



Durham Constabulary

Altogether Better Policing

To whom it may concern,

During conversations with Byers Green Primary School, Spennymoor Neighbourhood Policing Team have been made aware of serious concerns surrounding parking during dropping off and picking up times outside of the school.

This is also a concern hearing how pavements, driveways and crossing patrol points have been blocked by cars parking illegally, causing obstructions which stop those with pushchairs from getting past, and having no choice but to walk in the road.

This not only puts people at risk, but also their children in danger.

I appreciate that there's always an issue with parking nationwide when it comes to parking at school times, however I would like to ask that you are considerate when dropping off and picking up your children.

We are able to and **will** issue fixed penalty tickets to illegally/dangerously parked vehicles which can result in you being fined.

I am sure that we **ALL** agree that the priority is getting children to and from school safely, in order to do so please ensure:

You do not:

- Park on white zig-zags covering crossing areas.
- Park OR Stop at any time on yellow 'school' zig-zags.
- Obstruct the road by parking on pavements or across driveways and lowered kerbs.
- Park in a dangerous position.

"THESE ARE ALL OFFENCES AND CAN RESULT IN PROSECUTIONS."

Kind regards

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