



Northampton School for Boys

An independent Academy for the Town and County



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Dear Parent / Carer

I am writing to signpost to you two articles which are currently on our website. The first is the latest 'Safety Matters' Newsletter which is produced on behalf of the Safer Roads Team, Northamptonshire Police, Fire Rescue Service and Highways. I have been asked to alert you to this newsletter by Northamptonshire Police and I would draw your attention to the first page regarding parking around schools. Cars parking on the double yellow lined area at the junction of Ardington and Billing Road at the end of school continues to cause a safety hindrance to pedestrians and other vehicles. I would like to take this opportunity to assure parents that the number plates of offending cars will be passed to the Police in order to hopefully help minimise the risk to students and the general public going forward.

Secondly, the Chair of Governors has issued a consultation document on the school website regarding a decision that the Governing Body of the school will shortly be taking over a potential application to the Department for Education for Northampton School *for Boys* (NSB) to become a Sponsor. Sponsor status would permit NSB the option to either acquire a new school or to take over a school which is identified as requiring significant support. The consultation document overviews the context of this forthcoming decision and, as outlined in the paper, any questions or comments can be sent to Alison Roberts, the Clerk to the Governors by post or by email to: aroberts@nsb.northants.sch.uk

If you would like a hard copy of either the Safety Matters Newsletter or the consultation paper, please contact Mrs Roberts as above.

Yours sincerely

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