LUNCH PROCEDURES

The principal of each school has the authority to establish rules and regulations necessary to effect a smooth operation and control on school premises during the lunch period. The student's scheduled school lunch time attendance shall be governed as follows:

I. <u>High Schools</u>

Freshmen high school students will remain on school premises during their lunch period. Sophomore, junior, and senior high school students may elect to remain at school or leave the school premises during their lunch period.

II. <u>Middle Schools</u>

Middle school students will remain on school premises during the lunch period unless the principal authorizes the student to leave the premises. The Board does not approve of middle school students having a lunch period without the supervision of the school or the student's parent(s) or lawful custodian(s). Parent(s) or lawful custodian(s) who will be supervising the student at lunch must sign a permission slip and submit it in person to the principal. The principal is authorized to permit or deny the privilege of leaving the school premises depending on the individual circumstances and the student demonstrating continued good conduct.

III. <u>Elementary Schools</u>

The parent(s) or lawful custodian(s) of elementary children will be responsible for notifying the school when the school will not be supervising their child's lunch period. Unless such notification is received, elementary children will remain on school premises during the lunch period.