

DRIVEWAY/WALKWAY SAFETY POLICY

The FKO driveway/walkway area is the only part of our center that is NOT CHILD-FRIENDLY. We beseech you to exercise the utmost in diligence when you are in the driveway/walkway area. PLEASE HOLD CHILD(REN) BY THE HAND AT ALL TIMES, BEING ESPECIALLY AWARE IN THOSE MOMENTS WHEN YOU ARE OPENING THE DOOR OF YOUR VEHICLE TO LET YOUR CHILD IN, OR IF YOU ARE DEALING WITH MULTIPLE CHILDREN. Pull into spaces slowly, and look behind your vehicle before you back out. Do not allow distractions like cell phones when you are moving your car or walking with your child in the parking lot. NO CHILDREN should be allowed to stay in the car unattended. They must accompany you into the building. A tragedy in the parking lot is something none of us could live with.

Walking hand in hand on the walkway/driveway is essential for safety. Please do not allow your child(ren) to take off running down the walkway into the driveway AROUND THE BACK OF THE CAR TO GET INTO CARS BY THEMSELVES, whether you have one or two children, they have got to be in your control. Please use both of your hands, one for each child.

GETTING INTO THE CAR AND CONTINUING TO RUN-AROUND UNSUPERVISED IN THE DRIVEWAY, WALKWAY, THROUGH THE GARDEN OF FLOWERS, ETC. is not only dangerous for them, but also the parent. Parents are picking up and may not see your child dart out into the driveway, or see you running after them, not to mention if they run in the road. This also includes running down the walkway onto the private patio (which has things on it not safe for children to be touching or running by); in and around the house through flowering plants and on to the sidewalk and driveway completely unaccompanied by their parents, because they are NOT HOLDING THEIR CHILDREN'S HANDS.

Central Street is a cutoff from Spring Street, as it gets very congested, and people, even if obeying the speed limit, may hit a child or adult because the child(ren) was not in the control and supervision of the parent.

This is a huge safety factor for all concerned, as well as parents who are running after their child(ren) in the yard, sidewalk, walkway, and driveway. Your child, whether it be one or two, another child left unsupervised while you are running after the second child you have..now their are two children not within a parents control for safety. Please make sure that when you are leaving after pickup that YOU HOLD THEIR HANDS AT ALL TIME, WHETHER IT BE ONE OR TWO, then open the door of your car (prefer it on the side of the driveway beside the bushes) then let them get into the backseat. At that point you can buckle both children in.

Thank you all for understanding the position of For Kids Only Preschool, as well as other families, when it comes to the safety of the children when dropping off in the mornings and leaving at the end of the day.

Let's all work together for safety's sake!

I HAVE READ & UNDERSTAND THE DRIVEWAY/WALKWAY SAFETY POLICY.

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE

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TODAY'S DATE