

4 drown in Ekiti river

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FOUR young men have drowned in Okemesi-Ekiti, Ekiti West Local Government Area of Ekiti State.

The unfortunate incident which threw residents of the community into mourning happened on Sunday when the young men were swimming in Osun river along Ajindo, Ikoro road, Okemesi Ekiti

It was gathered that two of the deceased, 23 and 24, who were from Aworogun household of Okemesi-Ekiti, had gone to the river to swim alongside the other two that came from Lagos to attend a burial ceremony in the town.

Ekiti State Police Public Relations Officer (PPRO) DSP Sunday Abutu, who confirmed the incident said, "A distress report received on November 10, 2024, has it that on the same date, a 23 years old and a 25-year-old natives of Okemesi-Ekiti went to River Osun Ajindo/Idoile road to swim alongside two of their friends that came from Lagos State to attend a burial ceremony

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