**Student found dead on her bed hit by lightning – Police – Uganda**

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**DOKOLO**

A student of Kwera Secondary School who was on Tuesday afternoon found dead on her bed at their home in Abuli Village, Kwera Sub County near the school was hit by lightning, police said.

Nancy Akec, 15, a senior one student of Kwera Secondary School in Dokolo District was last seen alive during the wee hours of Tuesday morning when she left school after night prep before she went back home near the school.

Akec was sleeping in the same hut with her elder sister who woke up early in the morning and went to the garden but when she returned, she found her sister still lying on bed only to check and found her dead.

Dokolo District Police Commander Jimton Aguta said they have established that the student was struck by lightning. Speaking on phone, Aguta said lightning struck a tree near the hut where the victim was sleeping together with her elder sister and affected her.