

3. Any component, part, or accessory of a tobacco product, whether or not sold separately. These prohibitions do not apply to a student's possession or use of his/her own prescription products. However, student possession or use of prescription products in school shall be subject to the district's policy and regulation for addressing the administration of medications on campus. (Education Code 48900)

Prevention Instruction

YCOE shall provide developmentally appropriate tobacco-use prevention instruction for students at selected grade levels from K-12 pursuant to Education Code 51202. Such instruction shall be aligned with state content standards and the state curriculum framework for health education and with any requirements of state and/or federal grant programs in which YCOE participates.

Intervention/Cessation Services

YCOE may provide or refer students to counseling, intensive education, and other intervention services to assist in the cessation of tobacco use. Such intervention services shall be provided as an alternative to suspension for tobacco possession.

Program Planning

YCOE's tobacco-use prevention and intervention program shall be based on an assessment of tobacco-use problems in YCOE schools and the community, an examination of existing services and activities in the community, and a determination of high-risk student populations that are most in need of services.

The Superintendent or designee shall coordinate with the local health department in program planning and implementation. He/she may establish an advisory council including students, parents/guardians, district staff, representatives of the local health department and community organizations, law enforcement professionals, and/or others with demonstrated expertise in tobacco prevention and cessation.

The Superintendent or designee also shall coordinate YCOE's tobacco-use prevention and intervention program with other district efforts to reduce students' use of illegal substances and to promote student wellness.

The Superintendent or designee shall select tobacco-use prevention programs based on the model program designs identified by the California Department of Education (CDE) and may adapt the model to meet needs. (Health and Safety Code 104420)

The Superintendent or designee shall not accept for distribution any materials or advertisements that promote the use or sale of tobacco products. He/she also shall not accept tobacco-use prevention or intervention funds or materials from the tobacco industry or from any entity which is known to have received funding from the tobacco industry.

Program Evaluation

To evaluate the effectiveness of YCOE's program and ensure accountability, the Superintendent or designee shall biennially administer the California Healthy Kids Survey or other appropriate student survey at selected grade levels in order to assess student attitudes toward tobacco and student use of tobacco. He/she also shall annually report to the Board, and to the CDE if required, the data specified in Health and Safety Code 104450.

The results of program evaluations shall be used to refine program goals and objectives and make changes as needed to strengthen program implementation.

Policy Reference Disclaimer:

These references are not intended to be part of the policy itself, nor do they indicate the basis or authority for the board to enact this policy. Instead, they are provided as additional resources for those interested in the subject matter of the policy.

State

17 CCR 6800-6874

Bus. Code 22950.5

Ed. Code 48900.5

Ed. Code 48901

Ed. Code 51202

Ed. Code 60041

Ed. Code 8900

H&S Code 104350-104495

H&S Code 104559

H&S Code 119405

Pen. Code 308

Federal

20 USC 7111-7122

21 CFR 1140.1-1140.34

Management Resources

Attorney General Opinion

California Department of Education
Publication

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Website

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Description

[Child Health and Disability Prevention program; health assessments](#)

[Stop Tobacco Access to Kids Enforcement Act - Definitions](#)

Suspension, limitation on imposition; exception

Smoking or use of tobacco prohibited

Instruction in personal and public health and safety

Instructional materials, portrayal of effects of tobacco use

Suspension or expulsion (grounds)

Tobacco-use prevention education

Tobacco use prohibition

Unlawful to sell or furnish electronic cigarettes to minors

Minimum age for tobacco possession

Description

Student Support and Academic Enrichment Grants

Unlawful sale of cigarettes and smokeless tobacco to minors

Description

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TUPE Acceptance of Funds Guidance

Health Framework for California Public Schools:

Kindergarten Through Grade Twelve, 2003

Health Education Content Standards for California Public
Schools: Kindergarten Through Grade Twelve, 2008

Getting Results: Part II California Action Guide to Tobacco
Use Prevention Education, 2000

[Office of the Surgeon General](#)

[Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Smoking and Tobacco Use](#)

Website	<u>California Healthy Kids Survey</u>
Website	<u>California Healthy Kids Resource Center</u>
Website	<u>California Department of Public Health, Tobacco Control</u>
Website	<u>California Department of Education, Tobacco-Use Prevention Education</u>
WestEd Publication	Guidebook for the California Healthy Kids Survey