

VANDALISM/VIOLENCE

Citizens of the district are urged to cooperate in reporting any incidents of vandalism to property belonging to the Township of Franklin School District and the name of the person or persons believed to be responsible. Each employee of the district shall report to the principal of the school every incident of vandalism known to them, and if known, the names of those responsible.

If an act of vandalism is perpetrated by an adult, any person over the age of 18 years, all necessary action, will be taken by the Board, Board solicitor, and/or insurance company to recover the costs of the damages from that person.

If an act of vandalism is perpetrated by a student, or a child under the age of 18 years, the parent/guardian of that child will be held responsible for his/her actions. If the child is apprehended by the police, that child will be taken to police headquarters where a record of the incident will be filed. The child will then be released to the custody of a parent/guardian at police headquarters. The police department will notify the Superintendent of Schools and/or the School Business Administrator/Board Secretary. If necessary, appropriate charges will be filed and all necessary action will be taken by the Board, Board solicitor, and/or insurance company to recover the costs of the damages from the parent/guardian.

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