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### Real English: The School Run 上学交通高峰期

- Neil: This is Real English from BBC Learning English. I'm Neil.
- Helen: F G H I J & Helen O
- Neil: Today we're going to look at words and phrases that have recently become part of the English language.
- Helen: K L M + N O P Q @ I J R S T U V P Q @ W C 8 + X Y Z [ O
- Neil: New words enter the English language all the time.
- Helen: \ ] ^ \_ Real English T X P Q I ` a b W I c d W e + P Q f g & h i j + .
- Neil: Of course.
- Helen: k Neill J R L M j T + & l m W f n o
- Neil: Today's new expression is 'the school run'.
- Helen: The school run. School T p l run q r o \$ s O & U t 7 u v w o
- Neil: No, actually! The school run is when mothers drive their children to school in the morning and collect them again in the evening.
- Helen: \$ x school run y S z { | + & } } R ~ • 小孩儿上 T I 放 T 啊 O 但 & I 为 I  
m j z { 弄 x 短 Q S 特 | \$ x # 思 n o
- Neil: Well, many people complain about the school run because it means there is a lot of extra traffic on the roads when they are trying to drive to work.
- Helen: \$ x school run + a 间 U 到 I 路上 U 下子多了 H 多车 I K 上下班高峰期 + a  
候 I 就造成堵车 O
- Neil: Nowadays most children are taken to school by one of their parents in a car.
- Helen: \$ 样啊 I 就造成了交通堵塞 I 给上下班 + 人带 S 了 % 少麻烦 O
- Neil: That's right. It's caused by the school run.

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*A: You're early. You don't normally arrive till 9.30!*

*B: I know, but it's school holidays so I avoided the school run traffic and it took me much less time than normal.*

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Helen: 你] 前&走路上T 吗○ Neil?

Neil: No, I took the bus. I lived about 2 miles from my school.

Helen: J 住 + N方到&离T p h 近I 只j 用20分钟就走到了○

Neil: The school run is a problem if you live near a school.

Helen: AI • 完孩子I 想j 去哪儿去都%太容易I 因为H多车都挤K U起了○

Neil: Yes – it can be difficult to park your car, or it will take you longer in the morning to get to work.

Helen: That's a problem.

Neil: Yes, Helen. I wish the kids and their parents all took a bus or walked.

Helen: H啦I J RS复X U下L MT + the school run – 就&G长R开车~ • 孩子上下T I 因此而导致了拥挤+ 交通○

Neil: Well, it's time to go. You've been listening to Real English from BBC Learning English. Join us again soon for more up-to-the-minute Real English. Bye.

Helen: See you next time.