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## GIFTS TO AND SOLICITATIONS BY STAFF

## **GIFTS**

No teacher will be permitted to receive any gift of money or article of value, as defined in RI General Law 16-38-6, from any of the classes under his/her charge. This is in accordance with 16-38-6, RI General Law.

## **SOLICITATIONS**

Solicitation for contributions of money from students and/or teachers will be restricted to worthy enterprises, which involve community betterment and are noncontroversial in nature. Any contributions will be strictly voluntary and will not be permitted unless prior approval has been granted by the superintendent.

Every precaution will be taken to ensure the voluntary nature of any authorized solicitation. No distinction will be made between contributors and noncontributors.

Any authorized solicitations will be scheduled and conducted in such a manner as to reduce to a minimum the interruption of the regular school day.

Solicitation of funds by employees of the Bristol Warren Regional School District for educational activities that have not been approved in the school budget for that year will not be permitted. Parent groups may petition the superintendent through the principals to raise funds for a particular educational activity.

However, exception to the above will be those educational activities that in the past have been normally funded through school solicitation under control and approval of the building principal and the office of the superintendent.

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