

A Letter for Parents and Guardians from An Garda Síochána



To all Parents/Guardians

It has been brought to the attention of An Garda Síochána that there is a continuous and blatant disregard to the safety of children and other road users in the vicinity of the school. Some parents/guardians continue to ignore parking regulations. It is illegal to;

- park on a single yellow line outside the school between the hours of 8.30 a.m. – 9.30 a.m. and 1.00 p.m. and 3.30 p.m.
- park or stop at a school entrance.
- park on zig zag lines at any time.
- park either side of a road, opposite a continuous white line.
- park on double yellow lines.
- park wholly or partly on a footpath/grass margin/cycle lane.
- park within 5 metres of a road junction.
- park within 15 metres of a pedestrian crossing.
- parking in an area prohibited by a restricted parking sign.
- park obstructing the entrance/exit of a premises.
- park in a manner that interferes/endangers/obstructs traffic.

Gardai have been to the school and have explained this to parents who have been observed parking illegally. This will no longer be tolerated by the Gardai. **Tickets and on the Spot Fines** will be issued to offending motorists as the Boards of Management, the Principal and the Gardai feel that this is the only option left to resolve the situation.

Sergeant-in-Charge,
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