

**Rules and Regulations for Student Drivers
2009-2010**

Junior and Senior students in good academic standing who wish to drive to school must apply and be granted a parking permit from the Assistant Principal. Approved students will be charged a \$25.00 non-refundable fee to obtain a parking permit which must be properly displayed on their rearview mirror and is visible when parked on school property. Students must register their vehicle by filling out the request for driving /parking privileges attached to these stipulations.

Upon arrival to school, students are to leave their cars and enter the building. Loitering in the parking lot may result in the loss of driving privileges. The driver is responsible for the car, its contents and its occupants.

NOTE:

All automobiles parked on school property are subject to search by administration at any time. There is no reasonable expectation of privacy regarding vehicles while parked on school property.

Brandywine Heights School District reserves the right to enforce the Pennsylvania Motor Code in conjunction with local law enforcement agencies. Brandywine Heights School District reserves the right to immediately suspend driving privileges with just cause.

1. Parking is assigned by lot. **Seniors** are assigned to **lots 4 & 5** and **underclass** students to **lots 1 & 2**. **Lot 3 is for staff only.** ***No student parking will be allowed at anytime in the back lot behind the school near the tennis courts, baseball field, and storage area.***

2. The **speed limit** on school property is **15 MPH** at anytime of the day. Students, who speed, drive recklessly, go the wrong way, vandalize vehicles, or interfere with the arrival and departure of the buses and use the bus route to exit the parking areas, will have their driving privileges removed in addition to disciplinary actions.

3. *Students who are **chronically tardy (3 unexcused)** to school, **leave school without permission**, or **abuse the driving/parking regulations** will have their driving privileges removed in addition to disciplinary actions.*

4. *Students who accumulate **three or more illegal absences during the school year** will lose their parking privileges. Students who **leave campus without parent/school permission** will also lose their parking privileges.*

5. Students are not permitted to use their vehicle or enter their vehicle during school hours without written permission from their parents and school administration.

6. BCTC, Co-Op, and Career students must register their cars and also indicate departure time on their application.

7. Students driving to school without permission risk school consequences and /or towing of their vehicle.

8. Students failing to meet the deadline noted for this application will be assigned a school detention.

Warnings are a courtesy and not required.