
POLICY

Nutley Public Schools

Students 5513

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The Board of Education believes that the schools should help students learn to respect property and to develop feelings of pride in community institutions. The Board charges each student enrolled in this district with responsibility for the proper care of school property and the school supplies and equipment entrusted to his/her use.

Students who cause damage to school property will be subject to disciplinary measures. The Board authorizes the imposition of a fine for the loss, damage, or defacement of instructional materials, textbooks, and district owned or issued devices and reserves the right to withhold a report card or diploma from any student whose payment of a fine is in arrears.

A student who demonstrates chronic and/or serious disregard for property may be referred to the building administration and/ or Child Study Team and may be and subject to the payment of a deductible prior to submission of an accidental damage claim.

The Superintendent shall develop rules for the safekeeping and accounting of textbooks and prepare a schedule of fines for lost and damaged instructional materials, textbooks, and district owned or issued devices.

N.J.S.A. 18A:34-2; 18A:37-3

N.J.A.C. 6A:23-6.6

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