**Lack of lightning arresters make schools a death trap – Uganda**  
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Uganda has witnessed multiple tragic incidents involving lightning strikes, many of which have impacted school communities, causing fatalities and injuries among pupils and staff.

The most recent occurred on April 2 in Masaka City, where a lightning bolt struck Sserinya Primary School, killing a teacher, Moses Mutaawe. Another teacher, Rose Nakkazi, the headteacher, Ms Elizabeth Nambalirwa, and fifteen pupils sustained injuries.