

**Greater Manchester Police
Whitefield Police Station
Bury New Road
Whitefield
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To: Parents/ Guardians-

Unsworth Primary School

Date: Autumn 2016

Dear Parent,

We are writing to you following a number of complaints regarding vehicles parking inconsiderately at school times on Chadderton Drive and surrounding streets. This is likely to compromise the health and safety of children on their way to and from school.

The manner of which some of the vehicles are being parked is causing obstruction to the pavements and cars trying to get on & off driveways. This, leads to people being put at risk by moving traffic and causes inconvenience to local residents.

Please refrain from parking on a road junction such as Chadderton Drive/ Blackley Close or Chadderton Drive/ Parr lane as this reduces visibility for other road users and is a danger to children walking to and from school.

This letter is being sent out to Parents/ Guardians in the hope that if you park in the area, that you park with consideration to other members of the public.

Junctions should be clear, driveways should not be obstructed at any time and footpaths should have enough room for a wheelchair to pass without having to walk in the road.

The double yellow lines should not be stopped on. Disabled badge holders are also kindly reminded to park safe & legal.

Enforcement action will be considered in future for vehicles identified by Police as causing an obstruction.

We will be working with our colleagues at Bury Council in the next few months, you may notice a Police presence outside school- this is nothing to worry about.

If you have any questions regarding this matter please do not hesitate to contact our office on 0161 856 8204.

Yours faithfully

Whitefield Neighbourhood Policing Team

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