

## **STUDENT FUND-RAISING ACTIVITIES**

The School Board will permit fundraising by students, school-sponsored organizations, or school related organizations when the proceeds are to be used for school purposes or for an activity connected with the school.

For the purpose of this Policy, “*student fundraising*” shall include the solicitation and collection of money by or from students for any purpose.

Any outside organization or staff member representing an outside organization desiring to use students or to solicit funds on District property must receive permission from the building principal or her or her designee. The Board encourages monetary fundraising activities which benefit outside organizations be minimized, although the Board in no way discourages service learning.

Any fundraising activity using students must comply with Indiana law. No student under the age of eighteen (18) may play or participate in any activity subject to Charity Gaming laws. Examples of these activities include, but are not limited to, bingo games, charity game nights, raffles, door prizes, festivals, activities related to pull tabs, punchboards, tip boards, or other similar games of chance.

No student will be required to participate in any fundraising activity nor penalized for non-participation. Use of class time should be minimized to ensure fundraising does not interfere with the educational process. The Board discourages door to door sales. When a fundraiser involves the sale of items, the Board encourages that a majority of the profits be retained by the school or an organization connected with the school.

Superintendent or her or her designee may establish procedures for the submission of fundraising requests. All fundraising requests must be approved by the building principal prior to commencement. All approved fundraisers will be reviewed on an annual basis.

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