



Christleton High School

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Dear Parent/Guardian

Road Safety

Now that the mornings and evenings are becoming darker, I feel it timely to remind you of the dangers our students face, when travelling to and from school.

I have received reports from concerned members of our community that some students when on their bikes are extremely difficult to see. The last thing we would want is for any of our students to become involved in a road traffic accident.

More than 250 students choose to ride to and from school. However, all cyclists need to be seen and therefore we would ask all parents/guardians to ensure your child's bike is fitted with working lights and brakes with front and rear reflectors. Cyclists are also advised to wear a safety helmet and a high visibility vest or stripe, especially during the winter months.

I would ask you to please talk to your child about staying safe on their way to and from school, either as a road user or as a pedestrian. Our Cycling Expectations are available on the school website www.christletonhigh.co.uk in Students' Downloads and Parents' Download sections.

I thank you for your support, as always.

Yours sincerely

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Headteacher