

POLICY

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Non-Instructional/Business
Operations

SUBJECT: ACCEPTING GIFTS

The Board will accept gifts of either money or merchandise that, in the view of the Board, add to the overall welfare of the District.

At the same time the Board will safeguard the District, the staff, and students from commercial exploitation from special interest groups and the like.

The Board will not consider the acceptance of a gift until and unless it receives the offer in writing. The Board prefers the gift to be a general offer rather than a specific one and that the donor work first with the school administrators in determining the nature of the gift.

Gifts of money shall be annually accounted for under the trust and agency account in the bank designated by the Board of Education.

Education Law Section 1709(12)