

VENDING MACHINES

The Bethel Board of Education has determined that there shall be no installations of vending machines except as approved by the superintendent. The superintendent will have the authority to determine whether such machines may be installed, where they will be placed, what items will be dispensed, and during which hours they might be used. Vending machines are operated as a convenience for students, staff, and patrons. All revenue produced from this source shall be deposited in the designated activity fund as approved by the board of education. Revenues may be spent only on those purposes for which general revenue may be expended.

All snack foods sold in school must be “whole grain rich,” meaning they contain 50% whole grains or have whole grains as the first ingredient, or have as the first ingredient a fruit, a vegetable, a dairy product or a protein-rich food. Combination foods that contain at least ¼ cup fruit and/or vegetable or naturally contain 10% of the daily value (DV) of calcium, potassium, vitamin D or dietary fiber will also be accepted.

**REFERENCE: 70 O.S. §5-129
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