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Dear Parents and Carers,

You may have seen recent Dojo posts regarding parking on Coast Road at the beginning and end of the school day.

This is because a number of serious concerns have been raised by parents, staff and governors about parking outside school, during drop off and pick up times. **We are extremely concerned about the safety of our pupils.**

We wanted to inform you that we have taken the following actions:

- Presented our concerns to Sir Brandon Lewis MP who has agreed to expedite matters on our behalf with the Constabulary and County Council.
- Held meetings with the Constabulary who have escalated our concerns to the relevant authorities.
- From Monday 27<sup>th</sup> November, we will be opening the gate five minutes earlier in order to extend the drop-off window to fifteen minutes. **The gates will open at 8:25am and close at 8:40am.** We hope this might ease some of the morning pressure on families to park within a ten minute window.
- Consulted with other Norfolk Headteachers who have experienced similar issues to explore potential solutions.

Please follow the suggestions set out below:

- 1. Do not park on the pavement.**
- 2. Avoid the Zig-Zags and yellow markings at all times.**
- 3. Do not use the entrance to the Staff Carpark.**
- 4. Do not park on single white lines, especially those opposite the school.**
- 5. If you are able to walk to school, please consider doing so.**

Thank you for your continued support in keeping pupils safe.

I hope that this offers reassurance.

Yours sincerely,

Kellie Egleton  
Headteacher

