

4th September 2019

Dear Parent/Carer

CYCLE TRAINING COURSE - BIKEABILITY Levels 1 and 2

The school has arranged for children in Year 5 to have the opportunity to take part in a practical cycle training course. 'Bikeability' has been designed to teach the skills necessary to ride safely and confidently on today's roads. Training will take place on roads close to school, following an introductory Level 1 session on the school playground, and is delivered by qualified Bikeability instructors. The course provider is Outspoken Training.

Your child will need to use his/her own bike, which must be to a roadworthy standard. An information leaflet is attached for parents giving information on how to check whether your child's bike is in good condition. The bicycle will also be checked by an instructor at the start of the course.

If you would like your child to take part in this training, **please complete and return just the cut-off 'Course Consent form' from the attached sheet to your child's class teacher by Thursday 12th September** to reserve a place on the course.

The course is run in school time over four consecutive half days and will take place during October. The cost is funded by Peterborough City Council - there is no charge to parents.

Please ensure that your child **brings and wears a cycle helmet**, as it is school policy for children to wear one for the duration of the course. They will not be allowed to participate without one.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs A Hilton

Y5 teacher (Cycle training co-ordinator)