

materials, equipment, or supplies of the type and nature as may be purchased by a public school district or public school.

- (4) The school district may purchase materials, equipment, or supplies directly from or through a qualified group purchasing organization if either the price is less than that for the same or substantially similar materials, equipment, or supplies on the same contract or bid list, or if the same or substantially similar materials, equipment, or supplies are not under state contract or on the state bid list.

Nothing in this paragraph shall be construed to authorize the school board to purchase materials, equipment, or supplies from or through an entity or vendor other than a qualified group purchasing organization without using a procurement process otherwise provided by state law.

Legal Reference: La. R.S. 38:2212.1(N)

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SCHOOL FUND-RAISING ACTIVITIES & SALES TO STUDENTS

Money raising activities in the public school shall be kept to a minimum.

All such activities shall be approved in advance by the principal of the school involved.

Each school principal shall be left to use his/her own discretion as to the type and exact numbers of benefits that will be held for the purpose of raising school or club funds.

Therefore, no person or organization, whether profit or non-profit, shall conduct sales of food stuffs or any type merchandise on the school premises except with approval of the principal.

No agents, solicitors, collectors, or other persons of like employment shall be allowed to take the time or attention of any student or teacher during school hours or on school premises to advertise, exhibit, promote, collect for, or sell any article whatsoever without the specific approval of the principal.

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CASH IN SCHOOL BUILDINGS

No money, other than petty cash, shall be kept overnight in school buildings, but shall be deposited in the designated school depository.