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St Luke's Primary School



Traffic filter

School Street zone



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If you have further questions drop us a line at **schoolstreets@islington.gov.uk**or by post: Public Realm, 1 Cottage Road, London, N7 8TP

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New School Street at St Luke's CofE Primary School







Dear resident or business,

As part of our commitment to make our borough fairer for all, we are working with St Luke's CofE Primary School to introduce a School Street in your area to make Islington's streets cleaner, greener and healthier.

What is a School Street?

A School Street is where a road with a school temporarily closes to traffic to become a pedestrian and cycle zone during the school's opening and closing times.

Temporarily closing roads outside schools will make it easier and safer for children to get to and from school, reducing congestion and improving air quality at the school gate.

School Street at St Luke's Primary School

From 1 November 2021 vehicles will not be permitted to access Radnor Street, Lizard Street, Bartholomew Square, and Mitchell Street from Monday to Friday between the times of 8.40am – 9.20am and 3.00pm – 3.45pm during term time unless they have been given an exemption.

Permits for the School Street zone will be provided based on the council's records of residents and businesses who have existing parking permits for the School Street zone. Residents who live within the closure area and have an existing parking permit will not need to apply for a School Street permit as they will automatically be provided with a permit for the School Street so they can access the street during the restricted hours.

Blue badge holders will be able to contact the council for an exemption but will only be able to use the road for access and not as a through route during the times of operation. The road will remain open to pedestrians and cyclists during the School Streets period of operation.

Signs will inform drivers of the restrictions before the entrances to the closed streets. Non-registered vehicles entering the street during the times of operation will be identified by camera and issued a penalty charge notice of £65.00. A plan of the School Street zone is overleaf.

Public consultation

The School Street will be installed under an 18-month experimental traffic order with the council closely monitoring the streets to assess the impact on the local area.

After 12 months we will hold a public consultation, where you will be invited to have your say alongside the school, parents and neighbours. Based on all feedback from the public including the consultation, objections, and our monitoring, we will make a decision on whether the trial measures should be changed, made permanent or removed.

During the trial period you can tell us what you think of the scheme by emailing us at **schoolstreets@islington.gov.uk** or by post: Public Realm, 1 Cottage Road, London, N7 8TP

Bath Street

The council is currently working on proposals that would reduce through traffic on Bath Street. We will shortly contact you with more information about the proposed traffic management changes in the area.

Yours sincerely,

Councillor Rowena Champion

Executive Member for Environment and Transport