

MORRISVILLE BOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

SECTION: COMMUNITY

TITLE: SCHOOL VISITORS

ADOPTED: November 14, 2007

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<p>1. Purpose SC 510</p> <p>2. Guidelines</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">907. SCHOOL VISITORS</p> <p>The Board strongly believes in meaningful public participation in the activities of the school district. As a part of this philosophy, the district recognizes the value in parents and other clients of the school district having reasonable knowledge of school programs and services. One way of obtaining this knowledge is through visitations to the schools.</p> <p>Many visitors may normally be expected in the public schools during the school day. Since the principal is responsible for all persons under his/her supervision, visitors are required to first report to the school office before proceeding to any other part of the school or school grounds. These visitors may include parents of pupils, interested citizens, invited speakers, central staff personnel, Board members, maintenance and repair people, salespersons, representatives of the news media, students not now enrolled in school, and others.</p> <p>While the district invites and encourages community involvement in their schools, maintaining an orderly educational program requires that all such involvement be authorized and coordinated by the appropriate administrative personnel. When parents, guardians, or other interested persons request the opportunity to visit a classroom to observe a student or educational program, building principals, at their discretion may schedule the visitation at such time and under such circumstances as to ensure that there will be no disruption of the educational process. All other visitors may be permitted in a classroom or facility when in the judgment of the principal the visit would contribute to the educational process.</p> <p>All scheduled classroom visitations will be made in consultation with the classroom teacher.</p> <p>It is the policy of the district to ensure the safety and well-being of its students and school personnel by vigorously pursuing prosecution of all unauthorized persons trespassing on school property.</p>
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