

Parking guidelines around Little Grove Primary School.

It is not practical for schools to provide enough parking for everyone, it is the **driver's responsibility to park their car legally** and to help ease parking issues and keep the school's students safe.

Recently our School received a parent parking audit and several changes have been made to mark out street parking bays and update signage. It also determined the number of bays provided for parents is within acceptable ratios for our size school.

Safety concerns in and around schools

- Speeding motorists
- Park/stop on footpaths or verges
- Park/stop across driveways
- Park/stop on median strips (including flush medians)
- Disregard of parking signage.

What can parents do?

- Always be aware of children
- Walk or cycle to school to drop off or collect children. Please see upgraded/extended bike paths and safe routes to school information.
- Try and use nearby parking facilities such as Mills Park, and walk a short distance to the school
- Plan your trip so you arrive on the school side of the road
- Park in assigned street parking bays along Gordon and O'Connell St and observe the 15 minute time limit to allow as many people as possible to have access to the area.
- Avoid leaving your vehicle for more than 15 minutes. If you plan on staying longer, park in the parent carpark- Entry from O'Connell Street.



Rules of parent parking

DO

- Park further away and walk such as Mills Park. Plan with your child when and where they can be picked up safely.
- Obey all street signs
- Be courteous
- Leave the car at home and walk or ride to school if possible.
- If eligible, catch the school bus at the local stop nearest your home.
- Park within the marked lines of a parking bay.

DO NOT

- Block driveways
- Park/stop on footpaths
- Obstruct children's crossings
- Park/stop on median strips
- Park/stop on verges
- Park/stop within 10m of an intersection
- Park facing against the flow of traffic
- Double park
- NEVER call your child across the road. Running across the road is dangerous for your child

