



# Moorlands Primary School

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Dear Parents/carers,

## Re: Kesteven Way - School Street Closure

We are writing to let you know that we are in the process of applying for a "School Street" to help to improve safety for Moorlands' families and conditions for local residents. School Streets become pedestrian and cycle-only zones for 45 minutes at school start and finish times (except weekends and holidays).

During these times, **Kesteven Way (including Aberdour Close) from the junction of Rutland Way** will be closed to motor vehicles. School staff and volunteers will be available throughout the closure to allow access for residents and emergency vehicles.



By removing through traffic from the road it can be used safely by families to travel on foot or by bike or scooter to school. Parents/guardians will be responsible for their own children as normal.

We encourage all families to leave the car at home where possible. Fewer car trips will help to improve local air quality, encourage more exercise, reduce congestion at peak times and reduce road traffic collisions.

We understand some parents rely on the car for their journey. For those who need to travel by car please remember to park responsibly, considerately and ideally a 5-minute walk from the school.

The likely closure times will be: 8.30am - 9.15am & 2.50pm - 3.35pm

In order to make the street closure run smoothly, we will require support from parents and carers to help operate the closure. Even if it is for just one afternoon or morning a week or a few sessions, we'd be grateful for any support you could offer! If you'd like to help out, please email the school office team at [info@moorlandsprimary.net](mailto:info@moorlandsprimary.net).

We really hope you like the idea. If you have any questions or concerns, would be able to help with stewarding, or are interested in finding out more, please do get in touch.

Best wishes,

Mrs L Ross

Headteacher

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