

PARKING PERMITS:

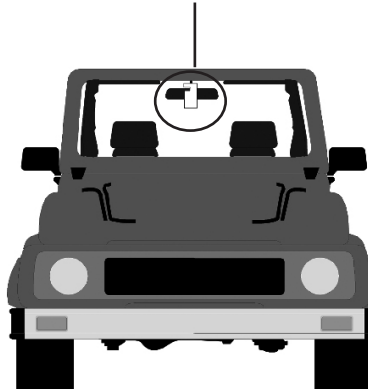
Members of faculty and staff may pick up their parking decal permits at the Campus Police office. Parking permits for students, faculty and staff members with physical disabilities must be cleared through the Counseling Center and will be issued by the Campus Police.

Student parking permits are “hang tags” and will need to be hung from the rear view mirror of your automobile. This tag can be moved to a different vehicle if necessary. Cost of the tag is covered by the Security Fee that is charged to each student. Students will make application at the Campus Police office for these parking tags.

Motor Vehicle Regulations, Crime Statistics and Other Services



Placement of Student Parking Permit
“hang tag”



ACC
ALVIN COMMUNITY COLLEGE
POLICE DEPARTMENT
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Alvin Community College Police Department’s primary goal is to provide a safe environment for all persons who use the campus. The department is staffed with Police Officers who are commissioned by the State of Texas and are charged with the responsibility of receiving, investigating, and reporting all criminal activities. Department policies require that officers immediately respond to, and investigate any criminal offenses or incidents. All investigations that involve students or employees are reported to the appropriate offices for disciplinary action. The College Police Department also provides a variety of services to students and employees, such as motor assists, first aid, lost and found, information, escorts and other services.

REPORTED CRIME STATISTICS:

VIOLENT CRIMES

	2011	2012	2013
Murder	0	0	0
Sexual Offense			
Forcible	0	0	0
Non-forcible	0	0	0
Robbery	0	0	0
Aggravated Assault	0	0	0

NON-VIOLENT CRIMES

Burglary	2	2	2
Motor Vehicle Theft	0	1	0
Liquor Violations	5	0	0
Drug Violations	0	0	0
Weapons Offenses	0	0	0
Simple Assaults	1	0	0
Thefts	9	9	5
Arson	0	0	0

CALLS FOR SERVICE

Motor assists, escorts, key assists, first aid, etc.	10,182	8,759	8,940
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The Crime Awareness and Campus Security Act of 1990 requires colleges to distribute to all students, employees and to applicants for enrollment or employment and a description of policies and services related to campus security and statistics concerning types of crime.

The most common crimes on campus include the theft of unattended or unsecured books, backpacks, purses and wallets.

ALL PERSONAL INJURY ACCIDENTS OR MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS OCCURRING ON CAMPUS MUST BE IMMEDIATELY REPORTED TO THE CAMPUS POLICE.

Alvin Community College is accessible between the hours of 7:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. Some areas are accessible Saturdays and Sundays from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. for weekend classes. Sensitive areas are closed when college employees are not present; however, procedures through the Police Department are in place so that students can access most labs to fulfill requirements that cannot be completed during normal class times. The College Police Department is monitored 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

**ALVIN COMMUNITY COLLEGE
TRAFFIC AND PARKING
REGULATIONS:**

Parking rules and regulations of Alvin Community College are designed to create safe traffic and parking conditions on ACC’s campus. Personal safety, recognition of the College’s needs and applicable laws are the primary objectives of these regulations.

The College reserves the right to change these regulations, without notice, as necessitated by college change or due to the State of Texas Legislation. The College Administration has the power to establish and enforce a policy of traffic regulations. On special occasions-and during emergency situations-parking and traffic limitations may be imposed by the Campus Police Department.

No vehicle may be operated on ACC property if such operation is in violation of Texas Law. ACC is not responsible for vehicles damaged or personal property lost from vehicles while on campus. The College also claims no responsibility for vehicles stolen while parked on campus.

All persons are responsible for knowledge of and compliance with parking rules and regulations. Copies of these regulations are available from the ACC Campus Police Department.

Traffic Violations

The following regulations are applicable at all times:

- (a) Parking in a space reserved for faculty and staff members; these are striped WHITE.
- (b) Parking in a space reserved for students; these spaces are striped YELLOW.
- (c) Parking in a space reserved for students, faculty, and staff members with physical disabilities; these spaces are striped in BLUE and marked "HANDICAP."
- (d) Parking in a no parking zone; these areas are marked in RED and some are YELLOW STRIPED. Parking in these areas is prohibited at all times.
- (e) Back-in parking; this includes either backing into a space or driving through to the next space, placing the vehicle backwards.
- (f) Speeding; the speed limit is thirty (30) miles per hour on Mustang Rd. and Childres Rd. and twenty (20) miles per hour on campus parking lots.
- (g) Failing to yield the right of way to a pedestrian on a marked or unmarked crosswalk at an intersection.

Pedestrian Responsibilities

No pedestrian shall suddenly leave curb or other place of safety so that it is impossible for the driver to yield. Every pedestrian crossing a roadway at any point other than within a marked crosswalk or with in an unmarked crosswalk at an intersection shall yield the right way to all vehicles upon the roadway.

Traffic Citations - Campus Policy

- (a) Parking of trailers or boats on college property.
- (b) Parking in restricted areas without an appropriate permit.
- (c) Parking on the grass.
- (d) Parking or driving on campus service roads or sidewalks.
- (e) Parking automobiles in the motorcycle parking grid.

Offenses

Illegal Parking

1. Failure to display a current parking permit.
2. Parking with parking decal improperly displayed.
3. Failing to park within the lines of a designated space.
4. Parking in an area without the proper decal for that area.
5. Parking where prohibited by signs or markings.
6. Parking in an area not designated a proper parking area.
7. Blocking a crosswalk or sidewalk.
8. Blocking a driving lane.
9. Pulled through or vehicle placed backwards into a space.
10. Parking in a Tow-away-Zone.
11. Committing other parking violations.
12. Parking illegally in a handicapped zone or ramp.

Moving Violations

13. Exceeding posted speed limits (30 m.p.h. on Childres Rd. & Mustang Dr.; 20 m.p.h. in parking lots and campus streets).
14. Operating motor vehicle in a prohibited direction on a one-way street or parking-lot lane.
15. Failing to yield right-of-way to pedestrians.
16. Failing to stop before passing stop signs.
17. Driving on sidewalks or off of roadways.
18. Committing other moving violations.
19. Committing any other violations as defined in the Official Texas Motor Vehicle Laws Booklet.

Additional Violations

20. Alerting, damaging, or moving College traffic signs, markings, or signal devices.
21. Failing to obey proper traffic requests or directions of College traffic Officers.
22. Failing to observe temporary parking, route, detour, or barricade markings.

Parking violations # 1-3 \$5.00

Parking violations # 4-11 \$10.00

Parking violations # 13-22 \$15.00

Parking in HANDICAP ZONES # 12 \$25.00

Abandoned motor vehicles will be towed away from the campus and impounded after 3 days, unless arrangements are made in the College Police Office. Unauthorized vehicles shall be subject to fine and / or towing.

Resolving Citations

College traffic citations are handled by the College Police Department subject to the right to appeal to the Judicial Committee. There are two (2) options for resolving traffic citations.

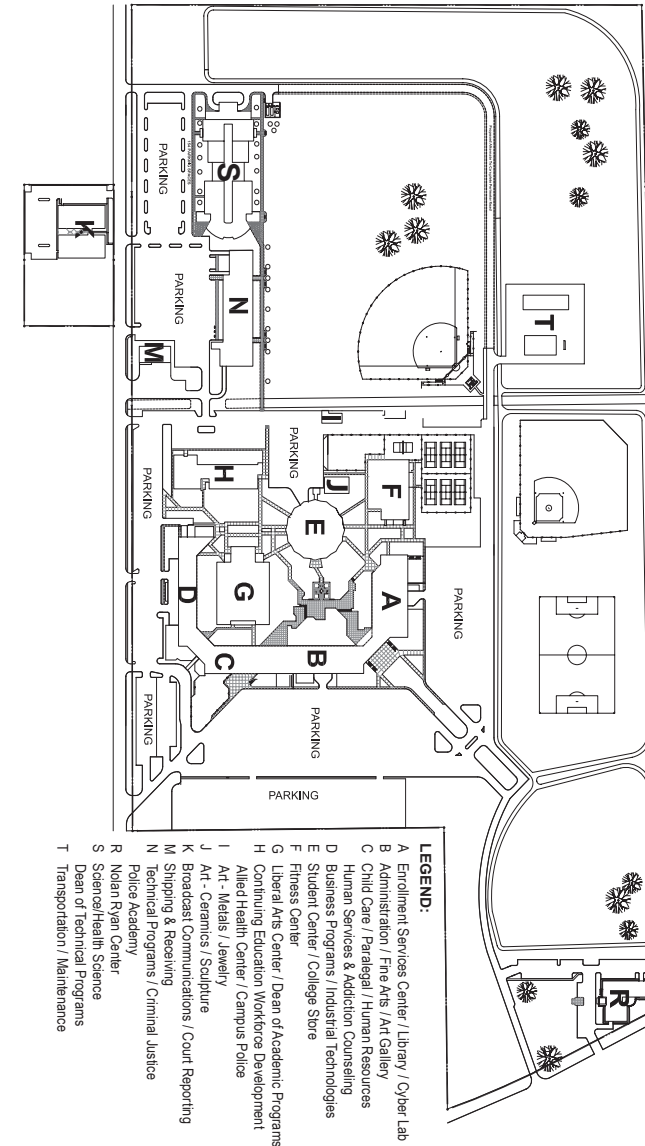
1. Pay reinstatement fee.
2. Appeal to the Judicial Committee.

If the operator believes that the citation is unwarranted, he/she may report to the College Police Office, H. Building, Room 132, within fourteen (14) days of the issuance date of the citation where an appeal may be filed. The Judicial Committee meets the first Wednesday of the month. When an appeal application is made, the date and time of meeting will be given to applicant at that time. No other notification will follow. Once a reinstatement fee has been paid, the option to appeal expires. If additional enforcement action to resolve a citation has occurred (encumbrance of student records, hold of college pay check, or refiling in JP3 Court), an appeal to the Judicial Committee can not be made. Students who have five (5) or more outstanding citations will be handled under disciplinary procedures for the Student Code of Conduct for failure or refusal to pay debt or fine owed to the College.

For Your Protection

1. Keep your automobile locked; never leave the keys in the vehicle and avoid leaving property where it is visible (store this material in the trunk).
2. Before entering check your car for possible break-ins.
3. Personal property (purses, brief cases, textbooks, etc.) should never be left unattended. Keep such items with you while in the classroom, cafeteria, snack bar, or student lounges.
4. Lock all bicycles in bicycle racks.
5. Make a record of the serial numbers of all personal property.
6. Report promptly all suspicious persons, out of ordinary situations, suspicious questions, actions, or dangerous conditions to the College Police Office, Building H, Room 132, 281-756-3700. For additional information or assistance, please feel free to contact College Police.

Alvin Community College Campus Map



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