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Dear Parents and Carers

It is with sadness that I am now writing to you all again regarding the parking around the local area. A member of Bligh staff was approached before the weekend regarding the parked cars on verges and in front of driveways.

Unfortunately, one of our parents was reported as being verbally aggressive to one of the residents which is not the ethos that I would like to portray about our school.

We have been advised that there are a number of ways that you can report cars that you believe to be illegally parked. The first is by telephone, report the cars by calling 07718 130 962. This number is available between the hours of 7am and 1am, between all other hours, you will be asked to leave a message.

An officer will visit the location of a report as quickly as possible to decide if any action is necessary. If a vehicle is found to be parked illegally, they'll issue a parking fine, also known as a penalty charge notice (PCN).

You can also report the parking on the Medway Council website. You will be asked a few questions relating to the car including the registration number, the location and the incident. You can even upload photographs in order to confirm the details.

Can I ask you all to consider where you park your cars, especially at drop off and collection times.

I know that this letter is aimed at the minority of our parents and the majority of you do chose to park considerably or walk to school with your children.

Please let us know if you have any further questions relating to parking in the local area.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'P. Markham', is written over a light blue circular stamp.

Mr C Markham  
Head of Schools