SMOKING ON SCHOOL PREMISES

Due to the health hazards associated with smoking, and in accordance with federal and state law, the Board of Education prohibits smoking or other tobacco use in all school buildings, on school property, or at school-sponsored activities.

The district's smoking policy shall be prominently posted in each building. The Board designates the Superintendent of Schools or his/her designee as agent responsible for informing individuals smoking that they are in violation of Article 13 of the Public Health Law and/or federal Pro-Children Act of 1994.

Ref: Education Law §409(2); 3020-a(4)

Goals 2000: Educate America Act §1041 et seq. (The Pro-Children Act of 1994)

Public Health Law Article 13-E §206; 340; 347

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