

DRIVING/PARKING POLICY

DRIVING PRIVILEGES

All students are required to obtain a parking permit upon acceptance into a FPTC program. All high school students will be expected to ride the bus unless they have permission from their high school, parents, and instructor to walk or drive. Permission forms must be obtained from program instructors or Student Affairs.

Students should remember that being allowed to walk or drive to and from the Technical College is a privilege, not a right. In the case of careless or reckless driving, excessive tardiness or lack of attendance, driving privileges may be suspended or revoked.

STUDENT PARKING AREAS

All student vehicles must be registered in order to utilize parking areas. Information and forms will be provided by the instructors. Students are permitted to park in regular spaces nearest their program unless otherwise designated. The front parking lot of the Administration Building is for visitors and staff only. Handicapped parking spaces are designated. Once a student arrives on campus they are not allowed to sit in their vehicles or return to their vehicle unless they are leaving campus.

Vehicles are to be parked in marked-off parking spaces ONLY.

STUDENT PARKING

1. Students who provide their own transportation may park only in the regular student parking areas unless they have been given a special permit by the Administration. Please park in as neat and orderly fashion as possible. HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS DRIVING THEIR OWN CARS MUST HAVE PERMISSION FROM THEIR HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL, THEIR PARENTS, AND INSTRUCTOR. Forms are available in the office for this purpose.
2. Students are NOT to go to the parking area for any reason during school hours without permission of instructor; nor are they allowed to loiter there after arriving at the Technical College, or during lunch and breaks.
3. Students should remember that being allowed to drive to and from the technical college is a PRIVILEGE, not a RIGHT. Any student who cannot comply with these reasonable regulations will have this privilege taken from him/her.

VISITOR PARKING AREAS

1. Parking in front of the Administration building is for visitors, testers, and dual enrolled high school students.
2. Area between Automotive Collision, Automotive Services Technology, and Welding to the north and Student Center to the south.
3. Area immediately in front of Heavy Equipment Mechanics building.
4. All areas designated Faculty, Visitors, and Handicapped.
5. All loading zones.

Student cars scheduled to be worked on will remain in regular parking area until working space is available. All work in Automotive Collision Repair and Automotive Services Technology will be done in the shop or on the north side inside the fenced area. Entrance to and exit from east parking lot will be on West Boulevard, south parking lot from South Boulevard, and west parking lot from Hoyt Street.

Parking between the Welding and Automotive Repair buildings and the curb north of the Student Center (Food Services building); Bldg. 2 & Bldg. 3 is reserved for school owned vehicles, vehicles waiting to be repaired, and service vehicles.

HANDICAPPED PARKING

Handicapped parking spaces are provided near the entrance of each building. These spaces are clearly marked and are for handicapped only. Vehicles that violate parking policies will be towed at the owner's expense.