## STUDENT DISMISSAL PRECAUTIONS AND PARENTAL RIGHTS

Student dismissal precautions will be reviewed annually with administrative staff.

No school or grade may be dismissed before the regular hour for dismissal except with the approval of the Superintendent.

No teacher may permit any individual student to leave school prior to the regular hour of dismissal except by permission of the Principal or his/her designee.

No student may be permitted to leave school prior to the dismissal hour at the request of or in the company of anyone other than a school employee, police officer, court official, parent, or legal guardian of the child, unless the permission of the parent or legal guardian has been first secured. If any police or court official requests the dismissal of a minor student during school hours, parents will be notified as soon as possible.

Unless the school district is provided with a court order to the contrary, the school district will treat each parent with having equal authority to exercise rights of visitation, removal of the child from school, the right to inspect and review educational records, and all other rights and privileges extended to parents. Requests from one parent asking the school to restrict the visiting privileges of the other parent or to restrict disclosure of student records to the other parent will not be honored unless the School District is provided with a court order or other legally binding document modifying the right of the parents with respect to the student.

The school district will follow court orders governing divorce, separation, custody, or other legally binding instruments which modify the natural rights of a parent.

See also policies: JOA - School Contacts with Noncustodial Parents

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