



TUTTLE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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Dear Patrons,

As you may be aware, there are several new state laws that go into effect on November 1, 2019. There is one in particular that may create unintended situations. These situations could create instances that should not take place on school property, which in turn would put the school in a bind with its community.

The law I am referring to is the Constitutional Carry Law. This law does give citizens the right to carry firearms in public places without a license; however, under this law school property is specifically addressed as an area that Constitutional carry does not apply. For school property, the law states that firearms have to be locked in your vehicles while on the premises.

As per current state law, only badged law enforcement officers can carry firearms on school property. Our current board policy does not allow for anyone else to carry at this time. This letter is to provide you with information and to try to minimize any misunderstandings about Constitutional Carry and school property.

Sincerely,

Keith Sinor, Superintendent