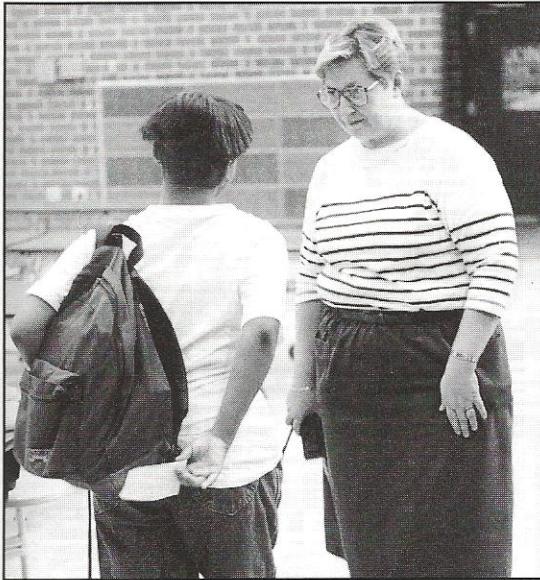


Time Has Run Out



Assistant Principal Mrs. Martha Roberts stops a student in the Commons to check for a pass. Many students chose the Commons as a place to hang out when they weren't in class.

A student going through his locker notices the time. His heart pounds and his mind races. He has to be upstairs in two minutes. He grabs his books and runs to beat the bell. As he climbs the stairs, the bell rings; he sighs and continues the battle to get to class.

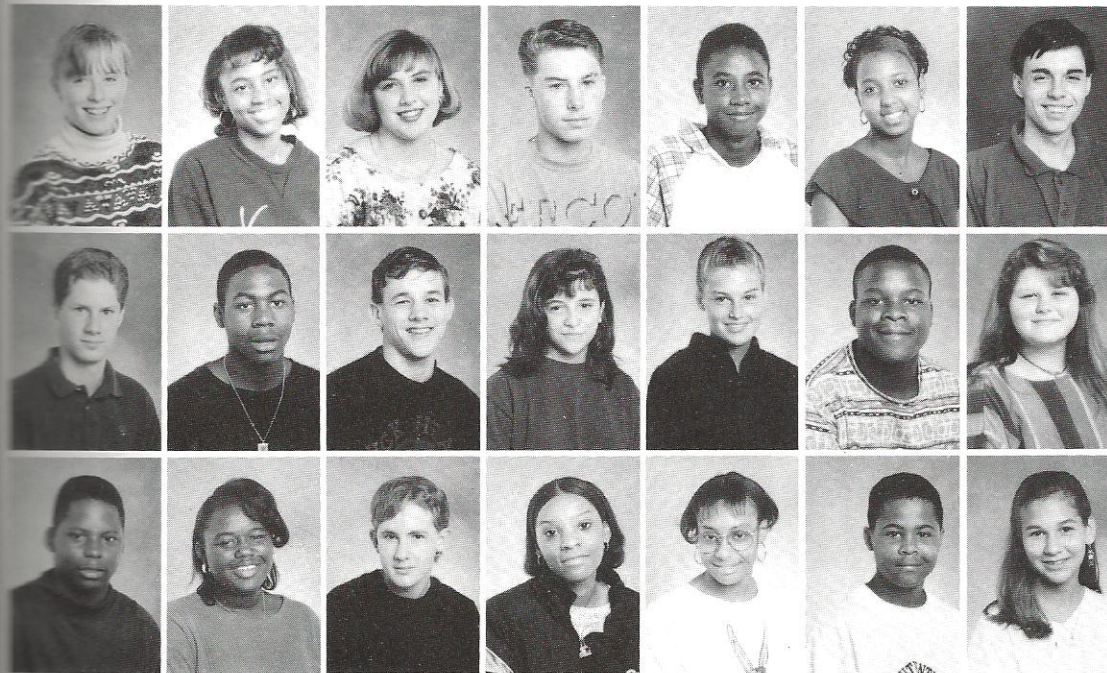
Most students disagree with the tardy policy. After just one tardy, students were supposed to receive lunch detention, depending on the teacher's judgement.

"It think it's unfair for a person to get lunch detention for just one tardy," said senior Victoria Davis. "Some things you just can't help!"

Some teachers agreed that the tardy policy put too much pressure on the students and did not take action if the student had a reasonable excuse for his tardy.

"So many students have so much to do that they are tardy. We can't always punish them!" Mr. Mark Bowers commented.

— Lindsey E. Robertson



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