

**TOBACCO/SMOKE-FREE CAMPUS**

The Perry Board of Education recognizes that the use of tobacco has been shown to be linked to illnesses and disabilities and tobacco use is particularly addictive to children and youth. Federal and state law prohibits smoking in any indoor facility, or the grounds thereof, which is used to provide educational services to children. The board of education intends to have a tobacco/smoke-free workplace at all times in district facilities, school events, and school-related activities.

Therefore, smoking, chewing or any other use of tobacco or tobacco/smoking paraphernalia by staff, students, and members of the public is prohibited at all times while on, in or upon any school property. Additionally, tobacco products and products that simulate smoking will not be used by school personnel on duty at any school-sponsored event outside school premises or while in transport to or from an event in school-authorized vehicles.

Federal and state law prohibits smoking in any indoor facility, or the grounds thereof, which is used to provide educational services to children. Therefore, the board of education prohibits the possession or use of tobacco/smoke products by all students while on school property, or school sponsored events 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

This includes, but is not limited to cigarettes, cigarette papers, cigars, snuff, chewing tobacco, electronic cigarettes or any other form of tobacco products and products that simulate smoking, including vaping products.

**REFERENCE:** 21 O.S. §1247  
63 O.S. §1-1522, et seq.  
70 O.S. § 1210.212  
20 U.S.C. §6083