



CHRIST THE SAVIOUR C.E. PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents,

Bronze TFL Award

We are proud to say that last year CtS achieved the TFL Travel for Life Bronze accreditation award. This was in recognition of all we do to promote safe and healthy travel to school. Last year, we installed new bicycle racks on both sites, delivered scooter training on the Grove, hosted cycle training for children over the summer, conducted travel surveys in school and taught safe and healthy travel to school in PSHE lessons and assemblies.

This year we will continue with these initiatives, as well as providing pedestrian training to Year 3 later in the Autumn term and Bikeability training to Year 5 in the Spring term. We are delighted to have purchased bike and scooter shelters thanks to the fantastic fundraising efforts of our PTA and hope they will be delivered and installed soon.

Stop, Look, Listen, Think

Our School Street at the Grove is an important part of our work on promoting a safe and healthy environment around our school sites - please do remember that it is a **low-traffic zone**, not a no-traffic zone. This means that even in the School Street, parents and children should make sure they walk on the pavement and continue to follow the '**Stop, Look, Listen, Think**' rule when they cross the road.

Park and Stride

At the Broadway site we continue to encourage families that have to use the car to 'Park and Stride', that is park their cars safely away from the school site and to walk the last few minutes to school. There is a map on the [Travelling to School](#) page of our website which shows where free parking can be found within a 10 minutes walk of our school. Ealing Parking Services have supported our attempts to make the roads around our Broadway Site safer for pupils and pedestrians by enforcing the double yellow lines on Springbridge road. We would like to remind parents that they should not stop on Springbridge road near to the Broadway Site, this blocks a significant public transport route and is a significant safeguarding risk for pupils and families crossing the road to get to school. This is now being enforced by Ealing Parking Services.

Road Safety Week (Nov 4th-Nov 8th)

We are aware that over half term the hour will change, resulting in darker mornings and evenings when children are traveling to and from school; this is a time of year which poses more risks as children traveling to school are less visible to drivers in the darkness. Our road safety week after half term will focus on the "Be Bright and Be Seen" message; reminding children of the importance of wearing reflective and fluorescent clothing and accessories so that they can be safe and be seen. Our Year 5 travel ambassadors have delivered an assembly on road safety this week and it will be the focus of our PSHE lessons during road safety week.

Be Bright, Be Seen Non Uniform Day (Friday Nov 8th)

On Friday 8th November we will have our annual 'Be Bright, Be Seen' non-uniform day where children are invited to come to school dressed in bright, reflective or fluorescent clothes to reinforce the message: to be safe we need to be seen. We are grateful to our PTA who once again this year will be providing every child in the school with a reflector keychain to put on their school bag to help them be seen in the dark.

Very best wishes,
CtS Leadership Team