So what seems to be the problem

Some park illegally
  Or
Some are driving into the school site
  Or
Some are carrying out a 3-point turn in the car park entrance
  Or
Some are driving too fast outside the school
  Or
Some have parked in the loading bay
  Or
Some have been very rude to farm shop workers

(The Farm Shop car park is private property)

All of these are causing us safety concerns.

What do pupils want?

Pupils tell us that they want to get home quickly and safely so they can do their homework or play out with their friends.

Pupils say that they think it is dangerous outside school as cars drive too quickly or pull out quickly from where they are parked.

Cars do not see pupils crossing because other cars are parked and they block the road view.

Pupils say they are not expecting cars to pull up to the gates to turn round when the gates are shut when they are walking home.

What do parents want?

When the school was built the road was never built to handle the amount of traffic that would be outside.

Pupils in the school are told to take care but often it is the drivers who are very keen to pull away quickly that need to take a little more care.

Parents want to be able to drop their children off without having to park a mile away!

Parents with blue badges want to be able to park in places reserved for them.
What do local residents want?

- That the yellow lines are respected.
- That school pupils are safe.
- That their wing mirrors are not knocked off because buses can't get down the road easily.
- To be able to park in their driveways and not have them blocked by school traffic.
- To not have parents from the school shout at them or be rude to them.

What are the options?

- Illegally parked cars get fined.
- You drive further down the road to turn the car round OR you turn the car round so it faces the right way before you park.
- Dangerous driving can be reported to the police.

Written with the pupils of Trimley St Martin Primary School.

Thank you for taking time to read our leaflet.