



# Spalding Parish Church of England Day School

24<sup>th</sup> September 2020

Dear Parent/Carer,

## School Site and Parking

Following on from my letter yesterday in relation to the Crossing Patrol Warden I am writing today with a further plea to our parents and carers to please respect the rules of the road and also the safety measures we have put in place around the school site to keep you and your families safe. Yesterday a number of parents raised concerns in relation to the letter sent yesterday and a very small number of parents who are not following the guidance in place in relation to road safety potentially risking the safety of others.

Parking on the yellow lines, either straight or zig zag, is a traffic offence and traffic signs are obvious outside school reinforcing this. As such, should you park here you may be asked by staff to move on. This is nothing personal, merely the actions of a committed staff team trying to ensure the safety of all. Pupils and families cannot cross safely if cars are causing an obstruction. Similarly, the school car parks are only for use by school staff and by local taxi companies employed by Lincolnshire School Transport to drop pupils at school. I do appreciate it may not seem a problem to park in the car park to drop your child, however this may mean a member of staff cannot get parked which could then impact on the start of the school day. Traffic in the car parks can also be free flowing at times meaning this is not a safe place for pupils to be dropped off.

Whilst I fully acknowledge that it is extremely busy at the beginning and the end of the school day around the school site, I would urge that you continue to be considerate to our school community, and to the local residents, and not park in inappropriate places, obstruct roads or park in the staff car parks. Also, please do not park on the public footpath as it makes it dangerous with the numbers of people using them. Please park legally allowing the safe use of the road and pavements for all.

Thank you in anticipation of your support in this matter to ensure the safety of the school community.

Kind Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Diane Mulley'.

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