

Parking Penalties

ROAD SAFETY FACT SHEET

Current to 30 June 2026

For more information contact Council's Road Safety Officer on 8757 9000

No Parking Zones Australian Road Rule - 168

Where *No Parking* signs are present, you are authorised to stop your vehicle for the purpose of dropping off or picking up passengers or goods. Your vehicle must not be stopped for longer than **2 minutes** and the driver must not be more than **3 metres** away from the vehicle at any time.

Parking in this zone is not permitted.

Some no parking zones may have varying hours of operation. This means restrictions only apply to parking within the allocated times shown.

Includes stopping, when the vehicle is not moving but the engine is still running.

Fine: From \$140

School Zone Fine: \$235 + 2 Demerit Points

No Stopping Zones Australian Road Rule - 167

Where *No Stopping* signs are present, you must not stop or park your vehicle within the marked zone.

Includes stopping, when the vehicle is not moving but the engine is still running.

Fine: From \$330

School Zone Fine: \$423 + 2 Demerit Points

Pedestrain Crossings

Australian Road Rule - 171-173

You must not park or stop on or near a pedestrian crossing at any time.

Includes stopping, when the vehicle is not moving but the engine is still running.

Fine: From \$423 + 2 Demerit Point School Zone Fine: \$562 + 2 Demerit Points

Intersections

Australian Road Rule - 171-173

When at an intersection, unless a roadsign allows you to park, youmust not stop or park your vehicle within 20 metres of an intersecting road where traffic lights are present, or within 10 metres of an intersection with a roundabout or without traffic lights.

Includes stopping, when the vehicle is not moving but the engine is still running.

Fine: From \$423 + 2 Demerit Points

School Zone Fine: \$562 + 2 Demerit Points

Bus Zones Australian Road Rule - 195

You must not stop or park your vehicle within a bus zone. Some bus zones may have varying hours of operation. This means restrictions only apply to parking within the allocated times shown.

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Fine: From \$330

School Zone Fine: \$423 + 2 Demerit Points











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Double Parking Australian Road Rule - 189

You must not park your vehicle alongside one that is already parked at the side of the road.

Includes stopping, when the vehicle is not moving but the engine is still running.

Fine: From \$330

School Zone Fine: \$423 + 2 Demerit Points

Footpaths and Nature Strips Australian Road Rule - 197

You must not park your vehicle with two wheels mounted on the nature strip or park across or over a footpath as this creates an obstruction to pedestrians and/or bicycles.

Includes stopping, when the vehicle is not moving but the engine is still running.

Fine: From \$330

School Zone Fine: \$423 + 2 Demerit Points

Driveways Australian Road Rule - 198

You must not park your vehicle across or over a driveway as this creates an obstruction to vehicles entering or exiting the premisis.

You are authorised to stop your vehicle here for the purpose of dropping off or picking up passengers or goods.

Fine: From \$330

School Zone Fine: \$423 + 2 Demerit Points

Disabled Parking Area Australian Road Rule - 203

You must not stop or park your vehicle in any area with a *Disabled Parking* sign present unless you have a current **Mobility Parking Scheme (MPS)** card displayed and you are carrying a person with a disability.

Fine: From \$704 + 1 Demerit Point

Continuous Yellow Line Australian Road Rule - 169

You must not stop or park your vehicle on any road where a continuous yellow line has been painted along the kerb.

Fine: From \$330









