



Dear Parents,

It has again come to my attention that there have been some cases of inconsiderate and dangerous parking around St.Mary's Catholic Primary School and that some parents are parking their cars on the zig-zags outside the school and are (at times) blocking the driveways of local residents.

Please do not stop on the 'School-Keep-Clear' markings and zig-zags. These are here for a reason and assist your children crossing the road and getting to school safely.

Do not park on the pavements – not only do you cause danger to other pedestrians but you are also committing an offence of obstruction, which you can be issued with a non-endorsable fixed penalty ticket for.

Also pavements are not designed to carry the weight of vehicles so you are also liable for a damage claim by the local authority.

Do not park across neighbours driveways or near to them, not even for a minute, it causes unnecessary problems for those trying to get in and out of their own drive ways.

Before you leave your car at school just take a look around and ask yourself if you are causing danger to a child – the safety of children is the responsibility of the whole school community.

Thank you

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