

# SACRED HEART ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

## RULES FOR DISMISSAL

Thank you for your cooperation. By working together we can keep our children safe. - Vicki Flanagan, Principal

### Rules for Walkers:

- There will not be a “walker” option at this time. If your family lives in the neighborhood and your child walks from your home to school, please contact the elementary principal at [vflanagan@shshattiesburg.com](mailto:vflanagan@shshattiesburg.com)

### Rules for Carpool:

- Prominently place family sign on passenger visor pulled down for easy identification
- For the safety of our teachers and the children, cell phone use is prohibited in the carpool line. Violation of this policy may result in that driver no longer being able to use carpool.
- Do not get out of your car at any time. It stalls the flow of the carpool lines. Teachers are on duty to assist with seatbelts, backpacks, projects, etc.
- Do not start conversations with the teachers. Schedule a virtual conference with your child’s teacher.
- Please be courteous to the teachers on duty. They are trying to run dismissal smoothly and as safe as possible.

There are two carpool lines that begin at 2:55...

### Walnut Street Carpool:

For those students whose last name begins A-J, they will be picked up on Walnut St. in front of the gym.

- Please wait your turn. Walnut carpool begins across Southern Avenue on Walnut St. near Hall Ave. Do not turn from Southern Ave. onto Walnut St. You are cutting in line. We teach your children to be patient and take turns. Let’s teach by example.
- Do not block the driveways of our neighbors on Walnut St. That was a real issue last year.
- Parents pull up, load up the children & pull off as a group when instructed by the crossing guard to do so.
- Do not make a U-turn out of the carline. It is an illegal turn.
- Communicate with the front office if you carpool with another family to ensure your child reports to the correct carline.

### Southern Avenue Carpool:

For those students whose last name begins K-Z, they will be picked up on Southern Ave., parallel to the black gates out in front of the school.

- Please wait your turn. Do not come up Southern Ave. as this carpool line begins on Court St. and turns onto Southern Ave. You are cutting in line. We teach your children to be patient and take turns. Let’s teach by example.
- Do not block the driveways of our neighbors on Court St. That was a real issue last year.
- Parents pull up, load up the children & pull off as a group when instructed by the crossing guard to do so.
- Do not make a U-turn out of the carline. It is an illegal turn.
- Communicate with the front office if you carpool with another family to ensure your child reports to the correct carline.