

School District Comprehensive 24/7 Tobacco-Free School Model Policy

District policy prohibits the use, possession, concealment, distribution or intent to distribute, or sale of any tobacco or non-tobacco nicotine product in all school-related situations, by any person, at any time, in any location, and at any event.

Policy includes, but is not limited to the following:

- Any tobacco or non-tobacco nicotine products = chew, cigars, cigarettes, hookah use, loose tobacco, e-cigarettes, snus, orbs, and strips. This does not include products that are classified as ‘nicotine replacement therapy’ and prescribed by a physician to help tobacco users quit. These products include, but are not limited to: nicotine lozenges gum and patches.
- Any Person = students, staff, visitors and all groups using school property.
- Any Time = 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year
- Any Location = school parking lots, vehicles, dances, sporting events or events on school property, school or district sponsored events held off campus.

Compliance with this policy is mandatory for all students, staff and visitors. Any student who violates this policy will be subject to disciplinary action in accordance with due process and as specified in the student handbook, up to and including expulsion from school. The District is concerned about any student who violates District school policies related to tobacco and will notify parent(s)/guardians and the student of community programs and services available. When necessary, local law enforcement may be contacted and fines assessed.

District policy also prohibits the advertising or promotion of tobacco. This policy includes, but is not limited to the following:

- Signs or posters
- Clothing, t-shirts, hats bags, etc.
- Sponsorship of school events