

STUDENT WELLNESS POLICY

Consistent with federal law, North Carolina statutes, and North Carolina Board of Education policies, the Pitt County Board of Education supports high-quality nutrition and physical activity programs that improve the health and well-being of students. The Board recognizes that children who are adequately nourished and physically active achieve higher test scores and have fewer behavioral problems.

The Superintendent shall maintain procedures to carry out the goals of this policy as mandated by Public Law 108-265, Section 204, including a plan to evaluate the effectiveness of efforts to promote high-quality nutrition and physical activity programs.

Legal References

- Public Law 108-265, Child Nutrition and WIC Reauthorization Act of 2004, Section 204
- Child Nutrition Act, 42 U.S.C. Chapter 13A, Section 1779, Subsection 10 (a) and (b)
- Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act, 42 U.S.C.1758(f)(1), 1766(a), Section 9(f)(1) and 17(a)
- NCGS 115C-264 (Food Service Operations, amended 2005)
- NCGS 115C-264.2 (Vending Machine Sales, 2005)
- NCGS 115C-264.3 (Child Nutrition Program Standards, 2005)
- North Carolina State Board of Education Policy HSP-G-003 (Basic Education Program, 1998)
- North Carolina State Board of Education Policy HSP-F-007 (Standard Course of Study for Healthful Living, 1985)
- North Carolina State Board of Education Policy HSP-S-000 (Healthy Active Children, 2005)
- Pitt County Board of Education Policy 9.206 (Comprehensive Health Education Program)