

Our School Travel Plan

We are proud to announce that Yeading Infants and Nursery School have achieved Silver Award for its work in promoting safer travel to and from school. We are now working towards achieving the Gold Award. A School Travel Plan is a document which sets out how we will promote safer, active and sustainable travel to school. Our main aim is to reduce the number of children being driven to and from the site.

We think it is important to have a School Travel Plan because it is of benefit not just for our school community but also for the neighbours in our local community area.

Other reasons we have the School Travel Plan include:

Pupils

- Improving health and fitness by walking, scooting and cycling
- Improving travel awareness and road user skills
- Improving awareness of their surroundings
- Supporting a range of school trips using public transport



School

- Improving safety around the school
- Reducing congestion around the school
- Establishing safer walking and cycling routes around the school
- Contributing to other school policies such as Eco- Schools/Healthy Schools (we have awards for both of these areas)
- Linking to the National Curriculum



Parents

- Reducing stress and time spent driving to school, especially when it is congested
- Increasing quality parent/child contact time
- Building better links with the school

For the Local Community

- Improving the local environment by reducing air and noise pollution
- Reducing congestion problems
- Improving walking routes
- Improving road safety

