

ALTOONA SCHOOL DISTRICT PARKING AND TRAFFIC RULES

1. Permits are issued to enrolled students or their parents/guardians, and employees.
2. Student drivers must obtain a parking permit from the high school office. The parking permit fee is nonrefundable.
3. Parking permits must be displayed at all times on the rearview mirror of all automobiles. Vehicles in the parking lot without an Altoona School District Parking Permit will be ticketed. The privilege of bringing the vehicle on the school grounds may be lost.
4. Student drivers must park in spaces designated as student parking, on the blacktop, between the yellow lines. Student vehicles parked in unauthorized spaces will be ticketed.
5. Parking permits must accompany only the vehicle(s) of the purchasing student(s). Violations of this rule will result in temporary and/or permanent revocation of parking privileges.
6. A parking spot is not guaranteed.
7. If a student changes or uses another car, the plates and make of the model must be reported to the high school office.
8. Parking permits are transferable only with school authorization.
9. Speed limit in the parking lot is 15 miles per hour.
10. All vehicles must be parked immediately upon arrival at school. Loitering in automobiles and/or in lot is prohibited. Students should lock their vehicles at all times.
11. Exhibition driving is prohibited. No person shall turn, accelerate, decelerate, or otherwise operate a motor vehicle on school property in a manner which causes unnecessary engine noise or backfire, squealing tires, skidding, sliding, swaying, throwing of sand or gravel, or in any manner creating a dangerous situation. Violations of this rule will result in temporary and/or permanent revocation of parking privileges and a police citation.
12. Vehicles that are blocking free and open access to the parking lot are subject to a police citation, or may be towed at the owner's expense.
13. The replacement fee for a parking tag is \$10.00. Lost tags must be reported and replaced as soon as possible. Vehicles may not park in the school lot without a parking tag hanging from the rearview mirror.
14. No item which is illegal to possess, is in violation of school regulations, or endangers the health, safety, or welfare of any persons, shall be stored in, or on, vehicles parked on school property (this includes, but is not limited to tobacco products, weapons, alcohol/drugs, and drug paraphernalia). School officials reserve the right to search any vehicle on campus.
15. Altoona High School maintains a closed campus every day. Students who leave and return during the day without proper clearance from the office will have their driving privilege suspended indefinitely on the first offense.
16. All students driving their car to auto class must secure and display a permit on the dashboard of the car. All auto shop cars are to park south of the auto shop for the entire day. Except for auto class, no one is allowed to park in this area. Permits to park in this area must be secured from the auto shop teacher the previous day.
17. School buses leaving school have the right-of-way over all vehicular traffic. Students must exit turning left from the parking lot at the end of the school day.
18. The school assumes no responsibility for damage to or theft of a vehicle or any item stolen in or on a vehicle parked on school property.

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