Ridgewater College Parking Information

Parking permits are available and can be picked up in the Business Office from 8:00 A.M. - 4:30 P.M. M-F.

Please be sure to have your:

1. Student ID#. This is given to you at the time you register for classes at Ridgewater College.
2. Your vehicle license plate number
3. Make, model & color of your vehicle

Permits should be hung from the rearview mirror. Permits are valid at both the Willmar and Hutchinson Campus. Permits do not have an expiration date and can be used as long as you are a student at Ridgewater. Permits are tied to the registered vehicle. Additional permits are available for $5.00.

Tickets will be issued for the following:

No or outdated parking permit - $20.00*
Handicap violation - $200.00
Parked in marked zone - $20.00* for any of the following:
  • Customer parking
  • Fire hydrant or fire lane
  • Loading zone or exceeding 30 min. parking
Parked in restricted area - $20.00* for any of the following:
  • Staff lot
  • Workforce lot
  • Visitor
Improper parking - $20.00* for any of the following:
  • Extending parking stall (straddling lanes)
  • Blocking roadway or crosswalk
  • Vehicle parked in motorcycle only area

*Second offence - $40.00

Please note: Citations paid within 14 calendar days of the date written, will be reduced to $10.00, Vehicles with three or more unpaid citations may be towed or immobilized. Tickets for all violations, except “No parking permit” will begin the first day of classes. You are allowed the first week to pick up your parking permit. Ticketing will begin the second week of classes for no parking permit. Failure to pay citations within thirty (30) calendar days from citation date will result in a $30.00 late fee. A complete list of parking rules and regulations is available on the student portal of the Ridgewater website.

Parking fines can be paid in person or by mail:

Willmar Campus
Ridgewater College
Business Office, 2101 15th Ave NW
Willmar, MN 56201

Hutchinson Campus
Ridgewater College
Business Office, Two Century Ave SE
Hutchinson, MN 55350