

# Traffic Safety

PORTOLA ELEMENTARY



Dear Parents,

Traffic and campus safety have been a topic of conversation with our staff, parent committees and individual parents. We all have to be conscious and intentional when it comes to making safety a priority. **Please make a commitment to yourselves and our children, to emphasize and model safety at all times.**

## These are updates/reminders for traffic safety:

- Please use the pick/drop off zone for the intended purpose.
- In both parking lots, please only park in the designated stalls. In the *Partridge parking lot, some parents have been parking on the curb* closest to the Kindergarten classrooms. In the Eagle parking lot, some parents have been utilizing staff designated stalls.
- Never block handicap parking, and only use the handicap stalls when you have a placard.

**Always follow all traffic laws around our school  
Campus and plan to arrive early.**

## The following are updates/reminders regarding our before school movement:

- Our outside supervision begins at 7:45 am.
- Breakfast is served in the cafeteria from 7:20 – 7:50 am daily. *Students that eat breakfast must eat inside.*

**Students and parents may sit down at the black tables in the outside eating area or stand by stars near library.**

- Students are not allowed to pass the stars in front of the office, nor the library gate and enter the classroom areas unless accompanied by a staff member or special pass provided by a teacher.

**All students must walk to class in an orderly manner-no pushing and shoving in the hallways.**

We appreciate your support in making Portola a safe school community. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact Principal Ruiz.

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