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Dear Parents

Unfortunately, the situation of parking at the start and end of the day continues to be a serious issue especially on the University of Cumbria driveway.

Issues of parents parking irresponsibly include parking on double yellow lines and the zigzags outside school. This not only causes problems for our crossing patrol when trying to do her job but more importantly it makes it unsafe and dangerous for our children crossing the road.

The University of Cumbria have become increasingly concerned about the significant number of parents using the driveway as a waiting and drop-off point. The driveway is clearly marked with double yellow lines. As a result, the parking attendants will now be patrolling the area and if parents are found dropping off or parking on the driveway, they will take photos and PCN notices will be issued. If parents continue to offend then their details will be passed onto the Police.

However, we have been liaising with the university and we do have an agreed solution. They have very generously said our parents can use the large car park on the right at the top of the drive (not the university pre-school car park). Parents can park here for a maximum of 30 minutes without purchasing a ticket. This will enable parents to park their car, walk the children down to the crossing patrol and return to their car with plenty of time to spare.

We are delighted to be working in partnership with the University of Cumbria and are very grateful for their understanding and generosity. Now that there is a solution, there really is no need for there to be a safety issue for our children anymore. I am sure you will agree this is fantastic and with every one cooperating, we will be able to keep everyone in the Bowerham family safe.

Thank you for your co-operation

Jo Banks

Headteacher

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*The Bowerham School community is proud to nurture aspiration,
inspire love for life-long learning and prepare children for a changing
Society.*

