



## *Harford County Public Schools*

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### **Drug dog scans conducted at Fallston Middle and High schools**

Two routine, random drug dog scans were performed at Fallston Middle and High schools on February 23, 2010. The scans, done as part of the school system's commitment to keeping illicit drugs out of the schools, were accomplished using a canine under the direction of the Harford County Sheriff's Office at both locations.

The Fallston Middle scan involved 336 lockers being sniffed by the dog. The 25-minute scan – supervised by four Sheriff's Deputies, two administrators from the school, and a representative from the school system's Safety and Security Office – produced no alerts.

The Fallston High scan involved 376 lockers being sniffed by the dog, under the control of four Sheriff's Deputies and accompanied by two school administrators and a representative from the school system's Safety and Security Office. The 43-minute scan resulted in one alert which produced no controlled dangerous substances.

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