

SEACOAST SCHOOL OF TECHNOLOGY
DRIVING POLICY

All sending school districts provide bus transportation for their students to the Seacoast School of Technology.

Students are permitted to bring private vehicles to SST under the following circumstances:

1. The student and parent must sign a Vehicle Consent and Release Form.
2. The student must be in good standing in the areas of attendance and classroom performance.
3. The student must obtain an SST parking permit.
4. The student must provide verification of a valid driver's license from the State of New Hampshire appropriate for the vehicle to be used.
5. The vehicle to be used must be equipped with a current New Hampshire motor vehicle registration and vehicle inspection sticker.
6. All vehicles must have insurance and fulfill the NH S.R. Financial Responsibility Law.
7. **The student cannot transport other passengers in the vehicle, unless it is a sibling.**
8. The student must travel directly to and from SST and the sending school.
9. **The student must park the vehicle in student parking areas only and display the SST parking permit on the lower front window on the passenger side. Vehicles improperly parked will be towed at the student/parent's expense.**
10. Vehicles are subject to search by school authorities.
11. The student must give pedestrians and buses the right of way.
12. The student must wear a seat belt.
13. All state laws and town ordinances apply when students are driving on the school campus, which includes the former Annex property. State law prohibits passing a school bus with flashing red lights on or off school property. The student must at all times comply with all traffic regulations.
14. The campus speed limit is 10 miles per hour. The student shall not drive in a careless or reckless manner.
15. The student is responsible for any damage or injury caused by the student. SST assumes no responsibility for any damage to or theft of a student vehicle or any belongings therein. The student, parent and owner of the vehicle acknowledge that if the student is involved in an accident, the liability insurance policy for the vehicle provides the primary insurance coverage on the vehicle and its occupants.
16. The student must report to the SST principal any suspensions of the student's license or change in insurance status which occur.
17. All students who have an SST driving/parking permit must be in class on time. When a student driver reaches their 4th tardy in one quarter, they will have disciplinary actions which may include detention, in-school suspension, or loss of parking privilege.
18. Should a student lose his/her parking privileges due to disciplinary actions, the student must remove the SST parking permit from his/her front window and turn it in to the SST front office on the day of the offense. With permission, he/she may resubmit an application for a parking permit. The student will be required to pay for a new permit after the specified revocation time period has been served.
19. **Any student who violates this Policy will be subject to discipline which includes, but is not limited to, revocation of parking privileges, suspension or expulsion from school.**

Seacoast School of Technology
Parking Regulations 2019/2020

1. Parking at the Seacoast School of Technology is a privilege not a right.
2. **Any student driver who hits, bumps or scrapes another vehicle or person in the parking lot must report it immediately to the SST front office. Any student who witnesses a vehicle that hits, bumps or scrapes another vehicle or person must report it immediately to the SST front office.**
3. To be eligible to purchase a parking permit a student must:
 - a. Have a parking permit at their sending school
 - b. Be in good standing at their sending school and at the Seacoast School of Technology (no serious disciplinary issues)
 - c. Have a reason to drive to the Seacoast School of Technology
 - d. Have no outstanding obligations to the Seacoast School of Technology (lost or damaged books, missing equipment, etc.)
4. Students may obtain a parking permit for \$10 by completing an application form.
5. Only one vehicle can be registered to a student. The permit cannot be transferred. To register a vehicle, a student must:
 - a. Show a valid NH driver's license
 - b. Show a current registration for the vehicle, which clearly shows the vehicle is owned by the student or parent/guardian
 - c. Present a completed SST Vehicle Consent and Release Form signed by parent/guardian
 - d. Present proof of insurance
6. All vehicles must display a valid SST parking permit on the lower front window on the passenger side. Stickers must be adhered to window to be valid.
7. The Seacoast School of Technology will not be held liable for any theft of property, vandalism or damage incurred to any vehicle or contents while parked in or removed from school property.
8. **Students cannot transport other passengers in their vehicles.**
9. Students are not permitted in cars or to congregate in the parking lot before school or during school hours.
10. Any student who abuses the privilege of parking in the SST lot may lose that privilege for the remainder of the year.
11. Courteous, safe and responsible driving rules apply at all times at SST and in the vicinity of SST. Driving recklessly will result in a loss of driving privileges.
12. All vehicles are subject to search at any time.
13. Students should report any lost or stolen parking permits to the SST office.
14. The bus-loading zone is closed to traffic during loading and unloading. It is illegal to pass a stopped bus that is displaying its lights or extended stop sign. Bus drivers will report offender to the Exeter Police Department.
15. Students should refer to the Student/Parent Handbook for information on obtaining a one-day parking permit.
16. Vehicles found in violation of the provisions of these regulations may be towed from school grounds at the "registered owner's" risk and expense. The "registered owner" of the vehicle will be liable for the cost of such removal and storage. Damage to towed vehicles will be the responsibility of the vehicle owner.

SST VEHICLE CONSENT AND RELEASE FORM

I/We am/are the parent(s) or guardian(s) of _____, a minor who wishes to drive a private vehicle to and from _____, the sending school district, to the Seacoast School of Technology (SST).

I/We acknowledge that I/we have been fully informed that my/our child has the right to transportation from the sending school district. I/We am/are voluntarily waiving that right to transportation and have voluntarily chosen to allow my/our child to drive to and from his/her sending school to SST.

In consideration of permission being granted to my/our child to drive to and from SST in a private vehicle, I/we release and hold harmless SST, the Exeter Region Cooperative School District, the sending school district, their agents, employees, and officers from any and all actions or causes of action of any nature for personal injury or property damage of any kind arising in any way from my/our child's driving to and from his/her sending school to SST. I/We further acknowledge that this Release is binding upon my/our heirs, successors and assigns; that I/we have read the foregoing and understand its significance and that I/we have executed this document voluntarily.

I/We acknowledge and certify that I/we have read SST's Driving Policy. I/We are in compliance with the Policy and agree to abide by the Policy.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I/we and my/our child have signed this document on the _____ day of _____, 2019/2020 (circle one).

Parent(s) or Guardian(s)

Student NH Driver's License No.

Address

Insurance Company, Policy # (attach copy)

Telephone Number

Sending School Administrator Approval

Student

SST Principal Approval

Vehicle Plate No.

Vehicle Make, Model, Color

Instructions: 1. Please read the entire form. If there is anything about this form or the described activity that you do not understand, do not sign this form until you are satisfied you have obtained a complete explanation. 2. Fill in all blanks.

4/25/2019

Seacoast School of Technology

Parking Permit Application

2019/2020

Please clearly print all requested information.

Student's Name:

_____	_____	_____
Last	First	Middle

<input type="checkbox"/> AM
<input type="checkbox"/> MID
<input type="checkbox"/> PM

Program: _____

Vehicle information:

Make: _____	Model: _____	Year: _____
Color: _____	Plate # _____	State: _____
Registered to _____		
Relationship (check one): <input type="checkbox"/> self <input type="checkbox"/> parent/guardian <input type="checkbox"/> other(permission required)		

I have read the Parking Regulations for 2019-2020. I understand them and agree to abide by them.

Student signature: _____ date _____

Parent signature: _____ date _____

OFFICE USE ONLY

session & program verified

Payment: check # _____

cash

sending school approval

Permit # _____

registration verified

Date _____

valid driver's license

Approval _____

signatures