



# VISALIA POLICE DEPARTMENT

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**\*\*\*NEWS RELEASE\*\*\***  
**May 24, 2017**

**VPD Report Number:** 17-40322

**Date/Time Occurred:** 5/20/17 approximately 1830 hrs.

**Type of Incident:** Burglary / Vandalism

**Location:** 900 S. Conyer

**Name of Business (if applicable):**

Mt. Whitney High School

**Suspect:**

1. 7 Male Juveniles
2. Female Juvenile
- 3.

**Age:**

- 10-15  
14

**Arrested:**

- Yes  
Yes

**Details:** On 5/22/17 a VPD Youth Services Detective was informed of a burglary which had occurred on the campus of Mt. Whitney High School on the above listed date and time. Eight juvenile suspects entered the campus and then into secured shop areas. Once inside, the suspects removed miscellaneous property from the school and vandalized a vehicle. A cooperative effort was initiated by VPD / VUSD and through video surveillance review, as well as statements from witnesses, the juvenile suspects were identified. Once located, the suspects were arrested by the Detective on charges of burglary and vandalism. Some of the property has been recovered and returned to the victim.

**Arresting / Investigating Officer:** Detective Howerton

**Supervisor:** Sergeant McLain

