



# Dashwood Banbury Academy

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Dear parents/carers,

I am disappointed to be having to write this letter having only just returned to school fully but I feel I need to stress the concern I have for the pupils and parents safety. This morning I witnessed so many people parking on Merton Street on double yellow lines, blocking private garages and parking on pavements. 1 pupil was almost knocked over. We have heard of two accidents on Merton Street outside the school in the last week alone. I appreciate that there are lots of children in the school and the weather has not been ideal over the last two days, however almost all the roads in the surrounding area are free to park in. We are continuing to liaise with the police on this matter and are trying our best to provide support where we can too.

Please try your best to walk/scoot/ride to school and if you do really need to drive, please park a few streets away and walk over. This will decrease stress levels over parking, increase fitness for pupils but most importantly keep everyone safe around the school site. I know many of you do already support these suppressions and I thank you for that. If you are ever concerned around the safety for your child or others due to parking, please do report this to the police.

Thank you to everyone for following our safety rules whilst on the school premises and I know you will support us to ensure the safety outside the school too.

Yours sincerely

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Mrs Amy Rogers  
Principal

