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Parking at drop-off and pick-up times

Dear Parents,

Further to our letter last week, it is disappointing to note that we have had further **parental complaints** about continued inconsiderate and dangerous parking in the school car park.

As we have explained before, on several occasions, we are currently in a very fortunate position as a school to have a large car park available to parents; most schools have little or no parent car-parking available. As our school has grown, so have the number of parents driving their children to and from school, and therefore it is inevitable that there is now not enough room for all parents to park in the car park.

Unfortunately, we are now in a position that we are going to have to insist on the following:

- You may only park in a **clearly marked designated parking space**, in either the main car park or overflow car park. Please do not use the staff car park.
- If there are no designated spaces available, you will need to leave the school site and find alternative parking in one of the side roads. Please obviously consider the local residents and do not block any driveways.

We would like to encourage you, whenever possible, to walk, cycle or scoot to school with your child. An alternative would be to park a short distance away from the school on a side street and walk the rest of the way.

Should you be interested in investigating car-share opportunities, please note that there is a form in the school reception where you can register your interest.

Our utmost priority as a school has to be to keep our pupils, parents, visitors and staff safe, and we would appreciate your help with this.

Yours sincerely

Tim Clarke
Headteacher

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