

Loranger Elementary Carpool Procedures

Morning Carpool

Magnolia Street (between Loranger Elementary and the football Field) has been delegated by the

Tangipahoa Parish Council as a one way going east to west between 7:00 and 8:00 a.m.

During this time cars dropping off children at the elementary school will travel in the left lane and turn only into the street between the elementary school office and the old auditorium lane and turn right only onto Alman (the street running between the middle school and high school gym). Cars delivering children to the elementary, middle, or high school will travel in the elementary school line and all children will be dropped off at the elementary school.

The carpool line opens at 7:20. No child should be dropped off before the line opens as there is no supervision. All elementary school children **MUST** be dropped off through the carpool line in front of the elementary school. This is the **ONLY** carpool line for our elementary students. Elementary students **CANNOT** drop off behind the cafeteria or side streets. Children may not be dropped off in the faculty parking lots.

The first car will pull forward to the traffic cone by the primary building and come to a complete stop. All other vehicles will pull up the vehicle directly in front of them and unload all children at one time. Stopping more than once causes major delays in the carpool line and on the highway. All children must get out of the vehicle on the passenger side. Children are not allowed to walk in between vehicles at any time.

Your child should be ready to get out of the vehicle when you stop. *Waiting for children to put things in their bookbag, gather belongings, etc: Causes a delay.* If your child is not out of the car when all others have unloaded, you will be asked to exit the line and get back in line until your child is ready to get out. You will not be allowed to pull your car over unless you have a special needs child with special circumstances. Leave the carpool area once children have walked away from the vehicle and the vehicle in front of you moves away. Do not sit in your car and wait for your child to get into the building. There are people on duty to see that your child gets to the proper place. Do not turn at the stop sign, go all the way to Highway 40. Children who want to eat breakfast must be dropped off prior to 7:50 to ensure they have enough time to eat before class begins. If you have to speak with your child's teacher or have business with the office, you must park in the parking lot by the office. You may park in the faculty parking lot by the primary building. Carpool ends at 7:50 and the gate will close promptly. If the gate is closed, your child will be considered tardy. Your child must be escorted to the office by an adult for a tardy slip before they will be permitted to enter their classroom. Failure to bring your child in for a tardy slip may result in referral to authorities for placing children in a dangerous situation.

