

Our Ref: Safeguarding/LFo

17th April 2024

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Re: Roadside Parking - Berrywood Road

Further to previous communications regarding parking along Berrywood Road, we respectfully request that parents/guardians refrain from parking immediately to the left/right of the school's carpark exit gates.

Parking so close to the gates hinders drivers from being able to see oncoming traffic and a number of near-misses have been reported to us recently. It also hinders drivers pulling out safely into a clear road.

With so many pupils using the pathways and crossing the road at the same time, our request is as much for their safety, as pedestrians, as it is for the drivers.

We have a number of staff, parents/guardians and sixth-form pupils exiting the carpark in vehicles at the busiest time of the day – We would ask that you please keep this in mind when choosing a place to park and wait for your child/ren.

The safety of our pupils, staff and wider school community are paramount.

We thank you for your consideration and understanding.

Yours faithfully,

Mr P Dewes Vice Principal

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