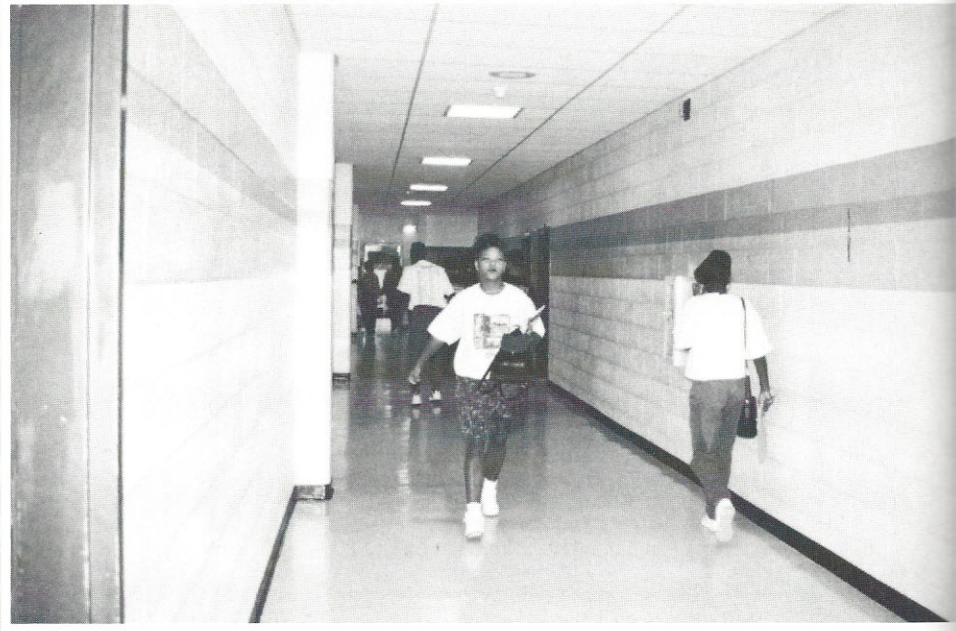


**"A Heavy Load"**

Rushing to class, Crystal Woodard holds on to her books.

With no bookbags allowed in the classrooms, students have met the heavy load challenge from the start. "I feel that banning bookbags from the school was not necessary," replied Kizzy Hemphill. "Some students believe that this is for our safety and this is the most important thing. Others say that they should use other sources. Carrying three books to one class is no joke", Mary A. Wynn commented. "I really think another solution could have been thought of."

The new rule went into effect only days after school began. Students may use book bags only to transport books to and from school. They must be placed in lockers upon arrival. The book bags are useful because they are very helpful going home from a long and very "heavy" day.



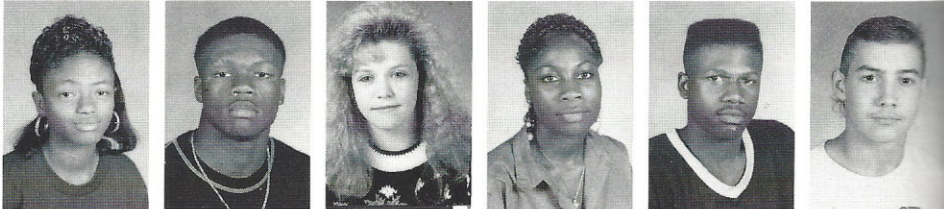
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