

2023-2024 Newberry High School Parking Registration

This information is available to assist students in the parking registration process. The Newberry HS parking lot is monitored daily and unregistered cars will be ticketed and towed.

- 1. All students who drive to campus must have a valid South Carolina driver's license. Learner's permits are not permitted. Students will be expected to present a copy of their license when they receive their parking pass.
- 2. All Newberry County School District students are expected to complete the Alive @ 25 course from the National Safety Council. During the summer, courses will be offered virtually. After the start of the school year, courses will be offered periodically on the NHS campus.

a. Course Fee: \$45

b. Duration: 4.5 hours

- c. Visit <u>www.scnsc.org</u> and click "Find a Class" to sign up for a course.
- d. Students cannot register for parking until completing the Alive @ 25 course.
- 3. Students will use the online registration form to register for parking on campus. This registration is for NHS ONLY -- students should see the Career Center for a separate registration.
 - a. You can find the form at http://bit.ly/2324bulldogparking.
 - b. It will be accessible beginning July 24, 2023.

PARKING REGULATIONS

- 1. All vehicles driven onto campus MUST be registered with a current NHS parking tag and parked in the assigned space.
- 2. Parking registration and tag purchase requires:
 - Vehicle registration,
 - Alive at 25 certificate #
 - Student's driver's license (Learner's Permits are not allowed)
 - \$10 purchase price
 - Registration form with parent signature
- 3. Parking tags (\$10) or replacement tags (\$5) may be purchased during the school year from the bookkeeper.
- Parking tags are nontransferable between students.
- 4. Parking tag **MUST** hang from the rearview mirror.

Parking space ID # MUST BE VISIBLE.

- 5. Student Government will maintain permit records. The Front Office will keep current copies of this information.
- 6. **Bus transportation is available for ALL students.** Therefore, driving a personal vehicle to school is by choice. Newberry High School assumes no responsibility for any possible theft, damage, or vandalism to a personal vehicle or its contents.
- 7. Students must request permission from the Career Center Director and the NHS Principal in order to drive to the Career Center. A Career Center fee may be charged.

No student may ride with another student.

- 8. Change of vehicle forms will be available at the front desk and must be filed in Room 201 AFTER school.
- 2. If you arrive at school and someone has parked in your space, you should park across from the tennis courts. If you park in someone's numbered space you will be in violation of the parking rules, which could result in suspension of your privileges. If your space is taken, report your space number, the make/model/color of the vehicle in violation, the license, and/or parking tag number, and your name to the front desk IMMEDIATELY.

Parking Regulations

- 1. No loitering in the parking lots *before*, *during*, or *after* school. Enter the building immediately upon your arrival, and leave the parking lot immediately after dismissal. Students are not allowed in the parking lots during the day without a pass from the office unless he/she is leaving the school due to early dismissal. Students found in any parking lot without authorization will face disciplinary action.
- 2. The front circle and faculty parking lot is **off-limits** to student parking.
- 3. Resource Officers, Administrative Staff, and/or the SGA Officers will ticket cars improperly parked. Fines may be assessed for the following offenses:
 - Parking in the wrong parking space
 - No visible parking ID
 - An unregistered vehicle
 - Illegally parked (backing into spaces, loading zones, no parking zones, handicapped, staff, visitor parking, etc.)
 - City noise ordinance
 - Entering the wrong way
 - Speeding
 - Driving over cement parking blocks
- 4. Cars in violation of above stated rules will be subject to the following:

1st offense: Warning ticket—there will be no charge for this ticket; each additional ticket will be \$5.

Additional offenses: Each ticket is \$5 and will be charged to the student's fees. After five offenses, parents will be contacted and the car will be subject to towing at the owner's expense.

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1st offense: Warning ticket—there will be no charge for this ticket; each additional ticket will be \$5.

2nd & 3rd offenses: Notice sent home; discipline referral

Additional offenses: Cars that are repeatedly ticketed will be towed at the owner's expense.

The school reserves the right to:

- 1. Revoke the driving privilege of any student who refuses to adhere to published rules and expectations, who has excessive absences or tardies, or who leaves campus without permission.
- 2. Require that fees be paid **before** the student is permitted to continue parking on campus.
- Conduct routine searches of the exterior of student automobiles parked on school property at any time. The administration retains authority to conduct searches of the interior of student automobiles whenever a school official has reason to believe that a student has violated board policy, school rules, or state law.
- 4. Search and seize any weapons, intoxicants, controlled substances, and/or any other illegal contraband in any vehicle driven by any student. *The student driver assumes all responsibility for items found in his/her vehicle.* Any and all violations of the criminal conduct provision of the Newberry County School District Discipline Behavior Code and Disciplinary Policy will be reported to the Newberry County Sheriff's Department, in addition to school district administration. Appropriate action will be taken as per South Carolina law and Newberry County School Board Policy.