



**Crimestoppers Media Release**

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**Crimestoppers, Inc. Speaks Out on the October Tik Tok - Slap-a-Teacher-Challenge**

Crimestoppers, Inc. (GNO) encourages schools and parents to speak to their students about the consequences of participating in challenges which can result in both criminal charges and physical harm to others, particularly in this situation, our educators. Crimestoppers also reminds students, parents and teachers in our partnering districts and schools, that information on a proposed incident or a crime can be reported anonymously to Crimestoppers through our "Safe Schools Louisiana App" or by going to our website [www.safeschoolsla.com](http://www.safeschoolsla.com). When reporting through the App or the website, the tipster can upload images, videos and social media links which can prove helpful to investigators when a crime occurs. The Crimestoppers "Safe Schools Louisiana App" is a free smart phone app. All information received is passed on to both school administration and law enforcement, when needed.

Our sincerest thoughts are with our Covington School Teacher who was a victim of this crime, and we applaud the Covington Police Department for a swift arrest in this case. Please let their work serve as a message to students that this type of behavior will not be tolerated.

<https://meaww.com/slap-a-teacher-challenge-what-tik-tok-trend-causes-twitter-pray-educators-549202>

<https://heavy.com/news/larriana-jackson-covington-teacher-tiktok-slap-a-teache/>

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