



Parking Pledge

Dear Parents/Carers,

Higher Bebington Junior School is asking you to consider making the **Parent Parking Pledge** in an effort to manage congestion, increase safety and improve our carbon footprint around the school at busy times.

As you are aware parking outside our school is incredible busy and sadly, at times, unsafe for our children and other pedestrians on the pavements and roads. In addition to safety, car free and anti-idling zones are some of the ways that schools are helping to reduce children's exposure to harmful vehicle emissions.

Our Parking Pledge idea is simple.

Please read below and if you agree to take our pledge, please tick the agreement. Once we have received your agreement, you will be given a car sticker to show others your commitment to parking safely.

The Higher Bebington Junior School Parking Pledge:

- Walk or cycle to and from school whenever we can ...to help our children learn valuable life skills
- Walk on Wednesdays whenever possible ...to join in the fun-Walking Wednesdays is easy to remember!
- 'Park and Walk' if we need to use our car ...to help build exercise into everyday routines
- Park safely and with consideration for local residents ...to help us maintain happy relationships with our neighbours
- Keep the Zig Zags clear ...to reduce congestion in the road outside the school and keep it safe for pedestrians
- Don't block driveways or park dangerously-to help our children learn respect
- Turn off the engine when parked-to reduce the amount of car fumes in the air which can be damaging to our environment

Many thanks for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Whittaker & The Pupil Parliament Team

