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**Statement on the passing of Ricardo Carrero Chico, East Upper School, Class of 2025**

The Rochester City School District is heartbroken over the tragic loss of a recent graduate from East Upper School. Ricardo Carrero Chico, a proud member of the Class of 2025, passed away on Tuesday, July 22.

Our thoughts are with everyone who knew and loved him. We are holding his family close in our hearts and offering our full support to the East staff and students who are grieving.

As a support to students, counseling and emotional support services are available at the school. The District is in contact with the family as they navigate this incredibly difficult time. The District will be respecting the family's privacy by not providing any further statements.