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Dear Parents/ Guardians

Update on School Streets Scheme

We are delighted to announce that we have now received confirmation from Reading Borough Council that a trial of the School Street scheme for Crescent Road has been approved. We envisage that the scheme will start on 1 November 2021 and will run for a period of 6 months.

The safety of students, staff and the local community at the beginning and the end of the day when using Crescent Road continues to be a major concern and there continue to be a number of complaints from local residents regarding unacceptable parking. It will require a community effort to get the scheme up and running as we will need marshals to police the scheme on a daily basis. In September, we will be asking parents and others in the local community to volunteer to act as a marshal. We really hope that you will be able to support us in this endeavour to keep yourselves and students/ pupils safe in our local area.

For further information on the scheme, please refer to the Reading Borough Council website <u>here.</u>

Should you have any questions or wish to discuss this further, please contact us via <u>meroffice@maidenerleghtrust.org</u> "school street" in the subject line (communications will be shared between the schools).

Yours sincerely

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