

**511 STUDENT FUNDRAISING**

**I. PURPOSE**

The purpose of this policy is to address student fundraising efforts.

**Legal References:** Minn. Stat. § 123B.36 (Authorized Fees)

**Cross References:** MSBA/MASA Model Policy 506 (Student Discipline)  
MSBA/MASA Model Policy 713 (Student Activity Accounting)

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**II. GENERAL STATEMENT OF POLICY**

The School Board recognizes a desire and a need by some student organizations for fundraising. The School Board also recognizes a need for some constraint to prevent fundraising activities from becoming too numerous and overly demanding on employees, students and the general public.

**III. RESPONSIBILITY**

- A. The building administrators shall be responsible for developing recommendations that will result in a level of activity deemed acceptable by employees, parents and students. Fundraising must be conducted in a manner that will not result in embarrassment on the part of individual students, employees, or the school.
- B. All fundraising activities must be approved in advance by the building administration. Participation in nonapproved activities shall be considered a violation of school district policy.
- C. The school district expects all students who participate in approved fundraising activities to represent the school, the student organization and the community in a responsible manner. All rules pertaining to student conduct and student discipline extend to student fundraising activities.
- D. The school district expects all employees who plan, supervise, coordinate, or participate in student fundraising activities to act in the best interests of the students and to represent the school, the student organization, and the community in a responsible manner.