



Policy: 9.27

**SUBJECT:**                    **STUDENT GIFTS AND SOLICITATIONS**

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### **1.0    Policy**

Fund-raising campaigns for charitable purposes among children of the Detroit public schools will be restricted to those approved by the Board of Education.

Since the young people of our schools will be the community leaders of tomorrow, it is important that they develop an awareness of the types of community social services that are available and how these services are financially supported. Participating actively in a fund-raising campaign offers them an opportunity to learn about such service.

The main emphasis of any fund-raising campaign should be on the educational aspects of the program. Contests between rooms and schools should not be used as a promotional device.

**Attachments to Policy 9.27:**                None

**Legal References:**    Detroit Ordinance 33-4-5 (prohibits house-to-house canvassing by children)

**Labor Contract References:**                None