

Change in Traffic Pattern for Dexter School on Yeager Avenue

No through traffic is allowed on Yeager Avenue between Ingersoll Street and Lumpkin Road between 7-9 am and 2-4 pm on school days.

The Dexter school Principal, Ms. Edwina Smith, sent a letter to parents and sponsors via ASPEN email and AtHOC to remind them of the new traffic restrictions.

In January 2019, Dexter Elementary underwent a major construction and rezoning for the buses, car riders, walkers, and staff parking. The front of the school is designated for the Bus Loop and School Age Services Groups only. The West side of the school next to Ingersoll Street is the Car-rider Loop. The East side of the school next to the staff parking lot is the walker and bike rider area.

1. Bus Loop: No through traffic is allowed on Yeager Avenue past the staff parking lot between 7-9 am and 2-4 pm on school days. When buses are parked in the front with the flashers and safety arms extended, cars must stop. Parents and visitors cannot park or drop off late students in the front of the school at any time.

2. The Car-rider Drop-off and Pick-up Area is on the West side of the school adjacent to Ingersoll Street. A parent who is dropping off their student and does not need to come in the building for a meeting or other school business must use the Car-rider Loop. This reduces traffic in the staff/visitor parking lot and provides a safer area for our walkers and bike riders arriving and leaving the school.

3. Staff and Visitor Parking Lot: Parents may park in the staff/visitor lot only when:
(a) The parent has to walk the student in for late arrival after 8:45am or
(b) The parent has to walk in for a meeting or other school business.

The safety of our stakeholders is of utmost importance to us. Therefore, we need your support to ensure that our students, parents, and staff are safe during arrival and dismissal. Thank you for your continued support.