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Dear Parent/Carer

Road Safety Awareness

I write to you, appealing for your support in protecting the health, safety and wellbeing of all students, parents/carers and visitors who attend or visit the Academy.

Already aware that Magpie Hall Road becomes congested with road traffic and pedestrians at the start and end of the school day, I am grateful to a local resident who alerted me to the recent dangers concerning the immediate section of road outside the Academy. It would appear that some parents/carers are using this section of road as a student drop off and collection point.

Please be reminded that we have a car park adjacent to the Academy grounds for the drop off and collection of students. Please ensure you use this facility rather than congesting the already busy section of Magpie Hall Road which endangers the safety of students.

Students have been reminded today of the importance and safety of crossing the road at the traffic lights, waiting for traffic to clear before crossing and to not wear earphones whilst crossing the road. I would be grateful if you could please discuss the importance of road safety with your child/children.

With safety in mind, Heads of Year delivered a message to students earlier this week, asking students to be mindful of their personal safety in walking to and from school. Keeping our young people safe is of paramount concern and we encourage students and parents to take the necessary precautions and be vigilant.

If you have any concerns, please do contact your child's Head of Year in the first instance.

Thank you for your cooperation and understanding.

Yours sincerely

Ms M Gage
Principal



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