



Mowbray Primary School
Stakeford Lane
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Headteacher: Mr Andrew Miller

AM/LH

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Dear Parents/Carers

Primary Support Base

As you will know from previous letters, Mowbray contains one of Northumberland County Council's Primary Support Bases. This sees Mowbray supporting other primary schools in a variety of ways. One such way is by temporarily supporting children with additional needs from other schools. Children being supported in the Primary Support Base are transported in via taxi at the start and end of the school day. In a morning, taxis arrive after 9am when all Mowbray children are in school. In an afternoon taxis arrive to collect children at 2.50pm which means that they will have left site before hometime.

When arriving to collect your children in an afternoon, please be aware of taxis entering the school site from Stakeford Lane at 2.50pm. Please do not enter the site early for pick up as inner gates will not be opened until 3.10pm despite outer gates being opened for taxi access.

Yesterday we did have an issue with a taxi arriving much later than it should have. This has been reported to the transport team at the Council and alternative arrangements have been put in place should a taxi arrive very late again so that they have no site access while families are leaving on foot.

If anyone notices any issues around this, please do let us know.

Yours sincerely

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