

PERMISSION TO LEAVE SCHOOL BEFORE CLOSING HOUR

Students shall not be permitted to leave school before the regular closing hour except for extraordinary reasons and under such circumstances as set forth in the following section.

Upon request from a licensed physician or dentist, signed by the parent, a student may be dismissed from school for a medical or dental appointment for the time required by the specified appointment and such absence shall be considered excused.

All requests to leave the building while school is in session must be cleared through the principal's office. Leaving school without permission constitutes truancy. Senior high school students need not obtain the principal's permission to leave the school grounds for participation in established work/study programs or to attend the Career Development Center.

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