

<b>3610</b>	<b><i>Purchasing Goods and Services</i></b>	<b><i>MCL 380.1274</i></b>
	<p>Except as otherwise provided in this policy, Henry Ford Academy shall not purchase an item or a group of items in a single transaction costing \$21,000.00 or more unless competitive bids are obtained for those items and the purchase of those items is approved by the Board of Directors.</p> <p>The requirement for competitive bids does not apply to items purchased through the cooperative bulk purchasing program operated by the department of management and budget under section 263(3) of the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1263.</p> <p>The requirement for competitive bids also does not apply to the purchasing of food unless the food is purchased in a single transaction costs \$100,000.00 or more.</p> <p>The purchase, lease or rental of equipment for school purposes may be made in a manner consistent with Section 1274 of the Revised School Code.</p>	