Seaside School District 10

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Vandalism/Malicious Mischief/Theft**

Students and citizens are urged to cooperate in reporting any incidents of vandalism and the name or names of the person or persons believed to be responsible.

Each employee of the District will report to the principal, or other person in authority, every incident of vandalism and the name of the person or persons responsible, if known.

Principals will submit a full and detailed report of any vandalism or damage to their buildings to the superintendent. The superintendent will make a full report to the Board regarding any vandalism or damage to any District property.

The superintendent is authorized to sign a criminal complaint and to press charges against those committing acts of vandalism/malicious mischief/theft of or against District property. Because incidents of willful or malicious abuse, destruction, defacing and theft of District property are clearly contrary to the best interests of the District and injurious to the rights and welfare of the entire community, it is the policy of the Board to seek all legal remedies against persons found to have committed such acts. Full restitution for the damage will be sought from such persons, or, in the case of minors, from their parents. Grade reports, diplomas and records may be withheld for failure to make restitution for assessed damages. Records requested by another District to determine a student's appropriate placement may not be withheld.

Students who willfully destroy District property through vandalism or arson, who commit larceny or who create a hazard to the safety of other people on District property will be disciplined in accordance with state law and the Board's policy on student discipline and may be referred to law enforcement authorities.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

ORS 30.765 ORS 164.345 ORS 164.365 ORS 326.575 ORS 332.107 ORS 339.260 ORS 339.270 ORS 419C.680