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Shreveport teen jailed after weapon found on school campus



Suspect: Cameron Morris

A Shreveport teen is facing serious charges after police locate a firearm on a high school campus Tuesday afternoon.

Just after 1:00 p.m. on October 18, 2017, Shreveport Police arrested a student at Booker T. Washington High School after it was learned a student there was in possession of a firearm. The arrest came after a Shreveport Police officer assigned as the school's School Resource Officer observed the student remove an unknown item from his backpack moments prior to school officials' conduction of a random search.

Finding the behavior peculiar, the officer moved in for closer inspection and was able to determine the item removed from the backpack was an unloaded revolver. The teen was immediately taken into policy custody without incident and the weapon was secured by the officer. No ammunition was ever located for the weapon and no students or staff were directly impacted. Authorities identified the suspect as 18 year old Cameron Morris of the 2700 block of Darien Street in Shreveport. Morris was arrested and now faces charges of possession of a weapon on a school campus. Authorities are working to determine what factors led to Morris being in possession of the weapon.

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