

Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> June 2023

**RE: drop off & pick up; parking outside school**

Dear parents and carers,

Many of our children and families wait at the school gates each morning and afternoon, with nearby vehicles emitting exhaust fumes.



For those families who *need* drive your child to and from school; we politely request your engines are turned **off** when your vehicle is parked.

As an Asthma Friendly School, we will continue to support the health & wellbeing of our school community, but to also encourage ways to reduce the impact of pollution.

Where possible, we encourage parents and children to walk to school. This is an ideal time for promoting exercise and healthy lifestyles as well as teaching road safety. The roads around school are extremely busy and it is vital that all children are closely supervised at all times.



There is lots of useful information on the links below:

[NHS – Live Well \(healthy weight, exercise, sleep & tiredness, eat well\)](#)  
[Road Safety – what does it mean?](#)

Good relations with our neighbours and our community are of high importance to us. We ask that you do not park in resident parking bays, obstruct driveways or park on the yellow lines outside of school grounds.

We thank you for your continued courtesy, support and understanding.

If you have any questions or concerns, you can contact the school office who will be happy to help.

Kind regards,

Mrs K Pilling  
Deputy Headteacher

