

CLOSED & LIMITED OPEN CAMPUS POLICY

Closed Campus

To protect the health and safety of the students, it is the policy of the Board of Trustees, Mountain Home School District No. 193, to require students to remain on the campus of their respective schools, with the exception of Mountain Home High School and Bennett Mountain High students, grades 9-12, going to work or lunch, from the beginning of the school day to the end of the school day.

Once students arrive at school, they must remain on campus until the end of the school day unless they have brought written authorization from their parent/guardian and received permission from school authorities to leave campus during school hours for a specific purpose. Students who leave campus without such authorization shall be classified as truant and subject to disciplinary action.

Parents who wish to have their students leave the campus during lunchtime may do so by following the procedures outlined in the Student Handbook. It is the intent of the policy to allow students to leave campus only to go to their home for lunch and leave for special reasons, as requested by their parents and approved by the school administration.

Limited Open Campus

Limited Open Campus is a privilege available to Mountain Home High School and Bennett Mountain High School students, grades 9-12, who are in good standing and who are permitted to leave the campus to go to work, appointments, lunch, or for other approved reasons as authorized by their parents/guardian and school administration.

Parents will assume the responsibility of their child(ren) during their time off-campus. Students are expected to be present and on time for class and all academic obligations. Students are to conduct themselves as good citizens.

Students may have Limited Open Campus privileges revoked by school administration for disciplinary, attendance, or academic infractions. Revocation of Limited Open Campus privileges is left to the sole discretion of the school administration. Decisions are final and not subject to appeal.



Legal References:

Idaho Code

33-506 – Organization & Government of the Board of Trustees

33-512 – Governance of Schools

MSBT 529 – Open Campus

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