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Dear Parent/Guardian

Unfortunately, we continue to receive phone calls and letters from local residents concerning cars obstructing footpaths, blocking driveways and blocking the entrance into Primrose Way, whilst children are being left off/collected from school. Cars are frequently being left unattended in front of driveways, so that house owners can neither enter or exit their property, and some cars are being parked on footpaths resulting in children and other pedestrians having to walk on the road to pass them. This is not only frustrating for residents but extremely dangerous for your children.

We have further concerns about cars being parked on the pavements at the school gates. Driving cars onto pedestrian areas designed to assist in the safe arrival and departure of your children endangers both children and adults alike and we ask those concerned to please refrain from parking in this dangerous way.

We would also like to remind you not to park in the staff car park. Although there may appear to be free spaces from time to time, these are held for members of staff and professional associates working in school. Being unable to park in their designated area can result in members of staff being late in beginning their duties, which impacts negatively on children. Your co-operation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

The safety of your children is of paramount importance to us in school and we desire a positive, friendly relationship with the local community.

Please be mindful of the safety and convenience of children, pedestrians and other road users and be considerate of those who live in the area, when parking both inside and outside school grounds.

If your children are left to school or collected by someone other than yourself, please pass this information on to them.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter

Yours sincerely,

L M Allen (Mrs)

Principal