



Birley Primary Academy

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Playground before and after school

I am just writing with a couple of reminders about behaviour on the playground before and after school.

Despite my email at the end of last academic year, some children are still bringing balls onto the yard and have been playing football. We have had a number of children and parents being hit by balls, which are coming from home. The playground is simply too busy at the beginning and end of the day for this to happen. Please support us by supervising your child on the yard and not bringing balls from home.

This is also the case for bikes and scooters – please ensure if your child comes on a bike or scooter to school that they dismount once they enter the playground. It is again far too busy for children to be safely riding these on the playgrounds.

Thank you for your co-operation in this matter and in making our playground an enjoyable place to be both before and after school

Dawn McAughey

Headteacher.



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