Senior and Junior Release Parent Information Form

All juniors and seniors who are on track to graduate are eligible to take one Junior or Senior Release per trimester for a maximum of three Junior or Senior Release periods per school year. Juniors or seniors may elect to take Junior or Senior Release instead of a study hall, though students cannot have a study hall and Junior or Senior Release in the same trimester. **Students wishing to take Junior or Senior Release must have parents indicate that they give permission through the online registration process in the IC parent portal.**

Academic Eligibility

All Juniors or Seniors will begin each trimester as a part of the Junior or Senior Release program. Juniors and Seniors must maintain passing grades in all classes (no grade of F) to keep their Junior or Senior Release. At grading periods, grades will be reviewed, and any junior or senior who has received an F may no longer be eligible for Junior or Senior release.

Attendance Eligibility

Seniors who reach their second unexcused absence may no longer be eligible for Junior or Senior Release during the current trimester. Chronic tardiness may cause a student to lose Junior or Senior Release based on administrative discretion.

Procedures

At the beginning of the school year, all Juniors and Seniors must have a completed Junior or Senior Release Permission Form on file in the office. The form is distributed during programming and is available online at the District website. Eligible Juniors and Seniors will be placed in the Junior or Senior Release Program. Juniors and Seniors may not change their schedule or drop a class to schedule a more favorable study hall for Junior or Senior Release. Juniors and Seniors may schedule no more than one Junior or Senior Release per trimester. At each grading period, any qualified Junior or Senior who gets an F will have their Senior Release reviewed by school personnel and may lose that privilege. At any time during the trimester, if a Junior or Senior has a second unexcused absence, Junior or Senior Release may be revoked. Students may regain their privilege the next trimester if they have not failed any course.

Any behavioral event may result in the loss of Junior or Senior Release privileges.

Junior and Senior Release privileges require written parental permission before a Senior may leave the building.

Administration may use their discretion to suspend, refuse, or revoke any Junior or Senior Release privileges.