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## Boy, 12, drowns in pond in Kano

A 12-year-old boy, Ismaila Safiyanu, has drowned while bathing in a pond at Sharada Kwanar Maijogo in Kano State.

The spokesman of the state Fire Service, Alhaji Saidu Mohammed, made the disclosure in Kano on Thursday in an interview

with the *News Agency of Nigeria (NAN)*. Mohammed said that the incident occurred on Thursday when the de-

ceased went to take his bath.

"We received a distress call from one Malam Jamilu Yahaya at 09:40 a.m., that

Safiyanu's body was found floating in a pond.

"On receiving the information, we quickly sent our rescue team to the

scene at 09:45 a.m.

"Safiyanu was found dead and his corpse was handed over to the police in Sharada," he added.

## Four policemen dismissed for allegedly killing armed robbery suspects