

PERMIAN HIGH SCHOOL

**TARDY POLICY TO FIRST PERIOD**

An addendum has been made to the Permian tardy policy to first period. School begins at 8:35 and it is our desire to decrease student tardies to class and thereby minimize distractions and instructional time lost. Also, it promotes a safer school climate and emphasizes the importance to our students that being on time is an essential life skill.

- Students tardy to the first period of the day will receive a two-hour Saturday detention.
- The student has the option to attend after-school or lunch detention Monday-Thursday during the week for one hour instead of the two-hours on Saturday.
- The one-hour detention **must** be served before the date listed on the detention slip to count.
- If a student is late to school and receives a two-hour Saturday detention and does not serve either lunch or after-school detention, then it is mandatory that they attend the two-hour Saturday detention. (The date of the Saturday detention is on the form. Detentions received on Fridays are scheduled for the following Saturday).
- If a student does not attend the two-hour Saturday detention (& either a lunch or afterschool detention), the student will be called to the office by their Assistant Principal and will receive a four hour Saturday detention or ISS. (lunch and after-school detention cannot replace a four hour Saturday detention)
- It is the responsibility of the student to know when they should attend detention. If there is a question or the student has a conflict, then the student should go to see their Assistant Principal before the Saturday Detention date expires. As always, if there are extenuating circumstances as to why you were late to school, please have your parent write a note and give it to your grade level principal to explain why you were late.