



John Donne Primary School

Woods Road, Peckham, SE15 2SW

Thursday 24th February 2022

Dear parents and carers,

Proposed School Street around John Donne Primary School

Please find below information from Southwark Council about plans for a camera-controlled School Street on Woods Road, Colmore Mews and Burchell Road.

Southwark Council have worked with John Donne Primary School to develop plans for a 'School Street' on these roads. Using Automatic Number-Plate Recognition (ANPR) cameras, motor vehicles would be banned from travelling through this section of road during school opening and closing times. There would be exemptions for:

- emergency services
- residents within the scheme area will be able to apply for a permit
- registered carers of residents within the scheme, and blue badge holders working at or dropping people off at the school will be able to apply for a permit
- Southwark school transport vehicles (school transport vehicles from elsewhere will be able to apply for a permit)

Trials of 'School Street' closures across Southwark have been very well received by schools and parents, contributing greatly to children's safety, improving air quality outside schools, and making it easier for children to get to school by walking or cycling.

Southwark Council are keen to hear from residents of these roads, as well as from parents and teachers at John Donne Primary School, about how this scheme should work and any concerns you may have.

Please comment on these proposals by completing the online consultation at www.southwark.gov.uk/school-street-john-donne by 20th March 2022, or by writing to Highways, Southwark Council, PO Box 64529 London SE1P 5LX.

There will also be an online meeting on Wednesday 2nd March at 5.30pm – reserve a place at <https://schoolstreets.eventbrite.co.uk>

Best wishes,

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