



## Homefield Church of England Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

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It has again come to our attention that certain parents are parking on the yellow zig-zag lines outside of our school gates on a regular basis.

Yellow zig-zag road markings are placed to show that the area must be kept clear to allow an unrestricted view for approaching drivers and riders or children wanting to cross the road.

We have also noticed that certain parents are blocking local residents' driveways, which shows a real disregard and discourtesy for our local community. Recently, we have received several complaints from local residents, who have received verbal abuse as a response to them asking people to clear their driveways.

Parking in this manner is dangerous for the following reasons:

- It puts children and other pedestrians at risk;
- It obscures the view of motorists and cyclists;
- It can lead to unnecessary and avoidable arguments between drivers and residents.

Our Junior Leadership Team pupils will be conducting a survey in the mornings this week during drop-off at both school entrances to record the number of drivers parking unsafely. Our results will be passed to the Great Yarmouth Borough Council Police Enforcement Team.

Most of our families live in the Bradwell village, so perhaps more of them could consider walking or cycling, instead of driving.

Please could parents refrain from parking inconsiderately in the future and consider the safety of our pupils far more.

Thank you,

**Junior Leadership Team and Headteacher**

