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FRIENDS FRIDAY

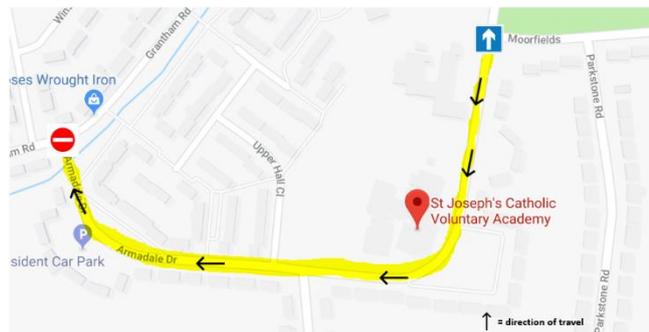
Road Safety Week

We've been working this week to talk to children and parents about the importance of road safety around our school. Despite this, there have still been instances of parking opposite the school gates and on corners this week. Please take a moment when you are picking up or dropping off your child to think safety first. With all of us taking a moment each day to consider our speed, how we park, cross roads, with just small changes we can make the roads safer for children, families, and residents.

The Proposed One Way

Thank you for all of you who have joined in the conversation this week, shared feedback on the trial one-way system that will go live from **July 1 until the end of the summer term (12th July)**.

The one way (right) will run from the junction at Moorfields/Armadale Drive, around school to the junction Armadale Drive/Grantham Road and apply to all vehicles during term time, between the hours 8am - 9am, and 2.45pm - 3.45pm.



Once live, we will be monitoring parental adherence to the new one-way system and parking. Issues including dangerous parking and failure to adhere to the one way will be escalated to Mrs Leslie and the local police support officer.

Date for your Diary

On June 10th, at 5.30 we will invite residents and parents to attend a consultation meeting that will take on further feedback before the go-live on July 1st. If you are unable to attend, please email feedback to friendsofstjosephs-leicester@outlook.com

Half Term Homework

If you feel as passionately as we do about road safety, here are some suggestions that will help get your family involved in our road safety project this half term!

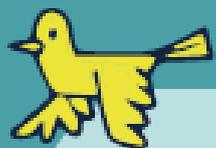
- **Find your coppers** - Your child has been given a flyer with a bank bag for a penny drive, collect whatever you feel you can in 1ps and 2ps and bring it back into school by Friday, June 7. Funds raised will go towards our school fund, which will help pay for necessary signage around our roads.
- **Write a letter to a resident** - If your child is practising writing, why not get them to write a letter to a resident to tell them how important road safety is to your child
- **Draw a picture or a map** - If your child is too young to write, encourage them to draw a picture of them at school or a map of the neighbourhood, the way they see it
- **Drive your route to school** - If you know that your drive to/from school will be affected by the one way, try doing the drive whilst the roads are quiet so you are familiar with your new route

Have a fantastic half term break, and we look forward to seeing you back at school in June!

Maria O'Brien

FOSJ Chair 2018-19

ROAD SAFETY WEEK



SHOW YOU CARE,

PARK ELSEWHERE

**AND PLEASE
PARK SAFELY!**



**PARKING ON CORNERS, KERBS AND
PAVEMENTS ENDANGERS OUR CHILDREN!**