

# English Martyrs Catholic Primary School Manifesto

After completing 2 sessions of the Big Street Survey, the school council and eco council at English Martyrs have put together their own manifesto detailing improvements they would like to see around their school. The children had lots of amazing ideas, however they decided they would like to prioritise the below issues:

Problem	Solutions/Actions
Cars driving too fast on School Lane.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>Speed camera</b></li> <li>● <b>More signs showing speed limit</b></li> <li>● <b>Thermoplastics on the road with speed limit and School Zone</b></li> </ul> <p>The young people discussed how these could be achieved and decided it would be a good idea to write to Sefton Council.</p>
The underpass on Church Road is extremely dirty with litter, glass and mucky water. The young people felt it was too dark and scary with one saying 'it is like a horror film'. Around half of the group use the underpass as part of their journey to school and told us it made them feel unsafe.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>Request more bins – one at each end of the underpass</b></li> <li>● <b>Request for the underpass to be cleaned regularly</b></li> <li>● <b>Ask for better lighting (young people would like disco lighting/colourful lighting)</b></li> <li>● <b>Artwork</b></li> </ul> <p>The young people discussed how these could be achieved and decided it would be a good idea to contact Sefton Council.</p>
Crossing Church Road – the young people expressed that they felt unsafe whilst crossing Church Road.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>More crossings/improved crossings</b></li> <li>● <b>Reduction in speed limit</b></li> </ul> <p>The group would like to contact the road safety team at Sefton Council to share their experience of crossing this road.</p>
Parking on Zig Zags/Pavement on School Lane.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>Ask police to patrol the area outside of school</b></li> <li>● <b>Student council write a letter to parents for school news letter asking them to park more respectfully</b></li> <li>● <b>Look at a park &amp; stride scheme to reduce the number of cars outside of school</b></li> </ul>
Higher railings on Church Road to make it safer for animals and people.	<p>The young people suggested they could include this in their communication with Sefton Council and the road safety team.</p>









