

# CARPOOL RULES



## CARPOOL INFORMATION FOR KINDERGARTEN – EIGHTH GRADE

We are looking forward to another safe and efficient K-8 carpool experience at Walden. Please find a diagram of carpool for K-8 students illustrating our most recent carpool changes to ensure student and driver safety during morning and afternoon carpool. Thank you for all you do to make certain Walden families remain safe.

1. There is only one single lane of traffic for drop off in the morning, as well as for picking students up in the afternoon. **Please do not try to pass cars waiting to stop and unload their passengers. That means that if you park in designated parking spaces in front of the school, and let your children cross at the cross walk, you will still be in the single lane of traffic dropping students off when you exit the driveway.**
2. For student and driver safety, please stop at drop off area next to the porch, unless directed otherwise by teachers, who are getting students out of cars in the morning or putting students in cars in the afternoon.
3. For your convenience and continued safety, we have also added a Cross Walk for those families who park in the front of the school and walk their students to the building in the morning. Please remember only to cross at the designated crosswalk. Teachers and staff will be on duty to assist you.
4. We have designated two Reserved Parking spaces for Auction recipients. Please be mindful of these designated spaces and park only the parking spaces directly in front of the school or along the side of the driveway that goes to the back parking lot – even if you are only dropping off.
5. If you are not parking to come into the building with your child in the morning, we ask that you please use the carpool lanes for “drop off”. It is not safe to allow your students to get out of the car anywhere else in the parking lot and it often stops the flow of traffic to the high school “drop off” in parking area.

When exiting our parking lot during morning of dismissal carpool, you must turn right onto Westport Road (unless a crossing guard is present to direct traffic).

For our students’ safety, it is most important NOT TO BE IN A HURRY during morning or afternoon carpool.

**The speed limit is 10mph, please slow down and allow us to make carpool as safe as possible. We would like to emphasize that the use of cell phones during carpool is strictly prohibited.**

# Walden School Driveway Schematic

