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Dear Parents/Carers,

## Keeping our children safe at pick up and drop off times.

Over the last two terms the changes we have put in place to enable safe drop off and pick up times in a careful and staggered way have worked well.

However, I have been made aware of a few concerns and general pointers to make our arrangements as safe as they possibly can be.

In the Headteacher's Blog last Friday you may remember that I asked parents or people picking children up to not come onto the carpark until all the buses had driven away. I would like to thank you for your continued support in following this request.

In addition to this, we have had some concerns expressed about how long the buses are parked on the carpark and that as soon as the buses leave that cars are reversing onto the carpark while pedestrians are picking up their children.

I am dealing with the issue of buses directly but would wish that for the safety of our children please could you remain parked outside the carpark at pick up and drop off times.

We will continue to review these measures to see if they have a positive impact and I will advise you if there are any further changes.

Best wishes, Belinda Athey, Headteacher

Headteacher: Mrs Belinda Athey















