

"Caring, Confident, Committed"

# Connaught Pupil Parliament Action Plan

# Safety Council 2022-2023

#### **Objectives**

# Discouraging people from parking too close to our school especially with their engines idling.

#### **Key Actions**

To promote a cleaner environment around our school.

Mount a campaign to discourage parents sitting in their cars with the engine idling. Take part in termly Health and Safety walks with the LAB (Local Academy Board) on behalf of the TAMAT Trustees.

Assist the leadership in acquiring a new safe Trim Trail.

## Identify key issues by considering the following questions:

How can we promote a safer, cleaner environment around our school? Is there a way to encourage more children to walk/ ride a bike or scoot to school to reduce the congestion in the roads around our school?

How could we encourage parents to park further away from the school and 'park and stride'?

#### What do we do well at the moment? What problems need to be solved?

More children could make use of our bike/scooter/skateboard storage facilities. Does this need to be promoted more? Point out the facilities on site for parking bicycles and scooters to prospective parents on our open days.

Idling engines outside the school gates are reported as a problem.

#### **Identify key issues:**

Pupil surveys carried out through the Travel Plan indicate that more children would like to ride/ walk/ scoot to school.

#### How else could we do? What solutions/alternatives could we suggest?

Use of social media to highlight the need to travel to school more sustainably. Put photos on Facebook and Twitter to have maximum impact.

Budget
Formal and
informal

Timescale &

## Monitoring

Letter to be sent to parents from the Safety Council to encourage more sustainable ways to travel to and from school and to ask them not to sit in cars with engines idling.

Formal and informal Safety Council Meetings

Embark on a campaign for cleaner air around Connaught. (The Connaught Campaign for Cleaner Air)

Meetings to discuss how to address key actions identified above.

Safety Council to be involved with Health and Safety walks with CJS Governors, to feedback to TAMAT Trustees.

#### £200 budget

#### What will it look like when it is successful?

Children will know how to stay safe at school and when not at school. More children will walk/ ride/ scoot to school which will be reflected in the next 'hands up' survey for the Travel Plan.

#### **Impact**

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