



Warrington Road Goose Green, Wigan, Lancashire WN3 6SB

Tel: 01942 243 068

Fax: 01942 826 748

Web: www.stpaulswigan.org.uk

Headteacher: Mrs A E Jackson, B.A. (Hons), PGCE, NPQH

9 December 2023

Dear Parent / Carer

## **Parking**

We would very much like to work together to find some resolution to the issue of parking at the start and end of the school day. Following a confrontation this morning between one of our parents and a neighbour to school the neighbour came to school to complain and was upset. It is important that when parking at the start and end of the school day you continue to observe the highway code. Please do not park illegally or blocking a homeowner's drive.

Equally a number of complaints from concerned parents have been made to the school office regarding the front of school, please do not pull over however briefly on the double yellow lines outside the school to drop off or pick up a child. This is causing serious safety issues for the children. Cars parked on the yellow lines obstruct the view for the school crossing personnel. There have also been specific complaints from parents that some cars are being illegally parked on the pavement.

Please be advised that for safety reasons under no circumstances must parents park on the school car park.

We are a small school situated in a busy residential area. It is important that we are able to share our space with the residents, businesses, and community around us.

The majority of parents and visitors to our school show courtesy and respect to our neighbours and take care when they park, and I would like to take this opportunity to thank you.

Yours sincerely

Mrs A E Jackson















