



St. John the Evangelist Catholic Academy

"Lord be thy word my rule."

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Dear Parents and Carers,

It has come to our attention that during drop off and pick up times there are a number of siblings playing in different areas of the school grounds. We are concerned that the children are climbing on different areas and at times are not being supervised and this could result in accidents happening.

The main areas seem to be the hand rails by the KS2 door (where Y6 come in and out), the steps to the main playground and the climbing on the walls by Y3 and Y5 and around the corner from EYFS. We are worried that children will be hurt. Staff do and will continue to ask children to go back to parents if they see them in these areas, for their safety.

Please could we ask that all children are supervised at all times whilst on school grounds and we politely ask that they do not climb on the hand rails or the walls. We would like to remind parents that during these times the children are not supervised by school staff and school are not responsible for any accidents that happen.

We would like to take the opportunity to remind parents of the timings of the school day as we are still having a number of children arriving late to school. School start times reminder:

EYFS and Key Stage One (Nursery to Year 2)	Start time: 8.40am Doors open 5 minutes before, arrival after 8.40am is marked as late.
Key Stage Two (Year 3 to Year 6)	Start time: 8.50am Doors open 5 minutes before, arrival after 8.50am is marked as late.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

Mrs H Rigby
Principal
