## **INSTRUCTION**

## **Contests for Students**

Student contest activities should enhance the basic school program and must be approved by designated district official and/or the building principal. They should not detract from or use time designated for student learning. They should be appropriate to the age and grade level of the students.

Outside organizations (e.g., March of Dimes, Heart Association) who ask for student participation in fund raising activities must be approved by the designated district official. All organizations must follow the procedure developed.

The solicitation and collection of money by students for any purpose including the collection of money in exchange for tickets, papers, magazine subscriptions, or for any other goods or services for the benefit of an approved school organization (e.g. PTO, ATP, ASB) may be permitted. Any money collected will be used for building and/or parent organization projects. Profits realized from contests will be used for building projects approved by the principal. All purchases become the property of the school district.

This policy does not in any way exclude the giving of prizes to students by an outside organization whose activity has been approved. Washington Interscholastic Activities Association (WIAA) rules will be followed regarding gifts for school district athletic programs.

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