



# NORTH RIDGE ELEMENTARY

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

As you have probably witnessed, the traffic around our school and in the neighbourhood is often very congested. During Drop-off, Pick-up and during our lunch break (11:43 – 12:28) we ask that you please observe the following parking rules to ensure the safety of your children during these times and to help to keep the traffic running smoothly:

- Please do not double park on the streets in front of the school (on 62 Ave and/or on 134<sup>th</sup> Street).
- Please do not block our neighbour's private driveways or the entrance to the staff parking lot.
- **Please do not park in or drop off students in the staff parking lot. THIS IS FOR STAFF PARKING ONLY.** It causes children to be in the parking lot when staff are coming and going, and makes it unsafe for our students.
- **Students are not to be walking through the parking lot.** Students are to use the designated pathways and stairs to enter the school grounds. (Students should not be walking up the parking lot entrance).
- While waiting for your child to come to your car, please continuously move up as the traffic moves forward. This will help with the back-log of cars on the street. When letting your child in or out of the car, please have them use the door on the curb side of the car only. This way they will not be walking out into oncoming traffic.

A reminder that the RCMP traffic department and city traffic by-law officers can issue tickets if you are parked illegally or impeding the flow of traffic. As many of our families do live in the close vicinity of the school, we also encourage our students to walk to and from school as often as they can (this helps with our parking concerns, but also aides in a healthier lifestyle for our students). We appreciate you taking the time to read this and for your help keeping our children safe.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Stubbings  
Principal

