East Hunsbury Primary School

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Dear Families

Keeping your children and our whole community safe is extremely important to us. Therefore, as we start a new academic year, I wanted to remind everyone about the rules and expectations of parking at East Hunsbury School.

Car Park and Parking Rules

- You are only allowed to park in the carpark with an agreed parking pass or blue badge, registered to yourself (which MUST be displayed in the car window), between 8:20am-08:45am and 3:15pm-3:45pm.
- If you are dropping a child at a morning club, you must drop and go before 8:15am.
- Hostile behaviour towards anyone in our community, including staff, will not be tolerated and will be reported. Be kind and respectful.
- Always Park responsibly, considerately and safely.
 - It is ILLEGAL to park on the zigzags and, if spotted, we will report you to the authorities.
 - Do not block driveways, cars or park in the dentist/surgery carpark (they will fine you).
- WALK or park and walk whenever you can.
- We have the right to ban you from our carpark, even with a parking pass, if you do not park and drive safely.

Last year, we, again, received numerous complaints from residents, staff and parents about dangerous parking and hostile behaviours. This is unacceptable and will not be tolerated. We expect our community to uphold our school values and rules of Be Kind, Respectful and Safe just like we do the children. Dealing with these complaints takes up a vast amount of leadership time - time which could be better spent focussing on the learning and teaching of your children.

I am continuing to work closely with the local police and Highways Officers and meet with them regularly.

Reporting Dangerous Driving / Parking

If you spot any dangerous driving or parking, please inform:

- West Northants, via email at <u>Parking.NCC@westnorthants.gov.uk</u>, between 8am and 4pm, and after 4pm you should contact NSL, West Northamptonshire Council's enforcement contractor directly on 07824 623744.
- You can also dial 101 to report it to the police.

Headteacher: Mrs K Pennington















Your local councillor.

Scooters and Bikes

We allow children who have completed their Bikeability in Year 5 to cycle to school. They must wear a helmet and lock their bike up at the bike park (near front of the office). All bikes will be left at their own risk.

Bikes and scooters are not allowed to be ridden on the school premises (this includes toddlers).

Finally, thank you to all of the many families who always adhere to the rules and do their best to keep our school safe. I really hope that this year everyone will be kind, respectful and safe when driving and parking.

Kind regards and thank you

Kathryn Pennington Headteacher