

Dear Dailey Charter Parents and Families,

Traffic at school in the morning and at dismissal times can be dangerous. As a result of an on-going commitment to provide safety for your child, Dailey Charter will be implementing a Student Valet Program **beginning Monday, August 27th**. We are excited to be able to offer a program where both our students and community can benefit in terms of safety and character building skills.

Student Valets will be present each morning to assist with a smooth morning drop-off for the front of school. Student Valets will wave you forward into the loading zone and assist with opening and closing doors. The loading zone in front of the school is for quick loading and unloading of students only. Please do not park in this area at any time during the hours of 7:00-8:00 a.m.

When using our morning Student Valet service, please:

1. Have students and backpacks ready **before** entering the “Valet Only” loading zone.
2. **Pull as far forward** as possible next to the curb.
3. Come to a complete stop as close to the car in front of you as possible.
4. **DO NOT** park or get out of your car.
5. Make eye contact with the student valet.
6. Student valets are to open and close the car door(s).
7. Students **MUST** exit on the passenger side of the car **ONLY**. (Curbside.)
8. Student valets may assist with backpacks as the students exit the passenger side doors. If your car requires assistance from the trunk or back, valets will not assist due to safety reasons.
9. **Drive slowly** through the loading zone following the car in front of you and proceed straight down Harrison Avenue. **DO NOT** attempt to U-turn.
10. Students may **never** be dropped off along Shields Avenue or before the loading zone.
11. Parents who would like to park may still do so past the loading zone on the other side of the crosswalk. Parents choosing to park may not enter the loading zone, but should park either across the street or farther down Harrison Avenue. Please do not park in or block residential driveways. Students and parents **MUST** use the crosswalks at either Shields Avenue or Simpson Avenue.



DOUBLE PARKING IS NEVER PERMISSABLE – DOUBLE PARKING IS ILLEGAL

(This **includes** waiting or having students exit your car while double parked in your car.)

At dismissal time, instruct your child to meet you at the car immediately once you are safely parked next to a curb. Adults in the loading zone should remain in their vehicles at all times. Exit the loading zone as soon as possible so that other parents can pick up and drop off their children. **Students will not be released to parents who have double parked.**

Please be respectful of other people’s property by not parking in driveways or office parking lots. Also, help us keep the community clean by disposing of trash in garbage bins.

Occasionally, you will see the presence of Fresno Police officers. Tickets for double parking are **very** expensive. They are there to help us with a smooth facilitation of the loading zone and Student Valet program. Please remember, **SAFETY FIRST!** Thank you for your continued support of our outstanding school.

To guarantee safe access to school for our students, we are asking for parents to assist us with arrival or dismissal.

I am interested in volunteering as a parent to assist in arrival / dismissal at Dailey Elementary Charter.

Name _____ Please feel free to contact me at: (_____)_____