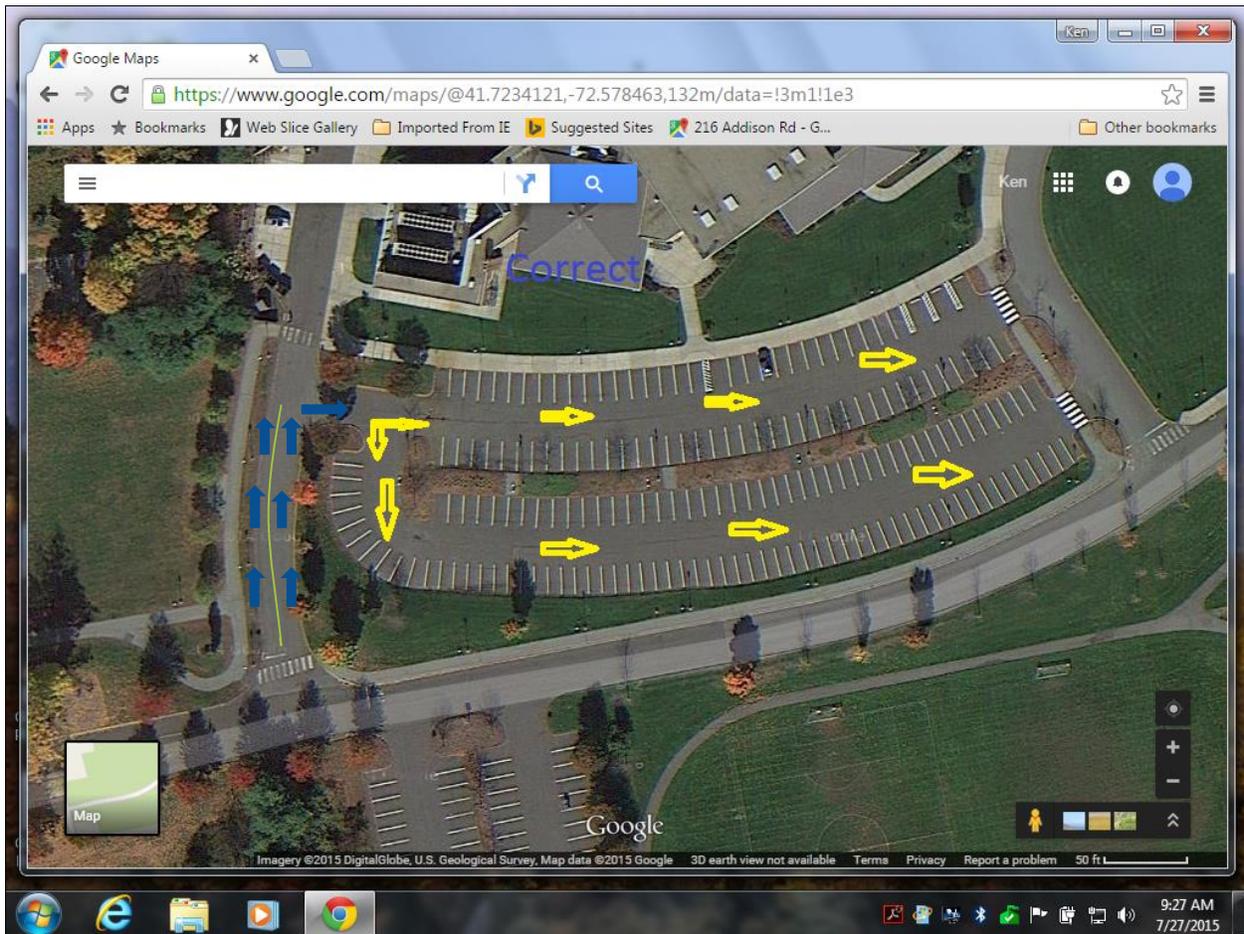


# Traffic Flow at SMS

## Procedures for Dropping off & Picking up Students

Parents/Guardians who are dropping students off (not parking or waiting) or picking students up shall take the first left off the main driveway, and then an immediate right into the visitor lot closest to the cafeteria. There are blue signs posted at both locations directing parents/guardians where to turn. **Please wait to drop off students at the end of the parking lot near the crosswalks, closest to the school's main entrance so that students may exit and walk to the school safely.** There are also twelve parking spaces marked "short term parking" that may be used to drop off or pick up students by the sidewalk. Parents when dropping off your child please drive all the way forward to the crosswalk by the traffic circle and when it appears that the first row is backing up please start to feed into the second parking row. When your child is dropped off or picked up, please exit the lot via the east side of lot. Failure to do so can cause traffic problems where our buses cannot drop off or pick up our students safely.



# Traffic Flow at SMS

## Procedures for Dropping off & Picking up Students

The traffic circle in front of the main entrance can **NOT** be used to drop off or pick up students during regular drop off/pick up times. This area is strictly for handicapped van access or parents dropping off a child with a temporary physical disability. Access to this area is posted as restricted. If a student is being picked up or dropped off during the school day (8:15 A.M. to 2:15 P.M.), the **parking spaces** in the front traffic circle may be used. At no time should cars be parked or left unattended within the main traffic circle.

**Dropping off or picking up students on Addison Road or Eastern Boulevard is strictly prohibited.** Signs are clearly posted prohibiting stopping, standing or discharging passengers at these areas.

### **Please Note:**

- Please do not drive on the road that goes around the back of the building anytime school is in session. This is for bus traffic only.
- All students arriving before 7:35 A.M. must enter through the main entrance and remain there until 7:35 A.M.
- After 3:00 P.M., drivers may use either the “park and wait visitor lot” or the main traffic circle. Please do not park or leave cars unattended at any time in the main traffic circle.
- **When exiting the school, oncoming traffic entering from Addison Road and turning left has the right of way. Please stop for oncoming traffic entering the school to avoid traffic backing up onto Addison Road.**