

Yox Valley Partnership



Primary School



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Dear Parents and Carers,

Road Safety

We are now in our third week of the full re-opening of school and I can see that there is increased traffic around school at the start and end of the school day. I am, however, becoming increasingly concerned by some of the speeds and sudden braking we are seeing, sadly from some parents and carers. I know that pick up and drop off times are busy but we should all expect our children and their grown-ups to feel safe at and near the school grounds.

We have our drop-off zone at the playground red gates and this continues to work well. I do understand that some parents or carers prefer to park and walk their children to the school gate and they should be able to do this safely. Please take extra care and be patient as children exit vehicles – we want them to reach the pavement and school safely.

Now the mornings and evenings are getting lighter and the weather is getting warmer I am pleased to see more parents and pupils are choosing to walk and cycle to school. Please be mindful of these extra road users – we want to encourage our junior cyclists to use the roads safely, without the worry of other vehicles driving too fast or too close.

Thank you for your support with this important issue; I hope that together we can ensure the safety of the children and other pedestrians and road users.

Gail Jerman
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