



SAFE PARKING TIPS

According to the Insurance Institute of Highway Safety (IIHS), 20% of all reported vehicle crashes occur in parking lots. It's important to stay safe and avoid collisions when parking.

Back in where legal

When parking spots are not angled, it is safer to park in reverse to gain full visibility when pulling out of the parking space.

Adjust mirrors

Properly positioned mirrors help minimize blind zones and maximize the driver's field of view. This is especially important when backing into a parking spot.

Straighten up

After successfully backing in, straighten tires to be in the right position to drive out safely.

Pull through

Seek out pull-through parking spots whenever possible. Even though these spots tend to be on the outskirts of a parking lot and may require a longer walk to your destination, they are safer and easier to park in.

Go slow and stay alert

Proceed with caution when pulling-through a parking spot as other drivers could be trying to enter the same spot from the opposite side. Also, slow down and be on the lookout for other vehicles and pedestrians when exiting the parking spot.