**Students**

**CLOSED CAMPUS** BP 5112.5 (a)

Closed Campus

In order to keep students in a supervised, safe, and orderly environment, ~~The~~ the Board of Trustees establishes a closed campus at all district schools, however seniors who meet eligibility requirements may use lunch passes to leave campus during the lunch hour. The Board views this program as a way to improve and reward student academic achievement and attendance. Eligibility requirements are based upon academic performance, behavior and attendance standards. The open campus privilege may be revoked for seniors who do not meet the eligibility standards.

Students shall not leave the school grounds at any time during the school day without ~~written~~ express permission of ~~their parents/guardians and~~ school authorities. Students who leave school or who fail to return following lunch without authorization shall be considered to have an unexcused absence ~~classified truant~~ and subject to disciplinary action.

(cf. 5112.1 - Exemptions from Attendance)
(cf. 5113 - Absences and Excuses)
(cf. 5113.1 - Chronic Absence and Truancy)
(cf. 5113.11 - Attendance Supervision)
(cf. 5113.12 - District School Attendance Review Board)

Student handbooks shall fully explain all rules and disciplinary procedures involved in the maintenance of the closed campus.

(cf. 5144 - Discipline)

~~Education Code 44808.5 states:~~

~~Neither the school district nor any officer or employee thereof shall be liable for the conduct or safety of any student during such time as the student has left the school grounds pursuant to this section.~~

Legal Reference:
EDUCATION CODE
35160 Authority of the Board
35160.1 Broad authority of school district
44808.5 Permission for pupils to leave school grounds; notice
48980 Annual notification to parents/guardians

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