

# WALMSLEY CE SCHOOL

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**HEADTEACHER: MRS JOANNA ATHERTON**

7th September 2023

Dear Parents/Carers

## **Year 5 & Year 6 – Arrangements for Leaving School at 3:30pm**

Now that your child is in Year 5/Year 6, he/she may want, with your permission, to leave the school site alone at the end of the school day. It is important to remember though that it will be getting dark earlier as the winter approaches so this may affect your decision to allow your child to leave alone. You may also wish to take into consideration the maturity of your child, their road safety routines and distance from home. If your child is allowed to walk home from school, they will not be allowed to take younger siblings home.

We are very careful about home time arrangements and will not allow your child to leave school alone if permission is not given in writing. Children in Year 5/Year 6 will be allowed to bring a mobile phone to school to support keeping them safe to and from school. This must be handed in each morning and will be locked away in the school office until home time.

Please note, if your child signs up for any after school clubs during the school year, he/she will need to be collected from school by an adult.

If you would like to start making this arrangement for your child, please complete and return the slip below to the school office.

Many thanks.

Mrs Atherton  
Head Teacher

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## **2023-2024 PERMISSION TO LEAVE THE SCHOOL GROUNDS ALONE AT 3:30PM**

**Child's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Class:** \_\_\_\_\_

Please read carefully and tick the line that applies to your child.

\_\_\_\_\_ I give permission for my child to leave school on their own at 3:30pm

\_\_\_\_\_ I do not give permission for my child to leave school on their own

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ (parent/carer)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

