

COMMUNITY RELATIONS
CONDUCT ON SCHOOL PREMISES

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**Access to District
Property**

In order to enhance and maintain school security, authorized District officials, including campus principals, assistant principals, other administrators, school resource officers, and District police officers if applicable, shall refuse to allow a person access to property under the District's control in accordance with law, unless their presence is specifically authorized by this policy.

District officials may request assistance from law enforcement in an emergency or when a person is engaging in behavior rising to the level of criminal conduct.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, the following persons shall be granted access to school facilities by District officials:

- a. Parents, guardians and or other persons authorized under the provisions of the Texas Family Code to supervise children can visit campuses to observe or meet with school officials concerning the students under their care custody or control;
- b. All persons attending activities such as sports or performance events to which the public is invited. Persons attending school facilities under this provision shall be restricted to those campus locations where the public event is being held.
- c. Persons who are bona fide members of volunteer or other organizations supporting specifically school activities, but only at such times and at such locations as are necessary to support the authorized activities.

**Ejection or
Exclusion under
Education Code
37.105**

In accordance with Education Code 37.105, a District official shall provide a person refused entry to or ejected from property under the District's control written information explaining the right to appeal such refusal of entry or ejection under the District's grievance process.

A person appealing under the District's grievance process shall be permitted to address the Board in person within 90 days of filing the initial complaint, unless the complaint is resolved before the Board considers it. [See FNG and GF]

**Off-Campus
Activities**

Employees shall be designated to ensure appropriate conduct of participants and others attending a school-related activity at non-District or out-of-District facilities. Those so designated shall coordinate their efforts with persons in charge of the facilities.

Prohibitions

Tobacco and
E-Cigarettes

The District prohibits smoking and the use of tobacco products and e-cigarettes on District property, in District vehicles, or at school-related activities.

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Weapons

The District prohibits the unlawful use, possession, or display of any firearm, location-restricted knife, club, or prohibited weapon, as defined at FNCG, on all District property at all times.

Exceptions

No violation of this policy occurs when:

1. A Texas handgun license holder stores a handgun or other firearm in a locked vehicle in a parking lot, parking garage, or other parking area provided by the District, as long as the handgun or other firearm is not in plain view; or
2. The use, possession, or display of an otherwise prohibited weapon takes place as part of a District-approved activity supervised by proper authorities. [See FOD]