

Dear Parents/Carers,

This morning (Friday 25th January 2019) a year 10 girl was approached by a male on Eastway in Maghull, near to the Frank Hornby Weatherspoons pub as she made her way to school. The man was described as being in his 50s, wearing a blue jacket, a blue checked shirt and with grey hair. The man asked the pupil if she knew where Maricourt was and whether she would show him. The pupil acted completely appropriately, she did not engage in conversation with the man and made her way to school where she immediately shared the information with staff.

Whereas this may have been an innocent approach and clearly we do not want to alarm pupils, it is best to advise them that they should walk to and from school at least in pairs and that they should not engage in conversation with anybody who may approach them. Any incident of this nature should be reported to parents and school immediately.

Many thanks for your support in this matter.

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