

TRAFFIC AND TRANSPORT

2024 No. 24

TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ORDER

THE LONDON BOROUGH OF RICHMOND UPON THAMES (PRESCRIBED ROUTE) (SCHOOL STREETS) (No. 1) EXPERIMENTAL ORDER 2024

Made: 4 September 2024

Coming into operation: 16 September 2024

The Council of the London Borough of Richmond upon Thames, in exercise of the powers conferred by Section 9 of, and Part IV of Schedule 9 to, the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984(**a**), as amended, hereinafter referred to as "the Act of 1984" and all other enabling powers hereby make the following Order —

- This Order shall come into operation on 16 September 2024 and may be cited as the London Borough of Richmond upon Thames (Prescribed Route) (School Streets) (No. 1) Experimental Order 2024.
- 2. (1) In this Order the expression "enactment" means any enactment whether public, general or local and includes any order, byelaw, rule, regulation, scheme or other instrument having effect by virtue of an enactment.
 - (2) Any reference in this Order to any enactment shall be construed as a reference to that enactment as amended, applied, consolidated, re-enacted by or as having effect by virtue of any subsequent enactment.
 - (3) The Interpretation Act 1978(b) shall apply for the interpretation of this Order as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.
- 3. Except as provided in Article 4, no person shall cause or permit any vehicle to enter a length of street detailed in column 3 to Schedule 1 to this Order at such times prescribed in column 4 of that Schedule.

(a) 1984 C.27.

- 4. Nothing in Article 3 to this Order will apply to: -
 - (a) any vehicle on an occasion when it is being used for fire brigade, ambulance or police purposes, if the observance of that provision would be likely to hinder the use of the vehicle for the purpose for which it is being used on that occasion;
 - (b) anything done with the permission or at the direction of a police constable in uniform.
 - (c) Vehicles either displaying a "School Street Permit" or registered on an approved list maintained by the Council for the designated street.
 - (d) Vehicles displaying a valid disabled persons' "blue badge".
 - (e) Council vehicles and statutory undertakers serving properties within the restricted street.
 - (f) Taxis (Hackney Carriage and private hire) serving properties within the restricted street.
 - (g) any person who causes or permits a vehicle to proceed in accordance with any restriction or requirement indicated by traffic signs placed. pursuant to Section 66 or Section 67 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984.
- 5. In pursuance of section 10(2) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 the Assistant Director, Traffic and Engineering of the London Borough of Richmond upon Thames, as the specified officer, or some person authorised in that behalf by that officer may, if it appears to that officer or to that person essential in the interests of the expeditious, convenient and safe movement of traffic, or of the provision of suitable and adequate parking facilities on the highway, or for preserving or improving the amenities of the area through which the road affected by this Order runs, modify or suspend this Order or any provision thereof.

Dated 4 September 2024

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Assistant Director, Traffic and Engineering (The officer appointed for this purpose)

SCHEDULE 1

SCHOOL STREETS

(See Article 3)

Item Number: (1)	School: (2)	Street where closure shall apply (3)	Times of Closure: During School Term Time (4)
22	Heathfield Infants and Junior Schools	Cobbett Road from its junction with Warburton Road	From 7.45 – 9.30 am, and 2.30 3.45 pm on Mondays to Fridays inclusive
24	Heathfield Children's Centre	Longford Road from its junction with Powder Mill Lane.	From 7.45 – 9.30 am, and 2.30 3.45 pm on Mondays to Fridays inclusive

EXPLANATORY NOTE (This Note is not part of the Order but is intended to indicate its general purport)

The purpose of this Order is to introduce school streets in Cobbett Road and Longford Road, Whitton.