



PEEL COMMON NURSERY AND INFANT SCHOOL

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Dear Parents and Carers,

I have to write once again with reference to parking/using the back gate to our school. We are very happy that many families use this entrance sensibly, either walking to school or parking considerately on Chichester Close or The Parkway. However a number of parents are not being considerate to our neighbours or being safe when driving.

Some families are making the local residents lives very stressful by parking in front of garages and gates, making it difficult for them to exit or enter their own homes at the beginning and end of the days. I know I would be very upset if I were consistently stopped from going to work or being able to come home and park easily at the end of a working day. The residents, quite understandably, are upset by this and worried about access for emergency vehicles as well as the safety of children and adults and will report inconsiderate parking or unsafe driving to the appropriate authorities.

One issue is people parking at the top end of Chichester Close which is designed as a turning circle, if people park here it blocks the close and makes it not only difficult for cars but also dangerous for families walking through the footpaths and crossing the close to the back gate.

I am once again asking ALL OUR SCHOOL COMMUNITY to be considerate when driving and parking and also asking those of you that always are to please remind anyone you see not being so of this request. This also extends to driving slowly taking care of families and children who are walking.

We are teaching our children to respect each other and ask that this begins with all our families.

Thank you in confidence of your co-operation in this matter.

L. Spicer

Mrs Lesley Spicer
Headteacher



