**Ringgold High School**

**General Parking and Traffic Rules**

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* All drivers must observe the 15 MPH speed limit, traffic signs, and any other traffic control device.
* All faculty, staff and students must have a current and registered parking permit displayed (permit number facing outward); registered vehicles must have valid insurance, and driver must have a valid license. Permits are non-transferable without official school consent.
* Student permit registration cost is $25 per year. Replacement cost is $5. Lost or stolen permits must be reported immediately. Use of a stolen permit can result in loss of driving privileges.
* Any driver parking in a “Designated Handicapped” parking space must have current state issued permit visible.
* Permit holder is responsible for the safe operation of the vehicle and proper parking of the vehicle regardless of who the operator may be.
* Students are to park ONLY in approved **student parking areas** located in the front of the school, parking lots along Tiger Trail, and behind the band room.
* Neither Ringgold High School nor any of its employees assume responsibility of liability of loss of, theft, or damage to vehicles parked on school property.
* Students **must have permission from an administrator or the front office** to go to their vehicle any time during the school day **including** lunch.
* Vehicles should not be left on campus overnight if at all possible and without permission from an administrator.
* **School administration has the right to search any vehicle parked on campus at any time.**
* The principal or school resource officer of Ringgold High School has the authority to issue school traffic and parking citations and can appoint any member of the staff/faculty to issue these citations.
* If fines are paid within five school days, the fine will be reduced by half. All fines are to be paid to the school bookkeeper.

**Fines for school traffic and parking citations:**

Failure to display parking permit $10.00

Parking in reserved spaces $20.00

Improperly parked $10.00

Parking in unauthorized area $10.00

Speeding $20.00

Reckless Driving $30.00

Parking in handicapped space $30.00

**By signing this contract, I agree to the terms and conditions previously stated. I agree to follow all rules and regulations set forth by Ringgold High School and uniform traffic laws of the state of Georgia.**

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**Signature Date**

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**Print Name Legibly Permit Number**