

PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT—OR NOT?

Mark each item as either: **Y (yes)** **N (no)** **NS (not sure)**

- _____ 1. Taking a special interest in a student (i.e., having a “special friend” or a “special relationship” with a particular student)
- _____ 2. Giving gifts or money to a student
- _____ 3. Smoking in your car in the school parking lot between classes
- _____ 4. Speaking discourteously to a student who displays disrespect to you
- _____ 5. Letting students help with job duties
- _____ 6. Talking to a student about personal problems (e.g., relationship or money problems)
- _____ 7. Talking to a student about the student’s personal problems and keeping it in confidence
- _____ 8. Borrowing funds from the treasury of a sponsored club for an emergency
- _____ 9. Having pepper spray in a briefcase for protection
- _____ 10. Giving students rides in a personal vehicle
- _____ 11. Using e-mail, text messaging, or social media to discuss interests with students
- _____ 12. Wearing clothing that is extremely tight, revealing or distracting
- _____ 13. Discussing individual school/office matters and/or personnel matters
- _____ 14. Leaving students unattended for a few minutes due to an emergency
- _____ 15. Talking to another employee about information relating to another teacher’s dispute with the school or school system