

The basic principles are as follows:

- a. Parents/guardians must enroll their children, i.e. all children between the ages of 7 and 16 shall be required to attend school.
 - b. Parents/guardians are responsible for the regular attendance of their children.
 - c. Parents/guardians are to compel their children to properly conduct himself/herself in accordance with the policies of the Board related to student behavior.
 - d. Parents/guardians should be informed that inappropriate conduct or behavior on the part of their child(ren) may result in suspension from school and such suspensions will be reported to the Superintendent of Schools and District Attorney by school administrators.
 - e. Parents/guardians will be subject to prosecution by the District Attorney on the third suspension of their child pursuant to Section 16-28-12 of The Code of Alabama.
 - f. Parents/guardians may be referred to the District Attorney's Office on the first or second suspension if, in the opinion of the principal, the offense committed by their child warrants such action.
2. School principals and/or the Superintendent of Schools are responsible for reporting violations of this Act to the District Attorney's Office. School principals and/or the Superintendent of Schools are hereby informed that if the intentional failing to report a suspected violation of this Act could result in being declared guilty of a Class C. misdemeanor. Such reports shall be made on the School District's Notification of Suspension Form filed JCDA-R.

Parents Responsible for Damages to School Property --

In accordance with Legislative Act 94-819, parents/guardians are liable for damages to school property caused by their child(ren).

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LEGAL REF.: The Code of Alabama, 16-1-24.1 e (3), 16-28-12; Legislative Acts, 93-672 and 94-819.