

## Wilkerson Elementary Parking Lot Procedure

Student safety is a high priority at our school. In order to ensure that all students have a safe way in and out of school each day, I need your help. Below are some reminders for dropping off and picking up at Wilkerson.

### **In the morning...**

- Parents not using the drop off lane, need to park and walk their child through the parking lot to their entry door. Students should not be walking through the busy parking lot by themselves.
- The drop off lane is one single file lane.
- Avoid driving through the closest parking lot lane to **door 30** (3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> grade doors) and **door 33** (1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> grade doors) and allowing your child to get out and walk across. Students should not be crossing by themselves.

### **At the end of the day...**

- Avoid parking anywhere orange cones are placed. When cars park next to or in between cones, they create a narrow and unsafe driving passage.
- There is no parking along the walkway from door 33 (1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> grade doors) to the fire hydrant or from the last orange cone to the stop sign exiting the parent lot on either side.
- All vehicles leaving the lot must use the traffic flow arrows. Going against the traffic flow is dangerous and against the law.
- The yellow striped areas at the ends of parking lanes should not be utilized.
- Cars should not pull forward into the student safe zone near **door 27** (5<sup>th</sup> grade) **door 30** (3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> grade) and **door 33** (1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> grade) entries.
- Parking in one of our lots, at Carter or along the street and meeting your child at their door is the safest way to ensure that ALL students get out safely.

Your cooperation is necessary and greatly appreciated. Thank you for taking the time to share this information with **ALL** family members that pick up children at Wilkerson.

Educationally Yours,

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