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Road Safety

Getting your child to school safely is your responsibility. If you walk, cycle or drive, keep your child safe by following these rules:

Parking near the school

Never park on yellow lines or zigzags – parking further away and walking is better than risking your child's safety. If your school has a safe drop-off zone, use it.

Think before you park

School zigzags are there to protect your child's safety and keep the school gates clear.

Parking on double yellow lines or zigzags is not permitted, and single yellow lines are time restricted – you may receive a £70 parking ticket.

If you block a dropped kerb, you may receive a £70 parking ticket and have your car removed at a cost of £105.

More information about Manchester's 20mph areas is available at:

www.manchester.gov.uk/20mph

Using mobile phones when driving

It is dangerous and illegal to use a mobile phone while driving. You could be fined, or banned.

If you have any concerns about road safety near your child's school, please contact the school directly.

Enjoy Life at the Monastery

Life at the Monastery is the name for all of our community projects including public events and activities for everyone to enjoy. There is something for everyone and you are invited to join our new clubs, events and activities as part of the Monastery's weekly and monthly programme. Enjoy life at the Monastery.

Please come along and join us.

Below are some of the activities that are available during the February half term holidays - (for ages 5-12)

Monday 19th February - 'Through Painted Windows'

Learn about the history of stained glass and make your own stained glass influenced artwork. (Arts & Crafts)

Tuesday 20th February - 'The Workshop of the World'

Explore Gorton's industrial heritage (Drama)

Wednesday 21st February - 'Bee Inspired'

Learn about how the worker bee has become the symbol of Manchester. Make your own bee to take home! (Arts & Craft)

Thursday 22nd February - 'The Great Greyfriars'

Have fun playing historic games and discover the inner actor in you inspired by the greyfriars players! (Drama)

Friday 23rd February - 'Greatest Gorton'

Celebrating all of the great things about Gorton by making a large-scale artwork together for 'We Love Gorton' day on the 25th February

Places are limited so please pre-book by calling 0161 223 3211

