

47 organizations as defined under federal law and as listed in Regulation KG-R; and youth groups as
48 designated by the Code of Virginia. Any such access provided during the school day may not
49 conflict with instructional time. Such access may also include after-school sponsored activities
50 such as “Back to School” events, where it can be reasonably accommodated.

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52 ACPS will also allow distribution of materials from official City partners and nonprofit
53 organizations who promote the general public interest and the educational welfare of the
54 students. All material must be approved through the Department of School and Community
55 Relations prior to distribution.

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57 **Newsletters**

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59 School newsletters may announce events or activities sponsored by the school, school
60 organizations, school clubs, parent-teacher organizations, booster clubs, or governmental
61 agencies. School newsletters may not include announcements of events or activities sponsored by
62 non-school organizations or individuals unless the materials are permitted under a signed
63 Memorandum of Understanding or Agreement and are approved by the Department of School and
64 Community Relations. Schools may not distribute communications submitted by organizations
65 that contain advertisements and/or marketing material that the schools would otherwise be
66 prohibited from distributing as described in Policy KJ.

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68 **PTA Materials**

69 PTA newsletters and other materials may be distributed only if consistent with Policies KF, KM
70 and this regulation. All parent-teacher organization electronic media accounts, newsletters,
71 websites and distributed material should be clearly marked as PTA and should be clearly
72 distinguishable as separate from electronic media accounts, newsletters, websites and distributed
73 material associated with the school itself.

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76 Established: May 23, 2007
77 Revised: November 16, 2015
78 Revised: June 23, 2016
79 Amended: March 7, 2024

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82 Legal Refs.: U.S. Constitution, amend. I.
83 36 U.S.C. Subtitle II, Part B
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85 Code of Virginia, 1950, as amended, sections 22.1-70, 22.1-78, 22.1-
86 79.3, 22.1-131, 22.1-293(B-D)
87 Virginia Acts of Assembly, Chapter 647 (effective 7/1/16)

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89 Cross Refs.: GBG/KE Staff Participation in Political Activities and School Board
90 Election Campaigns
91 JFC-R Standards of Student Conduct
92 KBE Internet Privacy

93	KF	Distribution of Information/Materials
94	KFB	Administration of Surveys and Questionnaires
95	KG	Community Use of School Facilities
96	KG-R	Community Use of School Facilities Regulations and
97		Application
98	KJ	Advertising in the Schools
99	KM	Relations with Community Organizations
100	KMA	Relations with Parent Organizations
101	KQ	Commercial, Promotional, and Corporate Sponsorships and
102		Partnerships