



Pound Road, Oldbury, West Midlands, B68 8NE **Telephone:** 0121 533 3750 **Fax:** 0121 533 3799

Our Ref: DBR

Thursday 19th October 2023

Dear Parents/Carers

## **Parking Reminder**

As we review the first half term it serves well to remind parents about their parking on Pound Road and other nearby roads when collecting their children from our school at the end of the day.

I wrote to all parents in June 2023 asking for consideration when parking in nearby roads. I now must again ask, for the safety of our students and members of the public that parents **do not park on double yellow lines, zig zag lines or over dropped kerbs blocking driveways.** 

Whilst I appreciate the need to collect students from school, I must ask that parents look to park further away from the school site and ask their children to meet them at a pre-arranged site away from the school. This will help reduce congestion and help to keep our students safe.

I have been in contact with Sandwell Council and also the Police for advice and support in ensuring our parents park safely when collecting their children.

I would also strongly encourage, for the safety of our students that parents do not complete three point turns on Pound Road. This is dangerous and students or members of the public could be injured.

It is important to also note that parents and carers are unable to use our carpark between 8.00am to 9.00am and 2.45pm to 3.15pm. This is again to ensure the safety of our students.

Please also have a conversation with your children about the importance or road safety and ensure they understand how to get to and from school safely. Students must cross on the crossing when it is safe to do so.

Your support, in keeping our streets safe for students to walk home, is very much needed and appreciated.

Yours faithfully















