

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Cherry Hill, New Jersey

POLICY 1315

FREE MATERIALS DISTRIBUTION IN SCHOOLS

Printed materials, such as pamphlets, handbills, brochures, placards or posters may be distributed and/or posted in school buildings when such materials are in accordance with the following criteria:

- A. Are not inflammatory and/or designed to incite acts of violence.
- B. Do not attack or seek to generate hostility toward any ethnic or religious group.
- C. Are not obscene or pornographic.
- D. Do not libel or defame the character of any person or persons.
- E. Do not advocate interference with the normal operations of public schools.
- F. Do not solicit memberships or funds for non-school organizations without approval of the superintendent or designee.
- G. Do not favor or oppose candidates for the Board of Education or other public office, or the defeat or adoption of Board of Education budgets and referenda or other public questions submitted to the electorate at any general municipal or district election.
- H. Are not in conflict with the following criteria:
 - a. Address clearly understood educational needs.
 - b. Are of obvious educational value and contain little or no advertising emphasis.
 - c. Are consistent with the values, goals and objectives of the educational program.
 - d. Supplement and enrich text and reference book materials.
 - e. Support and do not undermine either implicitly or explicitly an existing curriculum and instruction message.
 - f. Are timely and up to date.
 - g. Promote American democratic ideals and moral values.

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