



INTERNATIONAL CHINESE SCHOOL STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS

The International Chinese School appreciates Willoughby City Council agreeing (if consent granted) to the construction on its land of a driveway to provide vehicular to the School's drop-off/pick-up zone proposed for the Avenue.

The School recognises that Gore Hill Park represents valuable regional open space that is intended to be available to the public. Public access to Council parking is of the highest priority. The School is committed to working in partnership with Willoughby City Council and other prospective users of the Park.

Management Strategies

The following management strategies apply to minimise the impact of school related traffic:

- The start/finish of the school day has been staggered to reduce congestion at peak usage times. School hours are;
Years 3-6: 8:45am–3:15pm, Years K-2: 9:00am–3:00pm (2020).
- Staff are encouraged to use sustainable transport modes such to travel to and from the school such as public transport.
- Staff that drive are required to park onsite, in the basement carpark.
- Parents are to use the drop-off/pick-up zone for delivering and picking up their children from school, under the supervision of school staff. Parents are not to exit their vehicle during this process.
- Parents are to be discouraged from parking within the adjoining Council car park during school start and finish periods.
- For extended stays parents are to use the Gore Hill Oval Upper Carparking Area (paid parking) off Reserve Road, which offers paid parking for up to 12 hours.
- Parents are not to park in the drop-off/pick-up zone during the day.
- Parents are not to park on the Pacific Highway for student drop-off/pick-up.
- Students of appropriate age will be encouraged to use public transport to and from School. The train station is 400 metres from the school and two bus stops, one on the Pacific Highway and one on Reserve Road, are located just 150 metres away.
- Before and after school care will be provided at the School, reducing congestion during peak time.
- Local students of appropriate age will be encouraging to walk/ride their bicycles to school.
- On weekends the 5 bays in the drop-off/pick-up zone shall be available for overflow parking from Gore Hill Park. The 10 basement parking bays will be made available for coaches and officials of sporting clubs.
- If deemed necessary by RMS, the School will fund the construction of a deceleration lane from the Pacific Highway into Gore Hill Park.

Parents will receive regular reminders regarding the above conditions, through the School newsletter and by other appropriate means.

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