

6 EASY STEPS TO SETTING UP A PLAYSTREET

Playstreets is a short resident led road closure to let children play safely and freely outside their own front door



1. TALK TO NEIGHBOURS

- Get their views and build support for the idea, often this is done by door knocking, we have a template letter you can deliver on our website.
- At this time you can invite them to an informal meeting to discuss ideas and questions.

2. SIGN UP SUPPORTERS

- Gather signatures, most streets collect between 20-30

3. SEND LETTER TO RESIDENTS

- Informing of official notification of road closure, this letter can be found on page 5 of the application form <https://hackney.gov.uk/play-streets>

4. APPLY TO COUNCIL

- Fill in the application form and apply with all the evidence you have gathered to support your playstreet.



5. PUBLICISE

- Once permission is granted publicise!
- Try to make everyone feel included and ensure parents understand they are responsible for their own children. Let us know when it will be running and we will supply your street with a few items of play equipment

6. COVID 19

- Adhere to current rules and regulations,