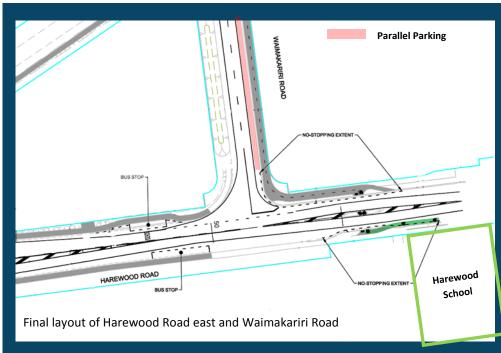


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Harewood School Update



The Russley Road Upgrade team would like to thank you for your patience while we work along Russley Road and Harewood Road.

We will start work outside the school and along Waimakariri Road soon. For safety and to reduce impact to parents and children, we are planning to get as much work done as possible during the school holiday break.

It's going to look different when you return in the New Year.

When you return we will have completed a new pedestrian crossing outside Harewood School.

The cycleway and footpath along the eastern side of Waimakariri Road will also be finished and this will allow parallel parking along the eastern side.

We will also have built the swale on the western side of Waimakariri Road by February 2016. A swale is a low tract of land designed to manage storm water runoff. Temporarily, there will be no parking on the western side of Waimakariri Road to allow time for the swale to establish itself and have a good coverage of grass. Until this time we need to avoid any traffic running over this area and will need to cone this area off for protection.

You can expect to see us on Harewood Road between Harewood School and the Harewood roundabout for the first six weeks of term.

There will be temporary traffic management set up along Harewood Road. We ask parents and school staff to please be aware of changes in traffic management, follow on-site signage and drive to the conditions. Please also be extra careful when crossing the road as other drivers may be distracted.

Safety is our number one priority and we ask for your assistance to help us achieve our goal of Zero Harm. We ask parents to stay clear and stay alert – keep children and pets a safe distance from the work site.

We will be in touch again in the New Year with an update of progress and to explain our plans for the road resurfacing work in this area.

For more information on the Russley Road upgrade visit www.nzta.govt.nz/russley-road.

If you have questions or feedback about this project phone our Communications Advisor Jessica Riordan on **021 702 783.**

Have a safe enjoyable break, drive safe and we will see you in the New Year.

Kind regards
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