Principles in Action

QUESTIONS

Your wallet is stolen out of your backpack or handbag. You believe a student has taken it. It is okay to search every student’s backpack and ask them to turn out their pockets.

You order $350 worth of art supplies from Walmart.com. Ten days later, your materials have still not arrived. You call the store, demand your money back, and cancel the order. Walmart apologizes and refunds your money immediately. Three days later, the art supplies arrive. What would you do?

You go out for ice cream with a group of your friends. A former student is working at the ice-cream counter and offers you and all your friends free ice cream. What would you do?

You are pulled over by the cops for speeding. The cop who comes to your window is the parent of a student whom you have gone out of your way to help this year. Would you expect the cop to give you a ticket? How would you handle this?

Your organization provides you with a $200 stipend for professional development. You know you will be leaving the field of after-school programs next year, so you are not too concerned with developing your skill set for this job. A self-employed friend of yours offers to create a false invoice for a $200 training and says she will give you the money to fix the brakes on your car—something you desperately need to do. What would you do?