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Clery Crime Alert

Burglary

On Thursday, May 8, 2025, at approximately 6:21 p.m. a Burglary occurred at 150 Claremont Avenue, at the Morningside Campus.

A video review shows an individual randomly pressing the intercom in an attempt to gain entry. Once inside of the building, the individual removed one package. The individual was last seen entering the housing complex at 3170 Broadway.

The incident was reported to Columbia University Public Safety on Thursday, May 8, 2025, at 6:27 p.m. If you have any additional information about this incident, please contact Public Safety at 212-854-2797.

The same individual committed a similar crime on Thursday, May 1, 2025, at 8:21 a.m. at 414 West 120th Street at the Morningside Campus.

The individual is male presenting and appears to have a dark complexion and a beard. They were wearing a green and black hooded jacket with white lettering on the sleeves, black pants, and black and red sneakers with white soles. They were carrying a colorful backpack with cartoon characters on it and holding a dark-patterned umbrella.

Safety Tips

- · Do not buzz people into a building unless you know who they are and what they are doing.
- Please try to retrieve your package in a timely manner.
- Do not allow people to "piggyback" into a building with you. If someone is "piggybacking" into a building and you do not feel safe stopping them, please call Public Safety at 212 854-2797 as soon as you are able to.
- Please report any broken doors, locks, or entrances to your building super as soon as possible.





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