

Mountain Trail Middle School Student ID Badge Policy

At Mountain Trail, we value cooperation, community, and safety, so we wear our ID badges.

Rationale: To increase the sight security of all students on Mountain Trail's campus. Ensuring safety and security for all students and staff members is our top priority each and everyday. Wearing ID badges fosters a professional setting and promotes a sense of community for both staff and students.

One student identification card and lanyard will be provided at no cost to each student. Every student is expected to wear his or her ID badge at all times while on school grounds.

Benefits of wearing your ID:

a) to be in class b) to buy lunch c) to ride the bus	d) to use the restroom e) to borrow library books f) to participate in campus activities
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Guidelines:

- a) ID badges must be clearly visible at all times.
- b) The ID badge should be presented upon request by school staff.
- c) The ID badge cannot be altered (no markings, stickers, etc.)
- d) Lost, stolen, altered, damaged, and defaced ID badges must be replaced. Badges can be replaced in the Library (M-F) from 8:30-8:50 am. The cost is \$3.00.
- e) Students are excused from wearing IDs during classes where they present a hazard to student safety. IDs should be properly stored during this time.

What happens if a student does not have his or her ID?

Students who do not have an ID badge, should proceed to Student Services before school begins. Students will be able to obtain a sticker ID if they have temporarily misplaced or forgotten theirs. They will be able to purchase a replacement ID in the Library. MTMS will provide students with five temporary ID badges before they will be required to purchase a replacement.

If a student reports to class without an ID badge or temporary replacement, the teacher will send the student to Student Services for a temporary or permanent replacement. Students will be marked tardy.

Consequences for not properly displaying/possessing one's student ID badge while at MTMS:

Tardies accumulated due to ID badge policy count as regular tardies. See tardy policy.

Students who do not regularly cooperate with ID badge policy are not eligible for Coyotes Count Days.