Since the in loco parentis doctrine fell in the middle of the 20th century, legal doctrines regarding campus safety and student privacy have struggled to keep up with the growing diversification and broadening variety of higher education institutions. Colleges and universities have grown increasingly responsible for the safety and wellbeing of students, but have not been granted the requisite legal abilities to succeed. This article advocates for the development of a flexible approach to student privacy and campus safety to parallel this increased accountability.