

EVENT	PERMIT REQUIRED?	CONCERN	RECOMMENDATION
Bake Sales	No	Bare hand contact.	Non-hazardous, baked goods like cookies, cakes and pies are allowed. Hazardous products like cream pies, and custards need temperature control and therefore cannot be sold to the public.
Booster club fundraisers	Yes, if the food is sold to the public, (see temporary /seasonal packet)		
School Dances	No	Home cooked products.	Use permitted kitchens for preparation and cooking of PHF.
Temporary /Seasonal food concessions (indoor and outdoors)	Yes (see temporary/seasonal packet)		
School Carnivals	Yes (see temporary/seasonal packet)		

Potentially Hazardous Foods (PHF)- Any food that consists in whole or in part of milk or milk products, eggs, meat, poultry, fish, shellfish, edible crustacean, or ingredients including synthetic ingredients, in a form capable of supporting rapid and progressive growth of infectious or toxigenic microorganisms.

High-risk groups- Children under eight years old, pregnant women, people taking antacids, antibiotics, chemotherapy, or recent surgery, HIV patients, and people with severe allergies (nuts, cola, citrus, sugar).

Certified Food Manager- a food employee who obtains and certification by passing an examination approved by the Texas Department of Health and meeting all requirements of Texas Administrative Code and approved by the regulatory authority.

Public Event- an event that is advertised with flyers, banners, newspaper articles, radio or TV announcements, or by other means, regardless of whether a fee is charged and the general public is invited,

Private Event- an event on premise of location operated by an organization, group, club, association or public institution which is not available to and customarily used by the general public and entry and privileges thereto are established by regulations of that organization, group, club, association or public institution.

Note: If food is prepared and served from school kitchen and a certified food manager is present, no permit is required. Event is considered to be working under the authority of the school health permit.