

Book	Policy Manual
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Purpose

The Board acknowledges that solicitation of funds from students must be limited because compulsory attendance laws make the student a captive donor and such solicitation may disrupt the educational program of the schools.

Definition

For purposes of this policy, **student fundraising** shall include solicitation and collection of money by students in exchange for goods or services.

Authority

The Board prohibits the collection of money by a student for personal benefit in school buildings, on school property or at any school-sponsored activity.

District students are prohibited from conducting door-to-door sales for fundraising activities.

Delegation of Responsibility

The following activities may be permitted by the building principal:[\[1\]](#)

1. Collection of money by **approved school organizations.**
2. **Contributions of clothing or other personal items for the welfare of others.**
3. **Solicitation for sponsors or advertisements for school publications.**

Collections by students on behalf of school organizations outside the schools may be permitted only **by the Superintendent or designee.**

The Superintendent or designee shall develop administrative regulations to implement this policy.

The building principal shall distribute this policy and relevant procedures to each student organization granted permission to solicit funds.

Funds solicited shall be controlled by Policy 618.[\[2\]](#)

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