

Distribution/Posting of Non-curricular Materials

Approval

Any group, organization, corporation, individual, club, society or association (hereafter referred to as "person" or "persons") that wishes to distribute or post any printed non-curricular material in any district school or building or on district property shall submit the material to the building principal or designee for approval a minimum of 48 hours prior to the proposed distribution or posting unless otherwise indicated. The principal or designee may approve distribution or posting in accordance with this regulation and accompanying policy unless it is determined that the material is "unacceptable" as defined in the accompanying policy.

Regulations

1. Place

Distribution or posting of printed non-curricular materials shall be made at places within the school or on school grounds as designated by the school principal except that in no event shall such materials be distributed in any classroom of any school building. Distribution/posting in district buildings or on district property shall be as designated by the superintendent.

2. Time

Distribution/posting in high schools shall be made one-half hour before school and/or during regularly scheduled lunch periods and/or 15 minutes after the close of school. Any other times during the school day are considered to be disruptive of normal school activities.

Distribution/posting at elementary and middle schools shall be made one-half hour before and 15 minutes after the close of school.

3. Littering

All distributed/posted items discarded on school or district property shall be removed by the persons distributing/posting such materials.

4. Distributors

Students may not be used as the agents for distribution of non-curricular materials without the written consent of the student's parent or guardian.

5. Manner

No student shall in any way be compelled or coerced to accept any materials being distributed by any person distributing such materials or by any school official. In the alternative, no school official or student shall interfere with the distribution of approved materials.

Violation of these regulations or the accompanying policy may result in denial of the privilege to distribute or post materials at future dates, subject to the right of appeal as stated above.

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