

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> December 2024**RE: Traffic Incident Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> December**

Dear Families

We are writing to remind everyone about the importance of safe and considerate driving around the school and through the village, particularly during pick-up and drop-off times.

Catcott has very few pavements, meaning pedestrians—including children and pets—must share the roads with vehicles. This makes it crucial for all drivers to exercise extra care and reduce their speed, ensuring the safety of everyone in our community.

Sadly, an incident reported to us has highlighted the need for this reminder. After school on Thursday a car was reported speeding along King William Road, startling a young child and their dog. Thankfully, no one was hurt, but it could have ended very differently.

We urge everyone to remain vigilant and respectful when driving through the village, keeping in mind the shared use of these roads. By driving slowly and cautiously, we can help ensure the safety and well-being of all our children, families, and residents.

Thank you for your understanding and cooperation, together we can keep our community safe.

Kind regards  
Laura Constanza

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Laura Constanza'.

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We are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and all staff share this commitment. If you have a concern about the welfare or safety of child please speak directly to Mrs Constanza (DSL) or Miss Lintern (DDSL).

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