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Dear Parent/Carer

I am writing to inform you that we are now requiring students to walk their bikes out of school at the end of the day. The school is going through a period of growth, currently we have 1140 students and we will reach 1200 by 2020. They all leave school by the same gate at 3.05pm. The drive is extremely busy and it is necessary for the safety of everyone that cyclists walk their bikes along the drive to the road side before mounting.

Also recently we have had one student and one ex-student involved in serious cycle accidents on the roads. Fortunately they were wearing cycle helmets which probably saved them from unthinkable injuries. I know as parents we encourage our children to wear cycle helmets and the school is now going to take this a step further, insisting that all cyclists to school must wear a cycle helmet.

Thank you for your support.

Yours faithfully

Mr G Odlin
Assistant Headteacher

