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PRESS RELEASE

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4 injured in traffic accident at Hughson Elementary School

Hughson, **CA** – Stanislaus County Sheriff's Department responded to a call of an accident that had occurred in the parking lot of the Hughson Elementary School located on E Whitmore Ave in Hughson. A Honda Accord that had entered the parking lot lost control for an unknown reason. The Honda struck a grandfather and his 5 year old grandson who were walking across the parking lot. When the grandfather was struck he fell into a third adult, knocking them to the ground. All three received moderate injuries. The driver of the Honda Accord also suffered moderate injuries. The 5 year old, who is a student at Hughson Elementary School, was transported by Medi-flight as a precaution. All others were taken by ambulance to nearby hospitals. None of the injuries appeared to be life threatening at this time. The cause of the accident is currently under investigation by the Sheriff's Department.

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