

We encourage students to walk or bike to school.

### If You Walk to School . . .

Always use the crosswalks and crossing guard to cross streets – don't cross mid-block. The Crossing Guard is located at:

- Kennedy/Claremont

Student safety patrols also help students cross the streets. They are located at staff parking lot and:



- Kennedy/Dapin
- Kennedy/Havey

### If You Bike to School . . .

Helmets are strongly encouraged when riding a bicycle to school. MMSD requires bikers to have a helmet on school grounds.

Board of Education Policy states that a student age 10 or older may ride a bicycle to school. An adult must accompany younger bikers to school.

It is important that you walk your bike when you get to the front of the school near the entrance. Please remain on the sidewalk and off the grass. Riding bicycles on the playground is not permitted.



It is important to lock your bike in the bike rack during the school day.

### If You Drive to School . . .

- If coming from **Northport Dr:** Turn right on **Havey**, left on **Bonner Lane**, left on **Claremont**, then left on **Kennedy Rd.** Drop your child off in the No Parking area, but do not leave your car unattended. Do not stop in the bus loading/unloading area.
- If coming from **Wheeler Rd:** Turn onto **Kennedy Rd.** Drop child off in the No Parking area (before Claremont or in front of school), but do not leave your car unattended.
- **Claremont:** Park and walk with your child to school or have them cross with the Crossing Guard.
- **Dapin:** Park and walk your child or have them cross with safety patrol.



**The teacher's parking lot** (lot to side of school) is for **staff only**. This is not a drop off/pick up or turn around area.

Parking is **NEVER** allowed in the bus lane during school hours.

**U-turns are illegal** anywhere on **Kennedy Road**.

Follow the directions of Adult Crossing Guard:

- Stop your vehicle between 10 and 30 ft. from crossing guard; remain stopped until everyone has returned to curb.

**Observe all street signs and traffic, parking and pedestrian laws:**

The Madison Police Dept. will ticket any parent/caregiver who breaks these laws while dropping off/picking up their child:

- "No Parking" areas do allow for drop off or pick up, **but you cannot leave your car unattended!**
- "No Stopping, Standing or Parking" means that **student drop off/pick up is NOT allowed.**
- **It is illegal to leave your car unattended in a fire lane. It is also illegal to park within 10 ft. of a fire hydrant.**
- It is illegal to park within:
  - 4 feet of a driveway;
  - 20 feet of a crosswalk; and
  - 30 feet of a stop sign
- Motorists must yield the right of way to pedestrians crossing a street at any marked or unmarked crosswalk where there is no traffic signal. **Pedestrians do not have the right of way when crossing mid-block. Please use designated crosswalks.**
- It is illegal to double park to drop off/pick up your child, even if you remain in the car.
- Observe the speed limit. Slow down to 20 mph when children are present.



## Lindbergh Elementary Traffic Safety Plan

We have created a safety plan so all students arrive at school and are picked up from school in as safe a manner as possible.

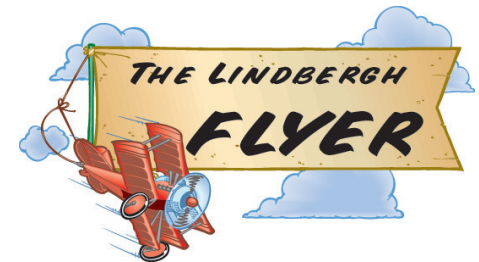
The plan will reduce congestion in front of the school (on Kennedy) and in the parking lot at both arrival and dismissal times, and will keep our crosswalks visible for the safety of our children.

If you drive, walk or bike your child to or from school, please read the guide and determine a plan for getting your child to school safely and ensuring the safety of all Lindbergh students on their way to and from school.

## Lindbergh Elementary School Traffic Safety Brochure

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### Four easy ways to decrease traffic at our neighborhood school

1. Walk or bike to school.
2. Form a walking school bus or biking train.
3. Drop your child off a few blocks from school and have them walk.
4. Carpool with people in your neighborhood.