

IMPORTANT SAFETY MESSAGE

Dear Parents:

The safety of the students of Oakcrest Elementary is one of our greatest concerns. *We need your help to ensure the safety of students as they are dropped off at school in the morning and picked up in the afternoon.* **Please review the following procedures with ALL drivers in your family who drop off or pick up students.**
AUTHORIZED DROP-OFF AREAS (Please see Diagram on back)

- Use drop off lane on the front side of the school (Lane next to the curb)
- Pull all the way forward when dropping off students.
- Park in the parking lot when leaving your vehicle. Parents may park and WALK their child(ren) across at the marked crosswalk ONLY.
- Do not stop or park in the parking lot, except in a parking stall.

UNAUTHORIZED DROP-OFF/PICK-UP AREAS

- Drivers must NEVER exit their vehicles while occupying the pull-through lane.
- Students may NOT be dropped off or picked up in the Bus Lane on the Southwest side of the school.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- Car pool, if possible
- Arrive early
- Be patient – the safety of students is the most important!
- Pull forward to keep traffic moving
- Be cooperative and understanding
- Use designated drop-off/pick-up areas
- Be considerate and drop students off in a timely manner
- Make sure students are prepared (shoes on, backpack ready, breakfast finished) before you pull up to the drop-off area