

6920 – Reporting Criminal Offenses

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If a student has at any time been adjudicated delinquent for any offenses listed below, the parents, guardians, or legal custodians of any student must report to the school leader of the authorized charter school, in a manner as prescribed by law,¹ that the student has been adjudicated delinquent for:²

1. An offense involving:
 - First degree murder;
 - Second degree murder;
 - Rape;
 - Aggravated rape;
 - Rape of a child;
 - Aggravated rape of a child;
 - Aggravated robbery;
 - Especially aggravated robbery;
 - Kidnapping;
 - Aggravated kidnapping;
 - Especially aggravated kidnapping;
 - Aggravated assault;
 - Felony reckless endangerment; or
 - Aggravated sexual battery.
2. A violation of:
 - Voluntary manslaughter, as defined in T.C.A. § 39-13-211;
 - Criminally negligent homicide, as defined in T.C.A. § 39-13-212;
 - Sexual battery by an authority figure, as defined in T.C.A. § 39-13-527;
 - Statutory rape by an authority figure, as defined in T.C.A. § 39-13-532;
 - Prohibited weapon, as defined in T.C.A. § 39-17-1302;
 - Unlawful carrying or possession of a firearm, as defined in T.C.A. § 39-17-1307;
 - Carrying weapons on school property, as defined in T.C.A. § 39-17-1309;
 - Carrying weapons on public parks, playgrounds, civic centers, and other public recreational buildings and grounds, as defined in T.C.A. § 39-17-1311;
 - Handgun possession, as defined in T.C.A. § 39-17-1319;



- Providing handguns to juveniles, as defined in T.C.A. § 39-17-1320; or
- Any violation of T.C.A. § 39-17-417 that constitutes a Class A or Class B felony.
- An offense not listed in the above subsections for which a court has ordered school notification based on the circumstances surrounding such offense.

It is a Class C misdemeanor, punishable by fine, for any school personnel to knowingly share information applicable to this policy with unauthorized persons.³ It is a Class B misdemeanor, punishable by fine, for a parent/guardian to knowingly fail to report as provided above.⁴

Legal References:

¹ T.C.A. §§ 49-6-3051(a)(1)-(2); 37-1-153(e); 37-1-154(e)

² T.C.A. § 49-6-3051(b)

³ T.C.A. § 49-6-3051(f)

⁴ T.C.A. § 49-6-3051(g)