

CHAPTER 6.00 – HUMAN RESOURCES

GIFTS

6.14.1

- I. Staff members may, at their discretion, present personal gifts to student(s) on special occasions. Dale County School System staff members must exercise good taste and sound professional judgment when giving gifts to students. Gifts provided by staff members to students must not be elaborate or expensive, as determined by the school principal in his or her sole discretion.
- II. Dale County School System staff members shall not solicit or accept a gift, including money, from any source, when such a gift could be construed to be:
 - A. associated with the performance of school-related duties or activities;
 - B. a result of or a precondition to business transactions between the parties;
- III. Gifts of a nominal value on special occasions such as Valentine’s Day, Christmas parties, etc., are not prohibited by this Policy, unless the school principal determines otherwise in his or her sole discretion.
- Iv. This Policy does not prohibit awarding students for good performance, as approved by the school principal in his or her sole discretion.

STATUTORY AUTHORITY:

CODE OF ALABAMA
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