

AP 247 – Smoke Free Environment

Purpose

The Board of Education believes that a smoke free environment is desirable for its students and employees.

Procedure

Under the *Tobacco Control Act* of 2007, smoking and the use of all tobacco products is prohibited on property owned and/ or operated by School District No. 68 for the purpose of delivering educational programs, with exceptions related to traditional aboriginal activities.

Parents, students, staff and visitors cannot smoke, hold lit tobacco or use chewing tobacco anywhere on school property at any time, whether or not school is in session. This prohibition applies to school buildings, parking lots, sports fields, driveways, courtyards, and private vehicles in school parking lots. It applies to school vehicles, wherever they may be at any time.

Effective: 1986.04.16 Revised: 1994.01.26; 1999.11.24; 202.02.25; 2007.09.26; 2015.?.? Reference: Sections 2.2, *The Tobacco Control Act*, 2007