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Dear Parents / Carers,

Parking at Drop Off and Pick Up times

We have been alerted to a number of parking/driving incidents outside the school recently and we are writing to ask for your support with resolving them.

Roads around most schools experience congestion at drop off and pick up times because of the volume of people and cars at that point; the level of congestion at these times is difficult for us to prevent so we ask that everyone acts in a way that enables parents/carers and local residents to use our access road together and, most importantly, so we can get children into and out of school safely.

With this in mind we respectfully remind you that:

- Parking or stopping on the zig zag and single yellow lines outside of school is not permitted. **You will notice that we will start to put some new signage on the road to remind everyone of this.**
- Parking on these lines would constitute a Road Traffic Offence, which is punishable by way of a Fixed Penalty Notice for the sum of £70 (which is reduced to £35 if paid within 14 days).

To enable parents/carers and residents to all use the streets around school safely and respectfully, we also ask that you:

- Do not park in the turning circle area at the end of Ransom Road.
- Do not park in a way that obstructs access to the school gates, a driveway, roadway or access for pedestrians along a pavement
- Walk to school where you are able. Or park on roads away from the school and walk the final part of your journey.

We strongly encourage anybody, parents and local residents, to contact the local police on 101 with registration plate numbers if they feel driving or parking is dangerous or obstructive, or if they feel the actions of another person is in anyway abusive or threatening.

We as a school have also requested further visits from the Nottinghamshire County Council CCTV Enforcement Vehicle, but any member of the public can request visits on this link:

<https://www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/transport/road-safety/cctv-vehicle-enforcement>

We sincerely thank you all for your support in this matter.

Yours sincerely

Mr S Walker

Executive Head

Mrs S Morgan

Head of School



Respect



Kindness



Pride



Courage



Responsibility



Aspiration