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ALLEGED ASSAULT ON ADISADEL COLLEGE STUDENT

On 20/02/2026 at 7:30pm, the School Authorities of the Aggrey Memorial Senior High School, Cape Coast brought to the Kotokuraba Police Station six juvenile offenders who are all students of the above named School and reported that, on 20/02/2026 about 3:30pm same day, the juvenile offenders attacked and assaulted Rexford Owusu-Ansah, a final year student of Adisadel College at Pedu Junction.

On receipt of the complaint, the juvenile suspects were arrested and detained to assist with investigation.

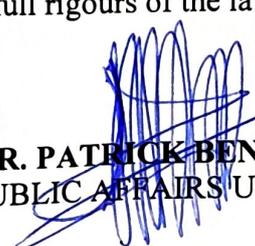
Initial Police enquiry revealed that, on the final day of the inter-colleges sports festival at the Cape Coast Stadium on Friday, February 20th 2026, the victim was coming out from the stadium to return to campus with two of his friends and the Aggrey Memorial Students asked them if they attend Adisadel College and attacked them right after. His two other friends managed to escape but unfortunately he was caught, and was kicked onto the floor and beaten mercilessly, and they took his iphone 17 pro max and his pocket money of about GH¢ 1,400 Cedis and his shoes.

He was rushed to the stadium clinic and was later referred to the Cape Coast Regional Hospital. He was discharged on Sunday, February 22nd 2026.

His two friends who escaped the assault confirmed they can identify the Aggrey Memorial students who attacked him.

The police medical form that was endorsed by a medical doctor showed a fractured nerve bone in his right eye and he cannot open it up, and the eyeball seems to be falling out.

The Central Regional Police Command strongly condemns the violence and assures the public that due process will be followed as the juvenile offenders will face the full rigours of the law.


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