

NEWPORT SCHOOL DISTRICT

TITLE: GIFTS, GRANTS, DONATIONS

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702. GIFTS, GRANTS, DONATIONS	
1. Purpose	The Board recognizes that individuals, businesses and community organizations may wish to contribute supplies and equipment to enhance or extend the programs in the schools.
2. Authority SC 216	The Board or its designee has the authority to accept gifts and donations made to the school district. All gifts shall be given to the school district as a whole, and not to a particular school. At the discretion of the Superintendent, the gift may be used in a particular school.
SC 216	The Board reserves the right to refuse to accept any gift that does not contribute to achievement of district goals or when such ownership would adversely affect the district.
SC 216	Any gift accepted by the Board or its designee shall become district property, may not be returned without Board approval, and is subject to the same controls and regulations as are other district properties. The Board shall be responsible for the maintenance of any gift it accepts, unless otherwise stipulated.
SC 216	The Board shall make every effort to honor the intent of the donor in the use of the gift, but it reserves the right to utilize any gift in the best interests of the district's educational program. In no case shall acceptance of a gift be considered an endorsement by the Board of a commercial product, business enterprise, or institution of learning.
SC 216 Pol. 706	All gifts shall be recorded in the appropriate inventory listing and property records. Any gift of money shall go into the General Fund of the school district.

