

APPLICATION & INFORMATION FOR SENIOR PARKING PERMIT

PARKING IS A SENIOR PRIVILEGE and is **NOT** a senior right!

Senior parking permits will be issued through the main office. Students may come to the main office the week of August 28th from 8:00am – 2:30pm.

Seniors will be required to have application & random drug and alcohol forms properly filled out with all information & signatures. A photocopy of the senior's driver's license, vehicle registration and vehicle insurance card on one sheet will be required at the time of registration.

Students may forfeit their parking privilege as a result of any of the following:

- *Unsafe driving*
- *Chronic class cutting*
- *Truancy*
- *Violation of our drug/alcohol abuse policy*
- *Chronic discipline violations*
- *Chronic attendance issues*

The parking permit shall be affixed to driver's side (LEFT) rear window. In the event you are authorized to park on campus but temporarily drive a non-registered car, you must notify the main office.

THE PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS OF THE FOLLOWING RULES AND REGULATIONS ARE:

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| 1 st OFFENSE - | School issued violation sticker. |
| 2 nd OFFENSE - | Suspension of on-campus parking and loss of permit for 15 school days. |
| 3 rd OFFENSE - | Parking summons issued by the Newton Police Department and/or towing of the vehicle from the campus at the student's expense. Suspension of on-campus parking for the remainder of the school year. |

EXCESSIVE SPEEDING OR CARELESS OPERATION OF A MOTOR VEHICLE ON CAMPUS: Suspension or other penalty as deemed necessary.

**NEWTON HIGH SCHOOL
REGULATIONS FOR USE OF AUTOMOBILES AND OTHER VEHICLES**

Seniors with a properly registered vehicle are the only students permitted to park on school property. Seniors should arrive to school as early as possible, in order to assure a parking spot. LATENESS TO HOMEROOM will indicate that you cannot handle the responsibility of driving and reporting to school on time. A student chronically late will LOSE THEIR PARKING PERMIT!

All automobiles, motorcycles, scooters and motorbikes driven to school and parked on school property must be registered with the security officer. Registration will be done prior to and after school hours.

REGISTRATION: If the driver is under 18 years of age, certification from the parent or guardian granting permission must be obtained. A form must be filed in the high school office giving all pertinent data such as the driver's name, vehicle registration and license plate number, vehicle type, etc., and then a numbered parking decal will be assigned to the vehicle with permission to park on campus.

THE FOLLOWING REGULATIONS ARE IN EFFECT

1. The driveway around the school building is closed to through traffic during the hours school is in session, except for those seniors going to and returning from lunch.
2. Any vehicle moved during school hours without office permission, except during lunch periods; will result in the cancellation of this privilege along with possible further disciplinary action.
3. Parking spaces will not be assigned to students, except for the student council and senior class president(s). Students are not permitted to park in any numbered or lettered space.
4. Any vehicle parked in a numbered, lettered or prohibited space will have a summons issued to it. Further violations will result in the vehicle being towed away, at the owner's expense.
5. The speed limit on school property is 10 MPH and extreme caution must be observed at all times, especially during the arrival and departure of school buses.
6. No student is permitted to park his or her vehicle in any space on the road exiting to Barret Street. These spaces are for cafeteria and staff personnel. Students parked in any of these mentioned spaces, will be towed at the expense of the student, without any warnings.
7. Students who chronically misbehave may also face loss of parking privileges.
8. Signed Random Drug & Alcohol Testing Consent Form.

These regulations are devised for the protection and safety of all the students, both the car users and others. The cooperation of the home is sought throughout the school year, to eliminate the possibility of accidents.

TOWN OF NEWTON ORDINANCE

10 - 11.1 General Regulations

- a. No parking certain times. There shall be no parking of vehicles at any time between the hours of 1:00 AM and 6:00 AM, in or upon any of the parking lots or school grounds owned by the board of education.
- b. Parking permitted only in specific areas. No vehicle shall be parked at any time on any of the public school grounds, or the roadways or parking lots, except in those areas specifically reserved for the parking of vehicles identified by a sticker or other appropriate means and designated by parking spaces outlined in white lines; or shall any vehicle be parked in any designated parking space so that the vehicle shall not be entirely within the area designated by the lines or marking delineating that space.

10 - 11.2 Newton High School The roadway going around Newton High School shall be one way for all vehicular traffic entering the school grounds at the most southerly entrance from Ryerson Avenue, adjacent to the agricultural building, and moving clockwise in a northwesterly and northeasterly direction around the high school building to the point of intersection of the roadway with the entrance to the teacher's parking lot near the northeasterly end of the high school property. Vehicles shall enter the northeasterly entrance to the roadway only for the purpose of entering the teacher's parking lot.

10 - 11.3 Merriam Avenue School parking school buses only - The south curb line of the roadway running in front of the Merriam Avenue School shall designate parking for school buses only. The designated area shall begin at the most southwesterly entrance of this roadway and continue to a point 480 feet easterly thereof.

10 - 11.3b One-Way traffic - The Merriam Avenue School parking lot is designated as a one-way street. All traffic shall travel in an easterly direction only through the Merriam Avenue School parking lot.

10 - 11.4 Halsted Street School - The roadway leading to the parking lot on the grounds of the Halsted Street School shall be one way for vehicular traffic entering the southeasterly entrance to the grounds and parking lot, and all vehicles shall leave the parking lot only through the exit at the northwesterly side of the school grounds and parking lot.

10 - 12.1 Zones Established - The zones described in Schedule XII attached to and made a part of this chapter are hereby established as parking meter zones and auto slot zones.

VEHICLE REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Newton High School Permit # _____

PLATE # _____

YEAR _____ MAKE _____

MAKE/MODEL _____ COLOR _____

OWNER _____

ADDRESS _____

HOME PHONE & CELL# _____

Each driver **MUST** have this form signed by a parent and the owner of the registered vehicle and returned to the school main office. Violations of any of the regulations or Town of Newton Ordinances may result in the withdrawal of their driving privilege and possible disciplinary action.

I have read the rules and regulations governing the use of vehicles at Newton High School and grant permission to my son/daughter to drive to school and park on school property.

SIGNATURE OF PARENT/GUARDIAN _____

SIGNATURE OF VEHICLE OWNER _____

SIGNATURE OF STUDENT _____

DATE _____

Random drug/alcohol testing consent form signed (completed by main office)

Yes

No