

THE NEW YORK CITY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
Edward R. Murrow High School
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ALLEN BARGE, PRINCIPAL

October 26, 2018

Dear Parents/Guardians,

The safety and well-being of all students and staff members at Edward R. Murrow High School remain our highest priority.

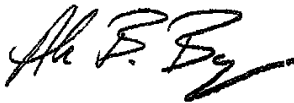
We are writing to inform you that today, October 26, 2018, at approximately 10:45am, we evacuated the building due to a gas leakage from a broken valve in one of our science labs. FDNY and National Grid were immediately called to evaluate the circumstances. After FDNY and National Grid had investigated and informed us that the gas leak was secured and the building was safe to reoccupy, we returned to the building after being outside for approximately 90 minutes. Students whose lunch was interrupted had the opportunity to obtain lunch once we returned to the building.

We assure you that every precaution was taken and will continue to be taken to ensure the safety of our students and staff. All regular schedules have resumed. Guidance Counselors and support staff are available, as always, to assist students as needed. I want to thank all students and staff who cooperated during this evacuation.

We look forward to your continued partnership as we work together to ensure Edward R. Murrow High School continues to provide the best and safest learning environment possible for all of its students. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact our parent coordinator, Ms. Rosie De Innocentiis at 718-258-9283 ext. 1090.

...because at Edward R. Murrow High School, we CARE about our students!

Sincerely,



Allen Barge
Principal