

SUBJECT: VENDING MACHINES

1. Vending machines will be allowed in BOCES buildings for the purpose of selling soda, milk, fruit drinks and snacks. The Campus Principal will determine the availability of vending machines in their respective building (taking into consideration the following, but not limited to, purpose, space, safety, impact on other fundraisers, etc.). The Campus Principal will make arrangements with a local vendor and notify the Assistant Superintendent for Administrative Services of the installation of new vending machines.
2. "From the beginning of the school day until the end of the last scheduled meal period, **no** sweetened soda, water, **no** chewing gum, **no** water ices except those which contain fruit or fruit juices, shall be sold in any public school within the state." (Education Law Section 915)
3. Any commissions or profit realized from the sale of items in vending machines must be deposited in an approved BOCES account, extraclassroom fund or BOCES related organization. No vending machines will be allowed for personal gain.
4. The BOCES will not assume any liability for damage to vending machines. The machines will remain the property of the vending company, who will assume full responsibility for maintaining and equipping the machines.

Education Law Section 915

Adopted: June 11, 2003