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## STUDENT PARKING ON SCHOOL CAMPUSES SECONDARY SCHOOL PARKING

SECONDARY SCHOOL STUDENT PARKING ON SCHOOL CAMPUSES PROPERTY SHALL BE LIMITED TO STUDENTS ENROLLED AT THE RESPECTIVE SCHOOL ACCORDING TO THE GUIDELINES ESTABLISHED SENIORS AND SUCH HARDSHIP CASES AS MAY BE APPROVED BY THE INDIVIDUAL PRINCIPAL/DIRECTOR OF EACH SCHOOL. IN ADDITION, SUCH PARKING MUST BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH FLORIDA STATUTES, FLORIDA STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION ADMINISTRATIVE RULES, AND/OR SUCH BOARD POLICIES, RULES AND REGULATIONS AS MAY BE ADOPTED.

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#### **DEFINITIONS**

Motor Vehicles: Automobiles, motorcycles, motor scooters, trucks and/or any other two, three, four or more

wheeled means of transportation powered by a motor

Fee: The cost to park a student vehicle on campus

Permit/Decal: The annual card to be displayed in the student's vehicle authorizing the mode of transportation to

be parked on the school campus

School Campuses: All district-owned high school, alternative high school and post secondary properties

#### RULES

Motor vehicles shall be defined to include: automobiles, buses, motor bikes, motorcycles, motor scooters, trucks and/or any other two, three, four or more wheeled means of transportation powered by a motor.

### Hardship Cases

Under ordinary situations a hardship case should be covered by one of the following categories:

- 1. A student has a physical handicap or disability certified to by a local physician.
- 2. A student requires a motor vehicle in order to reach his/her place of employment on time after school hours. (He/she must be able to substantiate this need.)
- A student participates in a school activity which is in conflict with the bus schedule. (This pertains only for the duration of the special activity.)
- 4. A student receives a reassignment and is not eligible for bus transportation.

# Parking on School Property

- 1. The Board shall not be responsible for damage to automobiles or other motor vehicles parked or operated on school property. All students who operate and park a motor vehicle at a school campus do so at their own risk.
- 2. Seniors shall be given priority for parking on campus.
- 3. A hardship request should be considered for the following:
  - a. A student has a physical handicap or disability certified by a local physician or healthcare professional.
  - b. A student requires a motor vehicle in order to reach his/her place of employment as part of a work experience class or on time after school hours.
  - c. A student requires a motor vehicle in order to participate in dual enrollment courses.
  - d. A student participates in a school activity that is in conflict with the school bus schedule.
  - e. A student receives a reassignment and is not eligible for bus transportation.
- 4. The following shall be eonsidered prerequisites to the issuance of a permit/decal to park on school property:
  - a. Each school's The administrative staff shall have the right responsibility for establishing processes and procedures to

issue student permits/decals and the right to remove revoke the parking permit privileges of any student who is parking or operating his/her motor vehicle in the school parking lot in any manner which shall be considered detrimental to the safety of others, students in violation of school district policy, or in violation of the school's established rules and procedures. School

- b. Each student driving and parking on the school campus site must hold a valid operator's Florida Class E (non-learner) or higher driver's license.
- c. The operator or the owner of the motor vehicle must show evidence of maintaining the minimum state requirements of financial responsibility and/or for motor vehicle insurance.
- d. The motor vehicle must be in safe operating condition and have a valid motor vehicle registration in accordance with standards set by the state as part of the motor vehicle inspection law.
- e. Students may be charged a fee not to exceed \$60 for the school year to park on a school campus. When necessary, the fee may be increased to cover costs associated with property that is leased by the school district for student parking. The student's record for the previous semester must be examined to determine the attitude and citizenship status of the individual. If the student's attitude is not satisfactory, in accordance with the school records, a parking permit shall not be issued.
- 5. Motor vehicles parked on a school campus may be subject to search based upon reasonable suspicion of possession of prohibited, unauthorized or illegal materials/objects or substances. Principals who desire to establish a "one in once out" policy for all cars, except in cases of emergency, may do so.
- 6. At the beginning of the school year schools shall publish the guidelines and fees for student parking on school campus via multiple communication methods to inform students, parents and employees of school policies and procedures.
- 7. The language in this policy also applies to all property leased by the school district for student parking while it is being used for student parking.

# **General**

The Superintendent may waive any of the above Rules and Regulations at the request of the individual school principal.

Principals shall publicize these regulations through the teachers' handbook, student publications or other methods designed to reach teachers, students and other personnel.

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