

Northpoint Traffic Pattern Rules and Regulations

During AM drop off and PM pick up times- 8:25-8:45 and 3:00-3:45, all traffic entering off of and exiting on to College Avenue is right turn only.

- A. This means all traffic entering Northpoint's lot must enter at the farthest east entrance turning right into our lot. Traffic may not turn left from College Avenue or straight from Tipton Trails during these times. **Bloomington Police will ticket those not following this expectation.**
***DO NOT PASS CARS ON COLLEGE AND THEN ENTER OUR PARKING LOT BY CUTTING IN FRONT OF WAITING CARS-**This will also result in a ticket from the Bloomington Police.**
- B. From our farthest east entrance the traffic will flow (as needed) TO THE BACK SIDE OF NORTHPOINT UTILIZING OUR TURN AROUND AREA.-NO STUDENTS CAN BE PICKED UP ON THE BACK OR SIDE OF THE BUILDING(unless preapproved by Mr. W).
- C. Proceed to the cul-de-sac and turn entering along the right side of the circle drive and continuing around the curbing to the south side of the drive. Once the turnaround is complete, traffic should continue to proceed through the front parking lot along the curb near the South Gym.
- D. This is the same spot as we have had pick up from in the past. PLEASE PULL YOUR CARS ALL THE WAY TO THE FRONT AT THE SOUTHERN MOST TIP OF THE DROP OFF OR PICK UP LANE. FOR STUDENT SAFETY, STUDENTS MUST ENTER VEHICLES ON THE PASSENGER SIDE ON THE CURB SIDE. THEY SHOULD NOT WALK INTO TRAFFIC TO THE PARKING LOT SIDE OF THE VEHICLE.
- E. After students are picked up, traffic must flow using a right turn back on to College Avenue. **Again, failure to follow this expectation may result in a ticket from the Bloomington Police Dept.**

Other notes of interest:

- A. The bus lane is NOT to be used with the exception to buses and daycare vans. Please be respectful of this expectation.
- B. We encourage all parents whose students are in busable areas to USE THE BUS. Students within the contiguous subdivisions should develop walking plans with their students and neighborhood families.
- C. There will be a cross walk that will be utilized by PE classes up to 3:15 PM. Please do not block our walkways. We will do our best to clearly mark all walkways that students are using.
- D. **Students are NOT TO BE DROPPED OFF anywhere but the front sidewalk. If they are dropped off anywhere else, YOU are putting them at a huge safety risk.**
- E. **Please call the Northpoint Elementary School Office if you have further questions.**
- F. **By law, there is NO CELL PHONE USE in any school zone.**
- G. **Please do not park and leave your car in the parent pickup lane; also please move up the lane so that we can unload and load as many cars as possible.**

Thanks for helping keep our Northpoint drop-off and pick up safe.