

FAQs

for Off-Campus Student Parking on Destiny Church Property

How many parking spaces are available for Daphne High School students at Destiny Church?

Destiny Church allows 50 parking spaces for Daphne High School students on a first-come-first-served basis.

What is the cost of the parking permit and is it refundable?

The parking permit costs \$62.50 (online) or \$62.00 if paid by check for the school year, and the fee is non-refundable, regardless of whether the student completes the year or uses the parking space.

In the past, I have parked for free. Why is there a fee?

We have tried several options to help DHS alleviate parking issues from not allowing student parking at the school's request to allowing students to park only in a few spaces. The school does not like off-campus parking because the administration has no jurisdiction (unless given permission by landowners) over off-campus student parking and activity. Since Destiny Church property adjoins DHS, students have conveniently parked on the church property without permission. Over the years, this has caused issues including drug use, inappropriate conduct and destruction of Destiny property that the church has had to replace or repair.

Can secondary vehicles be parked without a permit?

No, secondary vehicles are not allowed without a permit from Destiny Church. In case of an un drivable permitted vehicle, a temporary permit must be obtained through the Destiny Church office (251-239-5751) to prevent towing of an unpermitted vehicle.

How long is the parking permit valid?

Parking permits are valid for one school year (August-May) and need to be renewed for the upcoming year.

What are the required driving credentials for students to park at Destiny Church?

Students must have a valid Alabama driver's license, tag/registration, and proof of insurance at the time of the agreement. They are also required to maintain valid credentials throughout the agreement duration.

What are the designated parking hours for permitted students?

Parking spaces are reserved for permitted students only during the hours of 7:00 AM to 3:30 PM.

Can I use my permitted space for extracurricular events outside of school hours?

No. Destiny Church has events during the evenings and weekends and permitted student parking is not in effect outside of school hours.

What is the towing policy for vehicles parked without a permit?

Vehicles parked without the proper permit will be towed without warning at the vehicle owner's expense.

Are there any restrictions on prohibited substances within the parking premises?

Yes, illegal substances, including alcohol, vaping, and narcotics, are not allowed on the premises. Violators will have their parking privileges revoked and may be reported to the School and Daphne Police Department.

Can Destiny Church conduct searches of student vehicles?

Yes, Destiny Church allows Daphne High School and Daphne Police to conduct searches of student vehicles at any time.

Is overnight parking allowed in the parking lot?

No, cars must not be left overnight in the parking lot.

What happens if someone parks in my assigned spot?

Destiny Church is not responsible for unauthorized parking. Permitted students should contact the Church and provide their parking permit.

Under what circumstances can parking privileges be revoked?

Destiny Church reserves the right to revoke parking privileges if a student violates any portion of the agreement or breaks any Alabama law.

Is there surveillance in the parking area?

Yes, the entire property of Destiny Church is under 24-hour recorded surveillance, and footage may be shared with Daphne High School and/or Daphne Police Dept. for enforcement purposes.

What is the process for notifying about unavailability of parking or changes to the agreement?

In case of unavailability of parking due to unforeseen/emergency circumstances or changes to the agreement, Destiny Church will provide digital notice to Parent/Guardian and Student 7 days prior. Parent/Guardian's continued use after receiving the notice constitutes acceptance of the revised terms. Destiny Church is not liable for failed delivery due to inaccurate contact information.