APPLIED TECHNOLOGY CENTER (ATC) - DRIVING RULE

Free bus transportation is provided to and from the ATC and each student's assigned school. School officials encourage and recommend that all students use District provided bus transportation to and from the ATC. In the event a parent/guardian chooses to opt out of District transportation, the Board of Trustees has approved the use of private vehicles and adopted a set of rules governing the use of private vehicles for student transportation. Any violation of the rules may result in the temporary or permanent loss of these privileges.

- 1. Only Rock Hill High School and South Pointe High School students with sophomore status or above may receive parking stickers for the ATC.
- 2. Student drivers are <u>not</u> permitted to transport passengers to and from ATC, with the exception of siblings living in the same household.
- 3. Each student driving to the ATC must register his/ her car. Driving registration forms may be obtained in ATC "A" office or from the student's teacher. The form must be completed and signed by the student along with the student's parent. All Driving Registration forms must be turned in to "A" office at ATC along with the student's RHHS or SPHS hangtags.

PARKING PERMITS will be issued by the office and displayed on vehicle windshield at all times while on the ATC campus.

- 4. Students shall exit their vehicles immediately after arrival and park in the designated area. Loitering inside vehicles and the student parking lot is strictly prohibited.
- 5. Students are not permitted to return to their vehicles during class or during class change without consent of their assigned teacher and administrator.
- **6.** Only the student to whom the sticker is issued may use the sticker. Parking permits are not transferable.
- 7. Vehicles without a properly displayed and valid sticker are subject to towing at the expense of the vehicle's owner.
- 8. Students shall not ride in the bed of trucks or on the exterior of any vehicle
- 9. Students must abide by all State highway laws.
- **10.** Pedestrians shall always be given the right-of-way while driving on campus.
- **11.** Students must demonstrate safe, responsible driving when arriving and leaving the school. Campus speed limit is 5 mph.
- **12.** All trash shall be disposed of in the proper receptacles. Not in the student parking lot.
- **13**. Designated parking is available for vehicles with a handicap tag or license tag. Vehicles parked in these areas shall exhibit the proper hang-tag.
- **14.** Students are **ONLY** permitted to park in the student parking lot. Parking anywhere else may result in the car being towed at the owner's expense.
- **15.** Drivers are advised to secure vehicles and secure items inside.

Riding or driving to school in a private vehicle is a privilege. Violation of any rule above or of any other school rule or regulation (i.e., cutting school, excessive tardiness) by students may result in temporary or permanent loss of driving/riding privileges.

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