

	Administrative Procedure	
	Subject	Vaping, Cannabis, Tobacco, and the Use of Tobacco Products or Electronic Cigarettes
	AP Code	162

Background

The school strives to provide safe, comfortable, and healthy environments for all students, employees, community partners, visitors, and guests.

Procedures

1. All buildings and property owned or operated by the school shall be free from the use of cannabis, tobacco, and tobacco products.
2. Electronic products such as electronic cigarettes, cigars, and pipes as well as cartridges of nicotine solutions and related products are prohibited in the school and on all school properties. Electronic smoking products consisting of a battery-powered delivery system that produces a vapour that resembles smoke and/or a vapour that delivers a liquid chemical mixture that may be composed of various amounts of nicotine, propylene glycol, and/or other chemicals are prohibited in the school and on all school properties.
3. The use of tobacco or tobacco products is only permitted on school property pursuant to Section 11(2) of The Tobacco and Vapour Products Control Act, which states that tobacco use is permitted in “an enclosed public space while it is being used by the consent of the proprietor, for traditional Aboriginal spiritual cultural practices or ceremonies.”
4. Students and staff members are prohibited from smoking/vaping or using tobacco products during school activities authorized by the school whether on or off school property.
5. Persons utilizing school facilities are prohibited from smoking/vaping or using tobacco products while on the premises.
6. Suitable signs shall be displayed in all school buildings indicating that they are non-smoking/vaping areas.

References

The Education Act (1995) - Sections 85, 87, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 175

The Tobacco and Vapour Products Control Act – Section 11(2)

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