



GETTING TO MILL RYTHE SCHOOLS - IT DOESN'T HAVE TO BE A PROBLEM!

IF YOU COME BY CAR:

It's okay to park:

☺ **In the marked bays at the front of the junior school and *sensibly* on the left as you approach**

☺ **Mill Rythe Holiday Village Road** as far as the Cinder Track
Access must be maintained for coaches and other vehicles at all times so please park on the side nearest the schools and as close to the edge as possible! On the opposite side, *only* in the bay just inside the entrance or down by the cinder track.

☺ **Church Road** - but not too close to the roundabout

☺ **The Kings Road area** - Rest-a-Wyle Avenue can be quite busy but there is usually more room further along Kings Road itself.

It's not a good idea to walk up or down the driveway with your children.

Please keep to the footpaths, even if it does take a little longer.

Let's not mix children with cars if we don't have to.

Please **DO NOT PARK:**

☹ **in the bus bays!** The bus stop on the Havant Road is used by both the Stagecoach Public Service and the School Bus in the evening. There is only just room for the two buses.

☹ **in the gateway to the field by school** - This area is coned off for child safety reasons!

☹ **from the bench on the Havant Road round to the pavement bulge opposite Kings Road** - keeping this area clear helps to maintain two-way traffic flow

☹ **on yellow lines or hatchings** - this includes the bus turning bay!

☹ ... and please don't block pavements or driveways.

**EVERY CHILD MATTERS
... NOT JUST YOURS!**

In days of low sun take care - remember that often drivers can be suddenly blinded.



DROPPING OFF

Infants may be safely left in the infant school playground from 8.30 am, Juniors from 8.45 at the junior school, when staff will be available to supervise them.

Follow the flow of traffic through the junior school car park, stopping as far to the left as possible so that others may pass while your children leave your car *on the left side*, or move on to drop at the bus layby in front of the infants.

☹ Please don't let your children out anywhere else in the traffic queue nor allow them to run through the cars into school!

Better late but safe than not at all!!

Visit the Government website

Tales of the Road

For Road Safety Advice

WALK (A LITTLE BIT) TO SCHOOL?

Allow an extra ten minutes each way and give your kids a healthy start to the day!

"Walking is good for children's health and fitness, but it's important for parents to **set a good road safety example**. Research conducted in early 2007 (DFT) found that all the parents surveyed admitted to taking "calculated risks" from time to time in front of their children.

The THINK! strategy for promoting pedestrian safety to parents aims to remind them that children copy their behaviour and encourage them to set a good example."



ST PATRICKS CHURCH, Manor Road

By kind permission, parking is available in the car park. Walk the wide footpath along the main road.



THE CINDER TRACK

Plenty of parking in the Tournerbury Lane, Eastwood Close area. Walk the track between Hayling College and Tournberbury Golf Course

NURSERY RHYMES

Breakfast Club open from 8.00 to 8.45 in the mornings. Phone 023 9246 0925 for more info.

KIDZONE

Afterschool club for Infant and Junior School children. Open from 3.00 to 6.00pm. Call Gill Wrixon: 023 9245 8594 or 07976 611713

Cycling to School

Hampshire County Council Road Safety Team do not recommend that children under 10 cycle to school but realise that a number of parents would like this opportunity. Ultimately cycling to school by children is the responsibility of parents.

- ☺ A cycle helmet (which meets current safety regulations) should be worn when cycling and pupils should be encouraged to wear bright clothing.
- ☺ All cyclists should walk their bikes and scooters on school premises.
- ☺ The security of cycles and scooters is the responsibility of the individual and measures should be taken to protect against theft.
- ☺ There are cycle racks at the rear of the Junior School; infants should leave bikes and scooters at the rear of blue wing behind the big metal shed

"Cycling is good exercise and a healthy way for children to get around. Parents have an important part to play in teaching their children about safe cycling and setting a good example."



<http://www.dft.gov.uk/think/>

