

CARE OF SCHOOL PROPERTY BY STUDENTS

The Indian River Board of Education recognizes its responsibility to provide textbooks, supplementary books, digital devices, and other school property related to instruction in the classes for which he/she is enrolled. Such items are the property of the Indian River School District and the State of Delaware. Therefore, the student and his/her parent(s) or guardian(s) are responsible for returning all subject materials in reusable condition at such time as staff requests their return. The responsible person(s) entrusted with such school property may be required to pay the school district the replacement cost of lost or destroyed subject matter materials. The student must settle all debts for lost or damaged school property prior to the end of the school year in which the debt occurs. Failure to satisfy the debt in a timely manner may result in student disciplinary action. Any debts not satisfied by the time of graduation will result in the student's exclusion from the graduation ceremonies. Debts exceeding \$100 may be referred to the magistrate's court for restitution.

The district will do an annual accounting of textbook costs recovered and costs not recovered.

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