

PARKING POCKET GUIDE

What is the role of Parking Officers?

Council's Parking Enforcement Team play an important role in creating a safe and accessible environment for both pedestrians and motorists. The team is most active around schools and shopping precincts to protect children and assist businesses with parking turn-over.

Why do we need parking restrictions?

Parking restrictions ensure the safety of both motorists and pedestrians, examples include vehicles stopping too close to corners and double parking. Parking restrictions also assist residents and businesses with parking turn-over so that parking can be shared equitably by all motorists.

The NSW Road Rules are the framework for safe and efficient movement of traffic on NSW roads.

Why do Parking Officers have a zero tolerance approach around schools?

School zone enforcement is important to protect both children and parents against inconsiderate motorists. It aims to provide a safe environment for children arriving and leaving the school.

What are my options when I receive an infringement notice?

In the event you receive an infringement notice you should within 21 days either pay the notice, lodge an appeal with the State Debt Recovery Office (SDRO) or elect to go to court.

	<p>No Parking</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> You must be dropping off or picking up passengers or goods You must stay within 3 metres of parked vehicle You can stay for up to 2 minutes after stopping
	<p>No Stopping</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No stopping signs are installed in areas deemed to be dangerous to motorists and pedestrians Sometimes a no stopping area is indicated by a solid yellow edge line.
	<p>Bus zone</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> You must not stop or park in a bus zone unless you are driving a public bus.
	<p>Mobility parking</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The wheelchair logo a sign means that only vehicles displaying a valid Mobility Parking Scheme Authority issued by the Roads and Maritime Services may park in that space.
	<p>Time Restricted Parking</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> You may park a vehicle for the period indicated on a permissive parking sign. A number immediately to the left of the letter P indicates that you must not park on the length of road, or in the area continuously for longer than the number of hours shown.
	<p>Metered parking</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> You may park a vehicle for the period indicated subject to the display of a valid ticket produced by the parking meter.
	<p>Permit Parking</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Some permissive parking signs allow authorised residents to park in an area for an unlimited period when displaying a City of Canada Bay issued Residential Parking Sticker and it is valid for the area indicated.

Other Offences – NSW Road Rules

- Parking of vehicles within 10m of an intersection
- Stop heavy/long vehicle longer than 1 hour
- Stop on path/strip in built-up area