



Parking and morning drop off arrangements

Mornings are particularly busy on the road outside the school. Parking is an issue for most schools however we believe the parking issues would be improved if parents used the lay by and village hall car park for very short term parking i.e. dropping off children at the playground and leaving promptly before the bell goes so that other drivers are able to use the spaces.

If you need to park for longer than 5 minutes, please park further away from the school e.g. closer to the church and Purefoy Public House car park. The new owner of the Purefoy has kindly agreed to our parents parking in their car park at drop off times.

Please support the school with the following arrangements.

A member of staff will be on duty from 8:35 to supervise enabling parents to drop their children off on the playground, say good bye and leave the site. Many of our young children travel to school by bus and arrive on site safely which really helps to build their independence and confidence.

Parents of younger children in year R may walk around to the Infant entrance.

Allocated doors will be open at 8:35 and teachers will greet children in at this time so they walk in to place coats etc. on pegs.

The official start of our school day is registration at 8:45 and children should be in class for this time. The school playground must really be clear by **8:50** and the site secured for safeguarding reasons.

We are delighted to invite our parents into school throughout the year for various events and meetings. We hope you appreciate the balance between being a welcoming school and the need to provide a calm and safe start to the day for all of our community.

We are liaising closely with PC Reid, our school and local community to ensure the safest outcome for all.