

**KIRKLEES COUNCIL (TRAFFIC REGULATION) PROHIBITION OF DRIVING
TRAFFIC REGULATION ORDER No 5 2024**

**CENTRAL AVENUE AT THE JUNCTION OF WOODHOUSE HILL – NORTH
HUDDERSFIELD TRUST SCHOOL, ASHBROW**

Statement of reasons for proposing to make the order:

Planning permission has been granted for extensions to existing buildings and new infrastructure, being provided to accommodate an increase in pupil numbers attending the North Huddersfield Trust School, in Ashbrow, Huddersfield (Planning Ref 2024/92798, and various others related).

As part of the school's redevelopment, Highway Safety were approached by Education to develop a highway scheme to address safety and accessibility issues experienced on the roads around the main entrance during school changeover periods and to mitigate for any future deterioration in conditions caused by increased numbers of pupils. As part of this scheme, a prohibition of driving except for cycles on Central at the junction of Woodhouse Hill is considered necessary. Appropriate facilities will be provided to maintain access through the restrictions for cyclists and pedestrians only.

It is believed that these proposals will improve accessibility for, and the safety of, school pupils and residents travelling through the area on foot or by cycle.