

TOBACCO USE IN SYSTEM FACILITIES

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The Pike County Board of Education prohibits the use or possession of tobacco in any form by students, faculty, support personnel, or any other person on school property under the control of the Pike County Board of Education. This includes a public school building, Pike County Board of Education Building, bus maintenance building, bus, campus, recreational area, athletic field, parking area or other area under the control of the Pike County Board of Education.

Parents/guardians and other persons are hereby notified that they are prohibited from use or possession of tobacco in any form on Pike County School System property at any time.

School principals and other work site supervisors as may be designated are directed to post signs at the entrance of all school buildings and on the grounds of Pike County School System property designating the school property as a tobacco free facility.

Pike County Board of Education employees found in violation of this policy are subject to disciplinary actions not limited to: reprimand, suspension pending a hearing, and termination of employment.

STATUTORY AUTHORITY:

CODE OF ALABAMA

16-1-30

LAW(S) IMPLEMENTED:

CODE OF ALABAMA

16-8-8

ALABAMA ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE ACT:

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HISTORY:

ADOPTED: JANUARY 21, 2002

REVISION DATE(S): FEBRUARY 16, 2009

FORMERLY: JCDAB; GAMC

STUDENT PUBLICATIONS

4.51

Pike County School System school principals may approve establishment of a school newspaper or magazine for students.

- I. The principal shall be responsible for supervising the publication of newspapers, magazines, yearbooks, and programs and for ensuring these publications do not impede or otherwise interfere with the educational purpose of the school.
- II. The principal shall not allow advertisements of intoxicants or tobacco products or other products which would be inappropriate for the intended audience.
- III. The principal shall establish and communicate procedures for faculty review of content in student publications and for committee action needed for removal of content from student publications.

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CLASS II OFFENSES

2.1 - Defiance of authority

2.2 - Fighting on campus, bus or at any school sanctioned activity (K-6 Only).

Any physical conflict, hitting or contact, or exchange of blows between two or more individuals which does not result in physical injury or property damage.

2.3 - Use or possession of any tobacco products, matches, or lighters on campus, including electronic cigarettes, vapes/vapes juice and/or related devices

2.4 - Unauthorized absence from class or school (cutting or skipping)

2.5 - Insubordination

Failure to follow the reasonable directive or order of a school board employee.

2.6 - Threats or acts of intimidation towards students by groups or individuals (K-6 Only)

The intentional threat by word or act to do harm to another student.

2.6.1 - The possession, use, or display of non-realistic firearm replicas (Grades K-6)

A non-realistic replica of any firearm includes but is not limited to items such as water guns, nerf guns, toys, etc.

Non-realistic replica weapons will be returned to parent or guardian, as appropriate.

2.7 - Property damage up to \$50.00 - Intentionally defacing or damaging the property of another (public or personal). Up to \$50.00, the student will be required to repair or replace the damaged item.

2.8 - Stealing - Theft (Less than \$50.00 in value)

Taking and/or carrying away of public or personal property. The student will be required to replace, return (unharmed items), or pay the cost of such items.

2.9 - Intentionally providing false information

Providing false information including, but not limited to forgery of parents/guardian's names, changing grades, address, other school records, forging notes, passes or forms. This includes a student's refusal to identify themselves or inaccurate self-identification.