

Dickson County Board of Education

Monitoring: Review: Annually, in November	Descriptor Term: School Volunteers	Descriptor Code: 4.501	Issued Date: 04/26/12
		Rescinds: 4.6010	Issued: 11/20/97

1 The board recognizes that volunteers (i.e., parents, students, senior citizens, and other adults) can make
2 many valuable contributions. Therefore, the board endorses a volunteer program in the district schools ¹
3 and encourages principals to design a volunteer program for each school.
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5 The principal shall be responsible to ensure that appropriate recognition of volunteer services is made an-
6 nually.
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8 All volunteers must be approved by the principal and shall serve under the supervision and direction of the
9 professional personnel of the school to whom they are assigned. Volunteers shall perform non-instructional
10 work which serves to assist professional personnel in the performance of teaching and administrative re-
11 sponsibilities and may include, but shall not be limited to, activities such as teacher's aide, library assistant,
12 lunch room monitor, hall monitor, and recreation aide.
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14 Volunteers shall not be employees of the district and shall serve without compensation of any type.
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16 In all cases, the responsible school person shall retain the final authority over students, school programs,
17 and services.
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34 Legal References:
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34 Cross Reference:
35 Visitors to the School 1.501
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