#### **Useful Contacts**

#### **City of Stirling**

Report damaged parking control signs and request parking patrols. stirling@stirling.wa.gov.au (08) 9205 8555

#### **TransPerth**

Use the Journey Planner to plan your best journey using the bus, train and ferry. www.transperth.wa.gov.au 136 213

#### TravelSmart to School

A series of programs to help parents and students choose healthy and active ways to get to school instead of travelling by car.

www.transport.wa.gov.au (08) 6551 6600

# **School Drug Education and Road Aware (SDERA)**

Support for school staff when planning and implementing road safety initiatives.

www.det.wa.edu.au/sdera (08) 9402 6415

#### **School Road Crossing section**

Traffic Warden requests, coordination and training. www.police.wa.gov.au (08) 6274 8767

#### **Main Roads**

Report school zone and regulatory sign damage. www.mainroads.wa.gov.au 138 138



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#### **School parking**

Unlawful parking in school areas is a major safety hazard that poses a risk to children, pedestrians, and other road users.

#### It is an offence to stop or park a vehicle:

- · in No Stopping or No Parking areas
- · so that it obstructs a footpath
- · on a verge without the owner's consent
- facing the wrong way
- so that it is double parked
- within 3 metres of a continuous dividing line or median strip
- within 10 metres of an intersection/corner (without traffic control signals)
- in a manner that blocks a driveway
- · on a median strip or traffic island
- so that any portion is within a bus zone

Please be aware that infringements may be issued for these offences.

## How can parents help?

- Walk or cycle to school when dropping off or collecting children
- Park nearby and walk a short distance to the school
- Plan your trip so you arrive on the school side of the road
- Avoid leaving your vehicle for long periods
- Adhere to signage at all times
- Form a School Road Safety committee (contact the school principal and/or the Parents and Citizens Association)
- · Use public transport
- Slow down around schools and be aware.



# How can schools help?

- Educate students about parking procedures around the school
- Encourage children to educate their parents and carers on safe school parking
- Establish a supervised Kiss-and-Drive facility or traffic policy, which can be published for the reference of all parents, carers, teachers and students
- Notify parents of any problems via school newsletters and at assemblies.

## **No Stopping areas**

No Stopping areas can be defined by signage or a continuous yellow line painted along the edge of a road. A driver is not permitted to stop on a length of road or in an area to where no stopping restrictions apply. Vehicles may only stop in these zones to comply with other regulations (for example at traffic lights or to avoid



an accident). Drivers are not permitted to drop off passengers or goods in "No Stopping" areas.

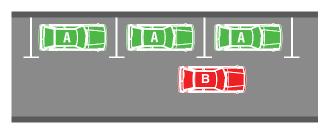
## We can help!

The City of Stirling officers conduct regular school parking patrols during school times and are happy to help with any parking concerns your school may have. We can attend your school to remind parents about safe parking and follow up with enforcement action if required.



## **Double parking**

A driver must not stop a vehicle so that any portion of the vehicle is between any other stopped vehicle and the centre of the road.



# Parking DOs and DON'Ts

#### Dos

- Be aware
- Be courteous
- Be responsible
- Use the Kiss-and-Drive facility (if provided)
- Observe and adhere to all regulatory signage
- Slow down around schools and drive safely.

#### Don'ts

- · Block driveways
- Park on footpaths
- Park in Bus Zones
- Obstruct children's crossings
- Park on a verge without consent
- Double park.