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OCISO MAKES ARREST IN SEARS BURGLARY

The Okaloosa County Sheriff's Office has arrested a 17-year old Fort Walton Beach resident in connection with a burglary to the Sears Department School at Santa Rosa Mall in Mary Esther April 4th.

Deputies were able to develop Andre Joseph McGregor of 959 John Wayne Circle as a suspect in the case. Contact was made with his mother, who agreed to allow a search of Andrew's room. Inside Andrew's room the deputy found the two I-PODs and two Playstation Game Systems taken during the heist. McGregor is charged with burglary, larceny, and criminal mischief.

The teen told the Deputy he had used a hammer to smash open the front doors and the Electronics Department glass case.

He also admitted to a separate theft, taking an XBOX-360 from Walmart at 748 North Beal Parkway that same day. He is charged with larceny in that case.

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