

Dogs Attack Students Walking to School

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Animals quarantined

SAN JUAN - Dogs attacked two San Juan students on their way to school.

Axl Camara says he knew something was wrong when he saw the dogs. He tells us, "The first thing I thought, 'This dog's not supposed to be out. I don't know what it's doing out.'"

He says the animals came out of nowhere and were violent.

"I punched it with this arm. And it got me here. I got it again, and it went for my other arm," he tells us. "Luckily there was someone to help me out - a lady across the fence."

The woman was Erica Sanchez. She saw the dogs attack.

"The black dog jumped on him, took him to the floor. I was yelling, hysterical, clapping my hands," she says.

Camara got a deep bite and went to the hospital. Doctors sent him home with a staple on his hand.

San Juan animal control officers later rounded up the blue heeler and lab mix. Since these animals bit someone, state law requires they're quarantined at the Humane Society for 10 days. If no one claims them, they'll be put down on the eleventh day.

Camara's mother says that's a good answer to a growing danger in their neighborhood.

"We need to get these dogs under control," she tells us.