

15 November 2022

Dear Parent/Carer

I am aware that many students wish to use cars/motorbikes to come to school; whilst I cannot object to this, I must stress that the cars are parked off-site and **not** used to travel between sites. I would also stress that vehicles should be parked in an appropriate and legal manner sensitive to the needs of local residents. Following discussion with local residents on Wheatlands Road East I would ask that if you park on this road you:

- Do not obstruct driveways and please also avoid parking too close to the driveway
- Do not park opposite any driveway
- Do not park on the pavement
- Park on the same side of the road as others even if this means being further away from school; using one side of the road for parking allows clearer access for through traffic
- Always treat local residents with courtesy and respect

Students bringing a vehicle to school must register the vehicle with the Sixth Form Office as soon as possible.

Could I also please ask if parents/carers are picking up their children after school to please avoid blocking driveways of local residents and consider arranging a pick up point a short walk away from the most congested roads closest to St Aidan's.

Many thanks for your cooperation in helping us to maintain an excellent relationship with our local community.

Yours sincerely

David Thornton

Interim Headteacher

