



Consent form for children to be allowed to walk home alone

In order to ensure children's safety, only children in Year 6 are allowed to walk home on their own. To safeguard all young children, we require written consent from a parent/carer confirming that their child can walk home alone. Staff will only allow pupils to walk home alone if written consent has been received.

Children walking home alone may bring in a mobile phone, which will be handed in to the office at the beginning of the day and collected at home time.

- Phones must be switched off completely before entering the playground and handed to the office before registering in the morning.
- Phones must not be used to take photographs or videos on school premises. If images of other pupils or adults have been taken, the phone will not be returned to the pupil until the images have been removed by the pupil in the presence of a senior teacher.
- Phones are kept safely in the office in a named zip lock bag during the day. However, the school does not accept responsibility for any device that is lost or damaged.
- Where a pupil is found by a member of staff to be using a mobile phone, the phone will be confiscated from the pupil and handed to the office team. Parents will be asked to collect any phone that has not been handed in.

If your child fails to act sensibly and puts themselves in danger, this permission may be revoked by the Headteacher and you will be required to collect your child from school at the end of each day.

Please complete and return this form to the school office if you give permission for your child to walk home alone.

Child's Name: _____ Class: Year 6

I consent to my child being allowed to walk home on their own after school

- All the time
- Occasionally when I tell the school office.

I have explained to my child the safety aspects of walking home on their own. I understand that my child is the responsibility of parents, and not the school, once my child has left the school premises.

I have discussed the school mobile phone procedures with my child and they understand that their mobile phone needs to be handed in at the beginning of the day and switched off completely whilst on the school premises.

Signed: _____ (Person with parental responsibility)

Name: _____ Date: _____