

6013 Student Driving/Parking

Students must be issued a USC Student Driver Permit in order to be allowed to drive to school.

Students without a USC Student Driver Permit shall not be permitted to drive student driven motor vehicles to and from regular school sessions nor shall they be permitted to drive motor vehicles and park same within walking distance (1-1/2 miles of the school building as measured by publicly maintained roadways).

Students without a USC Student Driver Permit shall not be allowed to drive on school grounds until after the dismissal of the last official class. Violation of this policy will result in suspension of not less than one (1) day, or other punishment deemed more appropriate by the Administration.

The high school principal or his designee may issue up to 200 USC Student Driver Permits using a fair and equitable system of issuance that takes into account the student's grade level, academic progress, attendance, and behavior. The number of spaces allotted may be adjusted to address unanticipated circumstances with the approval of the Superintendent. The high school principal shall also establish regulations relating to vehicle passengers. The administration will establish and collect a reasonable parking permit fee to help cover costs such as parking administration and enforcement.

Students would be eligible to apply for a permit based on the following individual circumstances: (1) students participating in before or after school sports/activities; (2) students in work experience programs administered by the school, (3) students having jobs provided that their employer and parent or legal guardian certify to the principal or his designee such employment and provide the school with an official work permit, (4) students with handicap conditions requiring immediate use of a vehicle, (5) students enrolled in educational placements outside of the high school that are part of a student's daily schedule if school bus transportation is not provided, (6) students who have exceptional circumstances within their family that would require the student to have a vehicle on school property during the school day, 7) students with positive academic/attendance/behavior records, and 8) students having a record of safe driving. The high school principal has the right to deny or revoke driving privileges at any time.

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