

**STUDENT FUND RAISING**

**PURPOSE:**

This policy is established to set forth the School Committee's expectations regarding student involvement and or participation in school oriented fund raising activities.

**PHILOSOPHY:**

The School Committee, in recognition of the fact that young people of the schools are community leaders of tomorrow, supports the development of student awareness of the types of community social services that are available with the community and how these services are financially supported. Further, that active participation in fund-raising campaigns offers students an opportunity to learn about such services.

**POLICY STATEMENTS:**

1. Every effort shall be made to avoid the use of instructional time by teachers and students for the organization and carrying out of such activities as well as the collection and recording of fund-raising money.
2. The use of door to door solicitation on behalf of the North Kingstown School Department for any purpose, including fund raising, is highly discouraged. In the event however that such solicitation participation is authorized, as per the guidelines of Policy GBEB and Regulation GBEB-R, students in Kindergarten through eighth grade must be accompanied by an adult at all times.
3. School Committee Policy GBEB and Regulation GBEB-R should be carefully reviewed before any student fund-raising project is undertaken.

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