



PARKING & SAFETY RULES

Parking and Traffic Rules 2019

Parking and Traffic Rules - Choose Safety Over Convenience

The parking and traffic rules around our schools are there to protect your children. If you break the rules you may be fined. Below is a quick guide to some of the most commonly misunderstood traffic rules.

No Stopping



What does it mean? You cannot stop in this area FOR ANY REASON.

Why is it there? To keep sight lines clear for drivers and children so both have more time to avoid crashes

Penalty \$311 + 2 Demerit Points (School Zone)

No Parking



What does it mean? You can stop in a NO PARKING zone for a maximum of two minutes to drop off and pick up passengers.

You must stay within three metres of your vehicle at all times.

Why is it there? To provide a safe place for older children to be set down and picked up without endangering other children

Penalty \$173 + 2 Demerit points (School Zone)

Bus Zone



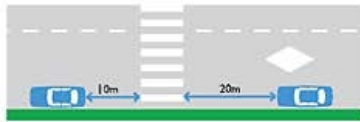
What does it mean? You must not stop or park in a bus zone unless you are driving a bus.

Why is it there? To provide a safe place for large buses to set down and pick up school children.

Penalty \$311 + 2 Demerit Points (School Zone)

Other Traffic Rules

Pedestrian Crossings including Children's Crossings



You must not stop within 20 metres before a pedestrian crossing or 10 metres after a crossing unless there is a control sign permitting parking.

Why is it there? To ensure that children can be clearly seen by vehicles approaching the crossing.

Penalty \$415 + 2 Demerit Points (School Zone)

Driveways

You may stop over the entrance of a driveway to pick up or set down passengers, but you may not wait there or leave your vehicle unattended.

Penalty \$173 + 2 Demerit points (School Zone)

Footpaths and Nature Strips

You may not stop on any footpath or nature strip, or even a driveway crossing a footpath or nature strip FOR ANY REASON.

Why is it there? You could easily run over a child or force pedestrians onto the road to get around you.

Penalty \$173 + 2 Demerit points (School Zone)

Double Parking

You may not stop on the road adjacent to another vehicle at any time even to drop off or pick up passengers.

Why is it there? Double parking forces other cars to go around you causing traffic congestion and reduces the view of drivers and children crossing the road.

Penalty \$311 + 2 Demerit points (School Zone)

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