



# Nashua Public Schools

*"Home of the Porcupines"*

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## NASHUA SCHOOL OPEN CAMPUS POLICY

### Open Campus

Due to relatively short lunch periods, students are encouraged to remain on campus during lunchtime. Students do have the option to leave campus, but are accountable to return for classes on time and to exhibit proper behavior. The Nashua School campus is open for all 6-12 students. Driving privileges however are restricted to Senior Students and National Honor Society members. ALL NASHUA SCHOOL STUDENTS are expected to adhere to the rules and policies for open campus behavior.

### Students are expected to:

- Comply with all school regulations, the Student Code, and District Policies, which remain in effect during the lunch break.
- Possess a valid driver's license if operating a vehicle. School administration can ask for proof a valid driver's license.
- Comply with all speed limits and driving regulations, both on and off campus.
- **Return to school on time. Since it is the student's choice to leave campus, excuses for tardiness such as vehicular breakdown are NOT accepted.**
- Treat our neighbors and their property with respect. Students must pick up litter and abide by all traffic related laws.

Failure to comply with these requirements may result in disciplinary/legal action and WILL RESULT in the SUSPENSION of off campus privileges:

1. 1<sup>st</sup> Offense- Suspension of off campus privileges for 2 Weeks
  2. 2<sup>nd</sup> Offense- Suspension of off campus privileges for the remainder of the quarter
  3. 3<sup>rd</sup> Offense- Suspension of off campus privileges for the remainder of the year
  4. The Board has authorized the superintendent to restrict, adjust, or suspend the open campus or driving privilege if violations of this policy become excessive or severe.
- The above consequences are guidelines. The school administration can impose more severe consequences for offenses to the Off Campus Policy.