The Public Safety Department would like to alert the campus community of a reported aggravated assault that occurred 06/30/2014 around 11:30 AM. The victim stated he was walking through the Japanese Garden when three males attacked him. The victim sustained several injuries and was transported to the hospital. The suspects were described by the victim as the following:

- Three Black males
- Two of the suspects were approximately 17-20 years of age, the third suspect was 20-25 years of age
- The two younger suspects had a thin build, the older suspect had a larger build.
- All three suspects had short hair.
- Two of the suspects had backpacks.
- One suspect had a knife and used the weapon in a punching motion.

The victim did not know the suspects. The victim believes he was assaulted because he may have interrupted a drug deal. The suspects approached him from behind and began assaulting him as he was trying to walk away from them.

No security cameras captured the assault or the suspects. The Bloomington Police investigation of this incident is ongoing.

If you have any information related to this incident, please contact Bloomington Police or the Public Safety Department immediately.

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**Public Safety Case #:** 14-0142

Thank you,

Normandale Public Safety Department