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Dear Neighbour,

Launch of Frith Manor School's Active Travel Policy

We all know how dangerous and frustrating the traffic conditions are on Lullington Garth and Frith Lane during morning and afternoon peak commuting and school run times. The school is constantly looking for ways to reduce the number of cars on our roads and thereby increase our children's and wider community's safety.

We are also aware how frustrating it can be for our neighbours to have parents and carers parking inappropriately in local roads and neighbourhoods during school run periods. We can assure you we do everything we can to discourage this kind of behaviour.

The school has been working closely with Barnet Council to promote active and sustainable travel for the past two years. Last year, we received Bronze STARS (Sustainable Travel, Active, Responsible and Safe) accreditation as part of the London-wide Transport for London Scheme and this year we hope to achieve Gold.

We have recently created a leaflet describing our school's active travel policy and rules for driving and parking around our school. We would be grateful if you would take a few minutes to read this. You will see in particular that our parking guidelines advise parents and carers not to park blocking driveways or access to side roads.

Please be assured that the school will continue to do everything we can to discourage car travel when not strictly necessary and encourage good neighbourly driving and parking behaviours.

Yours sincerely,

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Headteacher

Wendy Kravitz
Chair of Governors