

Holbrook Public Schools

SALES AND SOLICITATIONS IN SCHOOLS

No one may sell or offer for sale, within the school, on school grounds, or at school sponsored activities, any product or service except when the sale will benefit the educational program and mission of the schools.

This does not prohibit solicitations for the United Way, dues for employee organizations, contributions for the benefit of professional organizations, Parent Teacher Associations or Organizations, booster clubs, or for school organizations at regularly scheduled co-curricular or extra-curricular events. It is permissible for schools to sell specialized merchandise pertaining to an individual school, such as caps and clothing bearing the school name within the building.

Any such sales shall receive prior approval of the principal who will determine the degree to which the sales will benefit the educational program and mission of the school. Any exceptions to this policy may be authorized by the superintendent or the superintendent's designee on a case by case basis.

For the purposes of this policy, local PTA and PTO groups and groups representing school system employees will be considered "school groups" and will be governed by the Committee's policy on staff solicitations.

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Cross Refs.: GBEB, Staff Gifts and Solicitations
JJE, Student Fund-Raising Activities
KHB, Advertising in the Schools

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