

SYOSSET CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

SMOKING AND OTHER TOBACCO USE ON SCHOOL PREMISES

POLICY 1530

Due to the health hazards associated with smoking, and in accordance with federal and state law, the Board of Education prohibits smoking, including smoking cigarettes, personal vaporizers (nicotine and non-nicotine based) and all other tobacco/nicotine use in all school buildings, on school grounds, and in any vehicle used to transport children or personnel.

The School District's smoking policy shall be prominently posted in each building, at designated outdoor locations on school premises (e.g. athletic fields) and in all School District vehicles. The Board of Education designates the Superintendent of Schools or his/her designee as agent responsible for informing individuals smoking anywhere on school premises or in School District vehicles that they are in violation of Article 13 of the Public Health Law and/or federal Pro-Children Acts of 1994 and 2001.

Cross-ref: 1500 Public Use of School District Facilities
5300 Code of Conduct

Ref: Education Law §409(2)
Public Health Law Article 13-E
No Child Left Behind Act of 2001; Title IV §§4301-4304
20 USC §6083
8 NYCRR §155.5(h)(1)

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