

Haydon Abbey School and Pre-School

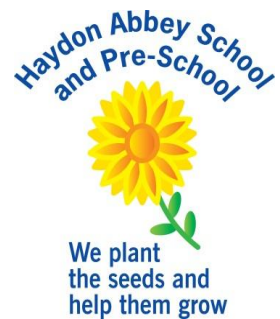
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Dear Parents and Carers,

We are writing to remind families that electric scooters (e-scooters) are not permitted anywhere on the school site, including the car parks, access paths, playgrounds and pedestrian areas.

This decision has been made following safeguarding and health and safety concerns. E-scooters can pose a significant risk to pedestrians, particularly during busy drop-off and collection times when many children and families are moving around the site.

We would also like to remind parents that, under UK law, privately owned e-scooters cannot legally be used on public roads, pavements or public spaces. Their use is currently only permitted within approved government rental trial areas. As a school, we have a responsibility to promote safe and lawful behaviour within our community.

From Monday 18th May, any pupil arriving at school with an e-scooter will be asked to leave it off the school site. Staff will also be speaking to pupils to ensure they understand the reasons for this decision and the importance of keeping everyone safe.

We appreciate your support and cooperation.

Mrs H. Jones

Deputy Headteacher & DSL

