



**THE
COWPLAIN
SCHOOL**

4 September 2019

Headteacher

Mr IR Gates MA NPQH

Dear Parent

SCHOOL SITE

I am writing to all parents to thank you for working with us to keep our site and the roads in the immediate vicinity safe. With new Year 7 students and parents joining us, I would like to remind all parents regarding our policy on vehicle movement in and around the school site:-

We politely request that if you drive onto the school site, you do so **slowly**, with the utmost caution and with respect for children, other parents and staff on duty. Please ensure that you do not execute turning manoeuvres outside the nursery, but drive around the car park to leave the site.

We would also like to remind you that, for the safety of students leaving the school site at 2.30pm, we close the exit road from 2.30pm until 2.40pm and ask for no movement of vehicles on the site during this 10 minute period. This works really well to protect students and the parents who wait for the release of traffic, do so respectfully.

Parents should not park on the yellow lines, or in the gateways at the front of the school. The yellow lines are there to ensure the safety of students and to provide clear vision along Hart Plain Avenue and parents run the risk of incurring parking fines if they park illegally.

We appreciate the support we receive from parents for the safety of children on the school site as pedestrians depend on drivers' care and attention at all times.

Yours sincerely

Mr N B Brockhurst
Deputy Headteacher