



# Margaret McMillan Primary School

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## Disabled parking spaces

Dear parents and carers,

You will have noticed the two new disabled parking spaces that have been installed outside of school. These are only for those who have a **blue disabled badge** for either themselves or their children. If you park in these spaces, please display your blue badge.

We are a very large school with over 650 children and their parents entering the school twice a day and are situated in a busy road where over 1400 go to school. Although parking spaces are difficult to find outside school, it is even more difficult if you have a child who has mobility issues and cannot walk far.

Some parents have parked in these places simply because they cannot find parking close to school. Members of staff have been verbally abused when they have politely pointed out that this is denying access to children who have a greater need.

**Please be considerate to those families and children who are in greater need of close access to school.** Teach your child to be healthy and walk to school – a much better start to your day for you and your child and much better for the environment.

I recently met with the local council ward officers to discuss the parking and safeguarding issues outside school. As a result, the council are now advertising for a crossing patrol officer for our school. For details please see the adverts around school, the school or council websites or ring 01274 439458.

Thank you for your support in this matter.

Kind regards,

Lorraine Martin  
Headteacher



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