



# Streetsbrook Infant & Early Years Academy

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Dear Parents

## Re: Parking

As we welcome new families to Streetsbrook and offer a reminder to our existing school community, I would like to take this opportunity to highlight a number of concerns that have been raised by residents of Ralph Road about parking during drop-off and collection times. These concerns include:



Parking restrictions on Ralph Road are clearly displayed on the roadside signage. Unfortunately, there continue to be instances where these restrictions are not being observed, causing concern for local residents and creating potential safety issues for our school community.

Residents, as well as parents, are encouraged to report parking concerns directly to the police, who have the authority to investigate and enforce parking regulations. As I have mentioned previously, the school does not have any legal powers to enforce parking rules or road traffic regulations.

Regrettably, there has also been an increase in parking-related incidents involving confrontational or inappropriate behaviour between adults. Such behaviour is unacceptable and is particularly concerning when witnessed by children. It undermines the values we work hard to promote in school, including respect, tolerance, responsibility, and consideration for others.

I would also like to remind everyone that the speed limit on Ralph Road is 20mph. Adhering to this limit is essential in helping to keep all members of our community safe, particularly during busy drop-off and collection times.

The same expectations apply to parking at the rear of the school. Where possible, I would respectfully ask parents to park near the entrance to Prospect Grange and use the pathway that leads directly into the school site.

Finally, I would like to extend my sincere thanks to the many parents who consistently park considerately and do the right thing. These reminders are made solely with the safety and wellbeing of our children, families and local residents in mind, and I am grateful for your continued support in helping us maintain a safe and respectful environment for everyone.

Yours sincerely

L Minter  
Headteacher