

SOUTHERN LEHIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

SECTION: PUPILS

TITLE: STUDENT ACTIVITY GROUP
FUNDRAISING

ADOPTED: April 14, 2014

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229. STUDENT ACTIVITY GROUP FUNDRAISING	
1. Purpose	The Board acknowledges that solicitation of funds from students must be limited because compulsory attendance laws make the student a captive donor and such solicitation may disrupt the educational program of the schools.
2. Definition Pol. 120	For purposes of this policy, student activity group fundraising shall include solicitation and collection of money by students for any purpose in exchange for any goods or services, when the students' involved are representing a district-supported student organization. (e.g., Key Club, Student Council, FBLA, etc.)
3. Authority	The Board prohibits the collection of money by a student for personal benefit in school, on school property, or at any school-sponsored event.
4. Delegation of Responsibility SC 511 Pol. 918	<p>The Superintendent or designee shall develop rules and administrative regulations to implement this policy which:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Limit the number of fundraisers in a year for any group. 2. Specify times and places in which funds may be collected. 3. Describe permitted methods of solicitation that do not place undue pressure on students or patrons. 4. Limit the kind and amount of advertising for solicitation. All advertising will be in compliance with Policy 918. <p>Collection of money by approved school organizations may be permitted by the building principal.</p> <p>Collections by students on behalf of school organizations outside the schools may be permitted only by the Superintendent.</p>
Pol. 618	The building principal shall distribute all policies and school rules which implement them to each student organization granted permission to solicit funds.

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<p>5. Guidelines</p>	<p>All sales contemplated by student groups that involve raising money for a school activity shall be limited and shall be approved by the school principal before fundraising plans are finalized.</p> <p>Funds solicited shall be controlled by Policy 618.</p> <p>References:</p> <p>School Code – 24 P.S. Sec. 511</p>
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