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Dear Parents and Guardians,

After the very close shave in the school car park this morning, in which a Reception child came close to being hit by a car, I have taken the decision that we will be closing the Car Park Gate from 8.40 to 9.15 each morning and again between 15.10 and 15.45. This is because we want to do everything we can to protect the children in our school from harm.

I would urge all families that have to drive to the school to use the parking facilities by the Grange, where parking for up to 20 minutes is still free, and to walk their children from there. We do not want to cause more stress to families in the morning, but feel strongly that we have no choice if we are to avoid a more serious accident in our car park. I hope you can do all you can to help us with this issue.

Yours faithfully,

Matthew Barnes