

Jackson School District Semi-Annual Report of Violence, Vandalism, Substance Abuse, and Weapons Offenses in the Jackson School District

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Background and Overview

State of NJ Data began collecting this data in March 2002

Objective is to collect and report incident data concerning serious student misconduct in the areas of:

- Violence
- Vandalism
- HIB
- Weapons
- Substance Abuse

Type of Incident	Number of Incidents Sept-Dec 2020	Number of Incidents Sept-Dec 2021
Violence	0	10
Vandalism	0	1
HIB (Alleged & Confirmed)	4	36
Weapons	0	3
Substance Abuse	1	7

Violence Reports- Elementary

School	Fights	Simple Assault	Threats	Sexual Offense	HIB (Alleged & Confirmed)
Crawford	0	0	0	0	3
Elms	0	0	0	0	5
Holman	0	0	0	0	3
Johnson	0	0	0	0	0
Rosenauer	0	0	0	0	0
Switlik	0	0	0	0	5
Elementary Total	0	0	0	0	16

Violence Reports - Secondary

School	Fights	Simple Assault	Threats	Sexual Offense	HIB (Alleged & Confirmed)
Goetz	0	0	0	0	3
McAuliffe	0	0	0	0	9
Liberty	4	2	3	0	6
Memorial	1	0	0	0	2
Secondary Total	5	2	3	0	20

Vandalism and Substance Abuse

Sept. – Dec. 2021

Vandalism Incidents	
School	Number of Incidents
JLHS	1
All Other Schools	0

Substance - Under Influence of...	Number of Incidents
Marijuana	4
Alcohol	0
Prescription Drug	0
Substance suspected/ refused exam	0

Substances – Possession of...	Number of Incidents
Marijuana	1
Drug Paraphernalia	2
Alcohol	0
Unauthorized Prescription Drug	0

Weapons Offenses – All Schools

- **Weapons** include any instrument readily capable of lethal use or of inflicting bodily injury, but the category is not limited to: handguns, rifles, knives; clubs; chains; sling shots; leather bands studded with metal filings; razor blades; stun guns; and any device that projects, releases, or emits tear gas or any other substance (e.g., pepper spray) that is intended to produce temporary discomfort or permanent injury through being vaporized or otherwise dispensed in the air.
- A toy gun is not considered a weapon and its possession would not be reported.
- An imitation firearm (e.g., an object that looks like a real handgun but cannot be fired or converted to a handgun) would be reported.

School	Number of Incidents Sept - Dec 2021
JLHS	3

Action Taken by School District

Action	Number of Incidents Sept-Dec 2021	Number of Incidents Sept-Dec 2020
Police Notified (NO complaint filed)	12	0
Police Notified (complaint filed)	0	0
In School Suspension	1	0
Out of School Suspension	24	1

Impacted Persons	Sept-Dec 2021	Sept-Dec 2020
Student Offenders	23	1
Student Victims	5	0
Staff Victims	1	0

We will continue to make the Jackson School District safer by:

- Bringing school/district safety teams and school anti-bullying specialists together to review data
- Using this data to plan programs and inform practices, approaches and curriculum
- Building strong partnerships with the Jackson Police Department and local law enforcement
- Providing training for school administrators on the effective prevention and response to violence, vandalism, and substance use
- Educating all stakeholders on how they can make Jackson Schools safer