



## PARKING

Parking passes are provided to grade 12 students for the use of assigned student parking stalls on the MBSS property. Grade 12 parking passes provide access to the student parking area near the gymnasium as well as the parking stalls adjacent to the sports field. There is no fee for a parking pass, but students must register their vehicles with our school and obtain an official student parking pass. Vehicles not displaying a valid parking pass on their mirror and/or not parked in a designated area will have their vehicle fitted with a wheel lock and will need to report to the office to have it removed. Consequences for defiance will escalate if the student continues to park inappropriately. The vehicle could be towed at the owner's expense. Please note that all unpaid fees and textbooks must be cleared before you may receive a parking pass.

Grade 10/11 students can park in the City of West Kelowna gravel lot near the arena. Students parking in the City of West Kelowna gravel lot will not require a parking pass.

Students using all assigned parking areas must adhere to the conditions outlined in the MBSS parking policy and the parking regulations outlined in the City of West Kelowna bylaws.

Parking at Mount Boucherie Secondary School and the City of West Kelowna is a privilege. Parking is done at your own risk. MBSS, School District #23 and the City of West Kelowna are not responsible for damage done to vehicles. In order to apply for a parking permit, you must agree to the terms of this application. Parking privileges may be withdrawn for the following offenses and the student may also receive disciplinary action, whether they occur in the MBSS or City of West Kelowna parking lots:

- Parking in spots not designated for students
- Duplication or forging of parking passes
- Any dangerous behaviour by driver or passenger
- Driving in a manner that is unsafe or reckless
- Playing loud music that may disrupt the learning environment (this includes before and after school)
- Inappropriate items displayed in or on vehicle
- Not abiding the school's Code of Conduct for behaviour, both in and around the vehicle (Using a car other than the one listed on the parking form)
- Hanging out in car during school hours, including breaks and lunch
- Smoking or vaping during school hours, including breaks and lunch
- Other behaviour deemed inappropriate by administration

Signs are clearly posted for student and staff parking. Only park in the spots designated for students.

Parking is first-come first-serve. If the designated student parking spots are full, students may park on East Boundary Road. Having a parking pass is not a guarantee that you will have a parking spot.

On occasion, vehicles will be fitted with a wheel immobilizer and could be towed due to parking violations. Wheel Immobilization or towing can occur without warning and are at the cost of the registered owner. The two most common reasons for these interventions are vehicles are:

- The vehicle did not clearly display a valid parking pass hanging on mirror.
- The vehicle was parked in a spot not designated for students (this includes the staff parking spots, visitor spaces, loading zones, fire lanes, & bus lanes)

If a vehicle is fitted with an immobilizer the student will come in the office after school to have it removed and should expect that they will need an appointment with school admin before the lock is removed. The consequences will escalate if the defiance is repeated. The school, School District, and City of West Kelowna bear no responsibility should damage occur during the towing process or while the vehicle is in storage at the towing yard.