

ARLINGTON CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
ARLINGTON HIGH SCHOOL
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Safety Update for Parents and Guardians

At Arlington High School we are continually reviewing our building procedures and working to improve school safety. School safety has two strands; one involves protocols and procedures and the other strand involves building relationships to help students feel included in the school community. We are making improvements to both strands to better serve our students.

On the procedural side, we will continue to practice drills as required by law (8 evacuation drills/fire drills and 4 lockdown drills). We will hold a safety drill during class time on October 4 to help ensure that students and staff are prepared to handle any emergency. Additionally, any student arriving at school earlier than 7:15 a.m., will wait in Cafeteria B until they are dismissed to go to their lockers and classes at 7:20 a.m. This allows students to have a supervised gathering place prior to the school day starting. No student should arrive at school prior to 6:45 a.m. as there is not proper supervision until this time.

Another procedural change involves student identification (ID) cards. Staff, students and parents met in the spring of 2018 to review procedures related to student identification. The committee proposed a common sense change to how we use ID cards. Starting this school year, all students will be required to wear their school issued photo ID card. This new initiative helps us address both strands of school safety. First, it will help us improve school safety by being able to more quickly identify students. Second, it will help students and staff greet each other by name which will help everyone feel more included in the school environment.

We realize that change can be difficult for people and some students may be resistant to the idea of wearing their ID card initially. This change mimics the requirements in many workplaces and while students do not typically wear their ID in college they do use them for almost everything from purchasing food to entering their residence hall. As the start of the school year approaches, please talk to your child about this new procedure. Help them set up a routine in your home (hang ID next to front door, place ID in front pocket of backpack, etc.) that will help them remember to put their ID on each morning as they head out the door to the school bus. Your child's teachers will be talking to them about wearing their ID cards as well.

We truly feel that these changes will help us address both strands of school safety. If you have questions please contact your child's administrator.

More information about the new ID procedure is found in the Student Handbook and below:

Arlington High School ID Procedures

As part of Arlington High School's continuing efforts to provide a safe learning environment, everyone, including students, will be required to wear their school photo identification badge. IDs will be worn on a lanyard around the neck or on a clip above the waist while on campus beginning with the 2018-19 school year. Having all students and staff wear their identification cards will make it easier to identify individuals who are legitimately in the building. During an emergency situation, it will help school staff account for all students more easily. Students and staff will be able to greet each other by name which will help everyone feel more included in the AHS community.

The Photo ID badges are color coded by grade. AHS will provide two sets of ID badges and one lanyard. One set of badges will be handed out during the first days of school, the second set with an updated picture will be handed out in late October.

Student ID Card Color Codes

Gray	Freshmen	House of 2022	East Office
Black	Sophomores	House of 2021	Central Office
Gold	Juniors	House of 2020	South Office
Maroon	Seniors	House of 2019	West Office

*Blue Seniors House of 2019 West Office

*Walk off pass (for those eligible) is to be worn opposite the ID badge

- The ID must be worn around the neck using the breakaway school issued lanyard.
- Your picture and name must be visible while on campus.
- You will need your ID for all aspects of campus life.
 - Bus, cafeteria, classroom, hallways, offices, events, etc.
- If you forget your ID, you must get a one day temporary ID from your period 1 teacher. If you are late to school and forget your ID, you must obtain a temporary ID from the front desk. You must sign the "Forgot My ID Log" prior to your pass being written.
 - If you forget your ID three times during the semester, your parent/guardian will be contacted. If you forget your ID 4 or more times, you will be referred to your House Office and consequences will be issued.
 - You are expected to bring your ID card when you return to school the following day.
- If your ID is lost or damaged, you must buy your replacement ID during your lunch period from your House Office.
 - ID cards-\$5.00
 - Lanyard- \$2.00
- Badges may not be loaned, transferred or altered in any manner.
- Students who fail to comply with the safety expectations of the ID badge procedures will be subject to consequences.

*Our mission is to empower all students to be self-directed, lifelong learners,
who willingly contribute to their community and lead passionate, purposeful lives.*

