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## Regeneration and Strategy

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Dear Parent

Calderdale Council is working with schools to keep pupils safe on their journey to school; we are encouraging parents to avoid driving their children to school and to create a safer area outside school.

Since September 2020 roads outside 13 Calderdale schools have been closed to cars and other motorised traffic at school drop-off and pick-up times. Only access for resident vehicles, emergency services and utility vehicles will be allowed on the designated streets at these times.

After 12 months of these schemes operating, we are now evaluating to take these schemes forward as permanent measures. For this to be successful we need your support and feedback by completing this short survey.

<https://online1.snapsurveys.com/gou09k>

The new access restrictions are part of the national [School Streets](#) community-based approach, aiming to reduce car usage and air pollution, promote walking and cycling and boost road safety, health and wellbeing.

This supports the Council's on-going work to tackle the climate emergency, improve air quality and become the most active borough in the North by 2024 through the Active Calderdale movement – [read more about the trial on the Active Calderdale Blog](#).

If you have any further queries please contact [schoolstreets@calderdale.gov.uk](mailto:schoolstreets@calderdale.gov.uk)

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Steven Lee".

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