

Advertising in District Facilities

The Board recognizes that business and cultural organizations make available for public use information which is of value in advancing student education. This information may not be available through other sources.

The facilities, the staff or the students of the district shall not be used in any manner to advertise or promote commercial, cultural, organizational or other nonschool interests except that the district may:

1. Utilize films and other instructional aids furnished by private sources when the advertising content is reasonable in the judgment of the building administrator of the school involved;
2. Cooperate through announcements and distribution of program material with nonprofit community organizations that supplement the school program when such cooperation will not interfere with the school program;
3. Permit participation on a student option basis in essay, art, science and similar contests sponsored by outside interests when such activities parallel the curriculum and contribute to the educational program;
4. Release promotional material for nonschool athletic and cultural events only through appropriate school departments;
5. Accept, but not actively solicit, limited advertising on extracurricular activity schedules and programs at the discretion of the principal of the school involved;
6. Permit other exceptions when, in the judgment of the superintendent, students of the district will benefit. The superintendent may, at his/her option, refer specific cases to the Board for decision.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 279.015 \(2\)\(a\)](#)

[ORS 332.107](#)

Cross Reference(s):

GBC - Conflict of Interest

GBI - Gifts to District Personnel