

2025-2026 NORTH COBB TARDY POLICY

UNEXCUSED TARDY TO SCHOOL/CLASS (per semester)	
6 th Tardy to School/Class	Administrative referral – Conference with Administrator, Parent contact
12 th Tardy to School/Class	Administrative referral – Parent contact, 1 Administrative Detention
18 th Tardy to School/Class	Administrative referral – Parent contact, 1 day of ISS, Loss of parking privilege
24 th Tardy to School/Class	Administrative Referral – Parent contact, 3 days of ISS
30 th Tardy to School/Class	Administrative Referral – Parent contact, 5 days of ISS, and contact social worker

ADMINISTRATIVE AFTER SCHOOL DETENTION – Each week Monday – Thursday 3:45 – 4:45 PM in Room 500.

ABSENCE POLICY

EXCUSED ABSENCES – Students must turn in an absence note to the Attendance Office within 3 days of returning. The Georgia Board of Education states that students may be excused from school for the following reasons:

- medical doctor/dentist/psychologist/psychiatrist.
- personally ill and when attendance in school would endanger their health or the health of others.
- serious illness or death of an immediate family member.
- special and recognized religious holiday observed by their faith.
- mandated by order of a governmental agency.
- conditions rendering school attendance impossible or hazardous to their health or safety.

UNEXCUSED ABSENCES - If a student is absent from school and does not turn in an excuse note within 3 days of returning and/or if a student is absent from school due to reason that is not stated above by the Georgia Board of Education, the absence is considered an unexcused absence.