

POLICY 10550

USE OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS AND ELECTRONIC SMOKING PRODUCTS

POLICY:

The Board of Education "Board" believes that the use of tobacco products, electronic cigarettes, and related products in the school and work environment is detrimental to the good health of its students and employees. The Board encourages participation in tobacco cessation programs.

As an employer, the Board has a duty to ensure the safety of the workplace and to satisfy itself that each employee is able to work in a safe environment. At the same time, as an education authority and consistent with public expectations, the Board has the responsibility to provide educational leadership and encourage its employees to act as positive role models especially while in the workplace.

DISTRICT PRACTICE 10550 NON USE OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS AND ELECTRONIC SMOKING PRODUCTS

REFERENCES: Tobacco Sales Amendment Act, 2007