

# SERIOUS INCIDENT REPORTING IN WINNIPEG SCHOOL DIVISION

As per the requirements of Manitoba Education, schools are required to report all serious incidents to the Superintendent's Department and the Manitoba Education, including the completion of the Provincial Serious Incident Report form. The Serious Incident Reports were analyzed to determine the frequency in which the schools contacted Winnipeg Police Services during the school year.

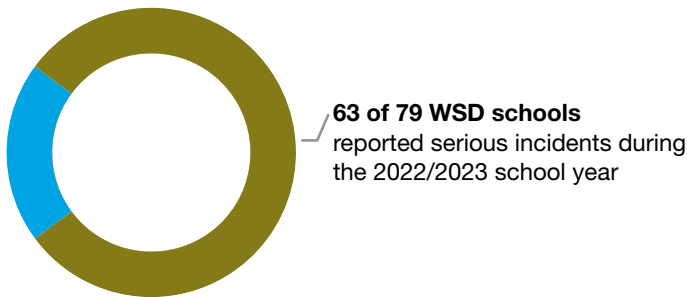
In the 2022/2023 school year, 204 serious incident reports were completed by schools. In total, 263 types of incidents were reported as schools were allowed to give more than one reason for the serious incident.

Manitoba Education requires schools to use the serious incident template (Appendix A) to report on the following categories:

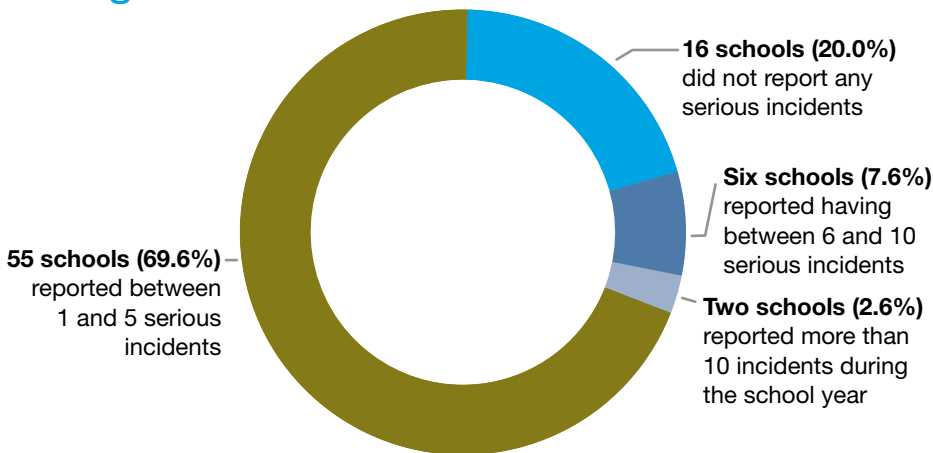
- Bomb threat
- Intruder
- Threatening behaviour by unknown individual
- Abduction/attempted abduction
- Weapon Offence
- Suspected weapon
- Serious assault
- School bus accident
- Car/pedestrian accident
- Serious injury/medical emergency
- Drug trafficking
- Serious vandalism
- Fire incident
- Chemical/natural gas emergency
- Fatality such as suicide, accident, natural causes
- Threat in the community
- Other

The analysis of serious incident reports identified the following additional responses as 'Other Serious Incident':

- Student threatens self and others
- Robbery with knife
- Missing students/students arriving late to school
- Power outage
- Parent misconduct (e.g., threatening behaviour)
- Bursting water pipeline
- False/faulty fire alarm
- Confirmation of absolute safety in the community
- Pepper spray incident
- Verbal threat to student and staff
- Altercation between students



## Distribution of serious incidents among WSD schools in 2023/23:



## Top 10 types of serious incident categories:

