

Outdoor Learning-Streets Guidelines for Schools



Schedule

- All OL-Ss permitted for Mon-Fri, 7am-4pm

Barricades & Tents, Chairs, Other School Equipment

- Furniture (chairs, tents, etc.) must be kept out of the 15' fire lane at all times
- Barricades must stretch from curb to curb on both ends of pedestrianized street except for a 5' gap at one end to allow bicycle access. Barricades must not block crosswalks.
- Barricades and equipment cannot be set up before 7am, and must be removed and placed on school property by 4pm
- Equipment must not be stored on sidewalks. Sidewalks must remain passable at all times

Staffing

- School must set up, take down, and store barriers overnight
- School employees must remain present at barricades at all times
- School staff must escort vehicles onto and off of the block, including out of parking spaces

Vehicle and Bicycle Access

Vehicle access is minimized to avoid class disruption:

- Emergency vehicles permitted
- Access A Ride vehicles permitted
- Vehicles allowed to exit parking spaces and exit and return to driveways on the block
- No other vehicles permitted to drive on the street during OL-S hours. School buses and parent vehicles are not permitted
- Bicycle access is permitted



French Barricades stretch across a road

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For Locations Where Tents, Chairs, or other Furniture is Allowed

- Teachers may park in areas signed for authorized teacher parking
- No other parking allowed on block
- DOT will provide schools with digital copy of No Standing signage for OL-S block. Schools will hang paper signage on existing sign poles
- Street parking will be open to the community outside of school hours
- Street parking will be open to community members during inclement weather days, following DOE inclement weather policy



On blocks with tents or other furniture, all parking is banned except for teacher parking in authorized areas

For Locations Where Tents, Chairs, or other Furniture is Not Allowed

- Parking is allowed on both sides of the street but must follow existing parking signs

