

**RELATIONS BETWEEN PUBLIC AND STUDENTS**

**Public Performances**

Students shall become involved only in such public performances, other than athletic events, as the Superintendent or designee determines will provide a genuine learning experience and enhance the educational program.

In no case shall the Office of Education accept compensation for public performances by students. Honorariums and travel expenses paid by school districts, nonprofit education institutions, and government agencies shall not be considered compensation.

**Contests**

Students shall be allowed to participate only in such contests as the Superintendent or designee determines will enhance the educational program and not place unreasonable burdens on students or personnel involved.

In no case will commercial or private interests be served by such student participation.

**Soliciting**

Unless recognized as a nonpartisan or charitable organization and approved by the Superintendent/designee, students may not be solicited on school grounds to subscribe to, contribute to, or join a group or organization.

*Legal References:*

- EDUCATION CODE
- 1042 Additional powers of boards
- 51520 Prohibited solicitations
- 51521 Unlawful solicitations