



Queenswell Schools
Sweets Way, Whetstone, London N20 0NQ
T: 020 8445 0524
E: office@queenswellsch.org
W: www.fsfed.org



Wednesday 9th September 2026

Dear Parents/Carers

School Streets Scheme

At Queenswell Schools the safety of our pupils both in school and on their way to school, is importance to us. So we are delighted to announce that a School Street has been implemented by Barnet Council. This initiative will help create a safer and healthier environment for our pupils.

Below is some key information to help you understand School Streets:

What is a School Street? A School Street is a timed road restriction where most vehicles are not permitted to travel through the school area. This is during school pick-up and drop-off times.

How does it work? A School Street is monitored by Automatic Number Plate Recognition (ANPR) cameras to ensure that only vehicles with valid permits travel in the School Street.

Why are we having a School Street? School Streets are designed to improve pupil safety during school pick-up and drop-off. In the past 12 months, we have had some near misses between pupils and cars and instances of cars travelling over the speed limit. By removing most cars from the school pick up and drop off zone we ensure that our pupils are safer during this time.

How can I get involved as a parent/carer? School Streets are also about using active routes to get to school. So, we encourage you to walk, use public transport, cycle or scoot to school.

What does the School Street cover?

Operating times: 8:30am–9:15am and 3:00pm–3:45pm

Affected streets: Sweets Way, N20 – the section between Lovegrove Way and the Queenswell Federation, Greenside Close, N20 – full road, Orchard Avenue, N20 – full road, Queens Avenue, N20 – full road

Restrictions: The area will become a pedestrian and cycle-only zone during these times.

When will the School Street start? The first date of the school street will be **Monday 21st September**.

Parents/Carers related to Pupils who hold a Blue Badge

If you are a parent/carer of a current pupil of the school who holds a **Blue Badge**. You may be eligible to apply for a permit to enable you to be able to travel through



Queenswell Schools
Sweets Way, Whetstone, London N20 0NQ
T: 020 8445 0524
E: office@queenswellsch.org
W: www.fsfed.org



the (Pedestrian and Cycle only Zone) in your vehicle during the restricted days and times.

The parent/carer of the pupil needs to contact the permit office directly by email help@mipermit.com to request the school street exemption parking permit. We cannot do this for you. You will need to provide the following:

School evidence

You will need a signed and recently dated letter from the school on current printed school stationery showing the full school address within the School Street (Pedestrian and Cycle only Zone) detailing the following:

- **The pupil who currently attends the school's full name**
- **The full name of the parent/carer**
- **The nominated vehicle registration number**
- **Proof of blue badge**
 - **copy of the front of the Blue Badge (must be current and valid for a minimum of 12 months)**
 - **copy of the back of the Blue Badge (must be current and valid for a minimum of 12 months)**

Please email the details below to office@queenswellsch.org so we can send you a letter to you to confirm your details by Friday 11th September 2026. We will need this by email so we can send you the letter back.

You will then need to contact help@mipermit.com with all of your documentation and they will issue your permit.

Where a parent/carer is a Blue Badge holder of a pupil currently attending the school then we will deal with these on a case by case basis. These requests will also need to be sent directly to us by email help@mipermit.com

Thank you for your cooperation and support

Link for Applying for Permit once you have received your school evidence letter.

<https://www.barnet.gov.uk/parking/parking-permits/apply-or-renew-parking-permits/school-streets-parking-permit#title-5>

Yours sincerely

Mrs. Longworth

Executive Headteacher