## LYON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD POLICY\_\_\_

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## PROHIBITION OF STUDENT TOBACCO AND LIKE PRODUCT USE

It shall be the policy of the Lyon County School District that smoking, use and/or possession of tobacco in any form by students shall not be permitted at any time on any property owned by the Lyon County School District, or within any vehicles transporting students on behalf of the District. Forms of tobacco include, but are not limited to, cigarettes, chewing tobacco, snuff, or any other object or device that is used to smoke, inhale or permit absorption of tobacco. In addition, this prohibition includes all imitation tobacco products such as electronic cigarettes, vaporizer (vape) products, herbal snuff/chew, or any other substance used to simulate or mimic tobacco.

The District prohibits the marketing, display, or promotion of alcohol, tobacco, and/or controlled substances on District property, on District-provided transportation or bus stops, in co-curricular and extracurricular programs, at school- or District-sanctioned or recognized activities and events, and/or in school- or District-sponsored publications, websites or social media.

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## PROHIBITION OF STUDENT TOBACCO AND LIKE PRODUCT USE ADMINISTRATIVE REGULATIONS

The main purpose of the prohibition of student tobacco and like product use policy is to help students recognize the health dangers inherent with the use of tobacco and related products, including imitation tobacco.

Students in violation of this policy in any form on Lyon County School District as a first offense, will be subject to a three (3) day suspension. A second offense will carry a five (5) day suspension. A third offense, or any other subsequent offenses, will each carry a ten (10) day suspension.

Materials and counseling support will be made available to all students about cessation of tobacco or like product use.

Administrators have the flexibility to alter the suspension periods based on the student's participation in such a program or other such evidence that the administrator felt indicated the student's efforts toward stopping the use of tobacco and related products.