

# Parking, Pick Up & Drop off

River Valley School  
Elementary Campus, 3127 Bowwood Dr NW

## Welcome to the ABC's of safe parking, and student pick up & drop off at RVS.

At Pick Up and Drop Off times, both campuses handle large volumes of traffic within short periods of time. It can be chaotic and requires everyone's cooperation.

We have many cars and people to move in a small space. Please have patience and model courtesy in the parking lot! You will find that things move quickly and smoothly when we all cooperate, and most importantly, we will all be safer!

Student safety is always a concern for school staff, but keeping children safe in the parking lot requires the cooperation of everyone - from school staff to drivers and the students themselves.

### Rules to Park by:

- OBEY all traffic rules, speed limits and parking signs.
- OBEY and BE RESPECTFUL to all traffic attendants.
- DO NOT block street traffic, driveways or parking spaces.
- DRIVE SLOWLY! Parking lot speed limits are 10 km/hr, school zone speed limits are 30 km/hr, and residential speed limits are 50 km/hr.
- BE AWARE of the pedestrians, both big and small!
- DO NOT allow children to play in the parking lot.
- BE A GOOD PEDESTRIAN and watch for traffic.
- BE CALM AND PATIENT when others forget good etiquette, remember that little people are watching, listening and learning from you!
- BE RESPECTFUL of our neighbours and community members!

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DO

Obey all traffic rules and speed limits - for everyone's safety!

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DO NOT

Park in or block access to our neighbour's parking spaces or the road!

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DO

Be courteous and respectful to other drivers, RVS staff & our neighbours!

## FASTEST AND EASIEST PICK UP OPTION?

Park on the neighbouring streets, walk in and pick your child up from the NEW Supervised Walk-In Pick Up Area at the front of the school!

Take advantage of the pedestrian lights crossing Bowness Road and enjoy a short, relaxed walk to RVS!

*Aggressive and Abusive Behaviour towards staff, community residents, parents and students will NOT be tolerated in the parking lot at any time.*

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Questions about RVS parking procedures?  
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Or contact us at  
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or come on in to ask!