

PATTONVILLE SCHOOL DISTRICT

EPS Code: ECAB

District Code: B812, B903

VANDALISM

Because incidents of willful or malicious abuse, destruction, defacing, and theft of the property of the School District are clearly contrary to the best interest of the School District and injurious to the rights and welfare of the entire community, it will be the policy of the Board to seek all legal regress against persons found to have committed such acts.

Every patron to the District, students and members of the staff is urged by the Board to cooperate in reporting any incidents of vandalism to property belonging to the District and the name(s) of the person, or persons, believed to be responsible. Each employee of the District will report to the building principal every incident of vandalism known to him/her, and, if known, the name(s) of those responsible.

The superintendent and/or principal is authorized to sign a complaint, and to press charges against perpetrators of vandalism against school property.

Any student found guilty of any form of vandalism or defacement of school property may be suspended. A parent conference will determine the final resolution.

Full restitution for the damage caused will be sought from such persons--or, in the case of minors, from their parents/guardians--under the laws of this state.

Legal Refs.: §165.021, 168.201, 177.031, 177.011, 537.045, RSMo. 1999.

Cross Refs.: JGD, Student Suspension

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