



Washington University in St. Louis

PARKING AND TRANSPORTATION SERVICES

PARKING HANDBOOK





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Please check the Parking and Transportation Services website—parking.wustl.edu—for the most current information and updates, or call **(314) 935-5601**.

We are pleased to welcome students, faculty, staff, and visitors to Washington University in St. Louis. Because parking is a limited resource at WashU, please observe all parking regulations on our campus to ensure our existing resources meet the parking needs and the safety of our community.

These regulations apply on the streets, roads, alleys, sidewalks, walkways, parking spaces, parking areas, and parking lots on all parts of the Washington University campuses. Penalties for violations include ticketing and fines, towing and revocation of parking privileges.

CONTACT INFORMATION

WashU Parking and Transportation Services

North Campus, 700 Rosedale Ave.

parking.wustl.edu

(314)935-5601

Email: parktrans@wustl.edu

WashU Parking and Transportation Dispatch Center

(314) 935-7412

Washington University Police Department

(314)935-5555

police.wustl.edu

WU Student Medical Escort Shuttle Service

(314)935-7777

Golfcart Escort System

(314)935-3648

American Automobile Association (AAA)

(314)862-8021

ourAAA.com

Metro

(314)231-2345

metrostlouis.org

Email: transitinformation@metrostlouis.org

Ridefinders

(800)847-7433

ridefinders.org

Clayton Police Department

(314)727-4130

ci.clayton.mo.us

University City Police Department

(314)727-2211

City of St. Louis Police Department

(314)231-1212

Firearms (concealed or otherwise) are prohibited on all university-owned property. Firearms may not be stowed in vehicles parked in university parking lots, garages, or metered spaces.

Washington University in St. Louis is located in an urban area and parking is limited. This handbook describes the regulations that are necessary for the safety and convenience of the entire university community to ensure maximum use of limited parking space.

Your cooperation is appreciated.

The mission of Washington University Parking and Transportation Services is to facilitate campus access for faculty, staff, students, and the community. Our goal is to serve the university community with fairness, courtesy, consistency, and efficiency.

We strive on a daily basis to provide:

- Well-maintained parking;
- Pleasant, courteous, and helpful customer service;
- Programs that support the university's sustainability goals;
- Enforcement to protect the rights and safety of permit holders and visitors;
- Safe, convenient, reliable alternate modes of transportation;
- Support for campus events; and
- Management of the information resources pertaining to parking facilities and transportation services.

The parking system at Washington University is designed to protect the parking privileges of permit holders and visitors. The parking regulations are intended to provide students, faculty, staff, and visitors with safe, secure, and convenient places to park. Although Washington University cannot guarantee the most convenient parking space will always be available, our community will be best served if all users of campus parking follow the guidelines listed in this handbook.

Any parking-related problems, questions, or suggestions should be referred to Parking and Transportation Services at (314) 935-5601 or by email to parktrans@wustl.edu.

Vehicle Registration

All faculty, staff, students, and long-term visitors who park vehicles on university property must [register their vehicles](#) with Parking and Transportation Services and display a parking permit at all times on campus. Commuters who use more than one vehicle must register each with Parking and Transportation Services and can then move a valid permit between each registered vehicle. A vehicle cannot have more than one permit registered at a time nor can an individual have more than one permit at a time. Registration can be accomplished through our website, by mail, by phone, or at the Parking and Transportation Services office at North Campus.

Keep in mind:

- The person to whom a vehicle is registered will be held fully responsible for all violations assigned to that vehicle. When a registrant disposes of or sells a vehicle, the permit should be removed and Parking and Transportation Services should be notified to ensure the registrant will not be held responsible for tickets the vehicle or permit might receive in the future.
- All vehicles that belong to the immediate family of a university faculty, staff, or student—whether registered with the university or not—will be considered the responsibility of that individual. Any parking violations charged against that vehicle will be the responsibility of the individual.
- Unregistered vehicles with outstanding violations will be identified through the vehicle plate information using the state registration system and billed accordingly. An additional fine could be applied if a vehicle is not registered with Parking and Transportation Services.

Permits

Parking on the Washington University campus is by [permit only](#). [Visitor parking](#) information can be found on page 27. No motor vehicle may be parked on university property unless the appropriate permit is displayed and the vehicle has been registered. Permits are required for all zones. Permits must be issued by Parking and Transportation Services to be valid.

- All parking permits are the property of Washington University. Permits must be returned immediately upon termination of employment, when a student is no longer registered for class, permit parking is no longer desired or at the request of the university.
- **Permit ownership is nontransferable.**
- All parking permits must be obtained and used according to university rules and regulations.
- Permits must be displayed at all times. Vehicles parked without a permit displayed and not parked in the designated visitor section of the garages will be ticketed.
- Occasionally, Parking and Transportation Services will reserve spaces for special events, which will make them temporarily unavailable to permit holders. We attempt to minimize this inconvenience whenever possible.
- Parking permits and privileges may be revoked or suspended for violation of parking regulations. See Permit Regulations, page 22.
- Annual permit holders who are temporarily unable to access the permit should visit Parking and Transportation Services for a temporary pass. Certain limitations may apply.
- Falsifying information in order to obtain a permit for yourself or someone else is a violation of parking regulations. Serious consequences could result.

Zones

WashU has a [zoned system of parking](#). Under this system, the Danforth Campus is broken into five zones, the East End (Zone 1); South Core (Zone 2); North Core (Zone 3); South 40 (Zone 4); and the North Campus (Zone 5N) and West Campus (Zone 5W).

In each zone, there will be two major permit types available for purchase, red and yellow. The yellow permits, available to all eligible parkers, are valid in the designated spaces within the zone to which the permit applies. In addition to yellow permits, employees will also have the option to purchase a red permit, which will allow holders to park in any of the five zones.

Annual permits are valid from August 1, 2020 through July 31, 2021.

Many of the annual permit prices are prorated throughout the academic year. If applicable, permits are prorated on the 25th of the month. Please contact Parking and Transportation Services at (314) 935-5601 for more information.

Safely Share the Road

Motorists must treat bicyclists with the same regard as they would any other vehicle since bicyclists have the same rights under traffic law as other vehicles. Since bicyclists are inherently more vulnerable roadway users, drivers should take extra safety precautions around people on bikes:

1. If the lane is too narrow to safely share between a bike and a motor vehicle, the bike is legally able to move towards the center of the lane to discourage motor vehicles from dangerously squeezing past. Slow down and wait behind the bicyclist until it is safe to pass. Be patient; they have just as much of a right to the road as you do.
2. Wait for a clear stretch of road before passing a bicycle. When passing, you must leave a safe distance (preferably a full lane) and not return to the right part of the road until safely past the bicyclist.
3. Bicycle lanes may not be blocked or used for parking. Motorists must signal and yield to any bicyclists in the lane before crossing a bicycle lane.
4. Take extra care when turning to avoid accidents (especially right turns); bikes might be going faster than you think so be sure to yield before making your turn.
5. When exiting your vehicle, make sure no bikes are coming to avoid an accident with your door. As a driver, a simple trick is to open your door with your right hand: this will make it easier to look over your left shoulder to make sure you're clear to exit your vehicle.

In addition to bikes, always slow down and be prepared to yield to pedestrians when they're in a crosswalk. Never pass vehicles

stopped at a crosswalk since there may be people crossing who you can't see.

2020–2021 Permit Availability

Eliot Society

Eliot Society still offers parking benefits to its members; annual parking permits will be issued by Parking and Transportation Services.

- Eliot Society visitors to campus can request access through the Eliot Society Office.
- Please contact the Eliot Society Office at (314) 935-7423 or eliotociety@wustl.edu for more information.

Faculty/Staff Permit Options FY20-21

Bearly Drivers—Faculty/Staff

Participants in the Bearly Drivers carpool program receive a special Bearly Drivers Permit at a significantly reduced price that is valid in prime parking locations on campus. The Bearly Drivers Permit is **ONLY** available to faculty and staff carpools approved by Parking and Transportation Services. All participants must meet eligibility requirements and pay for the permit with payroll deduction. You can use [WashU Rides](#) to search for carpool matches based on your route, schedule and preferences.

- Each Bearly Drivers permit is assigned to a zone and valid only in spaces reserved for Bearly Drivers from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday. It is valid in all yellow, visitor and reserved Bearly Drivers spaces, in all zones, between 5 p.m. and 7 a.m. To access gate-controlled spaces, the garage must be within the permit's assigned zone.
- To gain entry into the garage, the permit holder will simply pull up to the entry gate and the RFID permit will be automatically read and allow entry. *(If a ticket is pulled to gain entry to an access-controlled area, the vehicle owner/operator is responsible for any/all fees incurred.)*
- If you enter an access-controlled area outside of your assigned zone from 5 p.m. to 7 a.m. and attempt to leave after 7 a.m., the fee will be automatically calculated from the time which the permit became no longer valid. *The vehicle owner/operator is responsible for any/all fees incurred during this timeframe.*
- Each carpool member with a registered vehicle on file with Parking & Transportation Services will be allocated one validation per month. If the vehicle information is not supplied or is a duplicate, the monthly allotment will NOT be provided. Validation tickets lost in the mail cannot be replaced.
- For more information on participation, pricing, and other benefits, visit the [Bearly Drivers Carpool](#) page.
- If the approved carpool changes due to loss/addition of members, Parking and Transportation Services

must be notified within seven calendar days of the change.

- The price of this permit is prorated on a monthly basis on the 25th of every month.
- All permits must be returned to the Parking and Transportation Services office upon leaving the university, when permitted parking is no longer desired by the permit holder, or when participants no longer meet the qualifications of a carpool. Payroll deductions will not cease nor will refunds be issued until the physical permit has been returned to Parking and Transportation Services. Permits returned on or before the first Friday of the month will not be charged for that calendar month.

Refunds will be prorated on a monthly basis and will be issued via check, for permits purchased using cash, check, or credit card.

Red—Faculty/Staff

The [Red Permit](#) is restricted **ONLY** to Danforth Campus faculty and staff.

- Red Permits are valid in any of the five zones, including all garages in all zones, 24 hours a day and seven days a week.
- To gain entry into the garage, the permit holder will simply pull up to the entry gate and the RFID permit will be automatically read to allow entry. *(If a ticket is pulled to gain entry to an access-controlled area, the vehicle owner/operator is responsible for any/all fees incurred.)*
- The price of this permit is prorated on a monthly basis on the 25th of every month.
- All permits must be returned to the Parking and Transportation Services office upon leaving the university or when permitted parking is no longer desired by the permit holder. Payroll deductions will not cease nor will refunds be issued until the physical permit has been returned to Parking and Transportation Services. Permits returned on or before the first Friday of the month will not be charged for that calendar month.
- Refunds will be prorated on a monthly basis and will be issued via check for permits purchased using cash, check, or credit card.

Yellow—Faculty/Staff: Zone 1, 2, 3, 4

The [Yellow Faculty/Staff Permit](#) is restricted **ONLY** to Danforth Campus faculty and staff.

- Yellow Permits are valid in yellow spaces (open spaces with no signage) within the zone indicated on the permit, 24 hours a day and seven days a week.
- Between 5 p.m. and 7 a.m., Monday – Friday and all day Saturday/Sunday, a yellow permit is valid in any yellow space in any zone (Zones 1, 2, 3, 4, 5N or 5W).
- Yellow Permits are valid in all garages within the assigned zone.
- To gain entry into a garage with gate arm technology, the permit holder will simply pull up to the entry gate and the RFID permit will be automatically read to allow entry if within the correct zone and valid timeframe. *(If a ticket is pulled to gain entry to an access-controlled area, the vehicle owner/operator is responsible for any/all fees incurred.)*
- If you enter an access-controlled area outside of your assigned zone from 5 p.m. to 7 a.m. and attempt to leave after 7 a.m., the fee will be automatically calculated from the time which the permit became no longer valid. *The vehicle owner/operator is responsible for any/all fees incurred during this timeframe.*
- The price of these permits is prorated on a monthly basis on the 25th of every month.
- All permits must be returned to the Parking and

Transportation Services office upon leaving the university or when permitted parking is no longer desired by the permit holder. Payroll deductions will not cease nor will refunds be issued until the physical permit has been returned to Parking and Transportation Services. Permits returned on or before the first Friday of the month will not be charged for that calendar month.

- Refunds will be prorated on a monthly basis and will be issued via check for permits purchased using cash, check, or credit card.

Yellow—Faculty/Staff: Zone 5W West Campus or Zone 5N North Campus

The [Yellow Faculty/Staff Zone 5 West Campus or North Campus Permit](#) is **ONLY** available to Danforth Campus faculty/staff.

Eligibility for either Zone 5 permit is based on where the faculty/staff member is assigned according to HR records.

- The permit is valid in yellow spaces in Zone 5 on West Campus or North Campus respectively, 24 hours a day and seven days a week.
- Zone 5N campus permits are valid on West Campus in yellow permit spaces on surface lots.
- Zone 5W campus permits are valid on North Campus in yellow permit spaces.
- Between 5 p.m. and 7 a.m., Monday – Friday and all day Saturday/Sunday, a yellow permit is valid in any yellow space in any zone (Zones 1, 2, 3, 4, 5N or 5W).
- Yellow Permits are valid in all garages within the assigned zone.
- To gain entry into a garage equipped with gate arm technology, the permit holder will simply pull up to the entry gate and the RFID permit will be automatically read to allow entry if within the correct zone and valid timeframe. *(If a ticket is pulled to gain entry to an access-controlled area, the vehicle owner/operator is responsible for any/all fees incurred.)*
- If you enter an access-controlled area outside of your assigned zone from 5 p.m. to 7 a.m. and attempt to leave after 7 a.m., the fee will be automatically calculated from the time which the permit became no longer valid. *The vehicle owner/operator is responsible for any/all fees incurred during this timeframe.*
- The price of these permits is prorated on a monthly basis on the 25th of every month.
- All permits must be returned to the Parking and Transportation Services office upon leaving the university or when permitted parking is no longer desired by the permit holder. Payroll deductions will not cease nor will refunds be issued until the physical permit has been returned to Parking and Transportation Services. Permits returned on or before the first Friday of the month will not be charged for that calendar month. Refunds will be prorated on a monthly basis and will be issued via check for

permits purchased using cash, check, or credit card.

ParkSmart—Faculty/Staff

The [ParkSmart](#) low-cost parking option is available to Danforth Campus faculty and staff (not working at/assigned to West Campus), LLI students, graduate students, undergraduate students (sophomore or higher standing), who live on or off campus as well as Basic Services Contractors (BSCs) (employees of Allied Universal, Bon Appetit, Catering St. Louis, FLIK, Focal Pointe, Follett, Huntleigh, WFF).

- Permit holders can easily access the Danforth Campus via the West Campus Shuttle or Metrolink.
- The permit is available to Danforth Campus faculty and staff (not working at/assigned to West Campus), LLI students, graduate students, undergraduate students (sophomore or higher standing), who live on or off campus as well as Basic Services Contractors (BSCs) (employees of Allied Universal, Bon Appetit, Catering St. Louis, FLIK, Focal Pointe, Follett, Huntleigh, WFF).
- West Campus employees (either WU paid or agency-contracted personnel) are NOT eligible to purchase the ParkSmart Permit.
- The permit is valid only in ParkSmart spaces in the surface lot located east of the West Campus building and on the fourth, fifth, and sixth levels of the West Campus Garage, 24 hours a day and seven days a week.
- To gain entry into the garage the permit holder will simply pull up to the entry gate and the RFID permit will be automatically read to allow entry, if within the correct zone and valid timeframe. *(If a ticket is pulled to gain entry to an access-controlled area, the vehicle owner/operator is responsible for any/all fees incurred.)*
- Between 5 p.m. and 7 a.m., Monday – Friday and all day Saturday/Sunday, the ParkSmart permit is valid in any yellow space in any zone (Zones 1, 2, 3, 4, 5N or 5W).
- If you enter an access-controlled area outside of your assigned zone from 5 p.m. to 7 a.m. and attempt to leave after 7 a.m., the fee will be automatically calculated from the time which the permit became no longer valid. *The vehicle owner/operator is responsible for any/all fees incurred during this timeframe.*
- The price of this permit is prorated on a monthly basis on the 25th of every month.
- All permits must be returned to the Parking and Transportation Services office upon leaving the university or when permitted parking is no longer desired by the permit holder. Payroll deductions will not cease nor will refunds be issued until the physical permit has been returned to Parking and Transportation Services. Permits returned on or before the first Friday of the month will not be charged for that calendar month. Refunds will be prorated on a monthly basis and will be issued via check to faculty, staff, or students for permits purchased using cash,

check, or credit card. Students are eligible for a prorated refund for permits returned on or before March 12, 2021. If purchased by charging student account, the refund will be issued to the student account.

ParkSmart—Faculty/Staff: Reduced

The [ParkSmart](#) low-cost option is available at a reduced price to full-time Danforth Campus faculty and staff (not working at/assigned to West Campus) earning less than \$50k annually.

- Permit holders can easily access the Danforth Campus via the West Campus Shuttle or Metrolink.
- The permit is available to Danforth Campus faculty and staff (not working at/assigned to West Campus), LLI students, graduate students, undergraduate students (sophomore or higher standing), who live on or off campus as well as Basic Services Contractors (BSCs) (employees of Allied Universal, Bon Appetit, Catering St. Louis, FLIK, Focal Pointe, Follett, Huntleigh, WFF).
- West Campus employees (either WU paid or agency-contracted personnel) are NOT eligible to purchase the ParkSmart Permit.
- The permit is valid only in ParkSmart spaces in the surface lot located east of the West Campus building and on the fourth, fifth, and sixth levels of the West Campus Garage, 24 hours a day and seven days a week.
- To gain entry into the garage the permit holder will simply pull up to the entry gate and the RFID permit will be automatically read to allow entry, if within the correct zone and valid timeframe. *(If a ticket is pulled to gain entry to an access-controlled area, the vehicle owner/operator is responsible for any/all fees incurred.)*
- Between 5 p.m. and 7 a.m., Monday – Friday and all day Saturday/Sunday, the ParkSmart permit is valid in any yellow space in any zone (Zones 1, 2, 3, 4, 5N or 5W).
- If you enter an access-controlled area outside of your assigned zone from 5 p.m. to 7 a.m. and attempt to leave after 7 a.m., the fee will be automatically calculated from the time which the permit became no longer valid. *The vehicle owner/operator is responsible for any/all fees incurred during this timeframe.*
- The price of this permit is prorated once annually on January 16, 2021.
- All permits must be returned to the Parking and Transportation Services office upon leaving the university or when permitted parking is no longer desired by the permit holder. Payroll deductions will not cease nor will refunds be issued until the physical permit has been returned to Parking and Transportation Services. Permits returned on or before the first Friday of the month will not be charged for that calendar month. Refunds will be prorated on a monthly basis and will be issued via check to faculty, staff, or students for permits purchased using cash, check, or credit card. Students are eligible for a prorated

refund for permits returned on or before March 12, 2021. If purchased by charging student account, the refund will be issued to the student account.

Occasional Parking Program—Faculty/Staff

For those who use alternative transportation as their main commute method, or need a reduced parking accommodation, this program offers significantly discounted parking to Danforth Campus faculty, staff, basic service contractor employees, and graduate commuter students. Visit the [Occasional Parking Program](#) page.

Evening Red—Faculty/Staff

[Evening Red Permits](#) are available **ONLY** to faculty/staff.

- Permit is valid in red spaces in all zones from 3:30 p.m. to 7 a.m. Monday – Friday, and all day Saturday/Sunday.
- Before 3:30 p.m. on weekdays, a ticket must be pulled upon entry to any garage, and the hourly rate (through 5 p.m., Monday–Friday) must be paid upon exiting the garage. When entering after 3:30 p.m. on weekdays, and any time Saturday and Sunday, Evening Red permit holders are permitted to park.
- *(If a ticket is pulled to gain entry to an access-controlled area, the vehicle owner/operator is responsible for any/all fees incurred.)*
- To gain entry into a garage equipped with gate arm technology during the valid timeframe, the permit holder will simply pull up to the entry gate and the RFID permit will be automatically read to allow entry.
- If you enter an access-controlled area outside of your assigned zone from 5 p.m. to 7 a.m. and attempt to leave after 7 a.m., the fee will be automatically calculated from the time which the permit became no longer valid. *The vehicle owner/operator is responsible for any/all fees incurred during this timeframe.*
- The price of this permit is prorated once annually on January 16, 2021.
- All permits must be returned to the Parking and Transportation Services office upon leaving the university or when permitted parking is no longer desired by the permit holder. Payroll deductions will not cease nor will refunds be issued until the physical permit has been returned to Parking and Transportation Services. Permits returned on or before the first Friday of the month will not be charged for that calendar month. Refunds will be prorated on a monthly basis and will be issued via check for permits purchased using cash, check, or credit card.

Motorcycle—Faculty/Staff

[Motorcycle Permits](#) are issued for motorcycles, motorscooters, and motorbikes, all of which must be registered with Parking and Transportation Services under the same conditions as other vehicles, and are subject to all university parking regulations.

- Motorized vehicles 49cc or less do not require a parking permit and must park at a bike rack.
- Motorcycle permits are nontransferrable. A permit must be purchased for each motorcycle, motorscooter, and motorbike.
- Motorcycle permits are valid only in areas designated for motorcycles. For the safety of pedestrians, motorcycles, motorbikes, and motorscooters may not be driven on campus walkways. Motorcycle parking is not permitted in any garage located in Zones 1, 2, 3, or 5W. The motorcycle permit is nonrefundable.
- **The price of this permit is prorated once annually on January 16, 2021.**

Monthly Permits—Faculty/Staff

[Single-month permits](#) are available to faculty, staff, eligible students (sophomore or higher standing), visitors, and Basic Services Contractors. Availability of these permits vary from month to month.

- Availability varies by zone and is dependent upon capacity.
- These permits are valid only for a calendar month (from the beginning of the calendar month to the end of the calendar month).
- Monthly permits are valid for yellow permit parking within one designated zone.
- The parking privileges, regulations, and restrictions correspond to the above permit types and are subject to availability.
- If you enter an access-controlled area outside of your assigned zone from 5 p.m. to 7 a.m. and attempt to leave after 7 a.m., the fee will be automatically calculated from the time which the permit became no longer valid. *The vehicle owner/operator is responsible for any/all fees incurred during this timeframe.*
- Monthly permits must be purchased in person at the Parking and Transportation Services office at North Campus and cannot be purchased by payroll deduction. Monthly parking permits are nonrefundable.

Graduate Student Permit Options FY20-21

Yellow—Graduate Student: Zone 123

The [Yellow Student Permit](#) is ONLY available to Danforth Campus graduate students.

- The permit is valid in yellow spaces within the zone indicated on the permit 24 hours a day and seven days a week.
- Between 5 p.m. and 7 a.m., Monday – Friday and all day Saturday/Sunday, a yellow permit is valid in any yellow space in any zone (Zones 1, 2, 3, 4, 5N or 5W).

- Yellow Permits are valid in all garages within the assigned zone. To gain entry into the garage, the permit holder will simply pull up to the entry gate and the RFID permit will be automatically read to allow entry if within the correct zone and valid timeframe. *(If a ticket is pulled to gain entry to an access-controlled area, the vehicle owner/operator is responsible for any/all fees incurred.)*
- If you enter an access-controlled area outside of your assigned zone from 5 p.m. to 7 a.m. and attempt to leave after 7 a.m., the fee will be automatically calculated from the time which the permit became no longer valid. *The vehicle owner/operator is responsible for any/all fees incurred during this timeframe.*
- The price of these permits is prorated on a monthly basis on the 25th of every month.
- All permits must be returned to the Parking and Transportation Services office upon leaving the university or when permitted parking is no longer desired by the permit holder. Students are eligible to receive a prorated refund for permits returned to the Parking and Transportation Services office on or before March 12, 2021. Permits returned on or before the first Friday of the month prior to March 12, 2021 will not be charged for that calendar month. Refunds will be prorated on a monthly basis and will be issued via check for permits purchased using cash, check, or credit card. If purchased by charging student account, the refund will be issued to the student account.

ParkSmart—Graduate Student

The [ParkSmart](#) low-cost parking option is available to Danforth Campus faculty and staff (not working at/assigned to West Campus), LLI students, graduate students, undergraduate students (sophomore or higher standing), who live on or off campus as well as Basic Services Contractors (BSCs) (employees of Allied Universal, Bon Appetit, Catering St. Louis, FLIK, Focal Pointe, Follett, Huntleigh, WFF).

- Permit holders can easily access the Danforth Campus via the West Campus Shuttle or Metrolink.
- The permit is available to Danforth Campus faculty and staff (not working at/assigned to West Campus), LLI students, graduate students, undergraduate students (sophomore or higher standing), who live on or off campus as well as Basic Services Contractors (BSCs) (employees of Allied Universal, Bon Appetit, Catering St. Louis, FLIK, Focal Pointe, Follett, Huntleigh, WFF).
- West Campus employees (either WU paid or agency-contracted personnel) are NOT eligible to purchase the ParkSmart Permit.
- The permit is valid only in ParkSmart spaces in the surface lot located east of the West Campus building and

on the fourth, fifth, and sixth levels of the West Campus Garage, 24 hours a day and seven days a week.

- To gain entry into the garage the permit holder will simply pull up to the entry gate and the RFID permit will be automatically read to allow entry, if within the correct zone and valid timeframe. *(If a ticket is pulled to gain entry to an access-controlled area, the vehicle owner/operator is responsible for any/all fees incurred.)*
- Between 5 p.m. and 7 a.m., Monday – Friday and all day Saturday/Sunday, the ParkSmart permit is valid in any yellow space in any zone (Zones 1, 2, 3, 4, 5N or 5W).
- If you enter an access-controlled area outside of your assigned zone from 5 p.m. to 7 a.m. and attempt to leave after 7 a.m., the fee will be automatically calculated from the time which the permit became no longer valid. *The vehicle owner/operator is responsible for any/all fees incurred during this timeframe.*
- The price of this permit is prorated on a monthly basis on the 25th of every month.
- All permits must be returned to the Parking and Transportation Services office upon leaving the university or when permitted parking is no longer desired by the permit holder. Payroll deductions will not cease nor will refunds be issued until the physical permit has been returned to Parking and Transportation Services. Permits returned on or before the first Friday of the month will not be charged for that calendar month. Refunds will be prorated on a monthly basis and will be issued via check to faculty, staff, or students for permits purchased using cash, check, or credit card. Students are eligible for a prorated refund for permits returned on or before March 12, 2021. If purchased by charging student account, the refund will be issued to the student account.

Occasional Parking Program (OPP)—Graduate Student

For those who use alternative transportation as their main commute method, or do not need to access campus frequently, this program offers significantly discounted parking to Danforth Campus faculty, staff, basic service contractor employees, and graduate commuter students. Visit the [Occasional Parking Program](#) page.

Evening Yellow—Graduate Student

[Evening Yellow Student Permits](#) are available to undergraduate students, sophomore or higher standing, who live off-campus and graduate students. The permit is not available to residential students.

- Permit is valid in Zones 1, 2 and 3 from 3:30 p.m. to 7 a.m.
- Before 3:30 p.m. on weekdays, a ticket must be pulled upon entry to the garage, and the hourly rate (through 5 p.m., Monday–Friday) must be paid upon exiting the garage. *(If a ticket is pulled to gain entry to an access-*

controlled area, the vehicle owner/operator is responsible for any/all fees incurred.)

- To gain entry into the garage, the permit holder will simply pull up to the entry gate and the RFID permit will be automatically read to allow entry if within the correct zone and valid timeframe.
- From 5 p.m. to 7 a.m. on weekdays, and all day Saturday /Sunday, the Evening Yellow Permit is valid in any yellow space in Zones 1, 2, 3, 4, 5N and 5W.
- If you enter an access-controlled area outside of your assigned zone from 5 p.m. to 7 a.m. and attempt to leave after 7 a.m., the fee will be automatically calculated from the time which the permit became no longer valid. *The vehicle owner/operator is responsible for any/all fees incurred during this timeframe.*
- The price of this permit is prorated once annually on January 16, 2021.
- All permits must be returned to the Parking and Transportation Services office upon leaving the university or when permitted parking is no longer desired by the permit holder. Students are eligible to receive a prorated refund for permits returned to the Parking and Transportation Services office on or before March 12, 2021. Permits returned on or before the first Friday of the month prior to March 12, 2021 will not be charged for that calendar month. Refunds will be prorated on a monthly basis and will be issued via check for permits purchased using cash, check, or credit card. If purchased by charging student account, the refund will be issued to the student account.

Motorcycle—Graduate Students

Motorcycle Permits are issued for motorcycles, motorscooters, and motorbikes, all of which must be registered with Parking and Transportation Services under the same conditions as other vehicles, and are subject to all university parking regulations.

- Motorized vehicles 49cc or less do not require a parking permit and must park at a bike rack.
- Motorcycle permits are nontransferrable. A permit must be purchased for each motorcycle, motorscooter, and motorbike.
- Motorcycle permits are valid only in areas designated for motorcycles. For the safety of pedestrians, motorcycles, motorbikes, and motorscooters may not be driven on campus walkways. Motorcycle parking is not permitted in any garage located in Zones 1, 2, 3, or 5W. The motorcycle permit is nonrefundable.
- The price of this permit is prorated once annually on January 16, 2021.

Monthly Permits—Graduate Student

Single-month permits are available to faculty, staff, eligible students (sophomore or higher standing), visitors, and Basic Services Contractors. Availability of these permits vary from month to month.

- Availability varies by zone and is dependent upon capacity.
- These permits are valid only for a calendar month (from the beginning of the calendar month to the end of the calendar month).
- Monthly permits are valid for yellow permit parking within one designated zone.
- The parking privileges, regulations, and restrictions correspond to the above permit types and are subject to availability.
- If you enter an access-controlled area outside of your assigned zone from 5 p.m. to 7 a.m. and attempt to leave after 7 a.m., the fee will be automatically calculated from the time which the permit became no longer valid. *The vehicle owner/operator is responsible for any/all fees incurred during this timeframe.*
- Monthly permits must be purchased in person at the Parking and Transportation Services office at North Campus and cannot be purchased by payroll deduction. Monthly parking permits are nonrefundable.

Undergraduate Student Permit Options FY20-21

Yellow—Student: Wallace Garage Only

This [permit](#) is **ONLY** available to Danforth Campus undergraduate students, sophomore or higher standing, who live on the South 40.

- The permit is valid only in yellow spaces within the Wallace Garage (located on the South 40), 24 hours a day and seven days a week.
- Between 5 p.m. and 7 a.m., Monday – Friday and all day Saturday/Sunday, a yellow permit is valid in any yellow space in any zone (Zones 1, 2, 3, 4, 5N or 5W).
- To gain entry into the garages outside your assigned zone, the permit holder will simply pull up to the entry gate and pull an entry ticket to gain entry. *(If a ticket is pulled to gain entry to an access-controlled area, the vehicle owner/operator is responsible for any/all fees incurred.)*
- If you enter an access-controlled area outside of your assigned zone from 5 p.m. to 7 a.m. and attempt to leave after 7 a.m., the fee will be automatically calculated from the time which the permit became no longer valid. *The vehicle owner/operator is responsible for any/all fees incurred during this timeframe.*
- The price of this permit is prorated on a monthly basis on the 25th of every month.
- All permits must be returned to the Parking and Transportation Services office upon leaving the university or when permitted parking is no longer desired by the permit holder. Students are eligible to receive a prorated refund for permits returned to the Parking and Transportation Services office on or before March 12, 2021. Permits returned on or before the first Friday of the month prior to March 12, 2021 will not be charged for that calendar month. Refunds will be prorated on a monthly basis and will be issued via check for permits purchased using cash, check, or credit card. If purchased by charging student account, the refund will be issued to the student account.

Undergraduate—Northwest Resident

This [permit](#) is **ONLY** available to Danforth Campus undergraduate students, sophomore or higher standing, who live in the Village, Millbrook Apartments or on Fraternity Row.

- The permit is valid only in Northwest Resident Permit designated spaces on level 5 (roof) of Millbrook Garage, 24 hours a day and seven days a week.
- Between 5 p.m. and 7 a.m., Monday – Friday and all day Saturday/Sunday, a yellow permit is valid in any yellow space in any zone (Zones 1, 2, 3, 4, 5N or 5W).
- To gain entry into the garages outside your assigned zone, the permit holder will simply pull up to the entry gate and pull an entry ticket to gain entry. *(If a ticket*

is pulled to gain entry to an access-controlled area, the vehicle owner/operator is responsible for any/all fees incurred.)

- If you enter an access-controlled area outside of your assigned zone from 5 p.m. to 7 a.m. and attempt to leave after 7 a.m., the fee will be automatically calculated from the time which the permit became no longer valid. *The vehicle owner/operator is responsible for any/all fees incurred during this timeframe.*
- The price of this permit is prorated on a monthly basis on the 25th of every month.
- All permits must be returned to the Parking and Transportation Services office upon leaving the university or when permitted parking is no longer desired by the permit holder. Students are eligible to receive a prorated refund for permits returned to the Parking and Transportation Services office on or before March 12, 2021. Permits returned on or before the first Friday of the month prior to March 12, 2021 will not be charged for that calendar month. Refunds will be prorated on a monthly basis and will be issued via check for permits purchased using cash, check, or credit card. If purchased by charging student account, the refund will be issued to the student account.

Undergraduate Student—LOFTS Resident

This [permit](#) is **ONLY** available to Danforth Campus undergraduate students, sophomore or higher standing, who live in The Lofts.

- The permit is valid in yellow spaces within the Lofts Garage, 24 hours a day and seven days a week.
- Between 5 p.m. and 7 a.m., Monday – Friday and all day Saturday/Sunday, a yellow permit is valid in any yellow space in any zone (Zones 1, 2, 3, 4, 5N or 5W).
- To gain entry into the garages outside your assigned zone, the permit holder will simply pull up to the entry gate and pull an entry ticket to gain entry. *(If a ticket is pulled to gain entry to an access-controlled area, the vehicle owner/operator is responsible for any/all fees incurred.)*
- If you enter an access-controlled area outside of your assigned zone from 5 p.m. to 7 a.m. and attempt to leave after 7 a.m., the fee will be automatically calculated from the time which the permit became no longer valid. *The vehicle owner/operator is responsible for any/all fees incurred during this timeframe.*
- Note: The Lofts Garage will be accessed by WashU ID card access. If a ticket is pulled to gain entry to an access- controlled area, the vehicle owner/operator is responsible for any/all fees incurred.

- All permits must be returned to the Parking and Transportation Services office upon leaving the university or when permitted parking is no longer desired by the permit holder.
- This permit is not eligible for a student refund as it is issued at no additional cost to the student.

Undergraduate LOFTS—Zone 2

This [permit](#) is **ONLY** available to **Danforth Campus undergraduate students, sophomore or higher standing, who live in the Lofts.**

- The permit is valid in yellow spaces within Zone 2 and the Lofts Garage, 24 hours a day and seven days a week.
- Between 5 p.m. and 7 a.m., Monday – Friday and all day Saturday/Sunday, a yellow permit is valid in any yellow space in any zone (Zones 1, 2, 3, 4, 5N or 5W).
- Note: The Loft Garage will be accessed by WashU ID card access.

To gain entry into the garages outside your assigned zone, the permit holder will simply pull up to the entry gate and pull an entry ticket to gain entry. *(If a ticket is pulled to gain entry to an access-controlled area, the vehicle owner/operator is responsible for any/all fees incurred.)*

- If you enter an access-controlled area outside of your assigned zone from 5 p.m. to 7 a.m. and attempt to leave after 7 a.m., the fee will be automatically calculated from the time which the permit became no longer valid. *The vehicle owner/operator is responsible for any/all fees incurred during this timeframe.*
- The price of this permit is prorated on a monthly basis on the 25th of every month.
- All permits must be returned to the Parking and Transportation Services office upon leaving the university or when permitted parking is no longer desired by the permit holder. Students are eligible to receive a prorated refund for permits returned to the Parking and Transportation Services office on or before March 12, 2021. Permits returned on or before the first Friday of the month prior to March 12, 2021 will not be charged for that calendar month. Refunds will be prorated on a monthly basis and will be issued via check for permits purchased using cash, check, or credit card. If purchased by charging student account, the refund will be issued to the student account.

Spring 2021—Undergraduate Commuter

This [permit](#) is available to Danforth Campus (sophomore or higher) undergraduates living off campus.

- The permit is valid in yellow spaces within Zone 2 and 3; 24 hours a day and seven days a week.
- Between 5 p.m. and 7 a.m., Monday – Friday and all day Saturday/Sunday, a yellow permit is valid in any yellow space in any zone (Zones 1, 2, 3, 4, 5N or 5W).
- Yellow Permits are valid in all garages within the assigned zone. To gain entry into the garage, the permit holder will simply pull up to the entry gate and the RFID permit will be automatically read to allow entry if within the correct zone and valid timeframe. *(If a ticket is pulled to gain entry to an access-controlled area, the vehicle owner/operator is responsible for any/all fees incurred.)*
- If you enter an access-controlled area outside of your assigned zone from 5 p.m. to 7 a.m. and attempt to leave after 7 a.m., the fee will be automatically calculated from the time which the permit became no longer valid. *The vehicle owner/operator is responsible for any/all fees incurred during this timeframe.*
- The price of this permit is prorated on a monthly basis on the 25th of every month.
- All permits must be returned to the Parking and Transportation Services office upon leaving the university or when permitted parking is no longer desired by the permit holder. Students are eligible to receive a prorated refund for permits returned to the Parking and Transportation Services office on or before December 04, 2020. Permits returned on or before the first Friday of the month prior to December 04, 2020 will not be charged for that calendar month. Refunds will be prorated on a monthly basis and will be issued via a credit to the associated student account.

ParkSmart—Undergraduate

The [ParkSmart](#) low-cost parking option is available to Danforth Campus faculty and staff (not working at/assigned to West Campus), LLI students, graduate students, undergraduate students (sophomore or higher standing), who live on or off campus as well as Basic Services Contractors (BSCs) (employees of Allied Universal, Bon Appetit, Catering St. Louis, FLIK, Focal Pointe, Follett, Huntleigh, WFF).

- Permit holders can easily access the Danforth Campus via the West Campus Shuttle or Metrolink.
- The permit is available to Danforth Campus faculty and staff (not working at/assigned to West Campus), LLI students, graduate students, undergraduate students (sophomore or higher standing), who live on or off campus as well as Basic Services Contractors (BSCs) (employees of Allied Universal, Bon Appetit, Catering St. Louis, FLIK, Focal Pointe, Follett, Huntleigh, WFF).

- West Campus employees (either WU paid or agency-contracted personnel) are NOT eligible to purchase the ParkSmart Permit.
- The permit is valid only in ParkSmart spaces in the surface lot located east of the West Campus building and on the fourth, fifth, and sixth levels of the West Campus Garage, 24 hours a day and seven days a week.
- To gain entry into the garage the permit holder will simply pull up to the entry gate and the RFID permit will be automatically read to allow entry, if within the correct zone and valid timeframe. *(If a ticket is pulled to gain entry to an access-controlled area, the vehicle owner/operator is responsible for any/all fees incurred.)*
- If you enter an access-controlled area outside of your assigned zone from 5 p.m. to 7 a.m. and attempt to leave after 7 a.m., the fee will be automatically calculated from the time which the permit became no longer valid. *The vehicle owner/operator is responsible for any/all fees incurred during this timeframe.*
- The price of this permit is prorated on a monthly basis on the 25th of every month.
- Between 5 p.m. and 7 a.m., Monday – Friday and all day Saturday/Sunday, the ParkSmart permit is valid in any yellow space in any zone (Zones 1, 2, 3, 4, 5N or 5W).
- All permits must be returned to the Parking and Transportation Services office upon leaving the university or when permitted parking is no longer desired by the permit holder. Payroll deductions will not cease nor will refunds be issued until the physical permit has been returned to Parking and Transportation Services. Permits returned on or before the first Friday of the month will not be charged for that calendar month. Refunds will be prorated on a monthly basis and will be issued via check to faculty, staff, or students for permits purchased using cash, check, or credit card. Students are eligible for a prorated refund for permits returned on or before March 12, 2021. If purchased by charging student account, the refund will be issued to the student account.

Evening Yellow—Undergraduate

[Evening Yellow Student Permits](#) are available to undergraduate students, sophomore or higher standing, who live off-campus and graduate students. The permit is not available to residential students.

- Permit is valid in Zones 1, 2 and 3 from 3:30 p.m. to 7 a.m.
- Before 3:30 p.m. on weekdays, a ticket must be pulled upon entry to the garage, and the hourly rate (through 5 p.m., Monday–Friday) must be paid upon exiting the garage. *(If a ticket is pulled to gain entry to an access-controlled area, the vehicle owner/operator is responsible for any/all fees incurred.)*
- To gain entry into the garage, the permit holder will simply pull up to the entry gate and the RFID permit will be automatically read to allow entry if within the correct zone and valid timeframe.
- From 5 p.m. to 7 a.m. on weekdays, and all day Saturday /Sunday, the Evening Yellow Permit is valid in any yellow space in Zones 1, 2, 3, 4, 5N and 5W.
- If you enter an access-controlled area outside of your assigned zone from 5 p.m. to 7 a.m. and attempt to leave after 7 a.m., the fee will be automatically calculated from the time which the permit became no longer valid. *The vehicle owner/operator is responsible for any/all fees incurred during this timeframe.*
- The price of this permit is prorated once annually on January 16, 2021.
- All permits must be returned to the Parking and Transportation Services office upon leaving the university or when permitted parking is no longer desired by the permit holder. Students are eligible to receive a prorated refund for permits returned to the Parking and Transportation Services office on or before March 12, 2021. Permits returned on or before the first Friday of the month prior to March 12, 2021 will not be charged for that calendar month. Refunds will be prorated on a monthly basis and will be issued via check for permits purchased using cash, check, or credit card. If purchased by charging student account, the refund will be issued to the student account.

Motorcycle—Undergraduate

Motorcycle Permits are issued for motorcycles, motorscooters, and motorbikes, all of which must be registered with Parking and Transportation Services under the same conditions as other vehicles, and are subject to all university parking regulations.

- Motorized vehicles 49cc or less do not require a parking permit and must park at a bike rack.
- Motorcycle permits are nontransferrable. A permit must be purchased for each motorcycle, motorscooter, and motorbike.
- Motorcycle permits are valid only in areas designated for motorcycles. For the safety of pedestrians,

motorcycles, motorbikes, and motorscooters may not be driven on campus walkways. Motorcycle parking is not permitted in any garage located in Zones 1, 2, 3, or 5W. The motorcycle permit is nonrefundable.

- The price of this permit is prorated once annually on January 16, 2021.

Monthly Permits—Undergraduate

[Single-month permits](#) are available to faculty, staff, eligible students (sophomore or higher standing), visitors, and Basic Services Contractors. Availability of these permits vary from month to month.

- Availability varies by zone and is dependent upon capacity.
- These permits are valid only for a calendar month (from the beginning of the calendar month to the end of the calendar month).
- Monthly permits are valid for yellow permit parking within one designated zone.
- The parking privileges, regulations, and restrictions correspond to the above permit types and are subject to availability.
- If you enter an access-controlled area outside of your assigned zone from 5 p.m. to 7 a.m. and attempt to leave after 7 a.m., the fee will be automatically calculated from the time which the permit became no longer valid. *The vehicle owner/operator is responsible for any/all fees incurred during this timeframe.*
- Monthly permits must be purchased in person at the Parking and Transportation Services office at North Campus and cannot be purchased by payroll deduction. Monthly parking permits are nonrefundable.

Department Permit Options FY20-21

Official Business—Department or Vendor

[Official Business Permits](#) are ONLY available for purchase by a Danforth Campus department or a vendor with a valid exception.

- Permit is valid in any zone for up to three hours.
- When properly displayed, the Official Business permit allows parking in visitor, yellow, or red spaces. At NO time does the Official Business permit allow parking in reserved spaces or fire lanes.
- When purchased by a department, the permit will not be valid unless also displayed with an authorized and valid Danforth Campus permit. Vendors who regularly need to remain on campus for three hours or less

should purchase a Vendor permit or utilize hourly parking within the garages.

- To gain entry into the garage users of the Official Business Permit will pull a ticket when entering the garage and place it on their dash. When exiting, the entry ticket should be inserted into the exit station. The amount owed will then be displayed on the screen of the exit station. The QR Code found on the back of the Official Business permit should then be scanned using the barcode scanner located on the front of the exit station. This will validate up to three hours of parking. *Individuals who park longer than three hours will be responsible for monies owed.*
- The price of this permit is prorated once annually on January 16, 2021.

Department Vehicles

Each [department vehicle](#) must display a department vehicle permit.

- ONLY vehicles insured by the university are eligible for this permit.
- This permit must be affixed to the passenger side bottom corner of the front windshield to be valid.
- This permit is nontransferable.
- Use of this permit for personal use or on personal vehicles is strictly prohibited.
- This permit will allow for access into all gated parking areas.
- Parking with this permit is only allowed in yellow parking spaces or the appropriate departmental reserved spaces.
- The price of this permit is prorated once annually on January 16, 2021.

Accessible Parking

- [Accessible parking](#) is located near campus buildings and clearly indicated on the campus parking map.
- Accessible parking placards, both state-issued and temporary university-issued hang tags, must be displayed along with a university-issued yellow or red parking permit valid in the zone in which it is displayed.
- If students do not already have a state-issued placard, they must contact Student Health Services at 935-6666 and get approval for a temporary parking placard. Faculty and staff requiring temporary accessible parking on campus must submit a letter from a physician to the Parking and Transportation Services office. Temporary accessible permits issued by Parking and Transportation Services are valid only for a period of up to six weeks and are eligible for one renewal with an updated physician's letter. Accessible parking permits obtained through Washington University are valid only on the Washington University campuses.
- Visitors with accessible placards should park within the visitor designated area in their preferred zone then use the Golf Cart Escorts for additional transportation.

Golf Cart Escort System

Guests of the university, faculty, and staff who have accessibility needs can request a [Golf Cart Escort](#) ride by calling 314.935.3648 between 8 a.m. and 5:45 p.m., Monday through Friday. Service is not available on the weekends or university holidays. Calls must be received prior to 5:45 pm for the last pick up. Under special circumstances, the service will meet a passenger at his or her vehicle or building but most passengers who wish to use the service will be directed to the nearest pick up location (Zone 1: between the fountains and the Tisch Park; Zone 2: patio outside the entrance to the DUC garage; Zone 3: The Knight Center entrance; and Zone 4: The South 40 House circle drive). Reservations are not accepted.

Visitor Parking

We welcome visitors to the campus of Washington University in St. Louis. Visitors are encouraged to use the visitor parking meters located on campus or park in designated visitor parking lots. Because of the limited amount of visitor parking, faculty, staff, and students with permits should not use visitor parking. Learn more on our [Visitor](#) page.

- **[Garage Parking](#)**: Visitor parking is conveniently located in the East End Garage, Danforth University Center (DUC) Garage, Snow Way Garage, Millbrook Garage, and West Campus Garage. To obtain access to the garage, visitors must pull a ticket upon entry to the garage and park in visitor designated spaces.
 - Visitors parked in the East End, Millbrook and Snow Way Garages should pay at the pay-on-foot stations prior to returning to their vehicles. Cash and credit cards are accepted at the pay-on-foot stations. Follow signs to visitor exit lanes and insert the prepaid ticket into the exit station.
 - Visitors in the DUC Garage can either utilize the attendant lane or pay in lane station. Cash and credit cards are accepted in either lane.
 - Visitors parking in the West Campus Garage will pay at the exit stations where only credit cards are accepted.
- **Parking meters**: Visitor meters are located on the South 40, just south of the Wallace Garage, the lower lot on West Campus, and behind the 276 Skinker building. The enforcement schedule and time limits are indicated on each meter. Parking meters in this location may be double-sided, which means that one parking meter accepts coins and marks time for two separate parking spaces. If you are parking at one of these double-sided meters, please make certain that you select the appropriate space before inserting your coins.
- **[Passport Parking](#)**: Hourly visitor parking via the Passport Parking application is available in designated visitor spaces in the following location:
 - Zone 4—The roof of Wallace Garage on the South 40 (Accessible spaces are available on the south side of Wallace Garage.)
 - Zone 5N—North Campus on the south and west sides of the North Campus building
 - Zone 5W —West Campus on the north, upper, and lower lots (in lieu of the parking meters)
 - 276 Skinker building (in lieu of the parking meters)
- **Monthly Permits**: Visitors to campus may purchase [Monthly Yellow Permit](#) which allow for a variety of parking options, equivalent to the permits discussed above. These permits may be purchased only from the Parking and Transportation Services office at North Campus.***Note: Monthly permits are available on a limited basis.

- **Off-Hour Visitors:** Visitors who will be parking on campus from 5 pm–7 am, Monday through Friday and all day Saturday/Sunday are permitted to park in designated visitor and yellow spaces without displaying a parking permit. **Parking in red/restricted spaces is not allowed without a red parking permit and is enforced 24/7.**
- **Special Events:** University departments or activity sponsors may make parking arrangements for campus guests in advance of their visit. Members of the university community are encouraged to visit the [Request Event Parking](#) page.

Sustainable Commuting Options

Washington University encourages the use of sustainable methods of transportation. Whether your goal is to save hundreds to thousands of dollars, benefit from an active and healthy lifestyle, or enjoy a less stressful commute, there are a variety of flexible alternative commuting options and programs available to you.



U-Pass Program

In conjunction with Metro St. Louis, the region's public transportation agency, the U-Pass program provides full-time students,

benefits-eligible faculty and staff, and full-time employees of basic service contractors with unlimited access to the St. Louis metropolitan region on public transit. Faculty, staff, and students who use the U-Pass as the primary mode of transportation to and from campus may enroll in the Occasional Parking Program. There are three bus routes that are specifically designed for the Washington University's community to connect the Danforth Campus with nearby residential and shopping areas. For more information on the U-Pass program, please call (314) 935-5601 or visit the [Metro Transit page](#).

Metro Transit

You can ride Metro anytime for free with your U-Pass and valid Washington University ID. There are MetroBus stops on and near all WashU campuses as well as MetroLink train stations on or very near our campuses, including two MetroLink stations on Danforth Campus and one each at North Campus, West Campus and the Medical Campus and MetroBus stops on and within close walking distance to Danforth Campus, as well as near North Campus, West Campus and Medical School Campus. Metro route and schedule information is available on the [Metro St. Louis](#) webpage.

Metro Park & Ride

If you don't live close to a Metro stop, you can park for free at a Metro Park & Ride lot, some of which let you take a train directly to a MetroLink station on or very near our campuses. Visit [Metro's Park & Ride](#) page to learn more about your options and view locations. View all Park & Rides located at train stations on [WashU Ride's](#) interactive map.

Planning your Transit Trip

Use the [Transit app](#) to plan your Metro trip and to view all options on a map with real-time arrival countdowns, bus and train schedules, real-time locations of buses and trains, service alerts, and much more. The GO feature helps you navigate the transit system by notifying you when to leave to catch a bus or train, when a stop is approaching, when to exit, and more. It also lets you add bus or train lines to your favorites so they automatically show up at the top of your options.

WashU Rides

WashU Rides is a free commuter platform that helps individuals explore and compare their transportation options and find others who might be interested in carpooling or “bikepooling” (i.e., riding bikes together to and from campus) based on a specific route, schedule or a variety of other preferences.

The platform also features an interactive map that shows viewers transportation-related items, like dedicated bike lanes and paths to help cyclists find the safest routes to campus, Metro Transit stops, MetroLink Park & Ride lot, carpool commuter lots and more.

For more information and to sign up, visit [our WashU Rides page](#).



BearlyDriversCarpoolProgram

Carpooling is a great way to save money, reduce wear and tear on your vehicle, and reduce your carbon emissions. Full-time Danforth, North, and West Campus Washington University-paid employees are eligible to join. All members of the carpool MUST be paid by Washington University and be a full-time employee not currently on leave or sabbatical. In addition to helping the environment, benefits of carpooling include reduced-rate parking, prime parking spaces, and one free validation ticket per month for each carpool member with a valid registered vehicle on file. Carpool members are eligible to register for the Guaranteed Ride Home program through RideFinders (details below). Use [WashU Rides](#) to search for carpool matches based on your route, schedule and preferences. Visit the [Bearly Drivers page](#) for more information and to sign up.



Bicycles

Riding a bicycle instead of driving to campus is a great way to save money on fuel and also serves as an important part of a healthy lifestyle. Cyclists on campus should be careful to yield the right of way to pedestrians at all times. We strongly recommend using a u-lock, not a cable lock that can be easily cut, to secure your bike to a bike rack at all times. It is mandatory to register your bicycle with Parking and Transportation Services, which is free and makes your bike part of a national bike registration system in case it's lost or stolen. WUPD offers discounted high-quality U-locks for purchase by members of the Washington University community. Visit our [bike page](#) for bike resources and tips, to register your bike, and to view WashU's bike policy.

Walking

Walking is another great transportation alternative for health-conscious members of the university. Individuals who walk to campus are eligible for enrollment in the Occasional Parking program, as well as the Citizens for Modern Transit Guaranteed Ride Home program.



OccasionalParkingProgram

For those who use alternative transportation as their main commute method, or do not need frequent access to on campus parking, this program offers

levels of significantly discounted parking to Danforth Campus faculty, staff, basic services contractor employees, and graduate commuter students. Visit our [Occasional Parking Program page](#) for more details.



Guaranteed Ride Home

Available ONLY to those who use alternative transportation as their main commute method, this provides subsidized rides home—up to four per year—in case of an emergency. Visit the [Guaranteed Ride Home page](#) for more information



on eligibility, program benefits and instructions for use.

Enterprise CarShare

In lieu of the Enterprise CarShare program, the company is offering a special daily rental discount to WashU students and employees. Learn more on our [Enterprise CarShare](#) page.



Campus2Home

Staying on campus late? Get a safe ride home. This service leaves from Goldfarb Hall and the Mallinckrodt bus plaza every 15 minutes when school is in session. During break periods, the service leaves at the top and bottom of each hour. Please visit the webpage for eligible service areas. Schedule will vary during break periods. For information, visit our [Campus 2 Home](#) page.



Campus Circulator

This WashU shuttle has numerous stops around Danforth Campus.

- Arrives every 10 minutes during peak hours and every 20 minutes the rest of the day.
- Runs from 7:40 am to 4 am weekdays and 12 pm to 2 am weekends.
- Schedule will vary during break periods.
- Download the WUSTL app for iOS and Android for real-time shuttle locations and schedules. For routes and schedule information, visit our [Campus Circulator](#) page.



West Campus Shuttle

[West Campus](#) shuttles are in service Monday through Friday from West Campus to the Danforth Campus every 15 minutes, with service beginning at West Campus at 7 a.m., and the last pickup at Mallinckrodt Center at 11 p.m. The shuttles are not in service on Saturdays and Sundays. It's free to park in yellow spaces on Danforth without a permit on the weekend.



South Campus Shuttle

The [South Campus Shuttle](#) is available to faculty, students and staff between 7 a.m. and 11 p.m. Monday through Friday and from 12 p.m. to 11 p.m. on Saturdays and Sundays and provides service to South Campus, the Wydown Skinker neighborhood and Clayton Rd.



Lewis Center Shuttle

The Lewis Center shuttle provides service between the Danforth Campus and areas north of Delmar, including Quadrangle housing, the Lewis Center and the Lofts. It is available to faculty, students and

staff and runs from the Mallinckrodt Bus Plaza, Monday through Friday from 7 a.m. to 11 p.m., and between 12 p.m. and 11 p.m., Saturday and Sunday. Learn more on our [Lewis Center Shuttle](#) page.

Skinker-DeBaliviere Shuttle

The Skinker-DeBaliviere Shuttle is available to students and staff who travel to and from the Skinker-DeBaliviere neighborhood. It runs between 7 a.m. and 11 p.m. Monday through Friday and from 12 p.m. to 11 p.m. on Saturdays and Sundays. Learn more on our [Skinker-DeBaliviere](#) page.

DeBaliviere Place Shuttle

The DeBaliviere Place Shuttle is available to students and staff who travel to and from DeBaliviere Place. It runs between 7 a.m. and 11 p.m. Monday through Friday and from 12 p.m. to 11 p.m. on Saturdays and Sundays. Learn more on our [DeBaliviere Place Shuttle](#) page.

Delmar Loop Shuttle

Previously the 560 Music Center Shuttle, the Delmar Loop Shuttle is available to faculty, students and staff. It runs Monday through Friday from 7 a.m. to 11 p.m., and 12 p.m. to 11 p.m. on Saturdays and Sundays. Learn more on our [Delmar Loop Shuttle](#) page.

Goldfarb Express Shuttle

This shuttle provides service between the South 40, Mallinckrodt, and Goldfarb Hall before returning to the South 40. Learn more on our [Goldfarb Express Shuttle](#).

Moonrise Shuttle

This shuttle provides service to students living in the Moonrise Residential Community. The service runs from the Mallinckrodt Bus Plaza, Monday through Friday, from 7 a.m. to 11 p.m., and between 12 p.m. and 11 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday. Learn more on our [Moonrise Shuttle](#) page.

To learn more visit

[Transportation Options](#) webpage

Permit Regulations

Please note that [permit regulations](#) will be enforced at all times, including periods when classes are not in session. All vehicles on campus are subject to Washington University's parking regulations. Each operator is responsible for knowing and abiding by these rules. Because of the significant demand for parking on campus, the university has adopted a policy of strict enforcement to better protect the parking privileges of those who observe the regulations.

- Parking on the Washington University Danforth Campus is either designated for visitors or requires the display of a Washington University issued Danforth Campus permit.
- Permits are valid only when issued through Parking and Transportation Services.
- Permit ownership is nontransferable. As parking on campus is limited, permit holders may have only one vehicle on campus and occupy only one space at a time. Commuters who use additional vehicles must register all vehicles with Parking and Transportation Services and can then move the valid permit between the registered vehicles.
- Campus parking is allocated by zone. Vehicle operators should park only in areas and at times allowed by the permit displayed.
- The parking map shows the zones in their approximate size and location.
- Classification of zones and lots may be changed at any time as necessary.
- All operators must refer to signs displayed to determine where parking is allowed.
- Barricades, roped-off areas, and signs indicating parking for special events take precedence over general parking designations. Failure to adhere to the restrictions may result in fines and/or towing.
- The responsibility for finding a legal space rests with the motor vehicle operator. Inability to locate a convenient parking space is not an excuse for violating university parking regulations.
- The responsibility for parking correctly within a space rests with the motor vehicle operator. Citations will be issued for failure to park within the two white lines of the open-ended parking space. Vehicles parked on or over the line or within the double lines of a parking space will be ticketed.
- Motorcycles are required to park in areas designated solely for that purpose. Bicycles are required to park in areas designated solely for that purpose.
- All vehicles that belong to the immediate family of a university faculty, staff, or student, will be considered the responsibility of that individual, whether the vehicle is registered with the university or not. Any parking

violations charged against that vehicle will be the responsibility of the individual.

The following are violations to parking regulations that, in addition to a citation, could also result in the vehicle being towed from campus with no prior notice:

- Vehicle is parked in a fire lane or restricted zone. Campus fire lanes must always be kept clear to allow appropriate response from emergency teams when necessary.
- All fire lanes on the university campus will be designated in one or more of the following ways:
 - Traffic sign indicating fire lane
 - “FIRE LANE” painted on the pavement yellow curb
 - Diagonal yellow lines on pavement
 - “Authorized Vehicles Only” signage
- Vehicle not correctly parked between two white lines, including unmarked curbs on campus.
- Vehicles parked in spaces reserved for departments, Bearly Drivers, CarShare vehicles, or for special events.
- Vehicle is parked in an area not specifically designated for parking.
- Vehicle is parked illegally in a space designated as ADA or accessible parking for those who need to park close to buildings.
- Only those with state-issued disabled plates, placards, or Washington University temporary accessible permit and a paid Washington University permit or pass may use accessible spaces. For more information regarding accessible parking, see page 16.
- Vehicle is displaying a lost, stolen, invalid, altered, and/or fraudulent annual permit or short-term pass.

In addition to a fine of up to \$1,000 for displaying a lost, stolen, invalid, altered, and/or fraudulent annual permit or short-term pass, the car will be towed at the owner’s expense, the violator could have his/her parking privileges revoked, and the owner may be referred for criminal prosecution.

Please note that these regulations will be enforced at all times, including periods when classes are not in session. In addition, the following areas are strictly enforced 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

- Residential areas
- Meters serving residential areas
- Time-Limited parking areas
- Loading and service zones
- Accessible parking spaces
- Fire Lanes
- 24-hour red spaces
- “No Parking” areas

First Year Students

First year students are not permitted to bring a vehicle to the Washington University campus. Violation of this and other university policies could be a violation of Student Judicial Code.

Fines

Each individual is responsible for paying all violations. Individuals with outstanding fines will not be allowed to purchase new permits until the fines are paid in full. Outstanding fines could result in a vehicle being towed.

Parking Ticket Fines

Fines are printed on each ticket and placed on the offending vehicle that is in violation of any regulation.

Habitual violators are subject to an additional fine as well as towing. A complete list of university fines can be obtained from Parking and Transportation Services. See contact information.

Payment of Fines

Payment for all fines is due seven days from the date the violation was issued. Fines are payable on our [Parking and Transportation Services website](#), in person at Parking and Transportation Services on North Campus, or by mail (700 Rosedale Avenue, St. Louis, MO 63112).

Faculty and Staff

If fines are not paid within seven days, an invoice will be sent. If payment is not received, action will be initiated for payroll deduction. Subsequent vehicle registration will be withheld and permits will not be sold until all outstanding violations have been paid. Payment may be made as follows: cash, check, credit card, or payroll deduction. [Learn more](#).

Students

Fines will be charged to the student's account if not paid within seven days.

Students with delinquent accounts could have academic records placed on hold with the university. Registration materials, transcripts, and grade reports could be withheld pending settlement of all accounts. Payment may be made as follows: cash, check, credit card, or student account. [Learn more](#).

Appeals

Any vehicle owner/operator receiving a parking violation notice may contest that violation if there are grounds for appeal. Appeals of violation notices must be submitted to the University Parking Appeals Committee (in writing) or online on our [Appeal a Parking Citation](#) page within seven calendar days of the violation. Appeals received after seven calendar days will be denied. Lack of knowledge of regulations does not constitute valid grounds for appeal.

Appeals for violations are reviewed by the University Parking Appeals Committee. The appellant will be notified of the committee's decision in writing after the appeal hearing. The committee's decision will be reached on the merits of the submitted written appeal and with regard to Washington University parking regulations. Consideration will also be given to the appellant's history with Washington University Parking and Transportation. The decision of the University Parking Appeals Committee is final.

Towing and Relocation

The university reserves the right to [tow or relocate](#) any vehicle parked in violation of these regulations at the owner's expense. This may happen with no warning, even if the owner has no previous violations. Vehicles that have three or more unpaid violations and/or have been identified as habitual violators are also subject to tow.

For towing services, the university generally uses:

Hartmann's Towing
(314) 721-1445

6615 Olive Blvd., University City, MO 63130

If you suspect your vehicle has been towed or relocated, you should first contact Parking and Transportation Services at (314) 935-5601 to verify the location of your vehicle. After normal business hours and on weekends, contact the Washington University Police Department at (314) 935-5555.

Abandoned or derelict vehicles will be towed, stored, and/or disposed of at the discretion of the university. A vehicle is considered derelict if it is:

- Not properly licensed
- Inoperative or partially dismantled
- Parked on university property (without authorization) for more than 72 consecutive hours.
- *Any vehicle that is parked illegally, parked in violation of university policy, or that must be moved for special events or maintenance

The university is not responsible for damage to a vehicle resulting from towing or immobilization.

Vehicle Safety

Washington University provides parking for students, staff, faculty, and visitors. The university is not responsible for any damage to or theft from vehicles or theft of vehicles parked on university property. This is the sole responsibility of the vehicle owner or operator.

We recommend that you take every reasonable precaution to prevent theft and vehicular damage. Such measures include closing all windows, locking all doors, parking in designated areas only, following all traffic signs, refraining from displaying valuables such as purses, etc.

Should a theft or vehicle damage occur while parked on university property, contact University Police for reporting and investigative purposes at (314) 935-5555.

Vehicle Storage

The office of Parking and Transportation Services offers [vehicle storage](#) during fall break, winter break, and spring break for a small processing fee to current permit holders. For vehicle storage during these periods, an authorization form must be completed. In addition, a valid university parking permit or a break storage placard must be displayed on the vehicle, and the vehicle must be parked in the appropriate zone. All documentation and information is available from Parking and Transportation Services. The vehicle storage location during each of these break periods will be determined by the office of Parking and Transportation Services and printed on each break storage placard.

Vehicle storage on campus is prohibited during the summer. For a list of vehicle storage facilities in the area that will accommodate vehicle storage during the summer months, please contact Parking and Transportation Services.

At other times during the academic year: Commuters may not leave a vehicle unattended on campus for more than 72 consecutive hours without the express written consent of Parking and Transportation Services.

Campus residents may not leave a vehicle unattended on campus for a period exceeding 5 days without the express written consent of Parking and Transportation Services.

Motorist Assist Program (MAP)

Washington University Parking and Transportation Services and the Washington University Police Department have initiated a service for stranded motorists on the Danforth, North, South, and West campuses. MAP—[Motorist Assist Program](#)— provides free battery jump starts and vehicle unlocking services 24 hours a day.

Stranded motorists on campus can contact the WUPD at (314) 935-5555, or by using an emergency telephone on campus. Parking and Transportation Services or WUPD personnel will be dispatched to assist with a jump start or lockout. Vehicle operators will sign a Waiver of Liability form and produce identification to show they are authorized to have access to the vehicle.

In the event Parking and Transportation Services or WUPD personnel cannot assist with the problem, the motorist will be provided information on other services available in the area.

