Public elementary or secondary school buildings and educational facilities are included in the definition of "public place" in the Idaho Clean Indoor Air Act. Therefore, no person shall use any tobacco product on Sugar Salem School District #322 property.

The District maintains tobacco free buildings and grounds. Use of tobacco will not be allowed in any buildings, grounds, or on any school property, buses, vans, or vehicles that are owned, leased, or controlled by the District. Limitations or prohibitions on tobacco use are applicable to all hours.

Definition

For the purpose of this policy, tobacco use shall be defined as the use of a cigarette, cigar, pipe, smokeless tobacco in any form, and other smoking products specifically including electronic cigarettes, electronic nicotine delivery systems, or vaporizer smoking devices.

The board of trustees delegates to the superintendent and designees the responsibilities to require any person in apparent violation of this policy to extinguish all lighted tobacco products, stop use of electronic cigarettes or nicotine delivery systems, or dispose of smokeless tobacco products appropriately. If the person persists, the designee shall require the person to leave the premises. The designee may report violations to law enforcement.

Any violation of this prohibition by employees shall be immediately reported to the building administrator and may result in disciplinary actions up to, and including, dismissal for repeated offenses.

Students who violate this policy shall be immediately reported to the building administrator and will be disciplined as set forth in the district's discipline policy.

# LEGAL REFERENCE:

Idaho Code Section 39-5501, *et seq.*

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