

Oldfield School Travel Plan Objectives

- Improve children's safety on their journey to school
- Reduce the number of car trips made to the school at the beginning and end of the school day
- Encourage more walking, cycling and scooting to school
- Improve the health of the school community by promoting walking
- Create or improve opportunities for pupils to become independent travellers
- Promote the opportunity for exercise by encouraging walking to school

The benefits of our School Travel Plan (STP)

Our School Travel Plan promotes sustainable and safer transport for the whole school community. Our STP will result in: Less cars and congestion around the school site; Healthier, more active pupils, families and staff; Less pollution around the school; Safer walking and cycling routes around the school; Improved school grounds with provision for bicycle storage; A more accessible school site; Improved attendance and achievement.

Ensuring our school community is safe and happy

Our School travel plan is a working document which involves working with the local community to ensure that the journey to and from school is safe for all concerned.

This means that Parents and Carers need to be aware that parking inconsiderately, blocking paths/driveways can be dangerous and cause significant inconvenience and annoyance to our local neighbourhood.

If you are parking and walking in please be safe, thoughtful and considerate.

We would value positive and constructive comments from all our community on how we can achieve this aim.

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**OLDFIELD PRIMARY
SCHOOL MAIDENHEAD**

Kiss and Drop Grab and Go

Use of the Drop/Pick Up Zone

- **Before 8.30am**
— Normal parking
- **8.40am till 8.55am**
— No parking; drop off only
- **9.00am till 2.55pm**
— Normal parking
- **3.00pm till 4.00pm**
— No parking
- **3.40pm till 4.00pm**
— No parking; G&G only
- **After 4.00pm**
— Normal parking



Kiss and Drop at Oldfield Primary School

Welcome.

This facility enables Parents and Carers who need to drop their children off safely and quickly via vehicles.

The safety of our children is paramount therefore the Kiss and Drop/Grab and Go area must be used sensibly and correctly.

This brochure sets out the procedure that parent must follow to ensure children's safety. During the drop off and pick up times the area must not be used for parking.

Please also be aware parking is not allowed along the Bray Road as there will be parking restrictions outside the school. This will be monitored closely by the Local Authority.

During the times set, the Kiss and Drop/Grab and Go zone is a

NO PARKING ZONE!

Parents wishing to park away from the school site and walk in should park considerately and safely.

To ensure the safety of our pupils, there is a strict 5mph speed limit through the school site at all times.



Kiss and Drop (morning) Grab and Go (afternoon)

Parents using the facility must use the Bray entrance to the school. A one way route and speed limit will be in operation at all times.

There will be a no right turn in operation from the school site onto the Bray Road.

At the beginning of the school day

Parents will need to pull in to an empty bay along the front of the school (left hand side), take the car out of gear and apply the handbrake, but leave the engine running. A member of staff will help your child(ren) out from the car and guide them safely to the school door/playground.

To ensure a smooth Kiss and Drop, please carry out your goodbye routine before you set off for school! This allows for a quick stop and smooth running of the Kiss and Drop zone. Children will very quickly become accustomed to the process and it will help to settle everyone in quickly if everyone complies.

Kiss and Drop will operate 8:40am to 8:55am.

As soon as parents have dropped their children off they must exit the drop zone promptly.

Parents and visitors may park in the zone if they have school business before 8.30am, after 9.00am until 2.55pm and after 4.00pm.

This accommodates Early Risers, medical appointments, meetings with teachers and after school activities.



At the end of the school day

Children using this facility will be supervised either in the playground or in the dry in the event of inclement weather until **3.40pm**. All children will then be brought to the pick up area in KS2, siblings will wait together.

Parking will not be allowed in the grab and drop area from 3.00pm until 4.00pm.

Therefore Parents should not arrive at school until the allotted time for the pick up facility at 3.40pm.

Parents should find an empty pick up bay (left hand side only), apply the hand brake but not exit the car. Once your child is safely strapped in please move on, making sure you are aware of other drivers. If your child needs help with their seatbelt you will be asked to pull forward to the bays at the KS1 end of the school, exit the car to help your child. Please do this as quickly and safely as possible.

Grab and Go will operate 3.40pm to 4.00pm

As soon as parents have collected their child they must exit the grab zone promptly.

PLEASE NOTE – The Grab and Go time slot is later than normal. This allows walkers to leave the site safely.

