

## WESTERN BRANCH HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT PARKING REGULATIONS

Students must comply with these regulations in order to maintain parking privileges at WBHS. Driving a vehicle and parking in the student parking lot is a privilege at Western Branch High School that may be revoked **without refund** if any behaviors or actions create an unsafe environment, as determined by school officials. Students who lose parking privileges will not be allowed to park on campus for the remainder of the school year.

In order to obtain campus-parking privileges, a student must:

- ⇒ Have all outstanding debts to the school cleared with the bookkeeper.
- ⇒ Provide a valid Virginia Driver's License.
- ⇒ Complete the registration form including the vehicle make, model, year, color, and license plate number.
- ⇒ Pay the \$10 fee.

### DRIVING AND PARKING REGULATIONS

1. Students shall display their parking permit on the **passenger's side** of the **rear** window.
2. The designated Student Parking Lots are the Terry Drive lot and the Gravel lot. Students are not permitted to park in the Bruin Drive lot.
3. Students who park in the Terry Drive Lot should enter and exit through the entrance closest to the primary school. ***The Terry Lot entrance closest to Western Branch High School is designated for construction vehicles only.***
4. SCA and Senior Class Officers shall park in their assigned spaces in the Faculty Parking Lot.
5. Students are not permitted to park in the faculty parking lot (except as mentioned above), visitor's parking spaces, or any other reserved spaces or in the grass area on campus.
6. Students are not allowed to go to any vehicle or parking lot without first obtaining permission from Security or Administration.
7. Upon parking in the student lot you shall proceed, promptly, inside. Loitering in the parking lot prior to, or after your scheduled departure time is not allowed.
8. The on-campus speed limit is **10 mph**.
9. Students will yield the right-of-way to all pedestrians on school property.
10. As per Virginia State Code cell phone usage by operators of motor vehicles under the age of 19 is not permitted, and will be enforced by the School.
11. Students should lock their vehicles at all times. **Western Branch High School is NOT** responsible for theft or damage to a vehicle while parked on school grounds.
12. Students must report all accidents on school property to Security.
13. Vehicles parked on Western Branch High School property are subject to searches by administration and/or the canine units of the Chesapeake Police Department or Virginia State Police with or without notice.
14. Students may not transfer parking permits to other students.
15. All parking regulations are in effect for the entire school year.
16. If you sell your vehicle or purchase a new vehicle you must report these changes to Security using **Vehicle Information Change** forms located by the **Attendance Office**. Failure to do so will result in a fine.
17. Students will be issued one parking pass for their vehicle(s). If you drive a different vehicle that is registered you must transfer your parking permit to that vehicle.
18. If your decal is lost, stolen or damaged, you must report this to Security immediately. Replacement decals can be purchased for \$10.00.
19. Students who choose to park off school grounds are reminded that Chesapeake City traffic laws prohibit blocking street entrances, driveways and mailboxes. Students may be ticketed by Chesapeake City Police should they park in any way that violates city law.

**Infractions are punishable by a \$10 fine and/or a boot plus a \$25.00 charge. Students who have been issued tickets may not park on campus again until resolution of the issue by Mr. Parks or receipt of payment in the Security Office.** Major or repeated violations may result in a loss of parking privileges and/or disciplinary consequences including out of school suspension and police intervention.

Western Branch High School also reserves the right to tow vehicles away from campus at the owner's expense.

The administration at Western Branch High School reserves the right to take action on all behaviors mentioned or not mentioned in these regulations in order to promote the safety and well being of all WBHS students, staff members, and visitors. Thank you for your cooperation.