



Cotteridge Primary School

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Dear Parents/ Carers,

Years 5 & 6 children walking to and from school

As children become older they like to have more opportunities to become independent. In preparation for secondary school life some parents feel that allowing their child/ren to travel to and from school without adult supervision is one way to develop greater responsibility.

The school's policy is that children in Years 5 and 6 may be allowed to travel to and from school alone with parental permission.

Some parents also provide their children with mobile phones to bring to school. I would like to make clear the procedure with regards to bringing mobile phones to school.

1. Mobile phones can only be brought to school by children who go home alone.
2. Children must hand their mobile phones into the school office every morning when they first arrive at school.
3. The child will collect their phone from the school office at the end of the day.

If you would like your child/ren to travel from school unescorted then please complete the slip below and return to the school office. Unless the office receives this form your child/ren will not be able to travel alone. Please note that even if you have filled out a form for the last academic year we require a new one for this year.

If you have any questions on the above please do not hesitate in contacting me.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs. Tucker
Assistant Headteacher

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Permission for Years 5 and 6 to travel from school on their own (2017/18)

I give permission for my child to travel home from school & take full responsibility for their own safety. I understand that it is my responsibility to ensure that my child knows the route home and that they have a means of access to the house. I will teach my child about the importance of road safety and stranger danger. I understand that Cotteridge School will not be responsible for my child once that have left the school premises at 3.15pm.

Name of Child : _____ Year : _____

Parent/Carer Signature : _____ Date : _____

Emergency Contact Number : _____