Closed Campus

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Lodi Unified School District has a closed campus policy for all students. At the beginning of each school year, the Superintendent or designee shall notify parents/guardians about the closed campus policy as required by law in the parent/guardian handbook and, if applicable, student handbook.

The principal of each high school shall be responsible for the annual preparation, implementation, and evaluation of the school's closed campus program available only to juniors and seniors, with signed parent/guardian permission, who meet each specific high school's guidelines and requirements. Students will not be permitted to leave for lunch without a valid off-campus card/pass. A student with an off-campus card/pass will be required to exit at prescribed location(s) designated by the school.

The site principal may revoke the off-campus privilege to any or all students at any time.

The Board of Education members, Superintendent, and district employees shall not be liable for the conduct and safety of students who leave school grounds during the lunch period.

Policy Reference Disclaimer:
These references are not intended to be part of the policy itself, nor do they indicate the basis or authority for the Board to enact this policy. Instead, they are provided as additional resources for those interested in the subject matter of the policy.

Legal References:

STATE
EDUCATION CODE
35160 Authority of governing boards
35160.1 Broad authority of school districts
44808.5 Permission for students to leave school grounds; notice
48980 Parent/Guardian notifications
WEBSITES
CSBA District and County Office of Education Legal Services https://legalservices.csba.org/#

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