

6.46 STUDENT FUND RAISING

The Board of Education acknowledges that the solicitation of funds in school by students must be limited since compulsory attendance laws make students captive donors, and since such solicitation may disrupt the program of the schools.

For purposes of this policy "student fund raising" shall include student solicitation and collection of money for any purpose including collection of money in exchange for tickets, papers, or any other goods or services.

The Board will permit student fund raising in school, on school property, or at any school-sponsored event only when the profit therefrom is to be used for school purposes or for an activity connected with the schools.

Student fund raising by approved school organizations, those whose funds are managed by the Treasurer, may be permitted in school by the building principal. Student fund raising by approved school organizations off school grounds may be permitted with the approval of the Superintendent.

Fund raising by students on behalf of school-related organizations whose funds are not managed by the Treasurer may be permitted on school grounds as approved by the Superintendent.

All fund raising activities should:

- A. Be conducted at times and places that do not disrupt or interfere with the educational program;
- B. Utilize methods of solicitation which do not place undue pressure on students, staff, and the community;
- C. Be appropriate to the age or grade level of the students involved; and
- D. Comply with all charitable fundraising laws and regulations governing raffles, bingo and other games of chance.

The Superintendent shall distribute this policy to each student organization granted permission to solicit funds.