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Dear Parents/Carers

Road Safety

On Tuesday, I accompanied representatives of Wilmington Safer Streets to review hotspots on Common Lane. I am very grateful for the work they are doing. You will know that Common Lane and the paths are very narrow and bordered by walls and trees, making it difficult for students, buses and coaches to negotiate.

First thing in the morning and the end of the school day are obviously the most congested times and we need to encourage all of our young people to keep themselves safe.

I did witness students walking in the road and darting across the bend in the road without a clear view of the oncoming traffic.

There were a number of vehicles parked on the pavements which forced students and other pedestrians onto the road, so I would ask you to park considerately when collecting/dropping off.

We will continue to work with Kent County Council and Highways representatives to encourage them to make road safety improvements.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "T. Trusler".

Tracey Trusler
Principal