

Boy Beaten To Death In Football Pitch In Iwo



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OSOGBO – There was confusion in Iwo, Osun State, when a little disagreement on football pitch resulted in the death of the young boy simply identified as Shuaib Isola.

An eye witness said the disagreement resulted in fight between Isola and his play mate, Ahmed Lateef, leading to Isola's death.

Our source who craved anonymity disclosed that the incident happened around 10 a.m. on Sunday at the playground of the St. Mary's Grammar School, Iwo.

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It was learnt that the deceased and others were said to be playing football, when he suddenly got into a fight with one Ahmed Lateef.

Our correspondent gathered that Isola was said to have collapsed after he was punched by Lateef.

Confirming the story, the Police Public Relations Officer, Opalola, in the state said one person had been arrested in connection with the incident.

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She said, "One Shuaib Isola of the Araromi area, Iwo, and others were playing football at the St. Mary's Grammar School, Iwo, when one Ahmed Lateef engaged him in a fight.

"Lateef reportedly gave the deceased a punch and he collapsed. Isola was later rushed to the General Hospital, Iwo, where he was pronounced dead.

"The family of the deceased evacuated his corpse and declined autopsy. But investigation will continue into the incident."