

VANDALISM

Policy Code:

6550

Vandalism is the willful destruction of school property, equipment, or materials. The Watauga County Board of Education (the “board”) will not tolerate vandalism and may seek criminal prosecution and take any legal action available for recovery of the loss.

All losses that may be due to vandalism will be reported and recorded in accordance with procedures established by the superintendent. The principal shall notify the superintendent or designee immediately of any forceful entry that results in theft and/or damages to school property.

Policies on student behavior apply to any student who has participated in vandalizing school property.

Legal References: G.S. 1-538.1; 14-127.1, -132, -132.2; 115C-100, -276(c), -288(f), -307(h), -398, -399, -523, -524, -526

Cross References: Security of Facilities (policy 9220)

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