

Community Relations

Soliciting Funds from and by Students

The Woodstock Academy personnel shall educate students about services performed by humanitarian agencies and shall encourage student participation in financial support of agencies or foundations as a social and community project, but fundraising shall not be conducted by non-Academy agencies or for non-Academy activities among students except as provided by law and approved by the Head of School.

The Head of School or his/her designee consistent with these guidelines may approve fundraising activities:

- Fundraising is in connection with Academy- or Foundation-sponsored projects;
- There are sufficient educational or financial benefits that will accrue to The Academy or Foundation and/or students, either directly or indirectly, from the activity; and
- The mechanics or procedures of fundraising will neither be an unacceptable burden to teachers or other school staff members nor subject the school to inappropriate risks or responsibilities in handling funds.

Upon approval by the Head of School or his/her designee, information from recognized charitable and other organizations that could eventually result in voluntary student and/or parental/guardian activities, contributions, or memberships of benefit to the organization may be distributed through the schools. In these instances, the distribution of materials would be the only school involvement on behalf of the organizations.

There shall be no direct solicitation of funds by outside organizations from students except with specific approval of the Head of School or his/her designee.

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