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Dear Parents and Carers,

We have received a number of complaints about parking at school drop off and collection times, particularly outside Covers.

Covers have reported that many parents are parking unsafely, both outside the entrance gates and inside the yard. This presents many problems and is potentially hazardous, due to the large volume of customer vehicles and supplier articulated lorries they have in and out of their yard throughout the day. In addition to this, their own delivery vehicles and forklift trucks are in constant operation.

Covers appreciates the difficulties parents may have in parking locally, but have asked on previous occasions for parents not to park in these locations. This has been largely ignored and as well as parking unsafely, it has been noted that many people are largely ignoring the crossing island that is approximately 30yds south from the entrance of Covers and crossing the road unsafely.

Covers will shortly be displaying new signage to reiterate this message and respectfully request that parents cease parking on the premises, including the site entrance with immediate effect.

We appreciate that parking at these busy times can be challenging but maintaining safety is of paramount importance to all concerned.

With best wishes,

Gemma Roxburgh
Head of School

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