



Doncaster Council

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Dear Head Teacher

Creating a Safer Environment around Schools

Parking on the 'school keep clear' markings outside schools in the mornings and afternoons is a significant safety issue and results in many complaints being received by both our Parking Services and Communities. With usual enforcement options proving to be only mildly effective in terms of impact. With this in mind, Doncaster Council has procured a modern system for the purpose of daily enforcement of school keep clear markings.

The Council has decided to introduce camera enforcement, due to traditional enforcement being difficult, impractical and a suitable level of compliance is not being achieved.

The Council has procured 8 (eight) cameras, plus an operating system to use outside schools in the City of Doncaster Borough. The innovative camera technology is designed to promote a safer environment around school gates by reducing congestion, which, in turn improves air quality. We also hope it will encourage motorists to reconsider the need to drive to school and choose alternative means.

The cameras will be operated during school times and will only be used for enforcement purposes on the keep clear restriction and any nearby clearway bus stops. Residential properties will be obscured with a private filter, and only trained Civil Enforcement Officers will review the footage to action.

Phase nine of the enforcement system rollout will commence April 2024 for a school term with the aim of a go live date being the 15th April 2024. The following schools below will form part of phase nine.

Barnborough Primary School

Rowena Academy School

Tornedale Infants School

Doncaster Council

Civic Office, Waterdale, Doncaster, DN1 3BU



Kingfisher Primary School
Hungerhill Academy School
Sandringham Primary School
Astrea Academy School
Shaw Wood Primary School

The choice of schools has been based on the analysis of feedback from the Parking Enforcement team and Safer Roads team over the past few years. We hope that you are as excited as we are at the development of this product. With your encouragement and support, we feel that we will continue to promote Doncaster as a modern and dynamic area to live in.

We would be grateful if you would share this information with your parents as part of your weekly communications to help spread the news on the new approach to promote a safer environment around the school gates.

If you have any comments or concerns, I look forward to hearing from you in the coming weeks on the enforcementteam@doncaster.gov.uk e-mail address and hope that we can make a difference around schools.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'John Brooks', written in a cursive style.

John Brooks
Enforcement Manager