



Highways and Car Parking

Parking & Access

Access to the Aldi store for cars, bicycles and pedestrians will be from Belwell Lane.

The new Aldi store will provide free customer parking with 98 spaces including six accessible, six parent-and-child and four electric vehicle charging bays.

For those not driving, Mere Green has good local transport links and Belwell Lane is served by a bus route.

We also have provision for cycle parking as well as pedestrian access.

Traffic

Aldi is undertaking a Transport Assessment as part of the planning application to establish the traffic effects of the proposed development and consider whether there is a need for mitigation.

This assessment will look at the operation of local roads both with and without the proposed development in place. The scope of this assessment will be agreed with the Council's Highways Officer.

Considering the proposed Aldi will replace an existing food store, it is expected that any impact on highways will be limited.

Deliveries

Aldi stocks a carefully selected range of approximately 1,800 lines, compared to a typical supermarket which stocks 15,000-40,000, meaning Aldi food stores only need around 3-4 deliveries per day.

We aim to operate store deliveries outside of peak transport hours where possible.

All manoeuvring takes place within the site, and a unique delivery ramp arrangement removes the need for external activity.

This process is not only efficient, but also reduces any potential noise disturbance to neighbouring properties.



Proposed east elevation



Proposed south elevation

