# **BUS10.3 - Vandalism and Property Damage**

## **B** - Business

## Objective:

The district will take legal and disciplinary actions against individuals who commit vandalism on school property, ensuring the safety and preservation of facilities.

### 1. Legal Action:

The Superintendent is authorized to file criminal complaints and pursue legal action against individuals who vandalize district property. This includes damage caused by arson or actions that pose a safety hazard.

## 2. Disciplinary Action for Students:

Students involved in vandalism will face disciplinary measures, including suspension or expulsion, and may be referred to law enforcement. A meeting with the student's parents is required for any such incidents.

#### 3. Parental Liability:

Parents will be held liable for any willful destruction of school property by their minor children, and the district may pursue legal action to recover the cost of damages.

## **Legal References:**

• Arizona Revised Statutes (A.R.S.) 12-661, 15-842