

September 2026

Safer School Journeys – Lift Lea Forest Primary School

Dear resident,

Safer School Journeys is a city-wide programme designed to make streets around schools safer, healthier and more welcoming for pupils, families and the wider community.

Lift Lea Forest School has been selected for improvements as part of this programme.

We are proposing to introduce:

- A one-way on Hurstcroft Road (from Ridpool Road to Eddish Road) to improve access and safety
- Safer and easier places for people to cross by:
 - junction narrowing to slow vehicles, including a raised junction table at crossroads of Hurstcroft Road and Ridpool Road
 - raised crossing points to improve safety for people walking and wheeling
- Tree planting to improve the look and feel of the area
- Double kerbing and bollards or planters to stop parking on pavements
- Extended School Keep Clear markings outside school entrance to improve visibility

We are also considering two options:

- **Option A:** Introduce speed cushions along Eddish Road to reduce vehicle speeds
- **Option B:** Extension of footpath at junction of Eddish Road with Hurstcroft Road and Loeless Road, removing through traffic to improve safety for people walking and wheeling

These improvements will help reduce road danger, improve air quality, and create a safer, healthier, more pleasant environment for everyone.

Meeting

Come along to view the plans, ask questions and share your views with the project team.

When: Tuesday 6 October, 4.30pm to 5.30pm

Where: Lift Lea Forest Primary School, Access via Car Park on Eddish Road, B33 9RD

Please take a few minutes to complete the online survey and share your views. **Survey closes on: Friday 23 October 2026**

Complete the
survey online:

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