A.W. Beattie Career Center

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Safe2Say Something Reporting System

A.W. Beattie Career Center is partnering with the Pennsylvania Attorney General's Office to introduce a new reporting system for non-emergency tips on bullying, intimidation, harassment, weapons, drugs or other threats in the communities that we serve.

With the <u>Safe2Say Something reporting system</u>, you can visit a website, make a phone call or download a mobile app and confidentially report any of these non-emergency concerns or issues.

This system is NOT an emergency hotline. If you need immediate assistance and/or reporting an event that could immediately affect the school community, please call 911.

Here's how to report:

• Website: https://www.safe2saypa.org/tip/

• 1-844-SAF2SAY (1-844-723-2729)

Mobile App: Available for iOS and Android devices

A.W. Beattie Career Center encourages students, staff and community members to report information about any non-urgent illegal activity such as vandalism, theft, the sale of drugs or information about crimes that are being planned. Students who discover information on social media platforms like Snapchat, Twitter, Facebook, Instagram or You Tube and confidentially report a tip could help prevent a tragedy. Once again, for urgent matters or emergency situations, please call 911 and speak to a trained dispatcher.

A.W. Beattie Career Center respects and cares for your privacy. Any information reported will be kept strictly confidential. We encourage you to use the Safe2Say Something system responsibly. Adverse consequences, including serious criminal charges (see below), may result from the submission of a false report. All submissions can be traced in the event of misuse or abuse of the reporting system.

§ 4906. False reports to law enforcement authorities.

- (a) Falsely incriminating another. --Except as provided in subsection (c), a person who knowingly gives false information to any law enforcement officer with intent to implicate another commits a misdemeanor of the second degree.
- (b) Fictitious reports. --Except as provided in subsection (c), a person commits a misdemeanor of the third degree if he:
 - (1) Reports to law enforcement authorities an offense or other incident within their concern knowing that it did not occur, or
 - (2) Pretends to furnish such authorities with information relating to an offense or incident when he knows he has no information relating to such offense or incident.
- (c) Grading.
 - (1) If the violation of subsection (a) or (b) occurs during a declared state of emergency and the false report causes the resources of the law enforcement authority to be diverted from dealing with the declared state of emergency, the offense shall be graded one step greater than that set forth in the applicable subsection.
 - (2) If the violation of subsection (a) or (b) relates to a false report of the theft or loss of a firearm, as defined in section 5515 (relating to prohibiting of paramilitary training), the offense shall be graded one step greater than that set forth in the applicable subsection.

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