

## **FOOD AND BEVERAGE SERVICES AVAILABLE TO STUDENTS**

FOOD AND BEVERAGE SERVICES AVAILABLE TO STUDENTS IN ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS SHALL BE PROVIDED DURING THE SCHOOL DAY ONLY BY THE SCHOOL FOOD SERVICE PROGRAM. IN SECONDARY SCHOOLS, ORGANIZATIONS APPROVED BY THE SCHOOL BOARD MAY SELL FOOD AND BEVERAGE ITEMS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE RULES LISTED IN THIS POLICY. SUCH SERVICES SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH FEDERAL LAWS, FLORIDA STATUTES, FLORIDA STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION ADMINISTRATIVE RULES, BOARD POLICY, RULES, REGULATIONS AND GUIDELINES, AS WELL AS BROWARD HEALTH DEPARTMENT SANITATION RULES. THIS POLICY DOES NOT APPLY TO LOCATIONS NOT SERVICED BY THE SCHOOL FOOD SERVICE DEPARTMENT.

### **RULES**

#### **1. FOOD AND BEVERAGE SERVICES DURING THE SCHOOL DAY**

- a. In accordance with the Florida State Board of Education Administrative Rules, Competitive Foodservice Policy, Chapter 6-7.042, the School Board of Broward County Florida allows the following:
  - In high schools, the sale of carbonated beverages by a school activity or organization authorized by the principal, can take place at all times if a beverage of one-hundred percent (100%) fruit juice is sold at each location where carbonated beverages are sold.
  - In no case shall carbonated beverages be sold where breakfast or lunch is being served or eaten.
  - Non-carbonated beverages, including 100% fruit juice drinks, can be sold at any time during the day at any location.
  - In high schools, all foods (other than beverages) sold in competition with food service, shall take place one hour following the close of the last school lunch period.
  - Nutritious foods and beverages that meet the United States Department of Agriculture Dietary Guidelines for Americans must be included in the choices.
- b. In middle schools, school organizations approved by the School Board can sell food and beverage items to students in competition with the School Food Service only one hour following the close of the last lunch period. Nutritious food and beverages that meet the United States Department of Agriculture Dietary Guidelines for Americans must be included in the choices.
- c. In elementary schools no food or beverage item can be sold during the school day, other than by the School Food Service Program.
- d. The gross revenue for all food and beverage services available to students during the school day shall accrue only to the School Food Service Program, or school organization approved by the principal.

#### **2. FOOD AND BEVERAGE SERVICES AFTER THE SCHOOL DAY**

- a. Food and beverage snack bar services which are commercially operated are permitted to be open after the school day or during night school. In all cases, commercially operated snack bar services for after-school activities shall be bid through the Purchasing Department. Such services shall be subject to all of the health and sanitation rules and regulations of the Broward County Health Department as are required for school cafeterias.

When the income to the school is determined on a commission basis, the principal shall have the responsibility to confirm the accuracy of the daily gross receipts from such food and beverage services upon which the commissions are based. Nutritious foods and beverages that meet the United States Department of Agriculture Dietary Guidelines for Americans must be included in the choices.

- b. Gross revenues from all food and beverage services, including vending machines after the end of the school day for all students, may accrue to student organizations approved by The School Board of Broward County, Florida.
- c. All bookkeeping records for commercially operated snack bars are subject to audit by the Internal Auditors of the School Board.
- d. Commissions shall accrue to the school's Internal Accounts.

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