



POLICY NO. 6800

Food And Beverage Services Available to Students

FOOD AND BEVERAGE SERVICES AVAILABLE TO STUDENTS IN ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS SHALL BE PROVIDED DURING THE SCHOOL DAY ONLY BY THE SCHOOL FOOD SERVICE PROGRAM. IN SECONDARY SCHOOLS, ORGANIZATIONS APPROVED BY THE SCHOOL BOARD MAY SELL FOOD AND BEVERAGE ITEMS IN ACCORDANCE WITH FEDERAL LAWS, FLORIDA STATUTES, FLORIDA STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION ADMINISTRATIVE RULES, BOARD POLICY, RULES, REGULATIONS AND GUIDELINES, AS WELL AS BROWARD HEALTH DEPARTMENT SANITATION RULES. THIS POLICY DOES NOT APPLY TO LOCATIONS NOT SERVICED BY THE SCHOOL FOOD SERVICE DEPARTMENT.

I. FOOD AND BEVERAGE SERVICES DURING THE SCHOOL DAY

- a. In accordance with the Florida State Board of Education Administrative Rules, Competitive Foodservice Policy, 5P-2.002, The School Board of Broward County, Florida allows the following:
 1. Food and beverage services available to students in elementary schools shall be provided only by the School Food Service Program.
 2. Food and beverage services available to students in secondary schools outside of the School Food Service Program, including fundraisers, vending machines, school stores, snack bars, culinary programs and a la carte items must comply with the Florida Administrative Code 5P-2.002 and the USDA Smart Snacks in Schools requirements.
- b. The gross revenue for all food and beverage services available to students during the school day shall accrue only to the School Food Service Program, or school organization approved by the principal.

II. FOOD AND BEVERAGE SERVICES AFTER THE SCHOOL DAY

- a. Food and beverage snack bar/concession stand services which are commercially operated are permitted to be open from half an hour after the end of the school day until midnight. In all cases, commercially

operated snack bar/concession stand services for after-school activities shall be bid through the Procurement and Warehousing Services Department. Such services shall be subject to all of the health and sanitation rules and regulations of the Broward County Health Department as are required for school cafeterias.

When the income to the school is determined on a commission basis, the principal shall have the responsibility to confirm the accuracy of the daily gross receipts from such food and beverage services upon which the commissions are based. Nutritious foods and beverages that meet the United States Department of Agriculture Dietary Guidelines for Americans must be included in the choices.

- b. Student organizations, which are approved by the School Board, may receive gross revenues from all food and beverage services, including vending machines, that are sold after the school day.
- c. All bookkeeping records for commercially operated snack bar/concession stand services are subject to audit by the Internal Auditors of the School Board.
- d. Commissions from commercially operated snack bar/concession stand services shall accrue to the school's Internal Accounts.

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