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Mount Carmel High School Student Arrest

San Diego— On 01-17-19, at approximately 7:32 AM, San Diego Police Department officers responded to Mount Carmel High School (9550 Carmel Mountain Rd.) for a call of a juvenile male student making suicidal threats. The male was also reported to have entered the theater on campus and made threats to harm other students while holding a screw driver. The male began to chase students threatening to harm them with the screw driver. Staff made contact with the male and stopped him from chasing the students. A staff member sustained minor injuries to their hand while stopping the male. The students evacuated the theater and the school was placed on lockdown. School staff was able to keep the male contained in the theater. Officers arrived and took the male into custody without any further incident.

No students were injured during the incident. The male juvenile is being held for a psychological evaluation. The male is facing several criminal charges including Criminal Threats and Brandishing a Weapon. The number and precise charges are being evaluated as the investigation continues.

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