

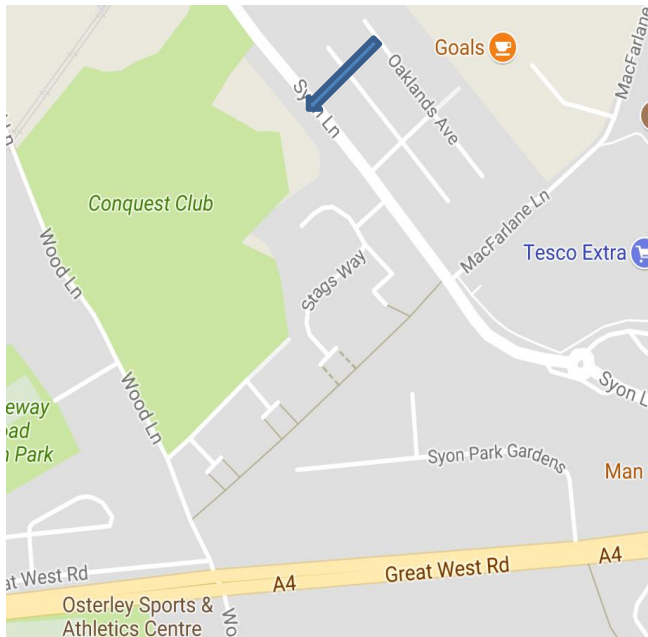
# **Nishkam School West London**

## **Travel Plan: Travel and Parking Guidelines for Parents**

**(updated February 2020)**

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## Introduction:

<b>School Name</b>	Nishkam School West London
<b>Travel Co-ordinator</b>	Mr Mantej S Notay
<b>Principal</b>	Mr Tom Cragg
<b>DfE number</b>	URN: 139720 LA /Establishment: 313/4002
<b>Email Address</b>	<a href="mailto:Enquiries.nswl@nishkamschools.org">Enquiries.nswl@nishkamschools.org</a>
<b>Address</b>	152 Syon Lane, Isleworth, Middlesex, TW7 5PN
<b>Location</b>	
<b>Website</b>	<a href="http://www.nishkamschooltrust.org">www.nishkamschooltrust.org</a>
<b>Type of School</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• All-through (4-18years)</li><li>• School growing to capacity from 500 pupils in September 2018 to 1400 pupils in 2024</li></ul>
<b>Location</b>	Nishkam School West London is situated fronting Syon Lane
<b>Pedestrian and school entrances</b>	There are two pedestrian entrances on both Syon Lane and Wood Lane
<b>Catchment area</b>	There is no catchment area for the school however 85% of the pupils live within the London Borough of Hounslow

## Pupils and Staff:

<b>Age range of pupils</b>	NSWL is an All-through school for pupils aged 4-18years. The school has opened in September 2013 with Reception and Y1. Currently the school has pupils in Reception, Y1, Y2, Y3, Y4, Y5, Y6, Y7 and Y8.	
<b>Number of pupils</b>	677 (452 in Primary phase and 225 in Secondary phase)	
<b>Full-Time Staff</b>	65	
<b>Part-time staff</b>	13	
<b>School Population</b>	755	
<b>School Opening times:</b>		
	<b>Start Times:</b>	<b>Finish Times:</b>
<b>School Site:</b>	7.00am	9pm/10pm (Evening: community use of facilities)
<b>Official school start time:</b>	8.20am	Mon & Fri 2.50pm, Tues-Thurs 3.40pm
<b>Breakfast Club</b>	7:30am	8.20am
<b>After School club</b>	3.00 pm	5:30pm

## Facilities:

<b>Car Park</b>	Total Staff spaces: 85 Visitor spaces: 4 Disabled spaces: 6
<b>Cycle Parking</b>	Pupil bays: 60 Staff bays: 20 As per cycle bays
<b>Scooter Parking</b>	
<b>Storage Lockers</b>	500
<b>Shower Facilities</b>	Male & Female x 5 each
<b>Coach Parking</b>	Coaches drop off on site at the school roundabout

## Transportation Links:

<b>Buses</b>	H91, H28 (free for under 17 years old), both stop outside school
<b>Train and Tube</b>	Osterley Tube Station (15 minutes walk) Syon Lane British Rail Station (12 minutes walk)
<b>Roads</b>	The A4 is half a mile away and the M4 is close by

## Initiatives:

<b>In Place</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• There is cycle storage</li> <li>• There is scooter storage</li> </ul>
<b>Promotion</b>	<p>There are regular</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Parents evenings / Induction evenings</li> <li>• Newsletters</li> </ul> <p>There is also</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Information on our website / school prospectus</li> </ul>
<b>Walking Initiatives</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The school takes part in Walk to School Week/Walk to School month</li> <li>• The school promotes the 'Park and Stride' initiatives. The park and stride sites are agreed to be the Tesco car park approximately 250m away and British Garden centre approximately 500m from the school entrance</li> </ul>
<b>Cycling Initiatives</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The school has cycle storage facilities in place for pupils, staff and visitors, and actively encourages this as an alternative form of transport</li> <li>• The school is planning to join the Bike to Work scheme for employees</li> </ul>

### **Smarter Driving Initiatives**

### **Public Transport Initiatives**

### **Partnership Initiatives**

### **Curriculum Links**

- All primary pupils are offered the opportunity to take the cycling proficiency test in Upper Key Stage 2
- The school promotes car sharing and several parents have an informal system in place
- The school actively encourages 'Park and Stride'
- The school has implemented policies to discourage any irresponsible behaviour and has recruited traffic marshals to police various areas outside the school to minimise this. The areas of traffic marshal/school staff patrol are: Syon Lane, (outside the front entrance), Wood Lane (outside rear pedestrian gates), entrance to Stags Way, Great West Road slip road leading to Leigham Drive.
- The school promotes safer driving to parents and staff
- The school promotes the use of public transport through various methods e.g. education and induction, travel leaflet, school newsletter, school website, classroom sessions with pupils and school assemblies
- The school has currently achieved a Bronze TfL STARs Award and is working towards the Silver award
- The school is working towards Eco School status
- The school is working towards National Healthy Schools standard
- Year groups carry out traffic surveys of the local area for Maths and Geography
- Classes have designed posters to promote better parking and walking to school
- The school council are planning to appoint transport ambassadors and use them to promote more eco-friendly forms of transport to parents

## School Expansion:

### Pupils

The school currently has 500 pupils in September 2018 growing to capacity of 1400 by 2024

### Staff

The staff at the school will grow to approximately 170 by 2024

## Survey Results:

The school carried out a 'hands-up' survey of available pupils and staff during December 2019. The results are shown below.

### NSWL Class Travel Survey – December 2019

- Total number of pupils surveyed: 518
- Total number of staff surveyed: 34

PUPILS	Walk	Scooter	Cycle	Car (incl. taxi)	Car sharing	Park & walk	Bus (incl. school bus)	Rail	Other	Total no. in survey
Total	64	29	5	144	31	184	55	3	3	518
	12.4%	5.6%	0.9%	27.8%	6.0%	35.5%	10.6%	0.6%	0.6%	

STAFF	Walk	Cycle	Car (incl. taxi)	Car sharing	Bus	Rail	Other	Total no. in survey
Total	2	2	24	2	3	1		34
	5.9%	5.9%	70.5%	5.9%	8.8%	3.0%		

## Travel Plan actions identified by school:

Action	Timescales	Who is responsible	Progress
Cycle Proficiency training planned in for year 6 via Bike-ability group	Autumn 2020	Upper Key Stage 2 Leader	Planned for Autumn Term 2020
Road safety workshops for Secondary phase planned in via LA co-ordinators	May 2020	TPC	Deferred to Autumn Terms due to school closure
Pedestrian training for year 4/5 including driver surveys planned in via LA co-ordinators	June 2020	TPC	Deferred to Autumn Terms due to school closure
School Council members to patrol school entrances with school staff	December 2020	School council lead (secondary)	Action began in February 2020 but expansion of initiative deferred to Autumn Terms due to school closure
Transport ambassadors appointed within school council	Autumn Term 2020	School council leads (primary and secondary phases)	Deferred to Autumn Terms due to school closure
Bike to Work scheme introduced for staff	Autumn Term 2020	Travel Plan Coordinator	T's and C's currently being investigated by the school
Home / School agreement to include alternatives to driving	Annually	Travel plan coordinator	Issued to all new parents at their induction day/start of Autumn term
Promotion of the school bus service	Half-termly for all parents	Travel plan coordinator / Principal	Regular items on the bus service in newsletters
Termly meetings with LBH to update on travel plan action and LBH's additional parking restrictions	Termly	Principal	Meeting taking place 26.06.20 with LBH and residents  Feedback from NSWL has led to additional restrictions being introduced on Great West Road slip road off Wood Lane for July 2020  Further discussions
Seek STAR accreditation at the next level	December 2020	Travel Plan Coordinator / The School	The school has achieved 'Bronze' status and is now working towards achieving 'Silver' status
Deployment of additional traffic marshals	September 2020	Travel Plan Coordinator / Principal	Additional posts due to be advertised June 2020
Increased duty presence of NSWL staff	September 2020	Principal	New rota will be in place by September 2020
Encourage car sharing within the staff population	Throughout year	Travel Plan Coordinator	The school promotes car sharing via newsletter, staff meetings and information sessions.
Encourage car sharing for pupils share opportunities for parents.	New intake induction	Travel Plan Coordinator	The school promotes car sharing with parents who live close to each other who wish to car share together.  This has been undertaken through the induction events and newsletters.

Take part in walk to school week	Annually	Travel Plan Coordinator	Ongoing  The school has previously taken part in the LA 'beat the streets' campaign
Participation in the Beat the Streets initiative	Annually	Pastoral Leaders	Deferred due to school closure
Produce Travel Information Pack	Yearly in July for new parents and re-shared with current parents	Travel Plan Coordinator	Discussed and issued to new parents and pupils on their induction day in July, then re-emphasised at parents' evenings throughout the year

### Monitoring and Review:

- **Our next hands up survey will be:** December 2020
- **Our Annual Progress review will be completed by:** February 2021
- **Our update of the School Travel Plan will be completed by:** March 2021
- **The persons responsible for ensuring that the annual review will be actioned is:**  
Travel Plan Co-ordinator: Mantej S Notay

### Formal Approval:

**School Name:** Nishkam School West London

**Travel Co-ordinator:** Mantej S Notay

**Date:** February 2020

Approval of the school travel plan by the school travel plan champion confirms the schools management (including but not limited to the Principal and Governors) have read, understood and agreed to the contents of this document.

NSWL further acknowledges that they have committed to achieving all targets highlighted in their action plan and to the annual review and monitoring of the plan.

***School Travel Co-ordinator***

Mr Mantej S Notay

***Principal's Name:***

Mr Tom Cragg

***Chair of Governors Name:***

Mr Bahader S Panesar