Dear Parents.

Our students' safety is of utmost importance to us all. To ensure students arrive safely and on time to school, and leave school safely, we ask you to continue to respect the dropoff and pick-up procedures before, during and after school. These procedures apply equally to fall, winter and spring. As you may be aware, Pointe Claire Security and the MUC Police continue to patrol the school zones in our area. The purpose of this surveillance is outlined below:

- To respect the traffic flow in the designated pick-up and drop-off areas.
- To respect the traffic speed in a school zone (<u>30 km/h)</u>.
- To ensure the signage in the area is being respected.
- To respect pedestrian safety (no jay-walking) and walk on sidewalks and designated pathways.

Please note:

- 1. Drivers are <u>not permitted</u> to leave their vehicles when in the drop-off and pick-up zone.
- 2. <u>All vehicles</u> must proceed to the turn-about zone at the end of Summerhill Avenue (any other U-turn is illegal and may result in a ticket).
- 3. At no time should the bus entrance or staff parking lot be used *for parking, drop-offs/pick-ups or by pedestrians,* or the entrances blocked.
- **4.** Lindsay Place parking lot is for Lindsay Place staff only. Please do not drive across the crosswalk.
- 5. Parallel parking only on Summerhill Ave. (in front of school).
- 6. At no time should any crosswalk be blocked by a vehicle.

## (See attached diagram created by Mr. Mike Vallée.)

There are days when we are rushed and pressed for time but those few "saved" minutes are not worth a child getting hurt. In order to ensure that the risk of an accident is kept to a minimum, we ask that you follow the proper drop-off and pick-up procedures.

Thank you for your cooperation!



## **DROP-OFF** ZONE

**DROP-OFF ZONE (Between 2 poles with signs)** Between green signs, stop, drop-off and drive away. No parking or waiting until you are first car in line. Cars behind you are waiting to move into drop off zone

