




2016 St Philip (Westbrook) CofE Aided Primary School

School Travel Plan

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Introduction

School Details	
Name of school*	St Philip (Westbrook) CofE Aided Primary School
Name of STP Champion*	Jayne Power
DfE Number*	3642
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Address*	Westbrook Centre, Westbrook, WA5 8UE
Location*	
Website*	http://www.stphilipwestbrook.ik.org
Type of School*	Primary
Pupil and Staff Information	
Age Range of Pupils*	4 - 11
Number of Pupils* including Nursery	459
Full Time Staff*	28
Part Time Staff	32

Pupil and Staff Information

Where our pupils travel from

We are based within a District Centre (Westbrook) surrounded by residential areas, a Supermarket, A Doctors Surgery and a Cinema. Most of our children live within the Westbrook, Kingswood, Chapelford area. Most of our staff live within Warrington Borough with5 travelling in from Cheshire, Liverpool and St Helens.

	Opening times	Closing times
School Site*	7.30	18.30
Pupils Official Times*	8.40	3.30
Breakfast Clubs (if applicable)	7.30	8.40
After School Clubs (if applicable)	3.20	6.00
Other timings e.g. Nursery timings		

Engineering & Planning

Working Group

How many volunteers have been involved in supporting the school travel plan work and initiatives, this year?
i.e. working group members, transition mentors, Footsteps tutors, Crocodile escorts, cycle trainers etc

[Pupil_location_map.jpg](#) 

Name	Role
Freddie Jones	Pupil
Maggie Burness	Pupil
Jacqui Wightman	Head Teacher
Jayne Power	School Business Manager
Lesley Paterson	LA Officer

Other Information

A parent at our school has successfully lobbied WBC to install a Pelican crossing from the Odeon Cinema to the school car park. This was installed on 18th November 2015 and greatly helps children to cross safely from the Odeon Car Park, a designated parking area for parents, to the school.

Travel & Transport Infrastructure

Facilities		
	Description	Numbers
Car Park*	Staff parking spaces*	32
	Visitors parking spaces*	0
	Disabled parking spaces*	1
	Covered Sheffield Stands	0
Cycle Parking*	Sheffield Stands*	12
	Cycle Pod / Mini Pod*	5
	Other Cycle Spaces*	0
	Total pupil cycle parking spaces*	17
	Total staff cycle parking spaces*	0
Scooter Parking*	Total Scooter Parking Spaces*	0
Storage Lockers*	Number of storage lockers for equipment*	0
Showers available*	Number of showers available*	0
Coach Parking*	Spaces for coaches to park*	1
	Details of coach parking facilities	1

Transportation Links	
Buses*	<p>We have 3 bus routes that serve our school, the bus stop is within 5 minute walk of school.</p> <p>The 29A, 29C and 13 Bus from Warrington Interchange - Great Sankey, Chapelford, Whittle Hall, Old Hall, Lingley Mere & Westbrook. The buses run at regular intervals and no changes are required. This service serves nearly all of our student residential areas.</p> <p>A bus home can be caught at 15.43 or 15.49 to the destinations above.</p>

Rail* We do not have any train stations locally, the nearest is Sankey Station which is approx 3 miles away. However the 29c bus service does run from the train station to school.

Transportation Links

Roads*

Junction 8 of the M62 motorway is within a mile and a half of the school. The A574 Cromwell Avenue gives access to school from Old Hall, Callands and Hood Manor which links to the A49 to the north and A57 to the south of school. Whittle Avenue and Lingley Green road link Chapelford and Great Sankey to the school.

Walking Routes*

We are very lucky in our area to have extensive walking routes to and from school.

1. Old Hall - A574 (shared used path) , Pelican crossing onto Westbrook Crescent (shared use path) onto Westbrook Centre.
2. Callands - Callands road, Cromwell Avenue, over red bridge to Asda complex walk behind the supermarket to the school.
3. Chapelford/Whittle Hall - Whittle Hall Avenue (shared use), onto Malvern Close, cross Burtonwood road onto Bickenell Close, through MaryAnn meadow and onto Westbrook Crescent, Pelican crossing to Westbrook Centre.
4. Westbrook - Onto Westbrook Crescent, cross road at Pelican Crossing at junction of Cromwell Avenue and Westbrook Crescent or Pelican Crossing at The Seven Woods Pub and walk onto Westbrook Centre.
5. Kingswood - Kingswood Road onto Westbrook Crescent, take red bridge over Westbrook Way, join path along Westbrook Crescent and enter the Westbrook Centre.

Cycling Routes*

There are many cycle routes to the school using the same routes as above, the routes shown above for walking are shared use pathways that can be also used when cycling. However once children and parents have entered the pedestrianised areas of the Westbrook Centre they must get off their bikes or scooters and walk.

STARS Routes to School Audit

The STARS Routes to School Audit has been designed to assist schools with identifying the sustainable travel and transport network that surrounds the school site. The audit is a great activity to conduct with your pupils and will count as evidence towards the 'Consultation Initiatives' in your Action Plan.

You can use the audit below to identify any 'Travel & Transport Issues' that the school faces and begin to think about solutions that may need to be put in place to make it safer and easier for people to travel to your school.

Name of road (main gate)	
Name of other roads surrounding the school	Westbrook Crescent. Westbrook Way, Cromwell Avenue, Kingswood Road.
Date of assesment	18-11-2015
Time of assesment	3.00pm
What is the speed limit of the road outside the main gate?	
What is the speed limit on the other roads surrounding your school? (please select all that apply)	20mph

How many of the following crossings are present?	Pelican Crossing	1
	Puffin Crossing	0
	Toucan Crossing	0
	Zebra Crossing	4
	School Crossing Patrol	0
	Traffic Island	3
Is there any traffic calming within 500m of school, e.g. speed bumps, build outs? (If yes, please provide details)	Yes	There is one set of speed bumps on a road running adjacent to the school car park, linking the ASDA complex to the Cinema Complex.
Are there railings present outside or near the main gate? (If yes, please provide details)	Yes	Our car park is coned off to parents, visitors and the public, staff have already arrived by the time children are arriving at school. The children are then safe to walk or cycle across the school car park into the school grounds.
Is the main vehicular entrance used for pedestrians/cyclists as well as cars? (If yes, please provide details)	Yes	There is one set of speed bumps on a road running adjacent to the school car park, linking the ASDA complex to the Cinema Complex.
Does the school have a dedicated car park for parents (not teachers)? (If yes, please provide details)	No	We do have extensive parking around our school as we are in the District Centre. We have an informal agreement with ASDA and the Odeon Cinema that parents can use the car parks as long as they adhere to the parking procedures and one way systems.
Are there any dedicated cycle lanes leading to the school?	No	No but we do have shared use paths that can be used, however once in the District Centre, for the safety of Pedestrians children should alight their bikes and walk.
What is the quality of the pavements like within 500m of the school? (If poor/Inadequate, please record any details)	Average	
What is the quality of the 'SCHOOL' and zig-zag road markings like?	Inadequate	We have some zig zag markings along one route into school, near a zebra crossing but no more than that. All roads surrounding the school should have zig zag markings.
Please record any other obstacles or road layout issues within 500 metres of the school entrance which could be deemed as preventing young people or making it more difficult for them to use sustainable transport on the journey to and from school.	Inadequate zebra crossings from the parking areas around the school into the school	

Surveys

Pupil Survey Results

Responses:

308 (9th December 2015 - 9th January 2016), Absent Pupils: 15

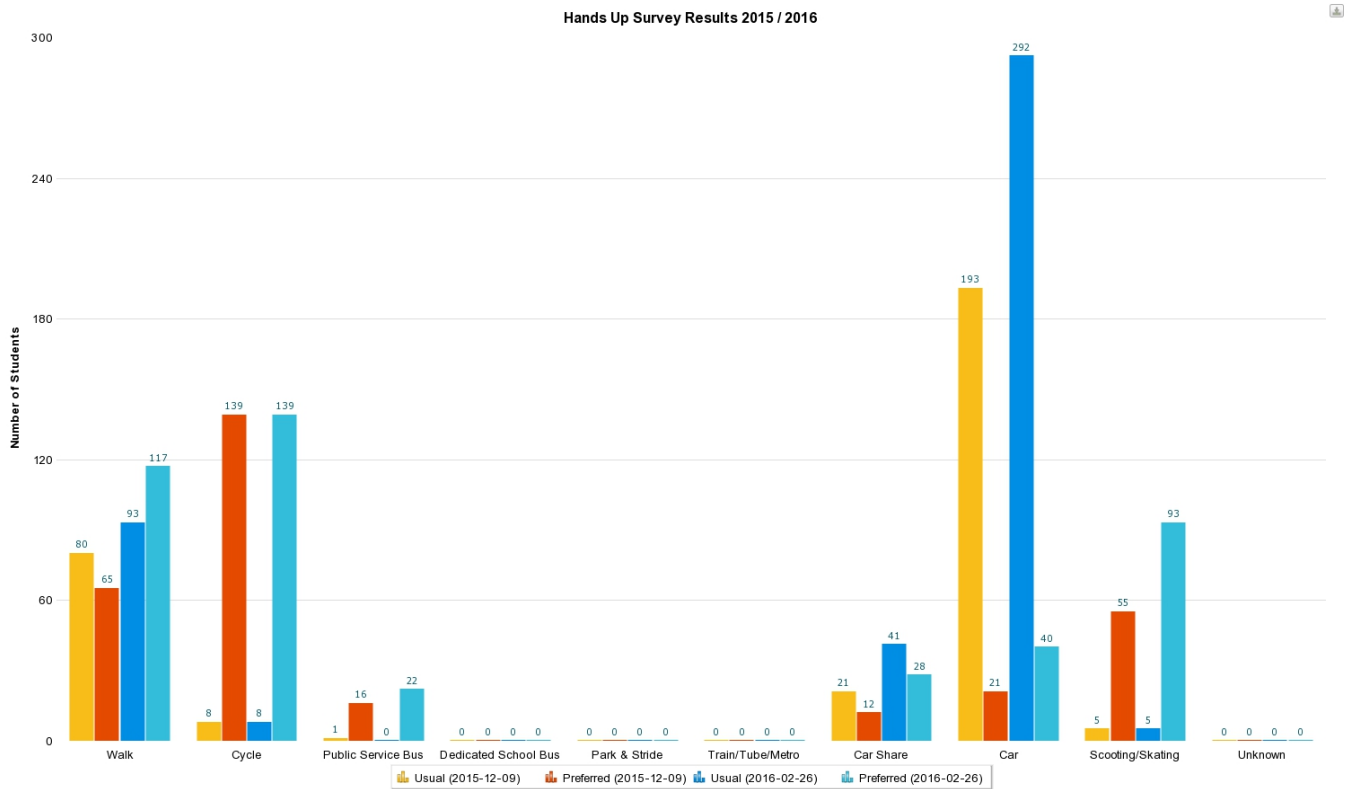
439 (26th February 2016 - 26th March 2016), Absent Pupils: 19

Response Rate:

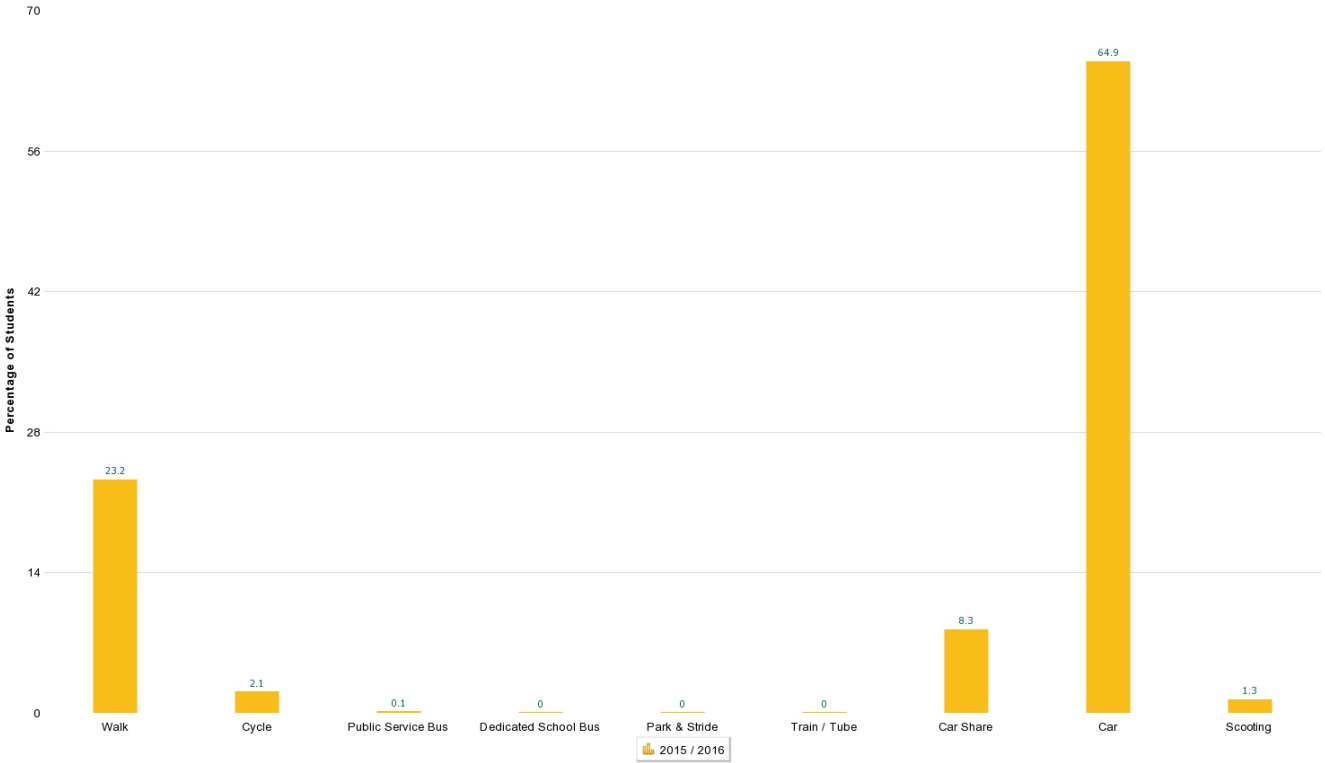
(Responses + Absent Pupils / Pupils on Roll)

69.4 % (9th December 2015 - 9th January 2016)

99.8 % (26th February 2016 - 26th March 2016)



Modal Shift

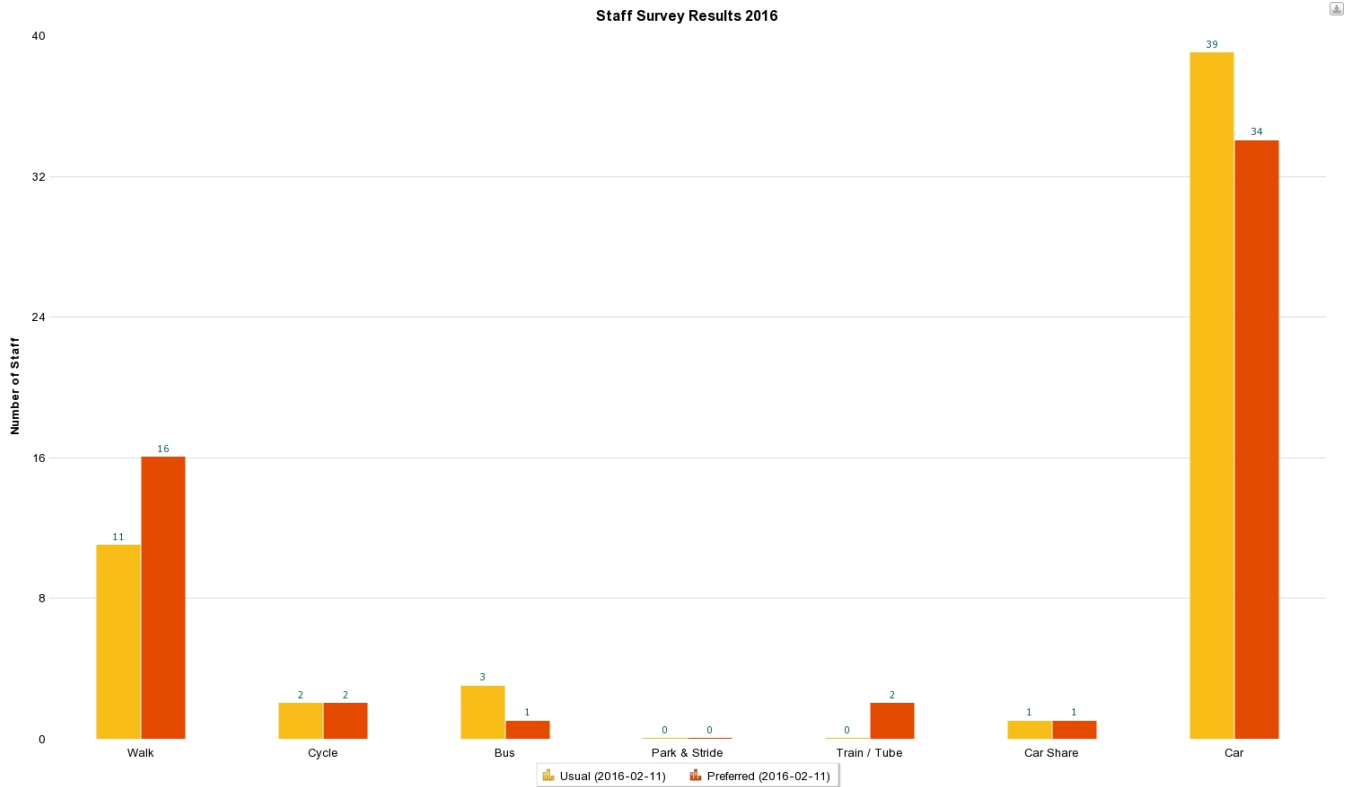


Pupil Survey Comments

Staff Survey Results

Responses: 56 (11th February 2016 - 11th March 2016)

Response Rate: 93.3%



Staff Survey Comments

Cars parking on cycle lanes obstructing view of traffic when pulling out of a side road.

Traffic can be problematic at peak times - Bridgefoot, etc.

N/A

I walk when the weather is not wet and I don't have to go to meetings etc

M62 - nightmare. As is the route through Burtonwood, when the lorries block the lanes through the country roads due to the new factories on the M62 roundabout.

Late busses

I don't really have any travel issues as I live quite close by.

Heavy traffic

I live out of the dsitric and would find it diffcult to travel to work any other way.

If I lived nearer to school I would love to walk.

If I lived nearer to work I would like to walk.

I travel from another job to this job otherwise I would walk.

Historical Pupil Mode of Travel Data

Pupils Modal Split		Walk	Cycle	Public Service Bus	Dedicated School Bus	Park & Stride	Train/Tube/Metro	Car Share	Car	Scooting	Total
2016 26th February	Number	93	8	0	0	0	0	41	292	5	439
2016 - 26th March 2016	%	21.2 %	1.8 %	0 %	0 %	0 %	0 %	9.3 %	66.5 %	1.1 %	96%
2016 9th December	Number	80	8	1	0	0	0	21	193	5	308
2015 - 9th January 2016	%	26 %	2.6 %	0.3 %	0 %	0 %	0 %	6.8 %	62.7 %	1.6 %	95%
Local Authority Data	%	36.9 %	6.1 %	0.9 %	0.2 %	2.6 %	0 %	5 %	45.4 %	2.9 %	95%

Historical Staff Mode of Travel Data

Staff Modal Split		Walk	Cycle	Bus	Park & Stride	Train / Tube	Car Share	Car	Total
2016	Number	11	2	3	0	0	1	39	56
Thursday 11th February 2016	%	19.6 %	3.6 %	5.4 %	0 %	0 %	1.8 %	69.6 %	
Local Authority	%	15.1 %	3.2 %	3.2 %	0.4 %	0 %	2.5 %	75.6 %	279

New Targets

Target	Details	Annual Monitoring	Due Year
Mode: Walk Date added: 02/03/2016	Previous: 0% Percentage point change: 2 Projected target: 2%	2016 / 2017 _____	2016 / 2017
Mode: Park and Stride Date added: 02/03/2016	Previous: 0% Percentage point change: 2 Projected target: 2%	2016 / 2017 _____	2016 / 2017

Travel & Transport Issues

No travel / transport issues were identified last year.

No new travel / transport issues

Actions

Planned Actions

Walking & Scooting Actions						
W6 Walk to school week	Person Responsible	Target Completion	Reporting	Completion date	Funding acquired	Uploads
Run competitions between classes and offer incentives to children who walk.	Jayne Power	May 2016				
Promotion Actions						
PR17 New parent pack	Person Responsible	Target Completion	Reporting	Completion date	Funding acquired	Uploads
We intend to produce information for all new parents, detailing our parking policy at school, this will be included in their new parent pack and talked about at new parent meetings	Jayne Power	July 2016				
Partnerships Actions						
P1 School works with Police / Safer Neighbourhood Team / PCSO to promote safe & sustainable travel	Person Responsible	Target Completion	Reporting	Completion date	Funding acquired	Uploads
OUR LOCAL PCSO AND OUR TWO JSO ARE CARRYING OUT A TRAFFIC PATROL ON 10/03/2016. WE HAVE INVITED THE LOCAL NEWSPAPER TO COME AND TAKE PHOTOGRAPHS TO HIGHLIGHT OUR ISSUES WITH PARKING AND OUR ACTIONS TO TACKLE THIS.	JAYNE POWER	March 2016				
Curriculum Actions						
CU10 Other curriculum work 1	Person Responsible	Target Completion	Reporting	Completion date	Funding acquired	Uploads
DHL will bring a HGV to school and work with the children in each class for approx. 30 minutes per class.	Jayne Power Tim Neil - DHL	March 2016				TACS_Poster.pdf

Completed Actions

Promotion Actions						
PR1 Newsletter	Person Responsible	Target Completion	Reporting	Completion date	Funding acquired	Uploads
Newletter updates We update parents regularly through our newsletter of parking reminders and our efforts to have Pedetrian Crossings re-installed	Jayne Power	January 2015	We highlight on ur news letter as and when required parking problems and new initiatives.	11-02-2016		Newsletter_02.03.16.pub Newsletter_13.11.15.pdf
PR9 Assembly	Person Responsible	Target Completion	Reporting	Completion date	Funding acquired	Uploads
Children are reminded during the course of the year thorough assemblies about road traffic hazards and keeping safe when out and about.	Jacqui Wightman	January 2015		11-02-2016		
PR20 JTA/YTA/JRSO's in place	Person Responsible	Target Completion	Reporting	Completion date	Funding acquired	Uploads
Junior Traffic Officers we have two Junior Traffice Officers in place at school who help to promote our traffic policies to parents and children.	Jayne Power	September 2014	The children help in carrying our surveys and help to provide information for the newsletter	11-02-2016		JSO_BOARD.JPG
PR22 Other promotion method 1	Person Responsible	Target Completion	Reporting	Completion date	Funding acquired	Uploads
PCSO Visits We have had a number of visits from our local PCSO to the school during opening and closing times to monitor and observe drivers.	Jayne Power Rachel Johnson	June 2015		11-02-2016		
Road Safety Actions						
R1 Cycle training for pupils (e.g. Bikeability)	Person Responsible	Target Completion	Reporting	Completion date	Funding acquired	Uploads

Bikeability We provide annual Bikeability lessons for our Year 6 Pupils.	Bikeability lessons are carried out every year between June and July	July 2014	The children in year 5 and 6 are invited to take part in this activity.	11-02-2016		
R9 Road safety assembly/presentation	Person Responsible	Target Completion	Reporting	Completion date	Funding acquired	Uploads
Bardsley Construction The construction company carrying out the building work at school carried out an assembly for the whole school outlining the dangers of increased traffice, diggers, cranes construction workers etc.	Peter Wood - Bardsley Construction	June 2015		11-02-2016		
R16 School has lobbied for installation of safer crossings on the route to school	Person Responsible	Target Completion	Reporting	Completion date	Funding acquired	Uploads
PEDESTRIAN CROSSINGS We have lobbied the local council together with parents to have our crossings re-instated.	Jayne Power Junior Safety Officers Mrs Angel-Webb	July 2016	one new pedestrian crossing has been installed with a further crossing being installed in the coming months by WBC.	04-03-2016		PEDESTRIAN_CROSSING.JPG Zebra_Crossing.msg
R19 Other Road Safety & Training initiative 1	Person Responsible	Target Completion	Reporting	Completion date	Funding acquired	Uploads
Signage I lobbied Asda to install signage around the Westbrook Centre highlighting the Speed Limit and the school presence. I also succeeded in having the overgrown bushes and trees cut back which were covering many of the road signs along the school route.	Jayne Power	October 2015		11-02-2016		
R19 Other Road Safety & Training initiative 1	Person Responsible	Target Completion	Reporting	Completion date	Funding acquired	Uploads

I lobbied Asda to install signage around the Westbrook Centre highlighting the Speed Limit and the school presence. I also succeeded in having the overgrown bushes and trees cut back which were covering many of the road signs along the school route.	Jayne Power	October 2015	ALL SIGNAGE HAS BEEN REPLACED AND IMPROVED AT NO COST TO SCHOOL.	11-02-2016	SIGNAGE1.JPG MILEAGE_SIGN.JPG NO_PARKING.JPG SIGNAGE2.JPG SIGNAGE3.jpg
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Walking & Scooting Actions

W9 Educational / Curriculum walks	Person Responsible	Target Completion	Reporting	Completion date	Funding acquired	Uploads
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Library Visits All our pupils have a weekly trip to the library which involves crossing a road from school.	Jayne Power	September 2014		11-02-2016		
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W9 Educational / Curriculum walks	Person Responsible	Target Completion	Reporting	Completion date	Funding acquired	Uploads
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Year 4 Curriculum Walk Our Year 4 Classes walked around the local are, using crossings and walkways on a class trip.	Lynne Davidson Emily Lydon	February 2016	The children enjoyed a day long trip around the Westbrook area as part of their curriculum	09-03-2016		
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W11 Walking trips	Person Responsible	Target Completion	Reporting	Completion date	Funding acquired	Uploads
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WOODLAND WALK OUR YEAR ONE PUPILS HAVE CARRIED OUT A WALK OF THE AREA SURROUNDING THE SCHOOL.	CLASS TEACHERS	March 2016	THE CHILDREN TEND TO HAVE A WALKING TRIP AROUND THE LOCAL AREA EACH TERM.	04-03-2016		IMG_0404.JPG IMG_0405.JPG IMG_0449.JPG
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Public Transportation Actions

PT1 Public transport used for school trips	Person Responsible	Target Completion	Reporting	Completion date	Funding acquired	Uploads
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Trip to Warrington Town Centre Our Head Teacher accompanied a small group of children on the local bus to Warrington Town Centre to purchase decorations for our school Christmas Trees.	Jacqui Wightman	November 2015	The trip was a great success and the children enjoyed using public transport.	11-02-2016
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PT4 Private coaches for school trips pick up and set down in safe / accessible places	Person Responsible	Target Completion	Reporting	Completion date	Funding acquired	Uploads
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School Trips For trips further afield we use local coach companies. The coaches are allowed to remove our parking barriers and enter the car park. They park the coach in front of the school entrance and replace the barriers once they have left the car park.	Jayne Power	July 2014	We have many trips per year in school and the coach companies always abide by our parking policies.	11-02-2016
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Cycling Actions

C2 Cycle parking installed	Person Responsible	Target Completion	Reporting	Completion date	Funding acquired	Uploads
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Bycicle Sheds We have two bycicle stands at the back of the school and one near the church entrance. We are hoping to increase these once our building work is complete.	Jayne Power	July 2014		11-02-2016
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Smarter Driving Actions

SD5 Removal of car parking spaces	Person Responsible	Target Completion	Reporting	Completion date	Funding acquired	Uploads
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<p>School Car Park We had an open car park at the front of the school which parents were allowed to use. Due to poor parking and dangerous driving we applied to have the car park closed off and these spaces are no longer available to parents, visitors or deliveries.</p>	<p>Phil Carswell</p>	<p>July 2014</p>	<p>The Governing Body successfully sought approval for the closing of the school car park. this now remains closed between the hours of 7.00am and 6.00 pm.</p>	<p>11-02-2016</p>	<p>Newsletter_04.12.15.pdf BARRIER_1.JPG BARRIER_2.JPG</p>
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Partnerships Actions

P1 School works with Police / Safer Neighbourhood Team / PCSO to promote safe & sustainable travel	Person Responsible	Target Completion	Reporting	Completion date	Funding acquired	Uploads
<p>PCSO Assemblies We have had an assembly presented by our PCSO who spoke to the children about Road Safety</p>	<p>Jayne Power</p>	<p>October 2015</p>	<p>The assembly was agreed success and we plan to make this an annual event.</p>	<p>11-02-2016</p>		

Sign off & Formal Approval

Title	Name (for pupils a name is not required, e.g. school council)	Sign off
STP Champion	Jayne Power	
Head teacher	Mrs Jacqui Wightman	
Governor (if applicable)		
Pupils		
LA Officer		