

CLOSED CAMPUS STUDENT GUIDELINES

The safety and security of students and staff is a primary concern of Watonga Public Schools. Once students arrive at school, they must remain on campus until the end of the school day. Students who leave campus without authorization shall be classified as truant and subject to disciplinary action.

Students may not leave campus during school hours.

School hours are defined as the time when students are assigned classes including lunch.

If a student needs to leave campus during school hours, he/she must present a note from his/her parent/guardian and receive permission to leave from office staff or administration.

The parking lot is off limits during school hours without proper authorization.

Students are not to enter cars during school hours without authorization.

Students are to remain on campus throughout the school day with the following exceptions.

A parent has provided written permission to leave school for specific need which meets established criteria, and the student has received permission from the office staff or administration. The note must be presented before the student leaves campus.

Student is participating in an athletic event requiring travel before the end of the school day.

Student is attending classes which are offered at CTTC.

In emergency situations, a telephone call from a parent/guardian may suffice, with approval of the principal.

Students may accompany their parent/guardian for lunch only if the parent reports to the office and obtains permission for their student. The student must be in the company of their parent at all times.

Consequences for Students

All students who leave campus without proper authorization or are in off limit/restricted areas will be subject to the following disciplinary action:

First Offense: Morning detention

Second Offense: 3 days morning detention

Third offense: Student will be assigned 3 days Out of school suspension.