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Dear Parents / Carers,

I would like to remind you please about the rules we have to ensure everyone keeps safe on our school grounds.

- **Dogs are not allowed on the school site.** We recognise that dogs are an important part of family life for many in the school community, and as such are often included in day-to-day activities such as walking children to and from school. However, others may find the presence of dogs in the playground and school grounds stressful, even frightening particularly with younger children, and even well-behaved dogs can behave unpredictably when placed in a busy, noisy and crowded environment. Therefore school policy is that no dogs are allowed on school premises (either on a lead or carried). We would appreciate your co-operation by not bringing your pet to school.
- **Bicycles and scooters should be wheeled and not ridden on the school site.** We positively encourage children to walk or cycle to school however please ensure that once on the school grounds that your child gets off their scooter or bike and walks it across the playground. This will keep everyone on the playground safe.
- Cars should not be driven up Lawnside. We ask you please to park on the surrounding roads and walk up Lawnside at the beginning and end of the school day; it gets very congested at these times and cars driving up and down Lawnside can make it very dangerous for children walking to and from school.

Thank you for your cooperation in keeping our school families safe on the school site.

Yours sincerely

Cheryl Johnson Head Teacher

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