

23. Traffic Management Plan

23.1. Student Arrival and Departure from College

BDSC has developed a traffic management plan in conjunction with the Police and Manukau City Council to ensure the safety of all members of the College Community. We ask for the co-operation of parents and students in following this plan. Please do not use the church for parking or waiting after school.

23.2. Student Foot Traffic

- **Chapel Road Entrance / Exit** - All students coming to and from school are to cross Chapel Road at the Traffic Light Controlled Intersection.
- **Kilkenny Drive Entrance / Exit** - There are no controlled crossings on the Kilkenny exit – Students are to use the pedestrian refuge crossing next to the playground. Please encourage your son / daughter to **STOP, LOOK, LISTEN**, before crossing.

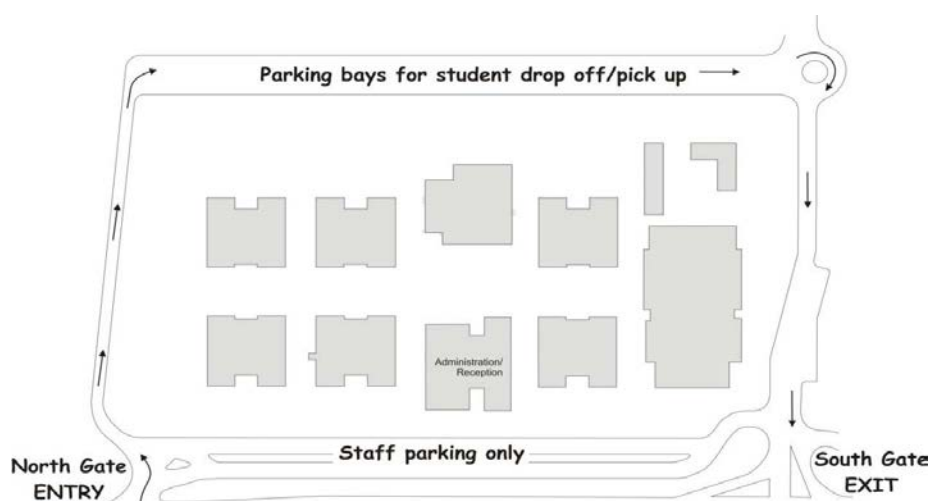
23.3. Students Arriving and Exiting by Bicycle

- All students must wear a helmet.
- Students crossing Chapel Rd must dismount and use the pedestrian crossing at the traffic lights.
- Riding of bikes in the College grounds is permitted only on the **internal road: Foundation Avenue**. Otherwise, bicycles must be pushed.

23.4. Students Arriving and Leaving School by Parental Vehicle

The student drop-off and pick-up area is in the back car park. Traffic will enter via the northernmost gate, and continue down the one-way road past the water tanks to the back car park. Cars will leave the school grounds past the roundabout out the southernmost exit past the Panasonic Performing Arts Centre to the traffic lights.

The front slip road is **closed to through traffic** and is for staff parking only, except for the provision for disabled car access and parking at the front of the administration block, plus several visitor car parks for official business during the school day.



23.5. Walking

We continue to promote that students walk to and from school wherever possible not only as a means of personal fitness but in keeping traffic in and out of the school to a minimum. We ask for the co-operation of parents and students in following the plan.

23.6. Students Driving Cars to School

The BDSC Board of Trustees' policy is that no student should drive to and from school however the College realises that there may be occasion when students need to drive to school. Applications to drive forms are available on Office 365 and must be completed and signed by parents, the student and **Whanau Leader**.

24. Transport from Whitford

There is no free transport provided from the Whitford and Peninsular areas.

Please be aware that when travelling to and from College, all College standards apply.