

Dear Parents and Carers,

I have two items of information that I would like to share with you this week.

Short Term Outcomes (STO's) / Individual Behaviour Support Management Plans (IBSMP's)

Greenbank School offers the full range of National Curriculum subjects within KS3. Key Stage 4 students follow the core curriculum (English Language, Mathematics and Science) and have the opportunity to select options within the foundation curriculum (Geography or History, Design Technology, Art of Food Technology) in addition to Computing, P.E. and R.E. Key Stage 5 students access a wide ranging curriculum to prepare them for the post 16 pathways (whether this be a social care or education pathway that further build on the progress made in school).

All students have an Education Health Care Plan (EHCP), within which a number of personalised Short Term Outcomes (STO's) are written. School will focus on specific STO's during a term and work with your child to develop each STO recorded. STO's are evaluated and reviewed termly. Please find attached details of your child's Short Term Outcomes (STO's) for the Autumn Term.

In addition to the information above I would like to draw your attention to my previous Home News letter that referred to the date that STO's and IBSMP's will be issued for new students. It is slightly later in order to give staff more time to get to know their students and better prepare effective STO's. Similarly, I asked for the support of parents whose children are in Miss Badzire's class. These STO's will be made available on 4th October.

Some students benefit from the additional support of an Individual Behaviour Support Management Plan. These run on the same timeline as STO's. Where school feels that it is appropriate for a student to receive this additional support these will accompany the STO's.

Car Parking

The school population has grown significantly over the last few years and more parents have opted to transport their children to school. This has placed pressure on available parking for pupils, staff, parents and taxis. Despite school investing heavily last year to provide an additional 30 car parking slots parking is at a premium and co-operation is key.

Signage at the front of school requests that the *Left Hand Side* car park is for visitors, parents and taxis. The *Right Hand Side* car park is for staff and those parents and taxis who either transport children with a mobility issue or who are Blue Badge holders.

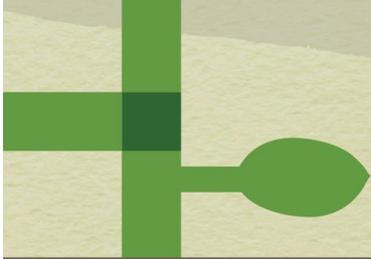
There should be free access into and out of both car parking areas in order to allow access for emergency vehicles and staff who have other commitments after work.

Please observe this arrangement. I fully appreciate the increasing pressure of high traffic volumes at the start and the end of the day and the impact it can have on a calm start to the day. As always your co-operation is appreciated.

Yours faithfully,

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