



From the

BULLIS *Head of School*

September 1, 2015

Dear Parents,

As we approach another exciting school year, we want to make sure that new and returning families are aware of our morning and afternoon carpool procedures. Minor adjustments have been made to make the carpools more efficient. They include the following:

- At the start of each school day, a police officer will be directing traffic at the main entrance of Bullis.
- A new one-way entrance to the senior lot was installed by the corner of the cafeteria, on the left as the road turns right towards North Hall. The one-way driveway is to be used by seniors during the day and visitors to our athletic events after school.
- For Middle School families, the drop-off and pick-up line on the Ring Road will be extended along the curb to the blue awning.

2015-16 Carpool Procedures

(Please refer to the maps included below when reviewing this information):

Lower School

Lower School drop-off and pick-up is on the Cross Road in front of South Hall.

Middle School

Middle School drop-off is on the Ring Road adjacent to South Hall. The drop-off area begins at the bottom of the hill by the blue awning.

Middle School pick-up is split:

- 6th and 7th grade pick-up will remain on the Ring Road in the same location as the drop off.
- 8th grade pick-up will take place on the Cross Road (where the Lower School pick-up occurs, after they depart).
- 8th grade parents will turn left as they enter the campus from Falls Road and

follow the road around Founders Hall and North Hall, turning right onto the Cross Road that runs between The Blair Center and South Hall. Pick-up will take place from the right lane along the curb.

Middle School parents and drivers who come to campus before 3:20 p.m. cause congestion for our Lower School and Upper School pick-up lines. **Please do not arrive any earlier than 3:20 p.m. to pick up Middle School students.**

Please note: If you have a Lower School student and a Middle School student, you can pick up both at 3:30 in the 8th Grade Middle School pick-up line (in front of Blair).

Upper School

Upper School drop-off and pick-up is located between the senior parking lot and the cafeteria. Parents are asked to park in the senior lot after 3:15p.m. when waiting for students.

Questions

What if I pick up children from more than one grade?

Always pick up your students at the location for your youngest rider. If that rider is in Lower School, the pick-up time is 3:30 p.m. (see below).

Where will my Lower School student go at 3:10 p.m. if his/her sibling or carpool-mate(s) in Middle School do not dismiss until 3:30?

Lower School students who ride with Middle School siblings or carpools will be held in their homeroom with a teacher until 3:30 p.m. At that time, a teacher will walk them out to their carpool pick-up area on the Cross Road in front of Blair.

What if I pick up both 6th and 8th grade children from Middle School?

If you drive Middle School students from different grades, you should pick up at the location for your youngest rider.

What can parents do to help the carpool procedure succeed for all of us?

We ask all Middle School parents to kindly heed our request and arrive no earlier than 3:20 p.m. for the 3:30 p.m. pick-up. In fact, if you delay your arrival to after 3:35 p.m. (if your schedule allows), your own pick-up experience will be significantly faster and easier. By then the carpool line has eased dramatically.

Please join me in thanking our hard-working Security and Facilities personnel who are out each day, in good weather or bad, to help facilitate a smooth

dismissal and ensure the safety of all of our children.

Should you have any questions, please contact our Director of Security David Buerger at 301-634-3606 or email him at david_buerger@bullis.org.

Best Regards,



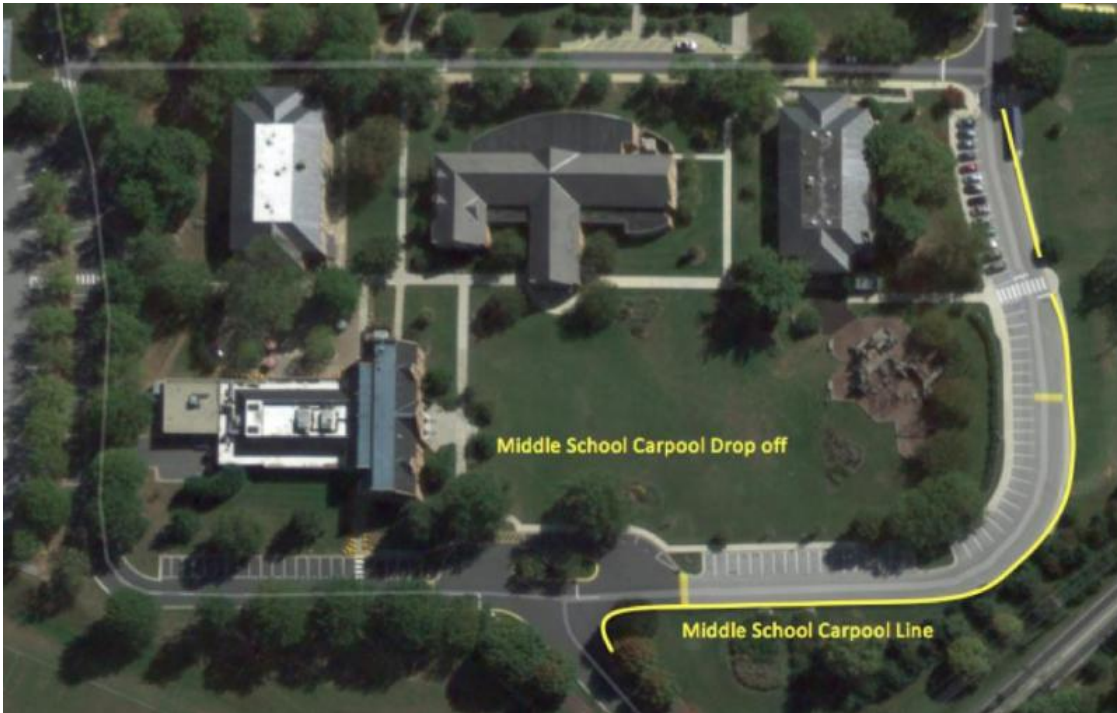
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CARPOOL MAPS

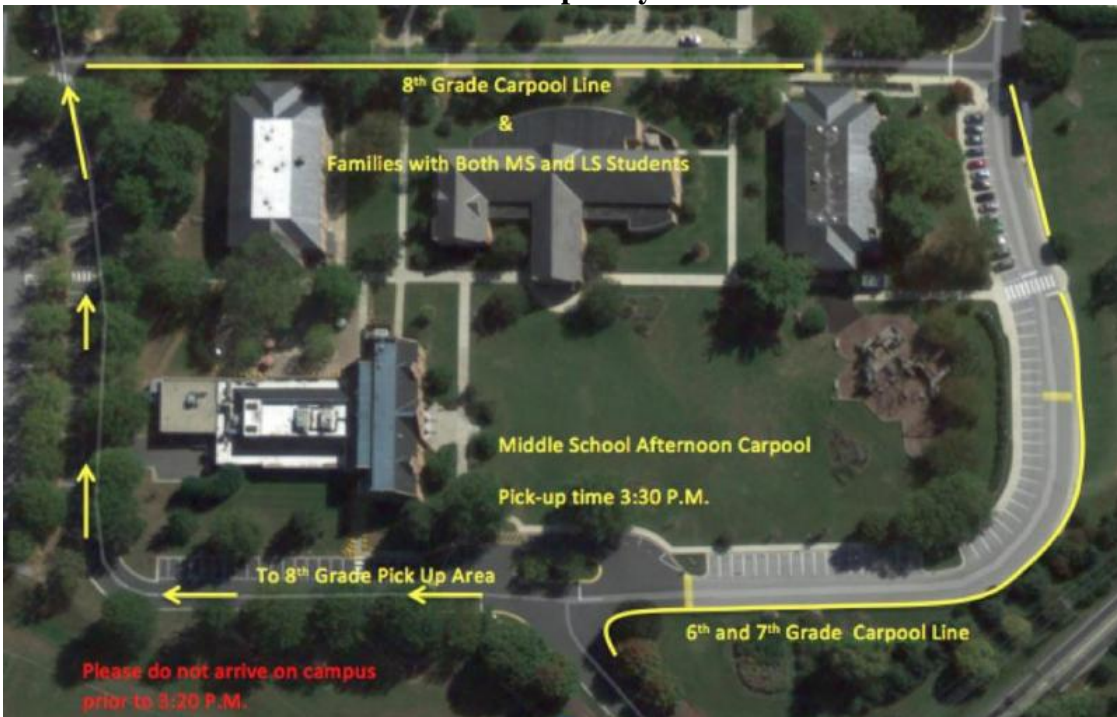
LOWER SCHOOL CARPOOL MAP Drop-off and Pick-up



MIDDLE SCHOOL CARPOOL MAP Drop-Off Only



MIDDLE SCHOOL CARPOOL MAP
Pick-up Only



UPPER SCHOOL CARPOOL MAP
Drop-off & Pick-up

