



# HAWTHORN HIGH SCHOOL

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20<sup>th</sup> January 2023

Dear Parent / Carer,

I wrote to you earlier this week to inform you about the next phase of work that will involve reducing School Lane to a single lane. I promised that I would update you prior to work starting to further clarify the plan. You will notice some amendments to the start date, time the work will take and the advised drop-off point for those of you who drop children off by car.

As part of the Phase 1 works to complete a new car parking and bus drop off facility for the new Hawthorn All-through School, Kier will need to undertake some key works to form the new entrance to the bus bays. This is going to affect access into School Lane from Tuesday, 24th January 2023 to 17th February 2023.

During this period there will be only single lane of traffic able to access the school via School Lane. At peak times this will be controlled via 'Stop and Go' signs with Kier staff managing this process to alleviate traffic build up.

**With this being a very busy junction at peak times the decision has been made to stop all drop offs on School Lane and the school car park, in order to manage this area safely. Access will be for school staff, contractors, School Lane residents, blue badge holders and home to school buses and taxis only.**

After consultation with the local authority, parents / carers who normally drop their children at school by car are advised to drop their children at Hawthorn Leisure centre and walk to school from there.

The works will also affect the current pupil pedestrian entrance to the school – the pupils will enter school via School Lane and through a new entrance created near the lower school building which will provide a secure access to the school site. All pupils and any visitors walking to school will need to follow the pedestrian route shown on the attached and follow the signage erected.

Please be assured that Hawthorn High School staff will be on duty before and at the end of school to ensure the safety of your child. We have attached a photo plan of the area affected by the work.

We, on behalf of Kier Construction, apologise for any inconvenience caused as a result of these planned works.

Yours sincerely

Mr M Franklin  
Executive Headteacher

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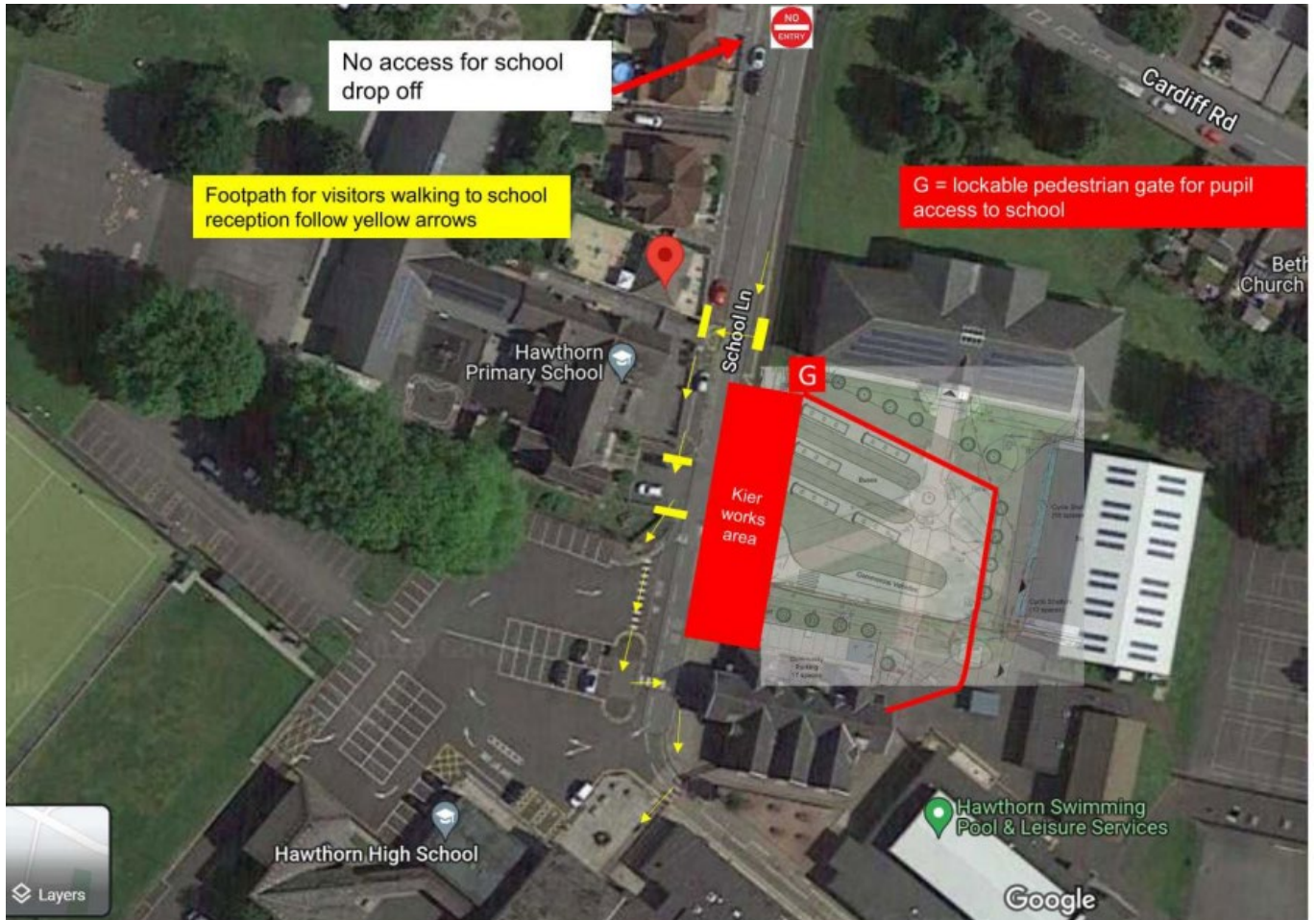


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