

Williamson County Board of Education

**Adopted Date:**

10/16/00
Rev. 3/26/07; Editorial
6/6/14; Rev. 8/21/17

5.608

ACADEMIC, ATHLETIC OR ARTS-RELATED
TUTORING OR PRIVATE INSTRUCTION FOR
PAY

1 School district buildings, facilities, equipment or property will not be used by district employees
2 (certified, classified or non-faculty volunteers) for tutoring or other private instruction in any
3 academic, athletic or arts-related field for which the individual receives reimbursement from any
4 source other than the school district without approval of the Superintendent of Schools.
5

6
7 **1. Academic Related Tutoring or Instruction**

8 In no case shall a teacher or other employee as described above provide private instruction
9 or tutoring for pay to any student that is currently enrolled in the teacher's class regardless
10 of the location of the instruction. This rule does not, however, apply to the provision of
11 school authorized tutoring and approved clinics, camps, etc.
12

13 **2. Athletic Related Tutoring or Instruction**

14 School sponsored athletic programs are to be coached by personnel employed by
15 Williamson County Schools. Such coaches are to be compensated only from Board funds,
16 according to the current salary schedule. Coaches shall not receive pay other than from
17 Williamson County Schools for any athletic-related services provided to any student in
18 grades six (6) through twelve (12) within their feeder pattern who is or may be participating
19 in school authorized clinics, camps, etc., except for those athletes who are currently under
20 the coach's supervision regardless of the location of the instruction.
21

22 **3. Arts Related Tutoring or Instruction**

23 In no case shall a teacher or other employee as described above provide private instruction
24 or tutoring for pay to any student that is currently enrolled in the teacher's class or is
25 currently a member of any performance group under the teacher's supervision regardless of
26 the location of the instruction. This rule does not, however, apply to the provision of school
27 authorized and approved clinics, camps, etc.
28
29
30

31 While in some approved instances, school employees may receive compensation for such events,
32 the individuals must be paid entirely by funds approved by the WCS Board of Education, the
33 Superintendent of Schools or the school's Principal. All such checks will be issued from the WCS
34 Finance Department.
35

36 An exception to the above may occur when the principal of the school arranges for a school-funded
37 instructional program that the administration deems to be beneficial to students to be presented by
38 non-WCS employees. Disbursements should be requested as "Other Contracted Services."
39
40
41
42
43

44 Legal Reference:

45 TEA Code of Ethics of the Education Profession

46 Cross Reference:

47 3.206 Community Use of School Facilities
48 4.301 Interscholastic Athletics
49 5.611 Ethical Practices for Teachers
50