



# MATANZAS HIGH SCHOOL

## SAFE CAMPUS DRIVING

### 2022-2023

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## Matanzas Driving Rules & Procedures

Matanzas High School believes that all students are responsible for helping to maintain a safe and orderly environment. The rules and procedures listed below are to assist the students of MHS to maintain this environment.

- A principal or designee may search including but not limited to, their person, briefcase, book bag, purse, package, locker, storage area in vehicle, upon reasonable suspicion of prohibited or illegally possessed substances or objects (F.S.S. 1006.09)
- **ALL VEHICLES MUST BE PROPERLY REGISTERED!** All students must have a MHS issued parking permit to be allowed to park on campus. Students are to park in their assigned areas. Parking permits must be placed in the lower left hand corner of the front windshield. Vehicles not properly registered or parked will be issued a school citation or towed at the owner's expense. This includes vehicles with non-visible parking permits. After three citations, a student's driving privilege can be suspended or revoked at the discretion of the Principal or Designee.
- **Students must maintain a 2.0 GPA to be eligible to park on campus.** Grades will be checked each nine weeks and driving privileges will be suspended for those students who fall below a 2.0 GPA. A \$5.00 fee will be charged for those reapplying for their parking permit due to GPA. Parking permits must be turned in, once privileges are suspended. To replace a parking permit for any reason the student must purchase a new one for \$30.00.
- Students will not use their cars as lockers and will not return to the parking lot during the school day, including lunch breaks and class changes. Students will exit their cars and parking lot immediately upon entering school.
- Before the start of school all students who drive on campus should **ONLY** enter and exit campus through the North Entrance that leads to Matanzas Woods Parkway. After the start of school all students must enter through the gate by the Guard Shack.
- All students who drive on campus must obey the **15MPH speed limit** at all times.
- All students must follow the marked areas for movement of traffic on campus. Students cannot drive over the cones or sidewalks on campus. Please do not move cones.
- All students must stop for school buses and pedestrians in the crosswalk. All pedestrians have the right away.
- All students must park in the back student designated parking lots. No students are allowed to park in the front parking lot. No parking is allowed on the grass anywhere on campus. Must be in a designated spot.
- No Reckless Driving (ex: donuts in dirt parking lot, riding in the back of truck beds, riding with students standing through sunroofs or hanging out windows).
- If an emergency occurs that requires you to drive another vehicle to school, please report to the the front office upon arriving at school to receive a temporary permit. Make arrangements to arrive at school early enough, so getting a temporary pass does not cause you to be late (not an excuse).

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PARKING PRIVILEGE REGISTRATION (NON-TRANSFERABLE)

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID# \_\_\_\_\_

**Make and model** of car \_\_\_\_\_

**Color** \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_

License tag number \_\_\_\_\_

Driver's license number \_\_\_\_\_

This car is registered to \_\_\_\_\_

What relation is this person to you? \_\_\_\_\_

Vehicle identification number \_\_\_\_\_

Insurance company \_\_\_\_\_

Insurance policy number \_\_\_\_\_

**Above information is correct. I have received and read the rules regarding parking/driving privileges at Matanzas High School. I agree to abide by these rules and I understand that failure to do so will result in the loss of my parking/driving privilege.**

**I also understand any vehicle parked illegally or without a decal will be subject to being towed at the owner's expense.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Name (print)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent or Guardian Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Parking Decal # \_\_\_\_\_

Date issued \_\_\_\_\_

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## PARKING PRIVILEGE REGISTRATION FORM

THE FOLLOWING ARE EXAMPLES OF BEHAVIORS THAT CAN RESULT IN THE LOSS OF PARKING PRIVILEGES ON CAMPUS. STUDENT DRIVING PRIVILEGES ARE REINSTATED AT THE DISCRETION OF THE PRINCIPAL OR DESIGNEE.

1. Reckless driving and/or speeding. Maximum speed is 15 mph.
2. Students who fall below a 2.0 GPA.
3. Leaving campus without following school checkout procedures.
4. Transporting unauthorized students off campus
5. Vandalism to school or personal property.
6. Failure to park within marked parking areas/blocking gates of traffic lanes.
7. Parking in faculty or visitor parking.
8. Parking an unregistered vehicle on campus.
9. Accumulating 5 or more tardies to school per semester.
10. Having 5 or more unexcused absences per semester.
11. You may not have a debt. All debts must be cleared before purchasing a parking decal.

Matanzas High School does not assume responsibility for your vehicle or other personal items. Please help by keeping your vehicle locked and valuables kept out of sight.

Student Name (Print) \_\_\_\_\_ Decal # \_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_