

## **Tobacco-Free Policy Tobacco-Free Environment**

School district facilities and grounds, including school vehicles, are off limits for tobacco use, including nicotine products. This requirement extends to students, employees and visitors. This policy applies at all times, including school-sponsored and nonschool-sponsored events. Persons failing to abide by this request are required to extinguish their smoking material, dispose of the tobacco product or leave the school district premises immediately. It is the responsibility of the administration to enforce this policy.

Note: “Nicotine products” means any product containing nicotine or any other preparation of tobacco and any product or formulation of matter containing biologically active amounts of nicotine. “Nicotine product” does not include any cessation product specifically approved by the United States Food and Drug Administration (FDA) for use in reducing, treating, or eliminating nicotine or tobacco dependence.

Legal Reference: Iowa Code 98A; 279.9; 297 (1991).

Cross Reference: 403.5 Smoking and Non Smoking Employee Work Areas

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