



# Media Information

Columbus Division of Police  
Major Crimes Bureau / Gun Crimes Unit

Date: 09/20/2022

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Ext:

Type of Offense/Incident: CCW & Conveying into School Zone Date: 09/20/2022

Time: 12:10 PM

Location of Offense/Incident: 1500 East Broad St/ East High School

Zone: 5

Precinct: 7

Incident Report #: 220694490

Cruiser District: 72

Victim: Society

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Victim:

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Victim:

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Suspect: Juvenile Suspect

Address:

☒ Arrested

☐ Warrant on File

Sex: Male

Race: Black

Age: 17

Charges: CCW & Conveying into School Zone

Suspect:

Address:

☐ Arrested

☐ Warrant on File

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Charges:

**Incident Summary:** On September 20, 2022, Columbus Police Officers responded to East High School at 1500 East Broad Street for a report of a student that brought a handgun into the school. School staff and security officers detained a student after receiving information from another person that implicated the student was posting pictures on social media, showing that student in possession of a handgun. The student was taken to the security office at which time the security officer located a loaded handgun inside a backpack that was being carried by the student. The handgun was found to be loaded with thirty-three live rounds of ammunition in an extended gun magazine.

The juvenile suspect was interviewed by Columbus Police Detective Hettinger at which time he admitted to possessing the handgun prior to and when entering the high school.

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Assignment: Gun Crimes

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Assignment: Robbery