

**Section J: Students**

**JLIE: Student Motorized Vehicle Use and Parking**

For the purposes of this policy, "vehicle" refers to all motorized conveyances e.g. cars, trucks and motorcycles.

**Region 8 Property:**

Because transportation is provided to school for all students, the use of private vehicles on school grounds during school hours is considered a privilege and is subject to revocation for irresponsible behavior. Because of the need to maintain safety on school property, driving and parking on school grounds during the off hours also is considered a privilege and is subject to revocation as well. The administration will determine the period of loss of driving privileges. Safe driving practices shall include, but not be limited to, obeying all legal requirements. Final determination shall be reserved to the director and/or designee.

During normal school hours and other times when possible, students must park in the designated parking areas unless they have written permission of the director for special needs or unless they are doing so for temporary pick up and drop off purposes.

All vehicles must be registered with the Student Services office and have a placard issued to display in the front window of the vehicle. The placard must be located where it is clearly visible and on display while the vehicle is parked on Region 8 property. A parent's permission may be obtained prior to issuing the parking permit. The permit must be renewed at the beginning of each school year and may be revoked if a violation occurs.

Vehicles parked on Region 8 property regardless of the owner are subject to visual inspection at any time. Should there be reason to suspect contraband or any threat to public safety, the administration will secure reasonable access to the vehicle and conduct a search or request that this be done by public safety officials.

Any vehicle illegally parked on Region 8 property can be towed away at the owners expense as long as by order of the building administrator or designee, due diligence was made to inform the owner, and reasonable time was allowed for the owner to remove the vehicle. This provision also applies to any vehicles which are legally parked but have been stationary for an unreasonable duration.

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