

Detention of Students**

A school administrator or teacher may detain a student for disciplinary reasons after school hours, provided the parent has been notified of the detention and, in the case of bus students, arrangements have been made for the student's transportation home. In cases where transportation is required, 24-hour notice will be given so that transportation may be arranged.

Parents may be asked to arrange for the transportation of the detained student; however, if the parent cannot or will not provide it, an alternative disciplinary procedure must be substituted.

Students who are detained after school must never be left alone during their detention. Their supervision must be provided, or arranged for, by the teacher or administrator who detains them.

Detention on one day is to be limited to two hours except for detention at Wednesday school.

“Wednesday School” or after school detention programs may be required of students as a penalty for violating school rules or as a penalty for nonattendance. Failure to report for Wednesday school or after school detention as required will be grounds for suspension.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 332.107](#)

[ORS 339.250](#)

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