

Descriptor Term
Solicitations

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Fund-raising sponsored by schools or school organizations should not impair the efficiency and effectiveness of the instructional program and must meet the regulations below:

- Fund-raising must support specific student activities or projects that contribute to the improvement of a school's program.
- Each fund-raising activity must be approved by the principal/director and be carried out under his supervision.
- A student will not be permitted to participate in fund-raising activities during school hours except with the expressed approval of the principal/director.
- A student may not solicit funds from an occupant of a vehicle that is traveling or stopped on a public road, street or highway. A student may not stand on medians or in or between lanes of traffic to solicit funds.
- Personal contributions to meet the basic needs of a school will not be solicited by students.

No services, written materials or items from private sources will be sold, distributed or advertised on school premises or in the school or school district without the expressed permission of the principal/director of the school.

Any funds or items received as the result of solicitations in the name of the school, a school or district program, or the district in general – including grants, solicited donations or unsolicited donations – become the property of the district.

Permission to distribute to students materials unrelated to the individual school or school district must be approved by the superintendent.

Solicitation of monetary donations and contributions from students will be permitted only with the superintendent/designee's approval.

Adopted June 28, 2016

Constitutional and Statutory Provisions

South Carolina Code, 1976, as amended

- Section 16-17-420 - The board can regulate any activity that would disturb school.