Police confirm 10 killed in Yobe terrorists' attack

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Ten people were reportedly killed and several others wounded on Wednesday in Geidam, Yobe State.

The Yobe Police Command confirmed that the attack was orchestrated by Boko Haram insurgents.

The spokesman of the Command, ASP Dungus Abdulkarim, confirmed the incident to the News Agency of Nigeria (NAN) on Saturday in Damaturu.

He said the insurgents moving on motorcycles also torched the staff quarters of a public school in the area.

"Currently; normalcy has returned and people are going about their normal businesses as security operatives were deployed for patrols and visibility policing to avert future occurrence of the attack," he said.

Abdulkarim said the command sympathised with the Geidam community over the attack and urged the people to report suspicious movements and persons in their communities to security agencies.

Explaining how the attack was carried out, a report said the Boko Haram gunmen arrived on motorcycles at the outskirts of the town and entered the town on foot and went straight to the bar to unleash mayhem on its occupants.

The insurgents were also said to have razed the staff quarter of the nearby Government Science and Technical College in Geidam.

The injured victims were hospitalised at the Geidam General Hospitals for various injuries.