

## THE EWING PUBLIC SCHOOLS Ewing High School

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Dear Ewing High Families,

I hope today finds you well.

A recent topic trending among children and teens on TikTok is a calendar where students are directed to complete different monthly challenges. Some of the challenges involve damaging the restrooms, stealing, and acting inappropriately to both staff and students. Unfortunately, this trend has begun to make its way into our school.

We have already had incidents of vandalism in the restrooms, which has been the TikTok challenge for the month of September. Additionally, some of the future monthly TikTok challenges grow increasingly more alarming and severe; one of them even challenges students to assault staff members. Any vandalism, theft, or assault will not be tolerated.

As a strong and close community, we ask that our families speak to their children about social media, current trends taking place, and how these temporary fads can ultimately impact their future. We want nothing more than our students and staff to take pride in our school and to respect all individuals and our school's property.

Below are the monthly challenges:

September: Vandalize school bathrooms

October: Smack a staff member

November: Kiss your friend's girlfriend at school

December: Deck the halls and show your balls

January: Jab a breast

February: Mess up school signs

March: Make a mess in the courtyard or cafeteria

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April: "Grab some eggz" (another stealing challenge)

May: Ditch day

June: Flip off in the front office

July: Spray a neighbor's fence

If students are found to take part in any of these challenges, they will have disciplinary consequences, and serious incidents will be reported to local law enforcement.

Thank you for your continued understanding and support.

Sincerely,

**Edward Chmiel** 

Principal