## **Hawthorn Community Primary School**

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Dear Parents/ Carers of children in Years 3, 4 & 5

Please find attached an application form and job description for the position of Road Safety Hero at Hawthorn which your child might like to apply for. The closing date for applications is **Friday 18<sup>th</sup> November at 3.30pm**. Your child has also been given a paper copy of this form.

Road Safety Heroes has been developed by the Highways Safety Team at Kier Highways and aims to raise awareness of road safety issues with our children and community.

As part of the scheme, children in Years 3, 4 and 5 are invited to fill in the application form to become a Road Safety Hero in school. The successful shortlisted children will then be interviewed on Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> November and a group of 6 Heroes chosen to represent Hawthorn. The Road Safety Heroes will meet regularly, led by Mrs Bajwa, to raise road safety awareness by taking part in assemblies, mini publicity campaigns and running competitions and events. They will also be responsible for bringing home messages to parents and for coming up with ideas to ensure cars park safely around Hawthorn and speed limits are adhered to.

The successful candidates will receive goodies including a Hi-Viz vest, a branded notebook and pen, a badge, their own business cards and stickers to help them with their role.

Please encourage your child to fill in the application form and support them where necessary.

Road Safety Heroes will be a whole school/community project. Even children who are not chosen as Heroes will have a vital role to play in spreading the word of road safety. Together we can make our roads safer for everyone.

Many thanks and good luck!

Emma Jacox

**Head Teacher** 

