



DELHI PUBLIC SCHOOL, CHANDIGARH

Dear Parents

The UT Administration has taken a commendable initiative for our City Beautiful by promoting carpooling. This initiative will not only help reduce traffic congestion and environmental pollution but will also ensure the safe and smooth arrival and dispersal of our students. It is also in accordance with the STRAPS Policy , which mandates that the boarding and deboarding of students take place from within the school premises.

We seek your wholehearted support in making this initiative a success.

1. We strongly encourage all parents to form carpools in accordance with the directions of the UT Administration and the provisions of the STRAPS Policy. The school has already implemented mandatory carpooling for its staff, reducing the number of teachers' vehicles from 110 to 45. You must have noticed the large open area now available in front of the school building, which has been created to facilitate the safe boarding and deboarding of students.
2. The programme has been launched in a phased manner. In the first phase, parents residing in Sectors 35 to 40 have been contacted to form carpools. The initiative will gradually be extended to other sectors. We are providing a suggestive list from your neighbourhood, parents are free to form groups according to their convenience and consent
3. Parents travelling in carpool vehicles will be permitted to bring their vehicles inside the school premises to drop their children. Our school team will be present to assist throughout the process. We request that your child be ready to alight immediately upon the vehicle entering the school premises so that traffic movement remains smooth and efficient.

Please note that only carpool vehicles will be permitted to enter the school campus for student drop-off.

Together, let us support this meaningful initiative and set an example for our children by contributing towards a cleaner, greener, safer, and more responsible Chandigarh.

Warm regards

Class Teacher