HAMBURG AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

SECTION: PUPILS

TITLE: STUDENT FUNDRAISING

ADOPTED: March 23, 2015

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	229. STUDENT FUNDRAISING
1. Purpose	The Board acknowledges that solicitation of funds from students must be limited because compulsory attendance laws make the student a captive donor and such solicitation may disrupt the educational program of the schools.
2. Definition	For purposes of this policy, **student fundraising** shall include solicitation and collection of money by students in exchange for goods or services.
3. Authority	The Board prohibits the collection of money by a student for personal benefit in school buildings, on school property or at any school-sponsored activity.
	District students are not obligated to conduct door-to-door sales for fundraising activities.
	No interscholastic athletic team shall be involved with any fundraising activity unless there is a proven need or special event. This need must be shown to the Athletic Director, and any special event must be approved by the Superintendent or Athletic Director.
4. Delegation of Responsibility SC 511	Collection of money by approved school organizations may be permitted by the building principal and must be approved in advance.
	Collections by students on behalf of school organizations outside the schools may be permitted only by the Superintendent.
	The Superintendent or designee shall develop rules and administrative regulations to implement this policy which:
	1. Limit the number of fundraisers in a year for any group.
	2. Specify times and places in which funds may be collected.
	3. Describe permitted methods of solicitation that do not place undue pressure on students or patrons.

Pol. 618	4. Limit the kind and amount of advertising for solicitation. The building principal shall distribute this policy and relevant procedures to each student organization granted permission to solicit funds. Funds solicited shall be controlled by Policy 618. References: School Code – 24 P.S. Sec. 511 Board Policy – 000, 618