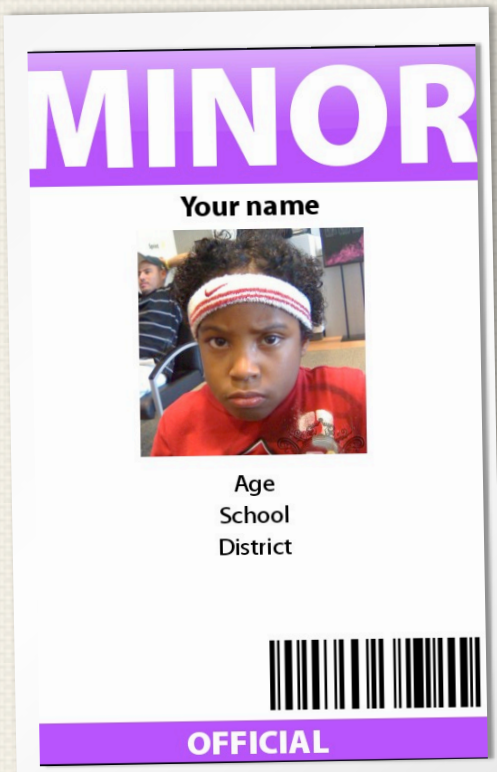


CURFEW UPDATES



It's a busy time of year for curfew monitors



Crime is at an all time high in these Unites States and congress has voted yes on President McCain's curfew restrictions. The restrictions are rumored to be based upon racial crime statistics specified by the chart below (featured in our February Issue)

Ethnicity	Crime Rate - 11	New Curfew
Caucasian	5%	12am-5am
African American	31.5%	9pm-6am
Hispanic	17.5%	10pm-4am
Other	13.06%	11pm-5am

From this chart you can see that from the 1.5% raise in crime from the last quarter, African American minors have been restricted even further from late night activities. The installation of the first curfew resulted in a huge drop in crime rates. Although the rates are slowly creeping back up to their original rates, the general consensus is that tighter restrictions could mean less crime and more children in schools. With more time in the house children could accomplish more school work and be less at a risk for involvement in gangs and have a higher rate of graduation.