SCHOOL FACILITIES

Care of School Property

Staff shall insure that buildings, equipment and furniture are not abused. Students or nonstudents who abuse school property may be disciplined and required to pay for the damage incurred.

The superintendent shall establish procedures for the investigation and reporting of damage or loss and shall initiate action to collect for damages. A student's grades, transcript or diploma may be withheld until restitution is made.

The board of directors reaffirms its position that grounds are intended primarily for use by students for recreation and physical education during school hours. The board recognizes that the use of school district grounds by motor driven vehicles, horses, and other activities could conflict with the use of these facilities by children. The board further recognizes that vehicles do extensive damage to the lawns and sprinkler systems. In order to have effective control of motor bikes, horses and other motorized equipment on school district ground, the board further declares:

No horses, motor bikes, all terrain vehicles or other unauthorized motorized vehicles shall be permitted to use school district grounds. The school administration is directed to install appropriate signs indicating that grounds are not to be used by the above. The administration is directed to actively pursue whatever legal means are available to keep the grounds free of these potential hazards to children.

Legal Reference:	RCW	28A.635.060	Defacing or Injuring School Property
			Liability of Pupil, Parent or Guardian
			Voluntary Work Program as Alternative
			Rights Protected
		28A.635.070	Property, Failure of Officials or Employees
			to Account forMutilation ByPenalties

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