



Wednesday 16th December 2020

Dear Parents

Today, it has been brought to my attention, by a local resident, of continued inconsiderate and illegal parking from some of our parents, in the morning and at the end of the day. Whilst we recognise that these are trying times and parking remains an issue, there is no excuse for parking on dropped kerbs that lead to private driveways and blocking access. Photographs have been taken of the offending vehicles and if further incidences occur, we will consider forwarding these to the relevant authorities. These actions have caused this particular resident (who is a key worker in the NHS) to be late for work, as he has not been able to get out of his house.

We, as a school and individuals, have strong values and high expectations and believe that this is a reflection of who we are. It was disappointing to hear that when challenged about the parking, parents from our school displayed what was described as a lack of respect and contempt towards the homeowner. May I remind parents that how our parents behave reflects both well and poorly to the public!

The resident in question also voiced concerns that this is a serious safety concern. There have been a number of serious accidents over recent years, involving children on this stretch of road - the latest being just last year. I know from witnessing the aftermath of that particular incident that inconsiderate parking along Spencefield Lane was a contributing factor.

Please be considerate to others when dropping off your child at school, to keep residents happy and our children safe.

Yours sincerely

Mr Linnett
Deputy Principal