



ARRIVAL & DISMISSAL PROCEDURES

A HUGE thank you in advance to all of our parents for your patience and cooperation at this hectic time of year. It is every parent's responsibility to insure that his/her child arrives at school on time everyday. The first bell rings at 7:50 a.m. Students enter classrooms at 7:50 a.m. to prepare for class at 8:00. Classes start at 8:00 a.m. daily. Your child will be marked tardy after the second bell if they are not in class and it will be reflected on their report card. Please help us by having your child at school on time.



BUSES ONLY DROP OFF AREA

The front driveway on the West side of the school facing 172nd Avenue has been designated by the Broward County School's Safety Department and the Traffic Department **for school bus and day care van student drop off ONLY**. We have special permission for some of our A-Team students to be dropped off here. On rainy days arrival procedures remain the same and car riders must go to the East side of the school.

Parents are **NOT** to drop off children in the middle of the parking lot or out on the swale areas near the street. If you must come into the school for some reason, you are to park and walk your child in at the appropriate cross walk. These rules are enforced to protect every child's safety. *In addition, the Pembroke Pines Police have informed us, they will begin enforcing jaywalking laws.*



PARENT DROP OFF & PICK UP

The **East Side** of the school has been designated for parent drop off and pick up of students. Please follow the signs and stay all the way to the right, next to the curb. Please hang the Panther Run Car Name tag with your child(ren)'s name from your rear view mirror. This assists us in getting the children loaded quickly.

Trained staff will announce students' names and supervise the students getting into their car as quickly and safely as possible.

Parents are not to get out of their cars or park in this area. This is a continuous flow of traffic line. Staff will be available to load and unload students. Remember to be patient and courteous. We all share the same goal of having every child arrive safe to school. Allow plenty of time to drop off and pick up your child. Car Pools are highly recommended, as well as walking and biking.

School personnel are assigned to all student areas to supervise students during arrival and dismissal. Please respect their dedication and hard work in moving the traffic along as quickly as possible. **Stay in your car. Do not get out and wave for your child to come to you. This is extremely dangerous!**

Please do not cut through the car line with students during arrival/dismissal. This is a serious safety hazard and children are NOT permitted to cut in front of cars. Please teach the children to walk around the perimeter of the parking lot, staying on the sidewalk and to properly utilize cross walks. Remember, children learn from us as role models.

****** REMINDER, PLEASE PULL ALL THE WAY FORWARD IN THE CAR LINE DURING ARRIVAL AND DISMISSAL. THIS PERMITS MORE CARS TO UNLOAD & LOAD AT ONE TIME. PLEASE DO NOT STOP IN FRONT OF THE MAIN ENTRANCE WHEN THERE IS ROOM TO PULL FORWARD. THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION AND ASSISTANCE WITH MAKING ARRIVAL AND DISMISSAL SMOOTHER AND SAFER FOR OUR CHILDREN.**

REMEMBER: There is NO supervision before 7:30 a.m. unless the child is enrolled in Before School Care.

Remember to send a note if your child's dismissal plans will be changed. This is extremely important!



Crossing Guard Hours: 7:00 – 8:00 a.m. and 1:30 – 2:30 p.m.