

Teenager arrested in connection with serious assault in Portobello

Police in Edinburgh have arrested and charged a 16-year-old male in connection with a serious assault.

The incident took place around 8.45pm on Friday, 21 March, 2025 at The Promenade, Portobello.

The victim was also a 16-year-old male.

The accused was not detained in custody but released on undertaking to appear at Edinburgh Sheriff Court at a later date.

A Police Scotland spokesperson said: "16-year-old male has been arrested and charged in connection with a serious assault on a 16-year-old male in Edinburgh.

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