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Dear Parents and carers

### **Start of School**

It has come to our attention that some children are arriving very early in the morning, some as early as 8:10am and congregating outside Hamp Academy on the green. Unfortunately some of their behaviour is falling far below what we expect from our pupils and is causing issues for their individual safety and has led to complaints from people who live nearby.

Can I remind you that up until 8.30am all children, who do not attend breakfast club, are the responsibility of parents and carers. They do not become our responsibility until they come through our school gates when they are opened at 8.30am. Therefore, we request that you do not leave your children unsupervised on the green before 8.30am and if they walk to school alone, not to let them arrive too early.

May I take this opportunity to thank you in advance for your support in this matter.

Yours sincerely

Luke Talmage  
Headteacher