Cardinal O'Hara HIGH SCHOOL

Regulations on Student Vehicle Use and Parking 2022 - 2023

Each year, juniors and seniors wishing to drive their personal vehicle to and from school must receive permission from school administration for such privileges to be granted. Once approved, student(s) will be permitted to transport themselves to and from school and use the student parking lot during school hours for the period of one academic year. Each year, students must re-apply for driving/parking privileges.

Students who intend to drive their personal vehicles to and from school must follow these rules:

1. Speed limit on school grounds is 10 miles per hour
2. Student drivers must yield to pedestrians at all times
3. Parking permit must be clearly visible in driver's side front window/dashboard
4. Students must park at the North End of the parking lot
5. Students are forbidden to sit in their car at any time during the school day
6. All vehicles must be registered by NYS and deemed safe with a current NYS inspection, registration and insurance
7. Students must enter and exit parking lot in a safe and orderly manner
8. Students must obey all driving laws
9. Students are not allowed to park vehicle in school lots overnight
10. Students must arrive to school on time

Should a student abuse/violate any of these driving regulations, driving privileges may be revoked. Privileges may be revoked temporarily or for repeat offenders, for the remainder of the school year. Should privileges be revoked for the remainder of the year, student(s) may not re-apply for parking privileges until the following academic school year. Please note the following:

- Any vehicles that are parked on school property during school hours without prior permission and/or a parking permit will be towed at the owner's expense.

- COHS is not responsible for any damage that occurs to vehicles while parked on school premises.

- Student driving is a privilege, which is granted to students who obey the regulations and show mature judgment in using their vehicles.

- Freshmen and sophomore students are not permitted to apply for driving/parking privileges.

Please note that it is the student's responsibility to complete the application in a timely manner and return it to the main office.

Thank you.

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Reasons for Revocation of Driving Privileges

The following behaviors/actions may result in the revocation of driving privileges:

1. Excessive speed/reckless/careless driving through parking lot
2. Excessive speed/reckless/careless driving through surrounding neighborhood
3. Excessive tardiness to school
4. Leaving school early without authorization or assisting another student to leave early without prior authorization
5. Intentional or unintentional damage to parking lot or school facilities
6. Driving without a valid license
7. Allowing a classmate to drive the vehicle without a valid license
8. Giving a parking pass to another student to use (parking permit is for authorized vehicle only)
9. Not parking vehicle in designated area
10. Any additional behavior/action that is deemed inappropriate or hazardous by the administration

The safety and well-being of our students and faculty is our first priority, therefore, driving regulations will be strictly enforced.

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Application for Parking / Driving Permit 2022 - 2023

Student Information

Student's Name: _____ Grade Level: _____

Address: _____ City: _____

Student resides in what public school district? _____

Does student have a valid NYS driver's license? _____

Vehicle Information

Vehicle #1

Make: _____ Model: _____ Color: _____

Year: _____ Plate #: _____ Vehicle Registered To: _____

Vehicle #2

Make: _____ Model: _____ Color: _____

Year: _____ Plate #: _____ Vehicle Registered To: _____

Parent /Guardian Consent

My signature verifies that I have read all of the regulations related to student driving and I understand that it is my child's responsibility to follow all such rules. I also agree that violating any of the regulations should result in the loss of driving privileges for my child. My signature also acknowledges that Cardinal O'Hara High School is not responsible for any damage that may occur to the vehicle while parked in the school lot and that COHS is not liable for any accident(s) that may occur while my child travels to and from school. Further, it is my child's responsibility to arrive on time to school and any such tardiness will result in detention on the day of the infraction.

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

A $10.00 parking fee is required at the time that parking permit is issued.

Office Use Only

Copy of NYS Driver's License Provided	**Yes**	**No**
$10.00 Parking Fee Paid	**Yes**	**No**
Parking Permit Approved	**Yes**	**No**

Parking Permit # Issued: _____