

# THE NORTON KNATCHBULL SCHOOL

## An International School with Language and Science Specialisms



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Dear Parents/Carers

### SAFEGUARDING – ROAD SAFETY

We have been alerted by a member of the public, to a problem on the Hythe Road. Near the Esso garage there have recently been some building and road works that have resulted in the pavement being obstructed. This has led to people having to walk into the road. This matter is being taken up with the council. In the meantime – please could you discuss the issue of safety on the roads with your sons/daughters. The problem is most difficult at the end of the school day when all the students are exiting on to the Hythe Road. It is very busy and everybody needs to take extra care at this time. We have a good number of staff on duty around our exit. Please report any further issues to us.

If your son/daughter cycles to and from school, please could you also talk with them about riding safely. Unfortunately, we do get communication from members of the public, concerned that our students are not always taking good care on the roads, and some aren't wearing helmets.

Yours sincerely

Mr Hoyte  
Assistant Headteacher and Designated Safeguarding Lead

