



LOS ANGELES UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT



Pomelo Community Charter

CALIFORNIA DISTINGUISHED SCHOOL

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TRAFFIC SAFETY AND VALET PROGRAM

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Dear Pomelo Families:

This is a good time to reinforce and review our Traffic Safety and Valet Program rules to help keep our children, faculty and community safe at all times. By following these safety guidelines and reinforcing them with your children, you are helping to teach your children respect and good habits that will benefit them their entire lives.

TRAFFIC RULES

- Observe the posted speed limit around schools—it is there for a reason!
- Do not make illegal U-turns or 3-point turns at any time.
- Do not double-park at any time.
- Do not jaywalk through the traffic lanes—please walk your child to the nearest crosswalk to walk across the street safely. Large SUVs are unable to see students when crossing in between cars.
- Do not pull into the staff lot or use the staff lot to make a U-turn. This creates congestion and causes school staff to be late while waiting for parents to leave the lot.
- Do not park or block the red zone or the bus lane or knock down the traffic cones.
- Be alert for pedestrians crossing the street at the corners at Posey and March and at March and Pomelo. Many cars speed through the STOP signs.
- All gates open at 7:45 A.M. and close immediately at 8:12 A.M. If gates are closed, please proceed to the front of the school and walk your child into the office to sign him/her in.

POMELO VALET RULES

Our Pomelo staff members provide assistance to oversee the valet drop-off in the morning before school on March Avenue and on Pomelo Drive. This allows parents to drop off their students without having to park. Please observe these rules when using the Valet Program in the morning, and remember, this is a “drop-off only” lane.

- Follow the instruction of school staff and parent volunteers by pulling up to the front of the line before having your child exit your car.
- The morning gates open at 7:45 A.M., and the gates close immediately at 8:12 A.M. Please do not ask the school staff to open the gates if you are running late. You will have to go around to the main office to sign your child in. Students are expected to be in line at the 8:05 A.M. bell.
- Students should have materials and backpacks ready and kisses given before entering the valet line.

Safety of our students, faculty and families is our highest priority, and by working together and respecting the rules, we can continue to maintain safety for everyone.

Thank you for your support!
Andrea Ferber, Principal