ASSOCIATED STUDENT BODIES

An associated student body (ASB) <u>willshall</u> be formed in each school within the district whenever one or more students in that school engage in money_-raising activities with the approval and at the direction or under the supervision of the district. An associated student body <u>willshall</u> be a formal organization of students, including sub-components or affiliated student groups. Each associated student body <u>willshall</u> submit a constitution and bylaws to the board for approval. The constitution and bylaws <u>willshall</u> identify how student activities become approved as student body activities and establish standards for their supervision, governance and financing. Subject to such approval process, any lawful activity which promotes the educational, recreational or cultural growth of students as an optional extracurricular or co-curricular activity may be considered for recognition as an associated student body activity. Any lawful fund raising practices that are consistent with the goals of the district and which do not bring disrespect to the district or its students may be acceptable methods and means for raising funds for student body activities. The <u>boardBoard</u> of <u>directorsDirectors</u> may act or delegate the authority to a staff member to act as the associated student body for any school which contains no grade higher than grade six.

The principal <u>willshall</u> designate a staff member as the primary advisor to the ASB and assure that all groups affiliated with the ASB have an advisor assigned to assist them. Advisors <u>willshall</u> have the authority and responsibility to intervene in any activities that are inconsistent with district policy, ASB standards, student safety or ordinarily accepted standards of behavior in the community. When in doubt, advisors <u>willshall</u> consult the principal regarding the propriety of proposed student activities. <u>Student-School sponsored student</u> activities cannot include support for or opposition to any political candidate or ballot measure.

Each ASB <u>willshall</u> prepare and submit annually a budget for the support of the ASB program to the board for approval. All property and money acquired by ASBs, except private nonassociated student body funds, <u>willshall</u> be district funds and <u>willshall</u> be deposited and disbursed from the district's associated student body program fund.

-Money acquired by associated student body groups through <u>fundraisingfund raising</u> and donations for scholarships, student exchanges and charitable purposes <u>willshall</u> be private <u>nonassociated</u> nonassociated student body fund moneys.

-Solicitation of funds for <u>nonassociated</u> non-associated student body fund purposes must be voluntary and must be accompanied by notice of the intended use of the proceeds and the fact that the district will hold the funds in trust for their intended purpose. <u>NonassociatedNon-associated</u> student body fund moneys <u>willshall</u> be disbursed as determined by the <u>groupgroups</u> raising the money. Private non-associated student body funds <u>willshall</u> be held in trust by the district for the purposes indicated during the fund raising activities, until the student group doing the fund raising requests disbursement of the funds and <u>the</u> accounts of the <u>fundraisingfund-raising</u> are complete and reconciled.

RCW 28A.325.020	Associated student bodiesPowers and responsibilities affecting
RCW 28A.325.030	Associated student body program fund—Created—Source of funds—
	Expenditures—Budgeting—Care of other moneys receive by students for
	private purposes
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