

BRIDGE OF DON ACADEMY

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Dear Parent/Carer

CAR PARK SAFETY

You may have noticed the visitor parking spaces at the front of the school. These are primarily for visitors during the school day and drop off/pick up points for school taxis. We decided to make this change due to the congestion at the beginning and end of the school day which was making the car park quite hazardous for pedestrians and drivers.

We would ask that if you are dropping off/picking up your son/daughter at the beginning/end of the school day that you use the car park to the rear of the school or the lay by on Braehead Way from which there are paths leading directly to school entrances. During the school day you are welcome to use the visitor parking bays at the front of the school if you have to collect your son or daughter due to illness or for an appointment – this is one of their purposes. Hopefully this will make it easier for parents/carers to collect their children and for visitors to find a parking space.

We have also had the raised crossing points at the front and rear of the school painted to make them more visible and had the 5 MPH speed limit signs repainted. We constantly remind our young people about playing in safe areas around the school and not congregating in the car park areas. The majority are listening to this message but if you are also able to reinforce this at home it would be helpful.

All of these arrangements should ensure that pedestrians and drivers are safer on school grounds. If you have any further suggestions as to how we can improve safety please do not hesitate to get in touch with me at school.

Yours sincerely

Daphne McWilliam Head Teacher