SERDANG: A 16-year-old student was killed and his friend injured when they were struck by lightning. The incident occurred at about 2.45pm yesterday at a football field near Universiti Putra Malaysia.

The Form Four students from SM Seksyen 16 Shah Alam had just finished a football competition among secondary schools and were waiting for the school bus under a tree. Muhammad Mustaqim Muhd Kamarul died less than three hours later at the hospital here while his friend was still being treated and was said to be in semi-critical condition.