GRADE 8: MEDIA AND NEWS LITERACY

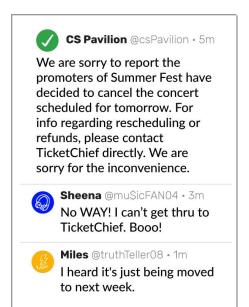
Canceled Concert? <

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Directions

Use the news alerts below and the Critical Eye for Breaking News tips to answer the questions at the bottom of the handout.



Metro News 5m ago **Breaking News: Concert Cancelled**

The Summer Fest concert scheduled to take place at the county fairgrounds tomorrow has been cancelled.

1. Based on the news alerts, what is likely happening with the concert? Why?



2.	What clues do you see in the alerts that might indicate incomplete or inaccurate information?
3.	If you had tickets for the concert and saw these alerts, what should you do?