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GRAPEVINE, TX - Grapevine Police are increasing patrols around Heritage Elementary School in response to a report that a student was approached by a stranger while walking home from school.

A ten-year-old student's father told police that on Monday, September 18, at approximately 3:30 p.m., his son was walking home from school on Wilshire Avenue when a stranger drove up and asked if he wanted a free ride home. The boy did not recognize the driver, and took off running.

The student did not recall a description of the driver or vehicle. Grapevine Police are in contact with school personnel, who sent a note home with students on Tuesday, and are working to inform neighbors about the situation.

Grapevine Police encourages all families to speak with their children about stranger danger, and continue to report anything suspicious.

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