CITY OF COVENTRY (CROWN GREEN AND GATESIDE ROAD) (PEDESTRIANISED SCHOOL STREET) (EXPERIMENTAL) ORDER 2026

The Council of the City of Coventry ("the Council"), in exercise of their powers under Sections 9 and 10 and Parts III IV and VI of Schedule 9 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 ("the Act") (as amended) and of all other enabling powers and after consultation with the Chief Officer of Police in accordance with Part III of Schedule 9 to the Act, hereby make the following Order:-

1. This Order shall come into operation on the 16th day of October 2026 (for a period not exceeding 18 months) and may be cited as the "City of Coventry (Crown Green and Gateside Road) (Pedestrianised School Street) (Experimental) Order 2026".

2(i) In this Order:-

(a) reference to an Article followed by a number is reference to the Article of this Order so numbered;

(b) the following expressions shall have the meanings assigned to them:–

"business" means any lawful trade profession or employment and shall include a registered charity and statutory undertaking.

"business premises" means premises where business takes place.

"cause" includes permit and causing shall be construed accordingly

"enactment" means any enactment, whether public general or local and includes any order, byelaw, rule, regulation, scheme or other instrument having effect by virtue of an enactment and any reference in this Order to any enactment shall be construed as a reference to that enactment as amended, applied, consolidated, re-enacted by or as having effect by virtue of any subsequent enactment;

"issuing authority" means the Council

"pedal cycle" has the same meaning as in Schedule 1 of the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2016;

"permit" means a permit issued under the provisions of Article 5 to this Order and shall for the avoidance of doubt include both virtual permits and non-virtual permits

"permit holder" means a person to whom a permit has been issued;

"permit identifier" has the same meaning as in Schedule 1 of the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2016 and the specific permit identifier applicable to the permit zone is defined in the Second Schedule to this Order and used on permits to identify the permit zone for which they are valid.

"Relevant National Authority" means the Secretary of State in respect of England;

"relevant position" in respect of a non-virtual permit means exhibited on the windscreen, dashboard or fascia of the vehicle or where the vehicle does not have a windscreen, dashboard or fascia in a conspicuous position on the vehicle so that the whole of the information on the front of the ticket or permit is clearly legible from outside of the vehicle;

"resident" means a person whose principal place of residence is at premises the postal address of which is in a road or part of a road specified in the Second Schedule of this Order

"road" shall have the same meaning ascribed to it by Section 142 of the Act

"the 2016 Regulations" means the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2016 and includes any enactment or re-enactment or amendment thereto;

"vehicle" means

i) a mechanically and/or electrically propelled vehicle intended or adapted for use on the Road
ii) a pedal cycle in actual use for the purpose of cycling

which for the avoidance of doubt includes the whole or any part of a vehicle.

(ii) The Interpretation Act 1978 shall apply for the interpretation of this Order as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

(iii) Reference to any Statutory Instrument, Act, Regulation or Order referred to in this Order shall be read as construed as the Statutory Instrument, Act, Regulation or Order as amended, varied, reenacted or revoked.

3 Save as provided in Article 4 of this Order no person shall ride or drive or cause or permit to be ridden or driven any vehicle, in the lengths of road specified in the First Schedule to this Order, Monday to Friday, between 8.15am to 9.15am and 2.45pm to 3.45pm. These times may be amended in accordance with Article 10.

4 Nothing in Article 3 of this Order shall apply to any Vehicle listed in the Third Schedule to this Order.

5 The Council may at its discretion issue permit(s) allowing vehicles to proceed in accordance with Article 4

6 Where applicable as specified in the Second Schedule to this Order, any resident may apply to the Council for permits and visitor permits for bona fide persons visiting the resident.

7 Any person who satisfies the Council that he/she occupies, runs or is employed by a business from a business premises which is located at a postal address specified in the Second Schedule to this Order may apply to the Council for permits and visitor permits for bona fide persons visiting the business premises.

8 The Council may, by written notice served on the permit holder at the address shown by that person on the application for the permit or at any other address believed to be that person's residence, withdraw a permit if it appears to the Council or authorised agent that either or both of the events set out in Article 9 has occurred and the permit holder shall surrender the permit to the Council or authorised agent within 48 hours of the receipt of the aforementioned notice.

9 The events referred to in Article 8 are:-

(i) the permit holder ceasing to be a resident, business owner or employee of such a business;

(ii) the expiry of the period for which the permit was issued.

10 The Council's Director of Regeneration and Economy, or such other officer as the Council may from time to time designate may modify any provision of this Order or suspend and/or revoke the operation of this Order or any part of it where it appears necessary to do so:-

a) In the interest of the expeditious, convenient and safe movement of traffic,

b) For preserving or improving the amenities of the area through which any road affected by the Order runs.

11 The restrictions, prohibitions and requirements imposed by this Order shall be read and construed as not being in derogation of any restriction, prohibition or requirement imposed by any other enactment and any exception or exemption to the provisions of this Order is without prejudice to the provisions of any other enactment.

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FIRST SCHEDULE

Road in the City of Coventry	**Extent**
Gateside Road	Entire length
Crown Green	Entire length

SECOND SCHEDULE

Roads and lengths of roads where residents and/or businesses are eligible to apply for a permit – **permit identifier HBP**

Road in the City of Coventry	**Extent**	**Properties Eligible**
Gateside Road	Entire length	All properties
Crown Green	Entire length	All properties

THIRD SCHEDULE

Nothing in Article 3 of this order shall apply to any:-

(a) Pedal Cycle

(b) vehicle being used for police, fire or ambulance service purposes in circumstances of emergency

(c) vehicle being used for:-
  (i) the removal of any obstruction to traffic
  (ii) the maintenance, improvement or reconstruction of the length of road
  (iii) the laying, erection, alteration or repair of any sewer, main, pipe or apparatus for the supply of gas, water or electricity or of any telecommunications apparatus

(d) vehicle being used in accordance with any indication given by a traffic sign which has been placed pursuant to section 66 or 67 of the Act

(e) any local authority, water or sewerage undertaker in pursuance of statutory powers or duties.

(f) vehicle of the Royal Mail or other universal service provider (as defined in Section 4(3) and (4) of the Postal Services Act 2000) to be used for the purpose of delivering and/or collecting mail.

(g) vehicle with a valid permit (permit identifier HBP) issued by Coventry City Council

(h) *a* public transport vehicle while being used as part of a scheduled school bus service

(i) to allow a funeral undertaking from any property located within the specified roads

The Common Seal of THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COVENTRY was hereunto Affixed on 15th day of October 2026 in the presence of:



Authorised Signatory

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