

Staff Participation in Political Activities

Employees are encouraged to fulfill their civic responsibilities and to take part in political activities to the extent of their interest and inclination in ways that do not interfere with their school employment responsibilities. This includes such citizen rights as voting; discussing the social, political and economic issues of the day in public meetings; supporting candidates; accepting appointive or elective office; holding office in political parties, and participating in such other civic and political activities in appropriate ways as they deem advisable.

Care shall be taken to avoid expressing a personal political philosophy in school situations. In all cases it should be made clear to observers that the expressed point of view is personal and does not represent the school district's point of view.

Political activities on school premises shall be limited to out-of-school hours.

Adopted: 11/22/77

Revised to conform with practice: date of manual adoption

Reviewed by Board of Education 12/12/15