

Student Safety

We need your help with some important issues at Pepper Ridge.....
student safety!

Parking, Drop Off & Pick Up

In order to keep children safe we need all drivers to follow the direction arrows in the parking lot. All cars should enter the south parking lot and follow the arrows to the right around the outside edge of the parking lot area and drive up along the sidewalk to pick up their child(ren). **Cars should not double or triple park and expect the children to move through traffic to get into the cars.** If you need to park then please use a parking space and not the pick up lane. The drop off lane is a no parking zone. Vehicles should not cut through the park cars and expect children to meet them between the cars just to avoid waiting in line. If you do not want to wait in line, please park in a designated space and walk up to meet your child(ren) and escort them back to your vehicle.

If you are picking up your child(ren) from the north parking lot, please park in the designated spaces then walk up to the sidewalk to meet and escort your child(ren) back to your vehicle. Cones are placed across the driveway to prevent vehicles from driving through this pick up and crossing area or turning around on our blacktop playground area where that is often used by after school programs.

Also be aware of our Safety Patrols at the driveway entrance.

Fox Creek Road and Danbury Intersection/Crossing and Bus Stop

Students living across Danbury are given bus transportation to Pepper Ridge School. However, students are riding bikes and crossing Fox Creek Road and this is a very dangerous situation. **If parents/guardians allow their children to walk or ride bicycles to school they should be there to help them cross this busy intersection both before and after school!**

Since this is not a walking zone for our school the city will not make this a school crossing. This is a very dangerous situation in the early morning when the sun is in drivers' eyes and they are heading off to work, and then again coming home from school with the sun and drivers heading home. Please be aware of this as you are driving in this area as well.

Student Safety is a number one concern for me as I am sure it is for you. I appreciate your help and support. Together we can keep our children safe.

Mrs. Coombs