

## **Parking Rules and Regulations**

Parking Rules and Regulations for Practical Nursing (PN) students at Eastern Center for Art and Technology (ECAT). This policy has been established to ensure the safety and security of our students, employees, visitors, and guests while they are on campus. All motor vehicles parking on ECAT property must be registered. Parking placards for PN students are transferable between the cars that are registered with the school. The placards are NOT transferable to another student. Parking placards for students are valid from purchase date until graduation. Placards remain the property of ECAT and may be cancelled or revoked for cause at any time.

## **Parking Placards**

All PN students must register each motor vehicle owned, operated, or brought onto campus.

- PN students can obtain a placard through the PN admission office.
- Students will be required to submit a valid driver's license, car registration, and insurance to obtain an ECAT parking placard. Failure to do so may result in student's car being towed.
- Parking placards will be valid for the duration of your program. The placards cost \$10 and are to be returned at graduation. Replacement placards cost \$25.
- Students **MUST** park at ECAT. Parking in nearby lots not associated with ECAT may result in academic disciplinary action.

## **Placard Locations**

Students are required to park in the designated areas:

- Full time PN students
  - Are expected to park in the first parking lot off the school's main entrance.
  - Exceptions - when BOTH fulltime classes are on campus at the same time:
    - Students are expected to park in the first parking lot off the school's main entrance. Once those 37 spaces are filled, THEN,
    - Students are expected to park in the spaces in front of veterinary science. Once 10 spaces are filled, THEN,
    - Students are expected to park in the back of the school in the designated area assigned that day.
- Part time PN students
  - Are expected to park in the back of the school in any non-visitor spot anytime after 4PM.

## **General Information and Regulations**

A PN student with parking fines outstanding from the current nursing level may not be permitted to attend the next level until fines are resolved. ECAT provides for handicapped parking through the use of approved signage and space marking. Only those individuals who have a government issued placard or handicapped license plate may occupy handicapped spaces.

- A motor vehicle may not be parked in any area from which it is restricted by signs, other traffic control devices, markings, or by specific action of ECAT.
- ECAT is not responsible for any damage or theft involving vehicles parked on its property.
- Motor vehicles, to include motorcycles and motorbikes, may not be parked in areas not specifically designated as valid parking zones. No motor vehicle may be parked at any time on a sidewalk or crosswalk, on the grass, in front of a driveway, doorway, or steps, within an intersection, on the roadway side of any vehicle that has stopped or parked at the side of a roadway, in service driveway or associated turnaround.

- No vehicle is to be parked in any manner that blocks or interferes with the use of a handicapped access ramp.
- No vehicle may interfere with the use of a fire hydrant, fire lane, or other emergency zone, create any other hazard, or unreasonably interfere with the free and proper use of the roadway, parking area or loading dock.
- Any damage to ECAT property will result in a fine and payment of damage costs.

### **Enforcement**

ECAT parking regulations includes ticketing and/or towing. All methods of enforcement have fines attached. Towing and storage fees, as well as vehicle retrieval, are the responsibility of the owner/operator.

- Parking a vehicle in such a way that it is in violation of any parking regulation will result in a \$25.00 fine for the first offense, then \$50 fine for each additional violation.
  - Taking up two spaces
  - Not parking between designated lines
  - Parking in visitor spots or areas not identified as PN parking.
- Parking in fire lanes and handicapped spaces incur a \$50 fine for the first offense, then \$100 for each additional violation.
- To ensure the safety of individuals on campus, PN students observed violating traffic rules will be assessed the following fines and/or lose their privilege to park on campus.
  - Excessive speeds will result in a \$100 fine.
  - Not stopping at posted signs will result in a \$100 fine.
  - Driving the wrong way down a one-way road will result in a \$250 fine.
- Continued abuse of parking and traffic rules can result in academic disciplinary action up to and including dismissal from the PN program.

### **Payment of Parking Fines**

A copy of the parking citations will be emailed to the student and applied to your student account. Payments cannot be made until 5 business days after the citation issuance. Citation charges will appear on your ECAT tuition card at that time. Payments can be made to the PN business office. Failing to pay parking fines will result in the student being unable to move to the next nursing level or graduate at the end of the program.

### **Temporary Restrictions**

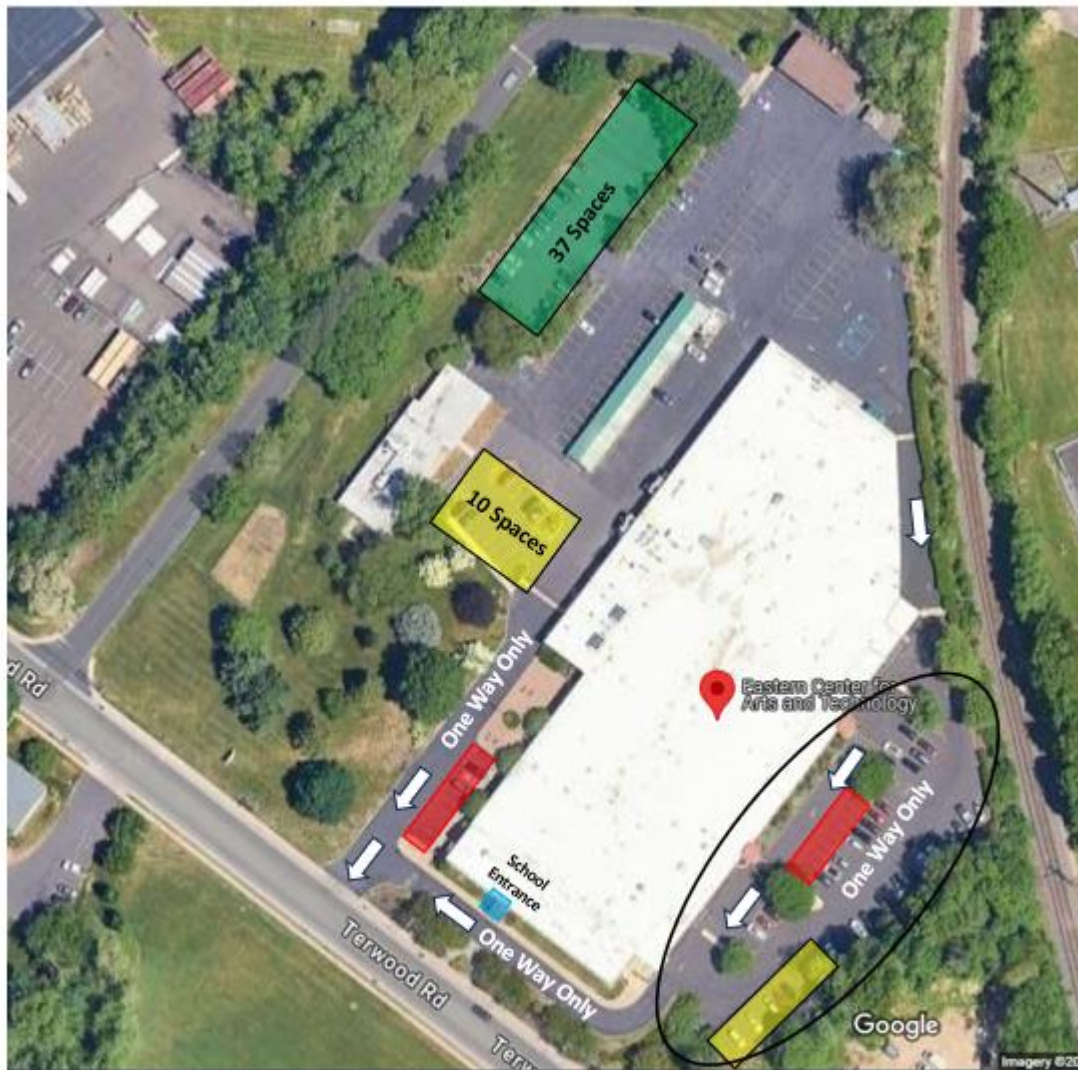
ECAT reserves the right to temporarily restrict and change the parking regulations as needs exist. Such restrictions will be conspicuously posted on appropriate signs and traffic control devices and will, when practical, be publicly announced in advance.

### **Accidents on Campus**

All accidents involving motor vehicles that occur on ECAT property must be reported to the PN Program Director immediately. Individuals can call 215-784-4819.

### **Disabled Vehicles**

Disabled vehicles should be reported to ECAT immediately. If a motor vehicle is creating a hazardous condition it will need to be move immediately. ECAT will tow any vehicles that are found to create a hazardous condition to pedestrians, other motor vehicles, or disrupt the flow of traffic. Vehicles that are towed are done so at the owner's expense.



#### Full Time Students

- Practical Nursing Parking
- Practical Nursing Overflow Parking

NO parking - Visitor Spaces

#### Part Time Students

- Back of the school

NO parking - Visitor Spaces