



CHS PARKING RULES & GUIDELINES

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OVERVIEW

The operation of a motor vehicle on campus is a privilege granted by Burleson ISD. Vehicles requiring a state license are classified as a motor vehicle including cars, trucks, mopeds and motorcycles. All vehicles driven on Centennial High School are subject to all local and state traffic laws. A student or employee has full responsibility for the security and content of his or her vehicle. Students, faculty, staff and employees who operate or park a motor vehicle at Centennial High School are required to have a valid parking permit decal properly affixed to the vehicle. The person to whom a parking permit is issued has a nontransferable decal.

Student Parking this year is in the front of the school only for all students.

The Centennial High School Security or their designee is given the responsibility of enforcing procedures that provide a safe campus environment for our students. Photographs are taken of each vehicle and confirmed as a violation by Mr. Legler before a fine is entered on a student's record. The pictures are available for those who have been fined to look at if they have questions.

The privilege of parking a vehicle on campus may be taken away for violations pertaining to inappropriate behavior or parking violations. Upon arriving at school, students must immediately vacate their cars and the parking lot and enter the school building. Students in the parking lot during the day without a pass will be subject to disciplinary action.

Parking Permits Required for Pass

A student driving a motor vehicle or motorcycle to school must be a licensed driver and have the required liability insurance coverage. The student must register the motor vehicle and obtain a parking permit sticker. The parking permit must be affixed - by its own adhesive, to the registered vehicle. Students who have already purchased a BHS student parking student but have classes at CHS must inform Mr. Legler.

Note: **Students ARE NOT to park in Faculty or Visitor parking spaces.** Students are not permitted to use staff parking stickers or use staff parking spaces.

Purchase of Parking Permits

Eligible students may purchase a parking permit decal for \$50.00. The cost of a permit goes down to \$25.00 after Christmas break. However, if a student attempts to purchase a permit after Christmas break and their vehicle was documented as having parked on campus without a permit before Christmas break, then that student will still have to pay the full \$50.00. Parking stickers for additional vehicles in the same household are \$10.00 per vehicle per school year. Students will be required to complete a parking permit form and show a valid Texas driver's license and valid proof of liability insurance for the vehicle being registered. The student's driver's license and insurance must remain current at all times. Permits can be purchased through cash, check, or money order. Checks should be made out to CHS.

Place of Purchase

Permits can be purchased and fines can be paid in Mr. Legler's room, C111 next to the Courtroom before or after school. Fines can also be paid in the front office but the permits must be purchased by the student from Mr. Legler.

Temporary Permits

In special circumstances, temporary parking permits may be obtained from Mr. Legler. If a student already has purchased a parking sticker, they are eligible for a Temporary Hanging Tag. The definition of "special circumstances" and the issuance of the temporary parking permit will be for a short period of time. The hanger type temporary permits must be properly displayed with the printed side facing the front end of the vehicle on the interior rear view mirror where the permit can be read from outside the vehicle.

Replacement Parking Stickers

In the event that a vehicle is stolen, wrecked, sold, or has the windshield replaced, the permit holder should immediately notify Mr. Legler. Replacement permits can only be obtained from Mr. Legler.

Visitor Parking

All visitors must park in areas designated specifically for visitors. A visitor is defined as a person(s) who has no official connection with the Burseson ISD. A student or employee is not considered a visitor and may not park in a visitor's area.

Fine Amounts

The fine amount for tickets issued by the Centennial High School will be as follows:

1. 1st three weeks of school a Warning sticker will be used for violations. Students who begin parking during the school year but do not purchase a permit before parking may not have to pay a fine if they quickly purchase a permit after the first time they receive a fine sticker. Otherwise, they will have to pay a fine for each time their vehicle was documented on campus without a permit.
2. Students will be assessed a \$20.00 dollar fine each time their vehicle is documented being in violation of a CHS parking rule. If a student continually parks without a permit, their privilege to park may be permanently revoked, or it may be towed at the student's expense.
3. Payment will be cash, check or money order.

Vehicle Regulations

Violators may be issued parking fines for parking violations.

Parking lot regulations include, but not limited to:

- Traveling above the 10-MPH speed limit on campus at any time
- Parking in faculty, behind the indoor field, bus-loading zones, on sidewalks, in fire lanes or designated handicapped spaces and any other areas not designated for students during school hours
- Parking in visitor's parking area
- Parking without a permit
- Parking in more than one parking space.
- Parking off the pavement
- Parking in faculty spots before school
- Using another student's permit
- Allowing another student to use the permit you were issued
- **Not fully attaching the permit on the windshield**

Display of Permit

Permit must be affixed to the window fully. Place the sticker on the passenger side, front window at the bottom. The sticker must be fully applied or the student will receive a fine for this.

Summary of CHS Parking Guidelines and Rules

- Permits can be purchased from Mr. Legler in room C111 before school or after school. Cost is \$50 until January 1st then it goes down to \$25. Proof of driver's license and insurance must be provided. Checks can be written out to CHS. Fines can be paid in the front office.
- Permits must be fully attached to the inside of the windshield in the front on the bottom of the passenger side (bottom right side of the windshield when looking out). If it is placed on the dash then the student will receive a fine.
- If a student has to drive another vehicle for a short period of time they will need to see Mr. Legler for a temporary pass for the vehicle.
- All violations are photographed and confirmed before being entered onto a student's account as a fine. The photographs may be requested from Mr. Legler at alegler@bisdmail.net.