



Travel Plan Booklet

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Background Information

Figure 1: Hatchlands Location Plan

Hatchlands Primary School actively encourages all children, parents, staff and visitors to walk whenever possible or use environmentally friendly means of transport to and from our school.

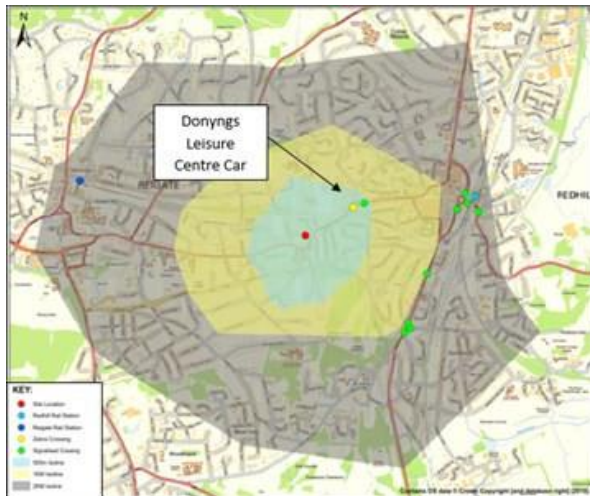
To aid you with your journey to our school please see the location map as shown in Figure 1.

For more information on sustainable travel, please follow this link;

www.travelsmartsurrey.info/.com



Walking



As can be seen in the above map, a walking distance of 2km from our school covers most of the residential portion of Redhill and Reigate. Within Redhill there are numerous local amenities such as Redhill rail station 1km.

In terms of pedestrian facilities close to the school, footways are provided along both sides of the carriage-way along A25 Hatchlands Road providing connection to the surrounding residential streets.

Within the vicinity of the school there are currently no pedestrian crossings over the A25 Hatchlands Road, however crossing facilities are provided at all junctions mouths in the form of dropped kerbs and tactile paving, with a zebra and signalised crossings provided at the A25 / Linkfield Street junction to the east of the site.

The school operate a manned Walking Bus each morning and afternoon . This allows parents to drop off / collect their child(ren) at the Donyngs car park . Children will be taken via a safe walking route directly to school. This service must be booked via the school office.

Parents wishing to walk with their child(ren) can park for 20 minutes in the designated area of the car park and walk the same route.

Cycling

Route 21 of the National Cycle Network (NCN) can be accessed 1.0km east of the school on the A23 Brighton Road.

Additional cycle routes are provided north of the school and connect between Reigate (west) and Redhill (east). These routes have a mixture of on-road and traffic free routes, accessible from the A25 / Church Street Junction and in the vicinity of Redhill rail station. There is a traffic free route south of the site along the A2044 Woodhatch Road between its junctions with the A217 and Maple Road.

There is covered on site bike storage facilities.

A map of the Sustrans NCN shows the local cycling facilities shown in the map:



Bus

The two nearest bus stops are located adjacent to the school, north of the school on A25 Hatchlands Road both of which are located within walking distance.

The nearest bus stop is located immediately west of the school, this bus stop will facilitate east bound travel.

Bus

Nearest Bus Stops and 400m Walking Distance:

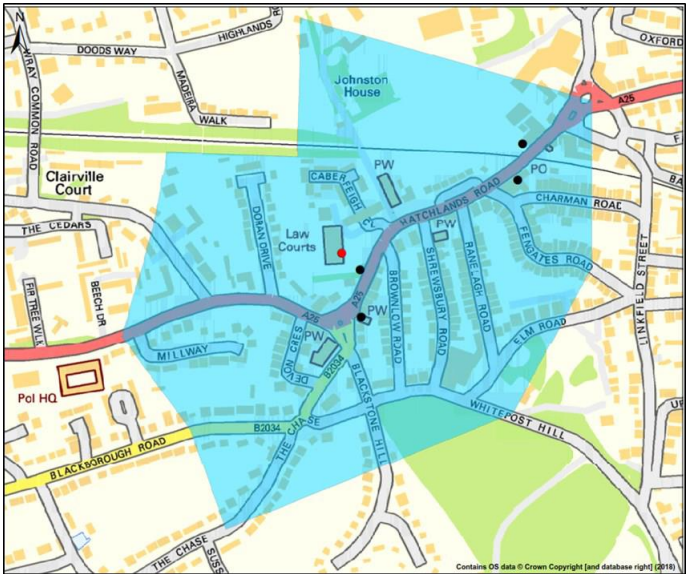


Table 5: Hatchlands Road Bus Services

Service	Route	Monday – Friday Frequencies
420	Sutton – Banstead – Preston – Tadworth – Reigate – Redhill – East Surrey Hospital – Whitebushes	Hourly
430	Merstham - Redhill - East Surrey Hospital - Whitebushes - Woodhatch - Reigate - Redhill - Watercolour - Merstham	Every 30 mins
460	Epsom - Tadworth - Reigate - Redhill - Gatwick - Crawley	Hourly

The bus stop provides a good level of service with frequencies approximately every 15 minutes and provides connections to the surrounding local areas coinciding with the school start and end times. The bus services also serve the Bus Interchange located outside the Redhill Rail station, ensuring that multi modal journeys can be undertaken to travel to the school.

Bus stops for travel eastbound are easily accessed by good pedestrian facilities nearby the school. For travel westbound, pedestrians would need to walk east along the northern side of the A25 before crossing at the zebra crossing near Linkfield Corner to safely access bus stops on the southern side.

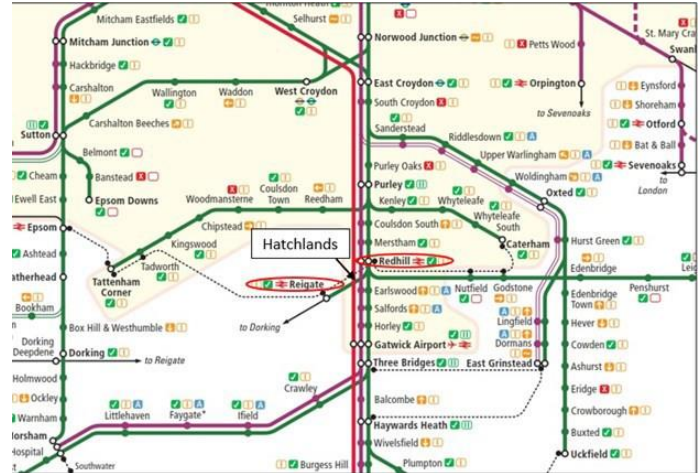
Train

The school is situated approximately 1km from two rail stations, with Reigate to the west and Redhill to the east of the site. Redhill is a major interchange point on the main line between London and Brighton. Facilities at the station include café, toilets, platform seating, waiting rooms, lifts and car park including disabled bays. The pedestrian route to the station from the school is along the A25 following street lit footways and is also accessible via a 6 minute bus ride via the services operating at the nearest bus stop from the school.

Redhill Train Services:

Destination	Duration (Approx.)	Monday to Friday Frequencies	
		AM	School Peak / Evening
Gatwick	12 mins	10 mins	20 mins
London Charing Cross	60 mins	10 mins	15 mins
Crawley	30 mins	15 mins	30 mins
Purley	14 mins	10 mins	10 mins
Kenley	17 mins	30 mins	30 mins
Coulsdon South	9 mins	10 mins	10 mins
Merstham	4 mins	10 mins	10 mins
Earlswood	2 mins	30 mins	30 mins

Regional Rail Network



Accessibility to the rail station is considered good. The frequency of services is also good to both the local areas and those further afield.