

Safety Tips: School Arsons

Here are some School Arson facts:

- 61% of all school fires are caused by arson.
- 70% of school arsons are committed in high schools.*
- 78 % of school fires occur during the school week.
- Injuries caused by school arsons are higher than those of all non-residential structure fires.
- Arsons robs communities of its valuable assets - lives and property
- Children under the age of 18 started 41,900 fires last year and caused \$272 million in property damage.
- Typically fires in schools are set in bathrooms.