

MASSEY RANCH ARRIVAL/DISMISSAL QUICK TIPS SHEET

BACK TO SCHOOL PROCEDURES



FIRST THREE DAYS OF SCHOOL

Parents may walk with their children into the building for the first three days of school (August 15, 16, 17). On the first day (Tuesday, August 15) parents may escort children to their classrooms from 7:15 to 7:55. On the second and third days (Wednesday, August 16 and Thursday, August 17), parents may escort children to the gym from 7:15 to 7:30. Parents may walk students to their grade-level hallways from 7:30 to 7:55.

Beginning August 18

Beginning Friday, August 18, students will follow daily procedures independently. We will have staff available to assist them, as needed. Teachers will dismiss students as designated on the way home sheets. Throughout the year, if there is a change in the way your child will go home, please send the teacher a hard copy note (not email). If advance notice is not possible, phone calls advising the office of transportation changes must be called in no later than 2:30 p.m. Students may not be checked out between 2:45 and 3:15p.m.



CAR RIDER DROP-OFF

Students may be dropped off in the front of the building from 7:15 to 7:55 a.m. We have staff out front to assist with unloading and getting students safely into the school. We also have staff inside to assist with getting students to the right place and anything else they may need. Parents can expect car drop-off to take longer the first few days. The car rider line is single file during morning drop-off – please do not try to pass cars in line. The line moves efficiently once routines are established and takes approximately 3 to 5 minutes from entry to exit. After the first three days of school, parents must proceed through drop off line and may not park or walk children in to the building. This helps the line of cars flow smoothly and safely. After 7:55 a.m., however, parents must park and sign students in, as they are tardy.



AFTERNOON DISMISSAL PROCEDURES

Car riders are picked up in the front driveway. Please place the Massey Ranch Car Rider sign in the window of the driver's door that features your child's first and last name, as well as grade level. Staff on duty will load students safely into vehicles on the passenger side. Please remain inside your vehicle and remember that as in school zones, the car rider line is a cell free zone.

For the safety of our students, parents may not park on or near school property and walk up to the building to get students during dismissal.

Bus riders will be escorted to the buses by route number. Students must be registered to ride the bus home and may not ride any route other than the one they are assigned. For Pre-K and Kindergarten students riding the bus, an adult listed on the transportation emergency contact list must be at the bus stop upon arrival and provide the designated PIN number. If an adult is not present at the stop or does not know the PIN number, the child will be returned to the school.

Day care students will be escorted to the appropriate day care vehicle. Please notify your childcare provider when your child is picked up early or absent from school.

Walkers are escorted to the edge of school property to meet a parent/guardian. Parents must show the Massey Ranch Car Rider Sign for students to be dismissed from the line. Students are discouraged from crossing the highway. For the safety of students and staff, students will not be escorted across the highway.

BUS TRANSPORTATION



Transportation is provided free of charge to students who live two miles or more from their zoned campus, as measured by the nearest commonly traveled public road. Transportation is available for a fee to students who live within two miles of their zoned campus. Bus fees may be mailed to Transportation, P.O. Box 7 Pearland, TX 77588, or paid in person at the Transportation Department. **Questions about transportation? Call the Transportation Department at 281-485-3562.** Information regarding bus schedules and the location of the nearest bus stop can be located on the PISD Website @ www.pearlandisd.org/transportation. Go to bus schedules and then click on the link to type in your address.