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UPDATE: 16-Year-Old Boy Arrested for Redwood High School Threat

After conducting a thorough investigation into the shooting threat at Redwood High School, Visalia Police Detectives with the Violent Crimes Unit and Youth Services Unit identified a 16-year-old boy as the suspect. A search warrant was served at the suspect's home, where he was taken into custody.

He was booked into the Juvenile Hall Detention Facility for Criminal Threats and Making a False Report of an Emergency.

We are aware of the new threat going around on social media. VPD Detectives have already begun an investigation.

There will be an increased law enforcement presence throughout all VUSD campuses this week.

The safety of our children is our first priority and anything that threatens that will not be tolerated. ALL threats will be taken seriously and those posting such threats, will face both legal charges and school discipline charges.

We will keep you updated.

