

1 The [Transylvania County Board of Education \(the “board”\)](#) will not tolerate theft, trespass, or
2 damage to property by any student. Any student engaging in such behavior will be removed
3 from the classroom or school environment for as long as is necessary to provide a safe and
4 orderly environment for learning.

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6 **A. PROHIBITED BEHAVIOR**

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8 1. **Theft**

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10 Students are prohibited from stealing or attempting to steal school or private
11 property and/or from knowingly being in possession of stolen property.

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13 2. **Damage to Property**

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15 Students are prohibited from damaging or attempting to damage school or private
16 property.

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18 3. **Trespass**

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20 Students are prohibited from trespassing on school property. A student will be
21 considered a trespasser and may be criminally prosecuted in any of the following
22 circumstances:

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24 a. the student is on the campus of a school to which he or she is not assigned
25 during the school day without the knowledge and consent of the officials
26 of that school;
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28 b. the student is loitering at any school after the close of the school day
29 without any specific need or supervision; or
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31 c. the student has been suspended from school but is on the property of any
32 school during the suspension period without the express permission of the
33 principal.

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35 **B. CONSEQUENCES**

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37 The disciplinary consequences for violations of this policy shall be consistent with
38 Section D of policy 4300, Student Behavior Policies. The superintendent or designee
39 shall list in the Code of Student Conduct the specific range of consequences that may be
40 imposed on a student for violations of this policy.

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42 Legal References: G.S. 14-60, -87, -87.1, -132, -132.2; 115C-47, -276(r), -288, -307, -390.2
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44 Cross References: Student Behavior Policies (policy 4300), Integrity and Civility (policy 4310),
45 Criminal Behavior (policy 4335)

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