



Prohibition signs

Parking prohibitions are imposed to regulate and modify parking patterns. Their main function is to ensure that potential conflicts between vehicles and pedestrians are eliminated.



No Stopping

You must not stop on a length of road to which a No Stopping sign applies.



No Parking

You may stop in a No Parking zone for a maximum of two minutes to drop off or pick up passengers. You must stay within 3 metres of your car at all times.



Parking Signs

Parking signs with specified time limits allow drivers to park their vehicles for a certain period of time.



Bus Zone

You must not stop or park in a bus zone. Parking in a bus zone puts lives at risk.

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Common offences around schools

On this occasion you have been deemed to be:

- ☒ Please be advised this is a caution for the above offence

	Nature of offence	Penalty
<input type="checkbox"/>	Parking contrary to signs or limitations	\$100
<input type="checkbox"/>	Parking against the flow of traffic	\$100
<input type="checkbox"/>	Causing obstruction	\$100
<input type="checkbox"/>	Double parking	\$100
<input type="checkbox"/>	Obstructing a driveway or other way of access	\$100
<input type="checkbox"/>	Parking within 10 metres of an intersection	\$100
<input type="checkbox"/>	Parking vehicle within 10 metres of departure side or within 20 metres of approach side of pedestrian, children's or rail crossing	\$100
<input type="checkbox"/>	Stopping contrary to a 'No Stopping' sign	\$100
<input type="checkbox"/>	Parking contrary to a 'No Parking' sign	\$100
<input type="checkbox"/>	Stopping near bus stop	\$100
<input type="checkbox"/>	Stopping on footpath, median strip or traffic island	\$100
<input type="checkbox"/>	Stopping on a verge - without consent	\$100
<input type="checkbox"/>	Parking or Stopping in Disabled Parking area	\$500
<input type="checkbox"/>	Stopping or parking on a yellow line	\$100

Please refer to the City of Gosnells *Parking Local Law 2012* for the full list of prescribed offences.

Safety around schools



School parking

In an effort to provide a safer environment for everyone, the City of Gosnells Ranger Services patrol school parking mornings and afternoons throughout the school term.

It is imperative that drivers are aware of the road rules and understand signage around schools to ensure the safety of children, road users and pedestrians. Unlawful parking in school areas is a major safety hazard and parking infringements may be issued for incorrect, unlawful or dangerous parking.

At the beginning of each school year, Rangers conduct educational patrols in school areas. During this period Rangers remind drivers of the need to park legally and safely and enforce the *Parking Local Law 2012* in a number of ways.

As part of this initiative, Rangers also work closely with the school community to promote safety around schools. Information leaflets are distributed to schools for inclusion in school newsletters, and advise parents of the parking requirements under the *Parking Local Law 2012*.



Common parking problems

- Parking in a **No Stopping** area
- Parking in a **No Parking** area
- Double parking
- Parking on a nature strip or verge without the owner's consent
- Parking so that the vehicle causes an obstruction
- Parking against the flow of traffic
- Stopping or parking on a footpath
- Stopping or parking at a bus stop

Be responsible

- Observe parking restrictions (read the signs)
- Be aware
- Use Kiss and Drive (if provided)
- Always be aware of children
- Walk or cycle to and from school
- Plan your trip so that you arrive earlier
- Stop on the school side so your child does not have to cross the road
- Use the crosswalk services at all times
- Use parent's parking bays (where provided)

What NOT to do

- Block driveways
- Park on footpaths
- Obstruct Children's Crossing
- Get frustrated
- Ignore speed limits around schools
- Ignore parking signs

If you need help or advice regarding parking contact Ranger Services during office hours on 9397 3000.

School zones

40km/hr school zones are in place around every school in the City of Gosnells. School zones operate from 7.30am to 9am and 2.30pm to 4pm.

Children warning signs and 40km/hr school zone speed signs are the responsibility of Main Roads WA.

Kiss and Drive

Kiss and Drive zones typically allow parents to pick up and drop off children adjacent to the main school entrance. Kiss your child, say goodbye, allow them out and drive away as soon as possible.

When using the designated Kiss and Drive zone around schools, never leave your car unattended.

Contact your local school to find out if a Kiss and Drive initiative is in place.

Continuous yellow line markings

You cannot stop or park anywhere along a single yellow line painted on the edge of the road. This restriction is in place 24 hours a day and attracts a \$100 penalty.

The City will use yellow lines instead of signage where placement of signs may be difficult, pose a hazard or affect the amenity of an area.