

Beaverton School District 48J

Code: **ECAB**
Adopted: 4/03/12
Orig. Code(s): ECAB

Vandalism/, Malicious Mischief/ or Theft**

Incidents of willful or malicious abuse, destruction, defacing and theft of school district property are clearly contrary to the best interests of the district and injurious to the rights and welfare of the entire community. Students and citizens are urged to cooperate in reporting any incidents of vandalism/, malicious mischief/ or theft and the name or names of the person or persons believed to be responsible.

Each district employee will report to the principal or other person in authority incidents of vandalism/, malicious mischief/ or theft and the name of the person or persons responsible, if known. Principals will submit a report of any vandalism/, malicious mischief/, theft or damage to their buildings, to the superintendent. ~~The superintendent will report to the Board regarding major vandalism/malicious mischief/theft or damage to school property.~~

~~The superintendent may offer a reward to an individual(s) who provides information that results in the apprehension of a person(s) guilty of vandalism/, malicious mischief/, theft or other criminal acts against the district. The amount of reward shall be determined by the superintendent on a case-by-case basis within any guidelines set by the Board.~~

The superintendent or designee is authorized to sign a criminal complaint, press charges, and seek appropriate legal remedies against those committing acts of vandalism/, malicious mischief/ or theft of or against school property. Full restitution for the damage will be sought from such persons, or, in the case of minors, from their parents. ~~Until such fees or restitutions are paid, certain restrictions and/or penalties may be imposed. Records requested by another district to determine a student's appropriate placement may not be withheld.~~

Anyone who willfully destroys school property through vandalism/, malicious mischief/, theft or arson, who commits larceny or who creates a hazard to the safety of other people on district property will be dealt with in accordance with state law, and applicable Board policies.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 30.765](#)
[ORS 164.345](#)
[ORS 164.365](#)

[ORS 326.575](#)
[ORS 332.107](#)

[ORS 339.270](#)
[ORS 419C.680](#)