

Listed below is a table relating to parents who responded to the survey, detailing current problems experienced in relation to parking outside of schools and the action they would like to see taken to remedy the situation.

Question	Answer – Church End Lower School, Marston Moretaine	Answer - Arnold Academy, Barton-le-Clay
What year group is your child in?	Parent 1:Y4 Parent 2: Y1 Parent 3: Y2 Parent 4: YR	Parent 1:Y8 Parent 2: Y6 Parent 3: Y6
How does your child usually travel to school?	Parent 1: Walk Parent 2: Walk Parent 3: Car Parent 4: Walk	Parent 1: School bus Parent 2: School bus Parent 3: School bus
Do you live within the catchment area?	Parent 1:Yes Parent 2: Yes Parent 3: Yes Parent 4: Yes	Parent 1: Yes Parent 2: Yes Parent 3: Yes
What is your approximate distance from the school?	Parent 1:A mile Parent 2: Less than half a mile Parent 3: More than 5 miles Parent 4: Less than half a mile	Parent 1:More than 2 miles Parent 2: More than 2 miles Parent 3: More than 2 miles
Are you aware if the school has a School Travel Plan (STP)?	Parent 1: No Parent 2: No Parent 3: No Parent 4: No	Parent 1: No Parent 2: No Parent 3: No
How regularly does the school promote their STP to parents?	Parent 1: Don't know Parent 2: Don't know Parent 3: Don't know Parent 4: Don't know	Parent 1: Don't know Parent 2: Don't know Parent 3: Don't know

<p>To what extent do you agree or disagree that parents are substantially involved in the development of the STP?</p>	<p>Parent 1: Agree Parent 2: Neither agree nor disagree Parent 3: Neither agree nor disagree Parent 4: Neither agree nor disagree</p>	<p>Parent 1: Strongly disagree Parent 2: Strongly disagree Parent 3: Strongly agree</p>
<p>Please provide details of any problems the school experiences with regards to parking outside or in the vicinity of the school.</p>	<p>Parent 1: Too many cars - families could walk more. Parents arriving very late to drop off at school in a car as they can then drive closer but as late they are speeding. Parking - people could park and walk a short distance but instead park dangerously</p> <p>Parent 2: Congestion and difficulty crossing road near school.</p> <p>Parent 3: No designated parking spaces. School is on a building site with trucks and digger regularly passing through. In the middle of a busy residential estate.</p> <p>Parent 4: Sometimes parents park on the junction near the school which can cause problems for other drivers and crossing the road.</p>	<p>Parent 1: The road outside the school is busy and if parents park there it becomes congested. The car park is too small for the number of parents that park there/school staff. The bus lanes can sometimes become congested too!</p> <p>Parent 2: The car park is too small for the number of children attending/parents who drop off/pick up. The bus lane can also get congested.</p> <p>Parent 3: The parking at Arnold is horrendous. My children use the school bus to help with the already heavily congested dropping off/picking up. I don't like them getting the school bus and neither do they as there is often name calling and teasing and generally bad behaviour which both my girls dislike as they are both quite sensitive and just liked to be left alone. However as the parking is so terrible at Arnold, they have to go by bus as I couldn't cope with the stress of parking there. Parents block anywhere and are often abusive when asked to move their cars (i.e. bus lane parked) If Arnold was to expand, it would need more parking for the new teachers which would leave even less places for parking. Trying to drive along Hexton Road is a nightmare already as the road is blocked one way with the cars which already adds ten extra minutes just to reach the school.</p>
<p>Does the school regularly promote sustainable methods of school travel? e.g. walking/cycling, car share etc.</p>	<p>Parent 1: Yes Parent 2: Posters on school gates - Cars + children don't mix. Parent 3: NA Parent 4: NA</p>	<p>Parent 1: Yes - not that people follow their suggestions</p> <p>Parent 2: Yes, but parents don't follow!!</p> <p>Parent 3: It wouldn't be practical as most children are out of catchment and can't reach the village unless they drive so to</p>

		be fair it would be a pointless exercise to do it.
Please tell us what other measures or support parents would benefit from or anything else you feel is relevant.	<p>Parent 1: Parents need to take responsibility for themselves. The school is very good at making parents aware of the dangers.</p> <p>Parent 2: NA</p> <p>Parent 3: Designated parking. A crossing near school with a lollipop lady.</p> <p>Parent 4: NA</p>	<p>Parent 1: NA</p> <p>Parent 2: NA</p> <p>Parent 3: More school transport available would be good. Harlington offer a (payable) bus service from Luton but as its pricey, parents still drive but a free service like we have in the villages would help, however there should be chaperones on all buses, villages and any others. The children get hyped up, especially on the journey home. Last year a child was throwing full water bottles at the other kids. If that had hit the driver, there could've been a serious accident. So more free buses for out of catchment children and chaperones please.</p>
If you regularly drive your child to school, please tell us in your own words why this is often your preferred option.	<p>Parent 1: NA</p> <p>Parent 2: NA</p> <p>Parent 3: No other timely or affordable option. School is 10 minutes away from home and I'm currently on my way to work. Age of daughter. No bus routes available to my knowledge and no other car sharing options.</p> <p>Parent 4: NA</p>	<p>Parent 1: NA</p> <p>Parent 2: NA</p> <p>Parent 3: NA</p>

Note – No responses were received from parents at the Potton Federation of Schools or Cranfield CofE Academy.