

**SMOKING, THE USE OF ELECTRONIC SMOKING DEVICES,
OR USE OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS IN SCHOOL FACILITIES,
BUILDINGS, GROUNDS, AND VEHICLES**

Any form of smoking is illegal on school property in accordance with New York State Law. No smoking, including the use of any electronic smoking devices, or use of any tobacco products ~~will~~ shall be permitted within any indoor facility, on school property, or in a school vehicle owned, leased or contracted for and utilized by the South Colonie Central Schools District at any time.

No smoking, use of electronic smoking devices, and or use of tobacco products shall be allowed during any student activity that is supervised by faculty or staff or any officially sanctioned school event with or without students.

For purposes of this policy, the term “indoor facility” shall mean a building that is enclosed. The term “school property” shall mean both buildings and all legally defined grounds. The term “school vehicle” shall mean any bus, car, truck, van or motorized vehicle owned, leased or contracted for by the District.

Cross-Reference: Policy 5300 Code of Conduct

Reference: Title VIII, Part C, Environmental Tobacco Smoke
Section 1041, “Pro-Children Act of 1994”
Public Health Article 13-E
New York State “Pro-Kids” Law of 1994

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