

Bismarck State College Parking Permit Guidelines

The Bismarck State College (BSC) parking permit program promotes efficient parking management while ensuring designated parking areas remain available for the students, employees, and visitors they are intended to serve.

Parking Permits

Parking permits are provided **at no cost** to the BSC community.

Parking permit registration is completed through the **Campus Connection Parking Program** or by using the [parking permit link](#). After registration is complete, parking permits may be picked up at the **BSC Campus Police Office**.

Hang Tags

BSC utilizes **hang tag parking permits**. Hang tags are designed to fit behind your vehicle's rearview mirror without obstructing the driver's view.

Students and employees must display a valid BSC parking permit whenever parked in designated permit parking areas on campus. Permits are required when parking in Employee and Residence Hall parking lots and are strongly encouraged when using open parking lots. Displaying permits helps Campus Police quickly identify vehicles and contact vehicle owners if necessary.

Hangs tag may be transferred between vehicles, however the vehicle displaying the hang tag must be registered in the Campus Connection Parking Program. Update vehicle information in Campus Connection whenever switching vehicles.

Parking Areas

Parking permits include a color band along the bottom edge identifying the designated parking areas authorized for that permit. **The [BSC Campus Parking Map](#) is color-coordinated to match each parking permit and clearly labels all parking lots.** Color-coded signs are also posted throughout campus to identify each designated parking area.

Permit Colors

Permit Color	Authorized Parking Area
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White	Open Parking Lots
Teal	Health Science Hall Residence Hall Parking
Yellow	Ritchie Hall, Gate City Hall, and Lidstrom Hall Residence Hall Parking
Green	Swenson Hall Residence Hall Parking
Gray	Mystic Hall Residence Hall Parking

Permit Color	Authorized Parking Area
Blue	Werner Hall Residence Hall Parking
Black	Employee Parking Lots

Employee Parking

Employee parking lots are reserved for vehicles displaying a valid Employee parking permit.

Residence Hall Parking

Residence hall parking lots are reserved for residents displaying the appropriate color-coded Residence Hall parking permit for their assigned residence hall.

Open Parking

Open parking lots are available for use by **BSC students, employees, and BSC visitors**. Parking permits are not required to park in these lots; however, **overnight parking is not permitted** in open parking areas.

Parking Enforcement

Campus Police enforce parking regulations to ensure parking remains available for those authorized to use each lot.

Vehicles parked in an unauthorized permit-designated parking area may be subject to citation. Repeated violations or vehicles creating a parking issue may be towed at the owner's expense.

Our goal is education and voluntary compliance. Campus Police are available to answer questions and assist members of the BSC community with parking permits and parking regulations.

Questions

If you have questions regarding parking permits or campus parking regulations, please contact the **BSC Campus Police Department**.