



SCHOOL TRAVEL PLAN UPDATE MAY 2016

Circulated to School & Nursery Parents, School Governors, School Staff, Neighbours, Hordle Parish Council (HPC), Hampshire County Council (HCC) and Hampshire Police



A really, really big thank you to all those who drop off to/collect from school, who take the time to park considerately of our neighbours and with child/driver safety in mind. Unfortunately though, there is still a very small minority who do not.

Unfortunately we continue to receive reports of:

1. A number of parents/carers still parking on the Zig Zags lines outside the school
2. Poor driving. The latest incident almost causing an accident in Hordle Lane last week
3. A lack of respect by a very small minority of parents/carers parking outside neighbours' properties
4. Parents parking on the Woodcock Lane/Whitebarn Crescent and Hordle Lane/Vicarage Lane junctions.
5. A number of people who park on Woodcock Lane, opposite the virtual pavement, increasing the risk significantly to those who use the virtual pavement. One child has been clipped by a moving vehicle as a result of the road being heavily congested and there has been at least another near-miss.

PARENTS PLEASE:

1. Continue to report inconsiderate parking via stphordleprimary@gmail.com see below
2. No parking on the zig zags at any time
3. Find a safe, considerate and legal place to park your car
4. Don't park on/near a road junction (per Highway Code), it's dangerous & blocks visibility for those pulling out
5. Let your children out of the car safely on the pavement side if possible
6. Be mindful to always leave sufficient space for local residents to pull into/out of their driveways safely
7. Do not use local residents driveways to reverse on to/turn around
8. Consider parking at the newly refurbished Dudley Avenue car park, if you drive in from out of catchment (it's a tried and tested 10 minute walk to school) or at a friend's house (with their permission).

Report A Parking Incident as soon as possible to stphordleprimary@gmail.com including: the incident date, time, location and details of situation along with a photograph(s) of the vehicle in question, showing it parked inconsiderately with registration plate clearly visible.



NEWS CORNER:

1. **A driveway sharing scheme** is being considered. If you would be interested in offering your driveway to one school family at school drop off/pick up times, please email us to register your interest at stphordleprimary@gmail.com.
2. **Good news, we now own 140 Hi-Vis Vests which will be used by all HEN & Foundation Stage children as of September.** A big thank you to all who made donations for a piece of Olympitch Legacy to raise money for this child safety initiative.
3. **Traffic movement & pavement issues** should be reported to Hampshire County Council. The more reports received, the quicker the issues will be reviewed.
4. **Walk To School Week** starts this coming Monday.

Key people working on your behalf:

Fiona Adams, Head Teacher, Sheila Slattery, School Business Manager
Sarah Pitt, School Parent Governor, Ellie Bolton, STP Adviser, Hampshire CC, Stuart Readhead, PCSO, Hampshire Police, Ken Lane, School Crossing Patrol Officer,
Claire Booth & Gill Ewing, Parents

Thank you for your continued support which is very much appreciated, The School Travel Plan Team
Working Together To Help Keep You Safe
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