

# CVUSD Board Policy

BP 5112.5

## Students

### Open/Closed Campus

#### *Open Campus*

*\*\*\*Note: Education Code 44808.5 grants the Board the authority to allow high school students to leave the school campus during lunch. The district, its employees and officers are not liable for the safety and conduct of students who leave under this policy. The open campus option does not apply to K-8 school districts.\*\*\**

*In order to give students an opportunity to demonstrate responsibility and positive citizenship, the Governing Board establishes an open campus at all district high schools in which students shall have the privilege of leaving campus during lunch.*

*The privilege of open campus may be revoked from individual students for disciplinary reasons.*

(cf. 5144 - Discipline)

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

(cf. 5113 - Absences and Excuses)

#### 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

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