 2 sustained an injury [redacted] A WHS report will be made.

Action

SSRU recommended:

- conduct a risk assessment in relation to the POI and develop a safety plan for victim 1
- remind staff of the support available from EAP

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031060

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 12:00, Tue, Oct 16, 2012
Entered: 9:29, Wed, Oct 17, 2012 [redacted]

Location		Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[redacted]		H	Hunter/Central Coast - H/CC10	[redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[redacted]		Port Stephens	02 4983 7599	No
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Threat or Intimidation - Student making threat [redacted]

Narrative

Students informed the deputy principal (Victim) that a [redacted] male (YP) had made a threat towards him [redacted].
[redacted] The YP reportedly told the victim to be alert because he (the YP) intended to find out where the victim lived.

The victim is aware of the support available from EAP.

The YP's parent will be contacted and appropriate disciplinary action will be taken in respect to the YP.

Action

SSRU recommended :

- inform police
- seek support from the SLP who will be in attendance at the school today [redacted]

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031047

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 10:00, Tue, Oct 16, 2012
Entered: 13:07, Tue, Oct 16, 2012 [REDACTED]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[REDACTED]	H	South Western Sydney -	[REDACTED]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Campbelltown	02 4620 1265
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Drugs - Suspected consumption of prescription medication

Narrative

A [REDACTED] male (YP1) vomited in class and was taken to sick bay. Staff became suspicious of the cause of his illness when they overheard rumours. The deputy principal (DP) investigated and was provided with information by students.

YP1 eventually admitted that he had taken a tablet he had obtained from another [REDACTED] male (YP2). YP1 alleged that he had consumed the tablet with a beer, outside the school fence just before the school day commenced.

YP2 admitted that he had given the tablet to YP1. He alleged that a former student (POI) had supplied him with the tablet that he believed was prescription medication.

YP1's parent was contacted and attended the school.

An ambulance was called [REDACTED]

YP2's parent was contacted. YP1 and YP2 will be suspended.

Action

SSRU recommended:

- contact the police
- seek support from the SLP with crime prevention strategies
- conduct risk assessments for YP1 and YP2 and offer them school counsellor support

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031033

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 14:55, Mon, Oct 15, 2012
Entered: 15:29, Mon, Oct 15, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[Redacted]	H	Western Sydney - Mt Druitt	[Redacted]
Principal [Redacted]	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
Director [Redacted]	St Marys	02 9623 2899	Yes
Attended <input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	COPS Event # Pending		

Threat or Intimidation - Parents making threats to students

Narrative

The parents (POIs) of a [Redacted] female arrived at the school in a highly agitated state and entered the deputy principal's (DP) office. The POIs alleged that two [Redacted] females (YPs) had called their daughter rude names and demanded to know the YPs' whereabouts.

When this request was refused they left the school, making threats to harm the YPs. The principal and DP followed the POIs outside where they were observed entering their vehicle.

The POIs noticed the YPs boarding the school bus and made verbal threats to harm them. When the bus drove away, the POIs followed in their vehicle.

The DP was concerned of reprisal incidents in the community involving the POIs and the YPs' parents and contacted police.

The matter will be investigated on [Redacted] and appropriate disciplinary action will be taken.

Action

*SSRU police checked the situation with details provided by the school. The DP was advised that police were in attendance, close to a local primary school, where the two YPs were involved in an incident.

SSRU referred the DP to Legal Issues Bulletin No 31 for information about the Inclosed Lands Act.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031031

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: [redacted] Oct [redacted] 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	Yes

Attended Bridge Street Blacktown COPS Event # Pending

Other - Student posting [redacted] on SNS

Narrative

A [redacted] (YP) who is absent from school posted a [redacted] photograph of a [redacted] (victim) on a social networking site (SNS). [redacted]

Information has been obtained that the image was taken by the victim and sent to [redacted] at the time. The image was leaked to the YP, who is no longer friends with the victim, and posted on the site.

A number of students viewed the image on the YP's SNS profile and advised the Deputy Principal (DP). It [redacted]

The victim who is present at school was given [redacted] appropriate counselling services and student support.

Action

The SSRU has advised the school:

- * Report the matter to police.
- * Contact the victim's parents
- * Continue offering victim support
- * Not to disseminate, copy or forward the image to any person within the school.
- * Confiscate the mobile phones known to have accessed the SNS and viewed the image for appropriate action and deletion by police.
- * Ensure the image is not viewed by any other student or staff member.

The SSRU has emailed appropriate ACMA and DEC documents [redacted]
The SSRU has mailed several brochures to the DP.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031051

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 11:45, Mon, Oct 15, 2012
Entered: 14:55, Tue, Oct 16, 2012 [REDACTED]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
[REDACTED]	P	Riverina - Riverina North	[REDACTED]	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Wagga Wagga	02 6923 1800	No

Attended Bridge Street Blacktown COPS Event # Pending

Threat or Intimidation - Student threatens to jump off roof top

Narrative

A [REDACTED] male (YP) refused to enter the school at the commencement of the day and attended a nearby [REDACTED]. A staff member detected the YP within the residence and asked him to attend school. The YP refused and went to the [REDACTED]

At about [REDACTED] the YP entered the school grounds and climbed onto the roof top, threatening to jump off to kill himself. The school negotiated with the YP and contacted [REDACTED] requesting them to attend.

The YP's [REDACTED] attended and coerced the YP from the roof. The principal contacted external support services to assist the YP and his family while the YP waited outside the office. At this time the YP told a member of staff he would [REDACTED]

The YP entered the principal's office and, in the presence of his [REDACTED] and principal, attempted to [REDACTED]

The YP was restrained.

The school does not intend to suspend the YP and will deal with the matter as a welfare issue.

Action

The SSRU has recommended the school contact the local police and advise them of the threat.

The SSRU has ascertained that there are no [REDACTED] or to any person within the residence.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031020

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 12:20, Fri, Oct 12, 2012

Entered: 15:25, Fri, Oct 12, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	Riverina - Riverina North	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Wagga Wagga	02 6923 1800
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Assault - Student assaults his mother

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP) [redacted] was being taken home from school by his mother after an earlier incident.

The YP confronted his mother, punched her [redacted] and ran from the school.

The police were informed and came to the school. The police interviewed the victim and left to locate the YP.

The victim suffered [redacted] and was given first aid by staff. [redacted]

The DP will take appropriate disciplinary action and revise the YP's risk management plan.

Action

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031018

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 14:30, Thu, Oct 11, 2012
Entered: 14:23, Fri, Oct 12, 2012 [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
[redacted]	P	New England - New England	[redacted]	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[redacted]	[redacted]	Oxley	02 6768 2999	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Weapons Related - [redacted] male in possession of an offensive weapon

Narrative

The Principal was informed that, while walking home, a [redacted] male (YP) struck a [redacted] female (victim) in [redacted] with a rock.

The Principal spoke with the YP who admitted having a sling shot in his possession and using it to assault the victim. The YP stated that he believed the victim had been making derogatory comments about him.

The victim's parents were contacted.

The YP's parents were notified and the YP has been suspended.

The Principal contacted police.

Action

SSRU advised:

- contact the YLO for involvement with a return to school meeting.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031004

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 14:00, Thu, Oct 11, 2012
Entered: 15:56, Thu, Oct 11, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
	P	North Coast - Hastings		
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Mid North Coast	02 6583 0133	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Threat or Intimidation - Parent threatens teacher

Narrative

The mother (POI) of a male (YP) came to the school after the YP became agitated and uncontrollable. The YP had cut up his work with scissors and climbed a tree in the playground, refusing to come down.

When his mother arrived the YP told her that his teacher (victim) had torn up his work and put it in the bin. The POI became angry and began accosting staff and running through classrooms in an attempt to find the victim.

The school was placed into lockdown.

The POI eventually found the victim and threatened to assault her. The principal intervened and convinced the POI to leave the school.

As she was leaving with the YP, the POI said she was going to go home to get a knife to stab the victim.

The principal informed the police who came to the school and spoke with the victim. The police advised that they would speak with the POI at her residence.

The victim was upset by the incident and was offered support at school and from EAP. The victim will make a WHS referral.

Action

The SSRU recommends:

- the school have police serve the POI with an Inclosed Lands Act ban
- the school support the victim if she intends to take legal action and obtain copies of any court orders put in place.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031546

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 11:30, Thu, Oct 11, 2012
Entered: 11:03, Fri, Nov 16, 2012 [REDACTED]

Location		Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[REDACTED]		H	Hunter/Central Coast - H/CC6	[REDACTED]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[REDACTED]		Lake Macquarie	02 4942 9940	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown		Pending		

Assault - Student assaults other student

Narrative

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A [REDACTED] male (YP1) and a [REDACTED] male (victim) were involved in a minor physical altercation. A [REDACTED] male (YP2) who is a friend of YP1's involved himself in the fight and physically assaulted the victim causing an injury to the victim [REDACTED]

The victim was given first aid and an ambulance was called.

The victim's parent was contacted and attended the school. [REDACTED]

The victim's parent was advised to take the victim to the police station to make a statement for a police report. The victim's parent stated she would not be making a police report.

The SLP was contacted and asked to speak with the victim.

YP2 has been given a long suspension for physical violence.

YP2 and the victim have since returned to school.

Action

SSRU advise:

- assaults at school where there are injuries requiring medical attention should be reported to police

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031001

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 11:30, Thu, Oct 11, 2012

Entered: 14:36, Thu, Oct 11, 2012

Location		Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[REDACTED]		H	Northern Sydney - Lane Cove	[REDACTED]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[REDACTED]		Eastwood	02 9858 5944	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Assault - Student assaulted by former students

Narrative

Two [REDACTED] females (YP1 & YP2) engaged in a fight in the playground. A male teacher intervened and restrained YP1 to stop the fight.

A [REDACTED] male (YP3) took exception to this and pulled the teacher away by grabbing him by the jumper. A [REDACTED] male (YP4) intervened which resulted in pushing and shoving between YP3 and YP4.

A number of staff members intervened and the students were separated.

YP3 contacted [REDACTED] (POI1). POI1 attended the school with [REDACTED] (POI2) and a third male (POI3). All POIs are reportedly former students.

POI1 entered the administration area and asked to speak with the principal. However, the other two POIs attended the classroom where the male teacher was located and attempted to gain access. They then went to the [REDACTED] where they assaulted YP4.

Lockdown procedures were implemented and police were contacted via triple zero.

Police attended just after POI2 and POI3 had left the school. Police spoke with POI1.

YP4 sustained [REDACTED] and first aid was administered.

The YPs' parents have been contacted and appropriate disciplinary action has been taken for the YPs.

The principal will contact [REDACTED] the SED.

Action

SSRU recommended:

- contact the Media Unit due to concerns that the incident may have been filmed
- the POIs be issued with Inclosed Lands Act banning letters (the principal was referred to Legal Issues Bulletin No 31 for further information)
- police be requested to deliver the banning letters to the POIs
- staff affected by the incident be provided with the contact details of EAPs
- seek support from the SLP with crime prevention strategies around assault
- offer counselling support for YP4

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S030994

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 9:15, Thu, Oct 11, 2012
Entered: 12:57, Thu, Oct 11, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
		Sydney - Inner City	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
		Redfern	02 9690 4600
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Assault - Highly agitated student taken home by police

Narrative

The two assistant principals (AP1 and AP2) were made aware that a [redacted] male (YP) had arrived at school in an agitated state. A loud explosive sound was heard outside the APs' office area and AP1 went to investigate.

The YP was observed walking from the area where a shattered cigarette lighter was found on the floor. AP1 followed the YP, who appeared to be smoking at the school gate. The YP entered the school building, but refused to talk with AP1.

AP1 contacted the YP's parent who was unable to attend the school. The YP's behaviour escalated when he overheard AP1 speaking with his mother on the phone. The YP shaped to hit AP1 and then assaulted AP1 with his jumper.

AP2 intervened and the YP's parent gave verbal permission for the YP to travel home.

The YP refused to leave and threw objects at AP2. This resulted in a [redacted] The YP also broke a pane of glass in a window and then caused damage to AP1's [redacted]

Police were contacted and attended the school. The YP was escorted home by attending officers.

AP2 was provided with first aid and both APs are aware of the support available from EAPs.

Action

SSRU recommended:

- inform the SED
- review the YP's risk assessment and Behaviour Management Support Plan
- take appropriate disciplinary action and consider counsellor support for the YP
- report any damage to FMWeb

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031382

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: [redacted], Oct [redacted] 2012
Entered: [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[redacted]		New England - [redacted]	[redacted]
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
[redacted]			Police No

Attended
 Bridge Street Blacktown

COPS Event #
Pending

Other - Sexting between students on SNS

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP1) is in a relationship with a [redacted] female (YP2) and sent an inappropriate image in a private message on a SNS. YP2 sent an inappropriate image in reply.

A [redacted] female (YP3) allowed YP2 to use her mobile phone to access the SNS. YP2 returned the phone to YP3 and her account remained logged in. YP3 looked through YP2's messages on the SNS and viewed the inappropriate images.

YP3 caused a screen shot to be taken of the images on the SNS effectively copying them to her phone. YP3 showed these images to friends [redacted] the following day.

Another [redacted] female (YP4) heard about the images and approached YP1 about them. YP4 asked the YP1 to forward the images to her which he did. YP4 sent these images to a number of students from neighbouring schools.

YP2 is distraught about the matter and the school contacted the SSRU to seek assistance.

Action

The SSRU recommends the school;

- * Contact police and report the sexting to be investigated.
- * Contact the parents of YP1 and YP2 regarding the sexting.
- * Confiscate the phone belonging to YP3 and hand it to police for appropriate action.
- * Do not show images or phone to any other staff member or parent.
- * Advise the media unit
- * Provide appropriate support and counselling to YP1 & YP2.
- * Request the YLO or SLP become involved in speaking to the school about sexting.

The SSRU has emailed a number of resources to the school including articles from the ACMA and legal issues bulletins relating to these offences.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S030989

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 11:30, Wed, Oct 10, 2012
Entered: 14:46, Wed, Oct 10, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
	H	Western NSW - Orange		
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Canobolas	02 6361 5499	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Weapons Related - Agitated student brandishes knife

Narrative

A [redacted] male (YP), [redacted] became agitated and refused to go home at lunchtime. The YP threw objects and furniture around in a staff common room.

Office staff called police.

The deputy principal (DP) intervened and tried to calm the YP, but the YP moved to [redacted] and took a [redacted] knife from a drawer. The YP then began banging the knife on a table.

The DP asked the YP to put the knife down which he did. The YP began pulling mail from staff pigeon holes until a male staff member was able to restrain him and move the YP outside.

The YP remained in an agitated state until police arrived. [redacted]

The school informed the YP's parents and have taken appropriate disciplinary action.

The YP's risk management plan will be revised and the school will revise access arrangements to the staff kitchen.

Action

SSRU advise:

- liaise with local police regarding the incident
- offer counselling support to any staff affected by the incident
- consider counsellor support and involvement of the SLP in any return from suspension meeting

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S030992

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 8:30, Wed, Oct 10, 2012
Entered: 16:16, Wed, Oct 10, 2012

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
	H	Hunter/Central Coast - H/CC1	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone
			Police Yes
Attended		COPS Event #	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending	

Drugs - Students distributing

Narrative

On two female students were using at school. The students named a male (YP1) as the supplier of the

YP1 has been absent from school since the incident so his mother was contacted and informed of the allegation. YP1 attended the school this morning and was questioned about the alleged supply of to the female students. He admitted to providing drugs and named another male (YP2) as the person who provided the to him.

Police were called and attended. They spoke with the YPs about the allegations. YP2 co-operated with police and provided names of other people involved. Police are to investigate further.

Both YPs have been given long suspensions for supplying drugs to students.

Action

SSRU advise:

- liaise with local police concerning any charges that may be laid
- involve SLP in conducting drug education workshops for students
- consider counsellor support for the YPs upon return to school
- consider involving SLP in any return from suspension meeting

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S030983

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 13:15, Tue, Oct 9, 2012
Entered: 10:14, Wed, Oct 10, 2012

Location		Type	Region/School Group	Phone
		H	Hunter/Central Coast - H/CC6	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
		Lake Macquarie	02 4942 9940	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	Pending		

Other - Former student trespassing and disrupts school

Narrative

A former student (YP) was expelled last term and issued with a banning notice by the School Liaison Policer Officer under the Inclosed Lands Act provisions.

The YP entered the school grounds in search of a male (victim). The YP was asked to leave the school and refused.

Police were contacted.

The principal put the school into lockdown for the safety of the victim and other students.

Eventually the YP left the school grounds, but returned a short time later.

The principal again requested that the YP leave the school grounds. The YP eventually left without incident.

Police are investigating the incident.

Action

SSRU advised:

- Liaise with the officer in charge of the investigation.
- contact the SLP regarding the incident.
- offer counselling support for the victim and inform the victim's parents.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S031011

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 13:00, Tue, Oct 9, 2012
Entered: 10:21, Fri, Oct 12, 2012 [REDACTED]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone	
[REDACTED]	H	North Coast - Far North Coast	[REDACTED]	
Principal	Director	LAC	LAC Phone	Police
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Tweed Byron	07 5536 0999	Yes
Attended		COPS Event #		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown	E49320318		

Weapons Related - Student threatened

Narrative

Students reported that they had called police because a [REDACTED] female (Victim 1), who had been truanting from school, was being chased by two adult females (POI 1 and POI 2) and an adult male (POI 3). POI 3 is a former boyfriend of Victim 1 and POI 1 is POI 3's current girlfriend.

Victim 1 was in the company of another female (Victim 2) who is believed to be a student at another high school.

The POIs alighted from the vehicle and pursued the victims in an area across the road from the school. Victim 1 managed to get away. Victim 2 was reportedly assaulted and then threatened by POI 1 [REDACTED]

Students contacted the police who attended the scene after the POIs had left.

The SLP has contacted the school.

The school has contacted the Home School Liaison Officer (HSLO) to address victim 1's truancy.

The school has attempted to contact victim 1's parent. Students informed the school that Victim 1 is now in [REDACTED]

Action

SSRU recommended:

- inform the SED
- offer school counsellor support to victim 1 to address welfare concerns

*SSRU informed the school that victim 1 has obtained an APVO against POI 1. The R/DP was advised of the standard orders outlined in the APVO.

Safety and Security Directorate Report

#S030985

Status: 2, Verified

Event occurred: 9:30, Mon, Oct 8, 2012
Entered: 11:28, Wed, Oct 10, 2012 [redacted]

Location	Type	Region/School Group	Phone
[redacted]		Sydney [redacted]	[redacted]
Principal [redacted]	Director [redacted]	LAC Redfern	LAC Phone 02 9690 4600 Police Yes
Attended <input type="checkbox"/> Bridge Street <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktown		COPS Event # Pending	

Threat or Intimidation - Students disrupt school and damage property

Narrative

Two [redacted] males (YP1 and YP2) were teasing one another in the playground before school. During lunchtime, the YPs' behaviours escalated and the carer of YP1 was contacted.

YP1 was given permission to go home. YP1 collected his school bag and then refused to leave the school. YP1 climbed up a retaining wall, picked up sticks and rocks and threw them at the classroom window where YP2 was sitting. YP2 walked out to the corridor and argued with YP1.

YP1 then threatened to assault YP2. The Acting Principal (A/P) repeatedly requested that YP1 leave the school grounds, but he refused.

The YPs walked out into the playground and threw sticks and rocks at each other. YP2 was taken upstairs to the A/P's office. YP1 walked to the front foyer of the school where he began yelling and screaming. YP2 walked out of the A/P's office, stomped on a window panel and smashed the window.

The A/P took YP2 back to the office. YP2 walked into the office, picked up a [redacted] sitting on the desk and threw them on the floor. YP2 stomped on the [redacted]

Police were contacted and attended the school. Police spoke with both YPs and took YP1 home.

YP2 was given permission to go home.

The YPs have been suspended.

Action

SSRU advise:

- report any damage to FMWeb
- consider counsellor support and/ or YLO involvement in any return from suspension meeting