

# Brynlywarch Hall School



## VANDALISM POLICY

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## Vandalism Policy 2016

It is school policy to fully investigate any incident of damage on the school site. Deliberate Damage of the school property directly affects the education of our students' by taking much needed funds to repair the damage caused. To address this, the school will charge parents/ carers of students who deliberately destroy or cause damage to the school its fixtures, fittings and property.

CCTV footage will be used where possible to investigate the damage and we may be able to provide still images to parents/carers if requested. All deliberate damage to school fixtures, fittings or property will be costed and an invoice generated which will be forwarded to the parent/carer of the student along with a letter of explanation.

Invoices will be generated for damage caused and forwarded to parents/carers for settlement. For larger items parents/carers may wish to set up a payment plan to cover costs over time. Students may also be asked to assist in reparation of the vandalism they have caused or be refused extra-curricular reward trips or the loss of other benefits that the school sees fit.

If repeated acts of vandalism occur, parents/carers will be informed and the student may face a fixed term exclusion in addition to the bill for damage. It may also be brought to the attention of the Police and possible legal action will be taken if deemed appropriate.

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