

Instruction**Released Time**

Although the schools shall cooperate with parents in requests for student absences for dental, medical, legal, and other personal matters, parents or guardians should not remove students from school unless necessary. Principals and teachers shall continually emphasize that students should not be taken out of school unless absolutely necessary. The idea that a student should attend school must become an imperative in his/her mind. The school district encourages student appointments after school hours or on weekends, vacations, and holidays. Parents/guardians should provide advance notice of school day appointments for students.

(cf. 5113 - Attendance and Excuses)