



Great Marlow School

Bobmore Lane
Marlow
Bucks
SL7 1JE

Tel: 01628 483752

info@gms.bucks.sch.uk
www.gms.bucks.sch.uk

EXECUTIVE HEADTEACHER

Mr K Ford

HEAD OF SCHOOL

Mr G Pendlebury

19th November 2024

Dear Parents/Carers

We are writing to inform you about a recent incident reported to a local school by a parent concerning the safety of their child. We believe it is essential to share this information to ensure the safety and vigilance of all our students.

Incident Details:

- Location: Marlow High St
- Time: Approximately 4:30pm
- Incident: A man in a car approached a student, claiming he was sent by a family member to pick him up and take him to Maidenhead.
- Description of the Individual: Age: 30-40
- Vehicle: Dark coloured medium-sized car, possibly an Audi or BMW

The student responded appropriately by saying no and quickly walking away. Fortunately, he is safe but understandably shaken by events.

Action Taken:

- The incident has been reported to the police by the parent.
- We are sharing this information with all staff and students to ensure everyone remains vigilant.

Next Steps:

For Parents/Carers:

- Please talk to your children about the importance of not engaging with strangers and ensuring they travel with friends or in groups when possible.
- Encourage your children to report any suspicious behaviour to a trusted adult immediately.

For Students:

- Be aware of your surroundings and avoid interacting with strangers.
- If approached by someone you do not know, do not engage, and move to a safe location as quickly as possible.
- Report any suspicious incidents to a member of staff when in school or the police.

If you have any concerns or additional information related to this incident, please do not hesitate to contact the school or myself directly. We are committed to the safety of our students and appreciate your cooperation in this matter.

Yours sincerely,

Neil Maguire

Deputy Headteacher (DSL)

Great Marlow School