

TOBACCO-FREE SCHOOLS

Descriptor Code: BBDC

All uses of tobacco and tobacco products, including smokeless tobacco, are prohibited within all of the school district's buildings. No smoking allowed within fifty feet (50') from any entrance of the buildings or in the presence of children. Fifty (50) feet to include regular and after hours.

The use of tobacco or tobacco products, including smokeless tobacco, electronic cigarettes and associated paraphernalia will be prohibited in all vehicles, owned, leased operated by the district.

District employees and students enrolled in the district's schools will not be permitted to use tobacco or tobacco products, including smokeless tobacco, electronic cigarettes and associated paraphernalia while they are participants in any class or activity in which they represent the school district.

Any student who possesses tobacco products shall be issued a citation by the school principal/resource officer. The director of schools, in cooperation with the juvenile court and the local (police/sheriff's department), is responsible for developing procedures for issuance of the citations which shall include the form and content of citations and the methods of handling completed citations.

Parents and students will be notified of this citation requirement at the beginning of each school year.

Signs will be posted throughout the district's facilities to notify students, employees and all other persons visiting the school that the use of tobacco and tobacco products is forbidden.

