



BAKERSFIELD CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

EDUCATION CENTER – 1300 BAKER ST. BAKERSFIELD, CA 93305

Department of Stores and Purchasing

Purchasing Restrictions

The Department of Stores and Purchasing has set forth limitations and guidelines for products that are NOT allowed for purchase; please adhere to the following restricted items:

****Art supplies must meet California Education Code 32064 and bear a statement of conformity to ASTM D-4236****

ALL VENDORS

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| ✚ <u>NO</u> Gift cards | ✚ <u>NO</u> Staff incentives |
| ✚ <u>NO</u> Sharp-pointed scissors for students | ✚ <u>NO</u> Drones |
| ✚ <u>NO</u> Bubbles | ✚ <u>NO</u> Window Curtains |
| ✚ <u>NO</u> Laser pointers (Allowed for teachers only with justification) | ✚ <u>NO</u> Toy Guns |
| ✚ <u>NO</u> Medication or medicated products (eye solution, pain relievers, antacids) | ✚ <u>NO</u> Inflatable Air Mattress |
| ✚ <u>NO</u> Fragranced products including lotions, perfumes | ✚ <u>NO</u> Inflatable Pools |
| ✚ <u>NO</u> Aerosols: Air fresheners, spray paint | ✚ <u>NO</u> Videogames (exceptions – Elementary 'Rated E' and Jr. High-Middle 'Rated E' or 'Rated T') |
| ✚ <u>NO</u> Sharpie (for adult use only) | ✚ <u>NO</u> Candles |
| | ✚ <u>NO</u> Wall Coverings |

ONLINE VENDORS

- ✚ **NO** Furniture- (cloth material bean bags, rugs, tables, stools, chairs, etc.)

IN-STORE SHOPPING VENDORS

****Credit card shopping is to be used only as a last resort for items not found with our regular vendors****

- ✚ **NO** Furniture- (including cloth material bean bags, rugs, tables, stools, chairs, curtains, etc.)
- ✚ **NO** Food items- including food items being used for science or art projects such as pasta, candy
- ✚ **NO** Water balloons

The Purchasing Restrictions document has been updated to reflect the July 2025 OEHHA Art and Craft Materials List, replacing all prior 2022 references. This update incorporates newly identified prohibited materials and expanded categories, clarifies labeling requirements including the "CL" seal and ASTM D-4236 compliance, and reinforces required safety practices such as pre-purchase label verification and periodic inventory review to ensure compliance for K-6 use.

If you should have any questions regarding this information please call the Department of Stores Purchasing at ext. 14712.