

LEGAL: NUTRITION STANDARDS FOR ALL FOODS SOLD IN SCHOOL AS REQUIRED BY THE HEALTHY, HUNGER-FREE KIDS ACT OF 2010 HAVE REVISED ALLOWABLE BEVERAGES THAT CAN BE SOLD IN VENDING MACHINES ACCESSIBLE TO STUDENTS. ALSO, RECENT GUIDANCE FROM KDE REGARDING COMPETITIVE FOODS AND BEVERAGES IS ADDRESSED.
FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS: POSSIBLE LOSS OF REVENUE FROM VENDING MACHINE SALES
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Vending Machines

REQUEST

Vending machines will be installed in the school only at the request of the Principal and subject to approval by the Board.

BIDDING

The Board may bid the installation of vending machines, using specifications established by the Superintendent/designee.

STUDENT USE

Vending machine use by students shall be in compliance with current federal and state regulations.

At the elementary school and middle school levels during the school day, only school-day-approved beverages shall be sold in vending machines, e.g. (water, one hundred percent [100%] fruit/vegetable juice, low-fat milk, and any beverage that contains no more than ten (10) grams of sugar per serving)(unflavored), non-fat milk (unflavored or flavored) as permitted by the school meal requirements.

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For students at the high school level, only school-day-approved beverages may be sold in vending machines during the school day, e.g. (water, one hundred percent [100%] fruit/vegetable juice, low-fat milk (unflavored), non-fat milk (unflavored or flavored), as permitted by the school meal requirements.

In addition to the beverages listed above, other beverages as allowed in 7 C.F.R. Parts 210 and 220, and state law and regulation, (whichever is more restrictive) may be available in vending machines at the high school level.

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Size of beverages shall not exceed eight (8) ounces for elementary schools, twelve (12) ounces for middle schools and twenty (20) ounces for high schools.

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SALES

Any sales from vending machines shall be in compliance with applicable state and federal law and regulation. Specifically, competitive foods or beverages shall not be sold from vending machines from the time of the arrival of the first student at the school building until midnight before until thirty (30) minutes after the last school lunch period of the school day. From thirty (30) minutes after the last lunch period closes until thirty (30) minutes after the school day, food and beverages sold must conform with nutritional standards specified in state and federal regulations.

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REFERENCES:

KRS 156.160; KRS 158.854; KRS 160.290

7 C.F.R. 210.11b; 7 C.F.R. 220

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