Driving and Parking Instructions
Clemson University – Tillman Auditorium

Please print and distribute directions and the drop-off diagram to ALL drivers. Download the free my.Clemson app to your smart phone or tablet from Google Play or the App Store – lots of very useful campus GPS maps and bus schedules!

Driving Directions – from I85 South
(Search Google Maps for Tillman Hall, Clemson, SC 29634 for alternate routes)
▪ Take I-85 south to exit #19B (Hwy. 76/28 west). Exit toward Clemson University.
▪ Follow Hwy. 76/28 west for approximately 12 miles. Just after you pass the armory on your right and go through a traffic light, exit off Hwy 76 (Hwy 93 S towards Clemson University).
▪ At the top of the exit ramp, turn left onto Hwy 93 S.
▪ Stay on Hwy 93 through two traffic lights, passing the President’s house (white building with columns) on your left.
▪ At the 3rd light, turn left. Sikes Hall will be on your left.
▪ Tillman Hall is the brick building with the clock tower right in front of you.
▪ Full size buses may not enter the circle/horseshoe in front of Tillman.
▪ The Tillman auditorium is in the far right portion of the building, enter through the glass doors. Please avoid entering the main part of the building as classes will be in session. Restrooms are located just outside the auditorium - enter through the glass, then metal doors, and follow the hallway around to the right.

Bus Unloading Procedures
(Please review the attached drop off diagram with your driver in advance)

Unfortunately, full sized buses cannot pull into Gantt Circle (the horseshoe) in front of Tillman Hall to unload – there is not enough room to navigate the circle and exit. Instead...
• All buses will unload on the right side of Calhoun Dr. We have reserved all 12 of the green parking spaces leading up to Tillman Hall to serve as a bus pull off area/unloading zone. A parking services attendant will be on hand to direct and assist. Pull off the road, onto the green parking spaces, and all the way forward if there is space in the unloading zone. Quickly unload your students and send your bus to the parking areas. There is a 2-minute loading/unloading time limit and room for 3-4 buses to unload at a time.
• DO NOT stop your bus outside of the bus loading zone, or block traffic any time.
• If there isn’t room to pull over into the unloading zone (too many buses ahead of you, or traffic stacked up behind you), you must be prepared to loop around and try again.
  ○ To make a loop: pass Tillman and take the first right onto Fort Hill St. At the bottom of the hill at the stop sign, turn right onto Williamson (in front of football stadium). Pass the football stadium and turn left onto the Avenue of Champions. Pass Littlejohn Coliseum and at the light, turn left onto Perimeter/Pearman and follow it all the way around to the other side of campus. Pass the SC Botanical Gardens and at the next light, turn left onto Newman Road. At the 2nd light, turn left onto Hwy 93/Cox Blvd/Old Greenville Hwy and begin the approach to campus/Tillman Hall again.
**Be sure to exchange cell phone numbers with your driver so that you can coordinate pick up!**

If you are eating in Schilletter Dining Hall after the exam, or walking over to Long/Jordan Halls, a convenient pick up location is in front of the Hendrix Center. To see a map, search for Hendrix Student Center, McMillan Road, Clemson, SC on Google Maps. Call for your bus only when you are ready to board and depart.

**Bus Parking** (see map)

After unloading, buses have only one parking option (this year):
- Park on Perimeter Road in the bus pull off area (expanded shoulder), above the football practice fields and across the street from the R3 lot – park to conserve space as 10 buses will need to park in this area.

**Bus drivers may catch the free CAT bus (orange route) at the corner of Centennial and the Ave of Champions (or the corner of Centennial/Ravenel) to ride back to Tillman (get off at the Hardin Hall stop).**

CAT buses are scheduled to arrive every 7 minutes. See CAT bus schedule at [www.catbus.com/home/tiger.html](http://www.catbus.com/home/tiger.html) or in real time by downloading the free my.Clemson app to your smartphone or tablet from Google Play or the App Store. It is only a 7-10 minute walk from the parking lot to Tillman.

**Car or Van Parking**

This is the most challenging part of using our location, Tillman Hall....the scarcity of parking on a business day in the middle of our busy campus. Please review the information below, the parking maps online, **have a parking plan in advance**, and know that it is going to take some extra time on Friday morning. I thank you in advance for your patience!

**Metered parking** ($2/hour – see attached map of all meter locations)

Cars or vans may be parked in a marked metered space. Metered spaces fill quickly in the mornings. The meters closest to Tillman Hall are:
- next to and behind Sikes Hall,
- on Fort Hill St (across from Holmes or McCabe),
- in Bryan Circle (in front of Mauldin or Lever -high rise dorm),
- or next to the library (Cooper).

An online list of meter locations can be found at [www.clemson.edu/campus-life/parking/meter.html](http://www.clemson.edu/campus-life/parking/meter.html).

Metered parking is $2/hour. Payment options include quarters, $1.00 bills, and credit and debit cards. Each metered lots has signage that identifies the metered spaces as well as the location of the meter. Look for the white “P” on the side of a pay station and the black, bronze and white “Pay Meter Here” signs. These signs display directions on how to pay the multi-space pay station. **Be aware of the time limits and make plans to return and feed the meter if necessary to avoid ticketing.**

Metered spaces can be located by downloading the Parker app to find space availability in real-time or by checking the meter map, [www.clemson.edu/campus-life/parking/meter.html](http://www.clemson.edu/campus-life/parking/meter.html). Parker is an app that will provide turn-by-turn directions to open visitor parking spaces on campus. The app will also tell you how many spaces are available at that moment in time. Parker is available for iPhones in the App Store and for Android phones in the Google Play Store.
METERED PARKING LOCATIONS

1. C-9 PARKING LOT: Daily Visitor Location, Memorial Stadium, IPTAY Office, Littlejohn Coliseum
2. FIKE RECREATION CENTER: Campus Recreation, Campus Banner + Design
3. GENTRY HALL: Riggs Field, Sloan Tennis Center
4. UNION DRIVE: Parking and Transportation Services, Core Campus, Post Office, Apple Store
5. FORT HILL STREET: Home of Clemson's Founder Thomas Green Clemson, Scroll of Honor, Memorial Stadium, Shoebox Residence Halls
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7. SIRINE HALL: Sirine, Riggs, Hunter, Rhodes, Chick-Fil-A
8. LEE HALL CUL-DE-SAC: Lee, Lowry, Floor Daniel, Chick-Fil-A
9. WEST LIBRARY PARKING LOT: Cooper Library, Watt Center, Academic Success Center, Strom Thurmond Institute
10. STROM THURMOND INSTITUTE: Visitors Center, Auditorium, Special Collections
11. BROOKS CENTER: Performing Arts Center
12. SIKES HALL: Student Financial Aid, Registrar, Near Bowman Field
13. SIKES HALL: Long Hall, Martin Hall, President's Park and Rotunda, Amphitheater
14. MCGINTY CIRCLE: Academic Success Center, Cooper Library, McAdams, Barre, P&A
15. E-27 PARKING LOT: Douthit Hills, Hub Building
16. R-8 PARKING LOT: Douthit Hills, Hub Building
17. BRYAN CIRCLE: Schillieer Dining Hall, Wendy's, Redfern Health Center, High Rise Residence Halls
18. HENDRIX STUDENT CENTER: Career and Professional Development, '55 Exchange, Dean of Students, TigerOne
19. BYRNE'S HALL: High Rise Residence Halls, Hendrix Student Center, President's House
20. ENERGY DRIVE: Calhoun Courts, Thornhill Village, Hendrix Student Center
21. C-1 PARKING LOT: Daily Visitor parking location with connection to Hendrix Student Center and the Academic Success Center via the campus Blue Route
22. LIGHTSEY COMMONS: Lightsey Bridge, Bridge to Clemson Program
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About 7-10 minutes:

Bus drivers may catch the free CLE bus (orange route) at the marked bus stops (above) to ride back to Tillman (get off at Hardin Hall stop). The walk takes

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