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Dear Parent/Guardian

Road safety and student conduct outside of school

It has come to our attention that a number of students are behaving recklessly when it comes to their journey to school and not using good road safety sense. The roads around the school are extremely busy and it is absolutely essential that students take care when crossing the road. Today, I spoke to the whole school in our assembly and asked them to take more care. We will also be asking our Police Liaison Officer to speak with students about this serious matter. Please could I ask you to emphasise this message and speak to your child about their own road safety.

We have also had concern raised about groups of students congregating outside of the Subway shop on the corner of Wokingham Road and Crescent Road. A number of students are buying food and drink on the way to school and this is causing congestion on the pavements and, in some instances, students are getting to school late as they are buying food. Naturally, this is something we take a very dim view about and we will not accept this as a justified reason for lateness. It would be most useful if students were instructed by their parents not to use Subway on the way into school and that they have a good breakfast at home before leaving for school. In all cases students must be courteous and mindful of the general public and, once again, we would appreciate you reinforcing this message with your child.

As ever, we thank you for your strong support of the work of the school.

Yours sincerely

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