

# APPLICATION FOR PRIVILEGE RELEASE

## What is Privilege Release?

Junior or Senior students who have demonstrated a high level of maturity and personal responsibility and have met criteria as listed below are allowed to choose where they spend time during study hall. Students may only report to approved designated areas (library, cafetorium, resource center, a teacher's classroom with permission, or a specified area outside, but still on campus, away from parking lots, if weather permits.) Students who have privilege release may come to school late or leave early depending on the number of periods granted. Students are not allowed to leave campus and return should their open period be between required classes.

## What is the Privilege Release criteria?

1. Have enough credits to graduate on time with their class, earning the 24 credit diploma
2. Have 3.25 G.P.A. or above (previous semester report card or cumulative) with no F's on the previous semester report card
3. Have no ISS or OSS; students receiving OSS will result in immediate removal
4. Have good conduct as determined by administration
5. Have no unexcused absences from the previous semester
6. Have 90% attendance
7. Complete application with parent signature

## How much Privilege Release is granted?

May be granted 1 period each semester. (Student must be enrolled in 5 classes.)

## Can Privilege Release be revoked?

Yes. This is a privilege program which is earned by demonstrated strong academics and appropriate behavior. Unexcused absences, tardiness, poor academic progress or inappropriate behavior or disrespect are all reasons for the privilege to be revoked.

## Students applying for Privilege Release must complete the application process requiring that they:

1. Pick up an application from the Student Services Department
2. Secure parental signature
3. Turn Application into Counselor for verification of criteria and approval or denial

## Expectations for Students when on Privilege Release:

1. Report to chosen designated area within five minute passing time and remain there the entire period
2. When leaving the building, sign out with the Attendance Office
3. Comply with expectations of chosen designated area
4. Be considerate of others in the building working and studying

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Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ School Year: \_\_\_\_\_

Hours Privilege Release is requested: \_\_\_\_\_ 1<sup>st</sup> Sem: \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> Sem: \_\_\_\_\_

I understand the Privilege Release program, its criteria or approval and the expectations of the student.

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Counselor Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

*Signed if approved*