

## VISITORS TO THE SCHOOLS

The Board encourages parents and other citizens of the District to visit classrooms to observe the work of the schools and to learn what the schools are doing. Visits should be scheduled with the teacher, in advance, to avoid any unnecessary disruption to classroom instruction or activities.

To maintain the safety of students and staff and to ensure that no unauthorized persons enter buildings, all visitors must first report to the main office to receive authorization to visit. (Authorization is not needed for school programs, assemblies, graduation and athletic events.)

All participants and spectators of school programs, assemblies, graduations and athletic events are expected to abide by all applicable law, local ordinances, Board policies and District and building regulations pertaining to public conduct on District property.

Unauthorized persons are not permitted in school buildings or on school grounds. School principals and their designees are authorized to take appropriate action to prevent and remove, if necessary, unauthorized persons from entering District buildings and loitering on the grounds.

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LEGAL REFS.: Gun-Free Schools Act; 20 USC 8921  
ORC 2903.13; 2903.22  
2911.21  
2917.11  
2923.1212; 2923.122  
3313.20

CROSS REFS.: BG, Board-Staff Communications (Also GBD)  
KGB, Public Conduct on District Property  
KI, Public Solicitations in the Schools