

## **7 - 12th Grade SCHOOL & ATHLETIC LOCKERS**

School personnel will assign each student a hall locker. Students are expected to use their own lockers and to keep them neat. Students are to use lockers only for the storage of school books, school materials, and possessions ordinarily used in day-to-day school activities. All lockers are the property of the school district and remain school property even though they are temporarily assigned to students. School officials may conduct periodic inspections of all, or a randomly selected number of, lockers at any time without prior notice. Inspections may be made for cleanliness, missing school or personal property, contraband, and evidence of vandalism. For more information, please see the MS/HS Handbook posted online via the District website.

Locker room lockers used by athletes during their sports season and for all for PE courses, are for the temporary storage of clothes and school supplies while “dressed out” in clothes for PE or for a sport. An additional note, due to state law, no cell phone or other recording or photographic device should ever be out in the locker room or bathroom areas.

Nothing of value (ie Beats headphones, cell phones, wallets/cash, jewelry) should be ever left in any locker without it being locked shut. The school is not responsible for theft. Lockers should be locked. School padlocks are available in the athletic director’s office for a rental fee. Though Earlham prides itself on excellent students with good values and an ethical code, theft does occur. Prevent your items from being tempting to others to steal, by either not bringing items of value to school (esp. technology/electronics) or by locking them up at all times if you cannot have the item with you.

I acknowledge that I have read the preceding paragraphs, and am fully aware that valuables should not be brought to school, and definitely should not be left in an unlocked locker. The school will not be responsible for theft of cash and/or other valuables left in an unlocked locker.

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Student Signature

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Parent/Guardian Signature