

POLICY

BRADLEY BEACH BOARD OF EDUCATION

PUPILS

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It is necessary that a pupil be in attendance throughout the school day in order to benefit fully from the educational program of the district. The Board recognizes, however, that from time to time compelling circumstances will require that a pupil be late to school or dismissed before the end of the school day.

As agent responsible for the education of the children of this district, the Board shall require that the school be notified in advance of such absences by written request of the pupil's parent, which shall state the reason for the tardiness or early dismissal. Justifiable reasons may include: such good cause as may be acceptable to the Superintendent or designee.

No student in grades K through eight shall be permitted to leave the school before the close of the school day unless met in the school office by a parent or a person authorized by the parents to act in their behalf.

The Superintendent or designee shall maintain a record of the parent(s) or legal guardian(s) of each pupil. If one parent has been assigned custody of the pupil by court order or separation agreement and wishes to limit the noncustodial parent's access to the pupil, the parent in custody must inform the Superintendent or designee of any such limitation and may request that his/her authorization be required before the noncustodial parent is granted access. In the absence of such notice, the Superintendent or designee will presume that a pupil may be released into the care of either parent.

N.J.A.C. 6:20-1.3

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