

Student Organization Solicitation Resource Guide

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Q: What types of solicitation activities generally receive approval?

A: Generally, these types of activities are approved:

- Auction / silent auction for a product or professional service
- Collection/donations of goods

Q: What types of fees are approved by Student Activities for which members may choose to solicit?

A: Generally, these types of fees are approved:

- Participation Fee
 - Race, chili competition, audition, car smash, board/video game night, video game tournament, sports tournament, roller skating, photo opportunity, private party/dance event, yoga class, pet a dog, pumpkin painting, dunk tank, pie in the face
- Attendance Fee
 - Concert, speaker, variety show, dance recital

Q: What types of goods/ professional services are approved by Student Activities for which members may choose to solicit/fundraise/sell?

A: Generally, these types of goods/professional services are approved:

- Homemade goods (shelf-stable items)
- Donated commercial goods
- Pre-packaged food
- Gift baskets, care baskets
- School supplies
- Holiday products
- Candy, Valentine's Day message, flowers, handmade cards
- Gently worn clothes
- Books
- Car wash
- Off-campus profit-share (in partnership with a restaurant for example)
- Third-party sponsorships
- Products to sell
 - T-Shirts, cups, pens, stickers, candles, jewelry, buttons/pins, hats, socks, tote bags, plants, ribbons

****Student organizations are encouraged to consult with Student Activities staff very early in their planning process regarding any questions for their planned solicitation, so the organization is positioned well to meet their solicitation goals.***