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School Parking - Safety Update

Leader of Learning

Mrs Joanne Hunter

Dear Parents and Carers

Over recent days we have seen a steady rise in the number of parents and carers accessing the school grounds by car. On each occasion, this has been without either prior permission or a valid Blue Badge or School Parking Permit.

Although I and other school staff endeavour to supervise the gates, in the 15 minutes prior to dismissal, there are times when an in-school matter may arise and this is not possible. I would ask that **all parents and carers** respect this important aspect of our Health and Safety policy, and park the in appropriate areas out-with the school grounds, if they do not have in-school parking permission. The policy in place is to ensure the safety of all in our school community.

Please note that this also applies to parents, carers and other family members who may be collecting from our Nursery or Primary 1 classrooms.

Thank you for your continued support in this important safety matter.

Kind regards

Joanne Hunter
Leader of Learning