

Plano ISD Campaign Signage

Plano ISD conveniently offers designated district facilities as polling locations throughout Collin County. In an effort to provide guidance for placement of campaign-related materials, the following summary of Plano ISD <u>Policy GKD(LOCAL)</u> is provided.

Political Campaign Signs, Cards, Posters and Equipment

The placement/posting of signs shall comply with applicable state law.

Signs may be placed on District property during the applicable period of voting at designated polling sites, as follows:

1. Signs no larger than 24 inches by 24 inches (or four square feet) may be placed and/or posted on District property.

2. Each candidate, political party, or committee supporting or opposing a measure or candidate on the ballot shall be limited to placing or posting a maximum of five (5) signs at each designated polling site. (See policy BBBD)

3. Placement and/or posting of signs is restricted to the primary entrances of the property and areas where voters will enter the polling locations or such other locations as the District may designate. The placement of signs shall not make arrival or dismissal of students unsafe nor obstruct ingress or egress of District site.

- 4. Signs must be staked in the ground.
- 5. Signs cannot be in shrubs or flowerbeds.
- 6. Signs shall not be attached or affixed to existing poles, posts or other signs.
- 7. Damage to District property is prohibited.

8. Signs posted pursuant to this policy may be displayed at active polling places after 5:00 p.m. on Mondays through Fridays, or any time on Saturdays or Sundays, no earlier than one day prior to the first day of voting at each polling place and must be removed within three days following the last day of voting at each polling place for each election.

9. Equipment such as tents, awnings or shelters are not permitted on district property.

10. Equipment such as megaphones that amplify sound are not permitted within 1000 feet of the polling location.

District staff may remove and dispose of any sign placed on District property that is not in compliance with criteria established above in addition to signs that are in restricted areas or signs that are causing damage to District property. As used herein, the term "sign" shall mean any political advertisement or political campaign sign, card or poster.

For general election questions, visit <u>www.pisd.edu/schoolboardelection</u>.