



St Thomas's School Street – General Guide

The aim of the School Streets scheme is to help create a pleasant, child-friendly environment, whilst ensuring residents, local businesses and blue badge holders can still maintain access to the streets.

A school street is a road outside a school with a temporary restriction on motorised traffic at school drop-off and pick-up times. The restriction applies to general motor traffic with some important exemptions. The aim is to create a street environment which encourages cycling, scooting, or walking part or the entire school run.

Closure times

Infants

8.30am – 9am
3pm – 3.30pm

Juniors

8.30am – 9am
3.10pm – 3.40pm

Roads included in the closure

Infants

- Buckingham Road

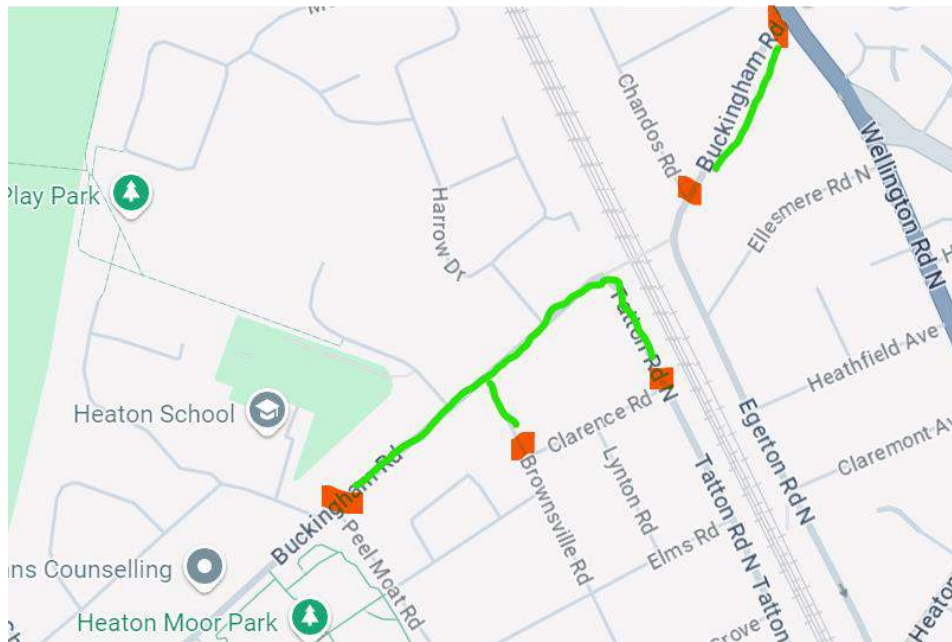
Juniors

- Tatton Rd North
- Buckingham Road
- Brownsville Road

Heaton Manor

- Harrow Drive
- Kensington Close
- Newham Lane
- Merton Crescent
- Kingston Grove

School Street Map



During the closure times, the following people can access the School Street zone:

- Residents
- Taxis collecting or dropping off residents
- Care visitors to residents (eg doctors, nurses, health visitors, midwives)
- Tradespeople doing work within the closure zone
- Delivery vehicles if making deliveries within the closure zone
- Blue badge holders
- Emergency services
- Refuse collectors
- Postal service providers
- Parents or carers with an exemption and school permit
- School transport providers
- School staff

Closure Points

There are 5 closure points which are operated by School Street marshals during the closure times.

The School Street closure point at the junction of the A6 and Buckingham Road (at the infant site) will only ever open to emergency vehicles. Please do not attempt to access Buckingham Road off the A6 during the closure times.

During closure times, marshals will move the barriers to allow access to those who have either a pass or legitimate reason to access the closure zone.

The barriers are positioned so cars can't get through, but cyclists and scooters can. The barriers are never to be left unattended by marshals.

Driving through the School Street Zone

There is no requirement to show a pass to leave the closure zone. Any vehicles already parked within the School Street restriction prior to the closure will still be able to exit the street at any time.

If you need to drive through the zone, please always do so carefully and safely, sticking to the 20mph speed limit at all times. Drivers should approach the closure points with caution, stopping if necessary and only proceeding when the marshal has had chance to move the barriers to allow them through.

The St Thomas' School Street is a legal road closure under the TRO which can be found here: www.stockport ENTER LINK ONCE PUBLISHED.