

## Pearl River School District

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> Michael J. Murphy Principal

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

I am writing to you regarding your continued assistance regarding safety at the high school.

The high school loop at the flag pole main entrance between 7:45 a.m. and 2:42 p.m. is an emergency vehicle zone not to be used for temporary parking or item drop off. Effective tomorrow, this area will be coned off after morning drop-off at 7:45 AM until the end of the school day. Visitors to the school will be asked to park in designated visitor parking spaces in the flagpole parking area. Also, limiting the traffic flow through this area decreases distractions in the classrooms along our science wing where classes are ongoing every period of the school day. Students being brought to school during the course of the school day can be dropped off at the end of the sidewalk.

Likewise, in the Central Ave administration parking area, we ask that you not park along the curb between 7:45 a.m. and 2:42 p.m. when needing to drop off items for your children, but rather, please park in the designated visitor parking spaces. The curb is for emergency services.

We encourage students to bring in items they will need for school and sports during morning arrival. Understanding that we all are forgetful at times, or that our bags may be overly full some mornings and may need occasional assistance from your parents or guardian, we thank you for your understanding and cooperation with this process.

Sincerely,

Michael J. Murphy