STUDENT PARKING FAQ'S 2020-2021

IMPORTANT: PLEASE READ CAREFULLY!!!!

Q: HOW MUCH DOES A PARKING DECAL COST?

A: DUE TO THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC AND THE VIRTUAL LEARNING OPTIONS AVAILABLE TO STUDENTS, WEST BROWARD HIGH WILL BE SELLING PARKING PERMITS FOR THE FIRST SEMESTER FOR \$30 EACH, AND WILL THEN BE MAKING PARKING PERMITS AVAILABLE FOR SALE AGAIN FOR THE SECOND SEMESTER FOR \$30.

Q: HOW LONG IS MY PARKING PERMIT VALID?

A: DECALS SOLD FOR THE FIRST SEMESTER WILL BE VALID FROM OCTOBER 19, 2020 THROUGH JANUARY 8, 2021. DECALS SOLD FOR THE SECOND SEMESTER WILL BE VALID FROM JANUARY 11, 2021- JUNE 9, 2021.

Q: IF I RECEIVE A PARKING PERMIT FOR THE FIRST SEMESTER, AM I GUARANTEED A PERMIT FOR THE SECOND SEMESETER?

A: NO. IF YOU WISH TO PURCHASE A PERMIT FOR THE SECOND SEMESTER, YOU MUST RE-SUBMIT YOUR APPLICATION. DECALS ARE SOLD ON A FIRST COME-FIRST SERVED BASIS FOR BOTH THE FIRST SEMESTER AND THE SECOND SEMESTER. SUBMITTING AN APPLICATION DOES NOT GUARANTEE THAT YOU WILL BE GRANTED A PARKING DECAL.

Q: WHO IS ELIGIBLE TO PURCHASE A PARKING DECAL?

A: SENIORS, DUAL ENROLLED, & CERTIFICATION STUDENTS ONLY. (UPON AVAILABILITY)

Q: IF I AM A SENIOR, DUAL ENROLLED OR INDUSTRY CERTIFICATION STUDENT, DOES IT GUARENTEE ME A DECAL?

A: NO, UNFORTUNATELY, DUE TO LIMITED SPACE, BEING A SENIOR/DUAL ENROLLED OR CERTIFICATION STUDENT

DOES NOT GUARENTEE A PARKING DECAL. IT IS BASED UPON AVAILABILITY.

Q: IF MY DECAL WAS GIVEN TO ME BY INDUSTRY CERTIFCATION CLASS WHEN MAY I BE PERMITTED TO PARK AT SCHOOL?

A: YOU MAY ONLY PARK IN THE STUDENT PARKING LOT WHEN YOU ARE GOING TO YOUR CERTIFICATION RESPONSIBILITY OFF CAMPUS. FOR EXAMPLE: IF YOU ARE REQUIRED TO GO TO THE BARN FOR VET ON MONDAYS AND WEDNESDAY. THEN YOU MAY ONLY BE ALLOWED TO PARK ON SCHOOL GROUNDS THOSE ASSIGNED DAYS.

Q: CAN PARENTS/GUARDIANS APPLY FOR A DECAL IF THEIR CHILD IS PARTICIPATING IN AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES SUCH AS BAND. ATHLETICS OR CLUBS?

A: NO. PARKING IS ONLY RESERVED FOR SENIORS/ DUAL ENROLLED/ CERTIFICATION STUDENTS.

Q: WHO DO WE SUBMIT OUR APPLICATION REVIEW?

A: DUE TO THE COVID-19 CRISIS, WE ARE NO LONGER ACCEPTING PRINTED APPLICATIONS OR CASH PAYMENTS. ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE EMAILED TO: (WestBrowardParking@gmail.com) WE ENCOURAGE YOU TO MAKE A COPY OF YOUR COMPLETED APPLICATION FOR YOUR RECORDS.

Q: HOW DO I KNOW IF I HAVE BEEN APPROVED?

A: STUDENT SERVICES WILL CONTACT YOU VIA EMAIL OR PHONE CALL

Q: WHO APPROVES PARKING APPLICATIONS?

A: ADMINISTRATION (NOT GUIDANCE COUNSELORS, TEACHERS, OR STAFF)

Q: UPON BEING APPROVED. HOW DO I PAY FOR THE DECAL?

A: ALL PAYMENTS MUST BE MADE ONLINE AT (www.browardschools1.com/westbroward)

Q: WHAT IF I AM USING ANOTHER VEHICLE FROM MY HOUSEHOLD, MAY I USE MY DECAL TO ENTER THE STUDENT PARKING LOT?

A: YES. HOWEVER, ALL YOU HOUSEHOLD CAR (S) MUST BE REGISTERED WITH STUDENT SERVICES.

Q: WHAT IF I DO NOT HAVE MY CAR AVAILABLE, MAY MY FRIEND DRIVE ME TO SCHOOL AND USE MY DECAL?

A: NO, BECAUSE THE SCHOOL DOES NOT HAVE DOCUMENTATION OF YOUR FRIEND'S CAR

Q: MAY I LEND MY FRIEND THE USE OF MY DECAL IF I AM GOING TO BE ABSENT FROM SCHOOL?

A: NO. PARKING DECALS ARE NOT TRANSFERRABLE AND THIS MAY RESULT IN LOSING YOUR DECAL.

Q: DOES MY ATTENDANCE TO STUDY HALL COUNT TOWARDS POSSIBLY GETTING MY DECAL PREVILAGES SUSPENDED?

A: YES. ATTENDANCE (ABSENCES & LATENESS) TO ALL YOUR CLASSES COUNT; INCLUDING STUDY HALL.

Q: WHAT HAPPENS IF MY CHILD'S INCOMPLETE APPLICATION IS RETURNED?

A: IF YOUR APPLICATION IS INCOMPLETE, YOU WILL LOSE YOUR PLACEMENT OF TIME WE RECEIVED YOUR APPLICATION.

Q: WHAT HAPPENS IF THE STUDENT PARKING LOT IS FILLED?

A: A WAITING LIST FOR SENIORS & DUAL ENROLLED STUDENTS WILL BE GENERATED. STUDENTS ARE ONLY ALLOWED TO PARK IN THE STUDENT PARKING LOT.

Q: WHEN I DRIVE BY, I NOTICE THAT THERE ARE EMPTY SPACES EVEN THOUGH THERE ARE NO MORE DECALS AVAILABLE. WHY?

A: EVEN THOUGH THERE ARE EMPTY SPACES, THEY HAVE BEEN ACCOUNTED FOR. SOME STUDENTS MAY BE ABSENT OR AT THEIR DUAL ENROLLED OR CERTIFICATION CLASS.

Q: DOES THE SCHOOL PROVIDE TEMPORARY PARKING PERMITS?

A: NO, DUE TO PARKING CONSTRAINTS, WE USUALLY SELL ALL PARKING DECALS AND A WAITING LIST IS GENERATED.

Q: IF I CANNOT PARK IN THE STUDENT PARKING LOT, MAY I PARK IN THE NEARBY COMMUNITIES OR WAREHOUSES? A: NO. WE HAVE BEEN INSTRUCTED BY THE NEARBY COMMUNITES (I.E. DIMENSIONS, MALIBU & WAREHOUSES ON JOHNSON AVE.) THAT STUDENTS ARE NOT ALLOWED TO PARK IN THEIR AREAS. VIOLATORS ARE SUBJECTED TO HAVING THEIR CAR TOWED AT THE OWNER'S EXPENSE.

Q: IF I'M A JUNIOR OR UNDERCLASSMAN, MAY I SUBMIT AN APPLICATION?

A: ONLY IF YOU ARE DUAL ENROLLED OR CERTIFICATION STUDENT PERFORMING AN INTERNSHIP. IN ADDITION, YOU WILL NOT BE PLACED ON THE WAITING LIST. IT IS RESERVED FOR SENIORS/ DUAL ENROLLED STUDENTS.

Q: WHAT IF I PAY FOR A DECAL WITHOUT SUBMITTING AN APPLICATION?

A: YOU WILL RECEIVE A REFUND. A PAYMENT DOES NOT SECURE A PLACEMENT TO RECEIVE A DECAL OR GUARENTEE ONE. PLEASE DO NOT PAY FOR A DECAL WITHOUT RECEIVING APPROVAL.

Q: WHAT TIME DO I NEED TO BE IN THE PARKING LOT?

A: YOU NEED TO BE IN THE PARKING LOT NO LATER THAN 7:35am. THE GATES WILL CLOSE PROMPTLY AT 7:40am. IF YOU ARRIVE LATE, YOUR DECAL WILL BE TAKEN FOR ADMINISTRATION REVIEW.

Q: WHAT TIME DOES THE STUDENT PARKING LOT OPEN?

A: IT OPENS @ 6:50 am. (Subject to change)

Q: WHAT DO I DO IF MY DECAL IS CONFISCATED BY SECURITY?

A: YOU WILL NEED TO SEE MS. WINGETT IN STUDENT SERVICES DURING YOUR LUNCHTIME TO FIND OUT THE STATUS OF THE DECAL. THE STATUS OF YOUR PARKING PRIVILEGES MAY BE REVIEWED BY ADMINISTRATION.

Q: WHY DOES IT TAKE SO LONG FOR SECURITY TO OPEN THE GATE WHEN I AM LEAVING OR ARRIVING?

A: THERE MAY BE A TIME WHERE SECURITY IS CALLED TO PERFORM NECESSARY DUTIES THAT MAY DELAY OPENING THE GATE. HOWEVER, THE GATES WILL BE OPENED AT SCHEDULED TIMES BEFORE AND AFTER THE CLASS BELLS. STUDENTS NEED TO LEAVE OR ARRIVE AT THEIR SCHEDULED TIME.

Q: WHAT HAPPENS IF A DUPLICATE IS MADE OF MY DECAL or I LEND MY DECAL TO MY FRIEND TO GET TO SCHOOL?

A: YOUR DECAL WILL BE REVOKED AND THE STUDENT USING THE FAKE OR BORROWED DECAL WILL LOSE ANY
FUTURE STUDENT PARKING PRIVILEGE. YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE DECAL YOU ARE ASSIGNED.

Q: ANY OTHER SUGGESTIONS?

A: MONITOR YOUR ATTENDANCE AND G.P.A. VERY CAREFULLY. DO NOT LEND OUT YOUR DECAL. ***READ THE APPLICATION AND MATRIX VERY CAREFULLY.*** DO NOT TAKE ANY UNAUTHORIZED STUDENTS OFF CAMPUS. DO NOT PARK IN THE TEACHER'S PARKING LOT OR ON THE GRASS AREAS. YOUR PARENT MUST SEND A FAX OR EMAIL LETTER GIVING YOU PERMISSION TO LEAVE CAMPUS BEFORE 2PM. A COPY OF THEIR DRIVER'S LICENSE MUST BE INCLUDED. BE MINDFUL OF WHO YOU ALLOW IN YOUR VEHICLE. ULTIMATELY YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE. GO TO EVERY CLASS ON TIME EVERYDAY.