



Headteacher
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Friday 25th September 2020

Dear Year 6 Parents and Carers

Year 6 - Bikeability Level 2 Cycle Training

We are pleased to inform you that Surrey County Council’s Road Safety Bikeability Team will be offering our Year 6 children Bikeability Level 2 cycle training this term. The courses will be run over 5 weeks in 10 small groups of up to 6 children in each group. This is in line with Covid restrictions and risk assessments. Each group will be initially assessed and then taken out on quieter roads in the Busbridge area to learn cycling skills by allocated trained cycling instructors. Information about the training and a bike checklist to prepare for the training which we would ask you read carefully is attached with the emailed copy of this letter and posted on the letters section of the school website

The courses will take place over a week during the school day 1.15pm – 2.45pm on the following weeks:

- Monday 12th to Friday 16th October – Class 6E** (Group 1 & 2 – 12 children to be allocated)
- Monday 19th to Friday 23rd October – Class 6E** (Group 3 & 4 - 12 children to be allocated)
- Monday 2nd to Friday 6th November – Class 6E/6M** (group 5 & 6 – 12 children to be allocated). Please note due to the INSET day on Thursday 5th November additional training time will be given over the 4 afternoon sessions on Monday/Tuesday/Wednesday/Friday.
- Monday 9th to Friday 13th November - Class 6M** (group 7 & 8 – 12 children to be allocated).
- Monday 23rd to Friday 27th November - Class 6M** (group 9 & 10 – 12 children to be allocated).

Encouraging children to get into the habit of cycling is a great way to support a healthy lifestyle and environmentally friendly way of transport. The County Council has given careful thought about how to support the recovery of the county from Covid-19 and is making extra support available to cycle training in reducing the Level 2 training cost from £30.00 to £15.00 per child which includes the training and a certificate. Pupils eligible for free school meals will receive a reduction from £11.50 and pay £4.00 for the training.

If you would like your child to participate please **complete the slip below and the Level 2 Cycle Training consent form attached** returning them to school with payment by Parentmail PMX or cheque (*payable to “Busbridge Junior School”*) by **Monday 5th October 2020**. We will then notify you of the week your child has been allocated to undertake the training.

Yours faithfully

Mr D Evans

Miss S Mistry

Year 6 Level 2 Bikeability Cycle Training

Child’s Name:..... **Class**

I wish my child to take part in the Surrey County Council Bikeability training YES / NO

I have paid £15.00 via ParentMail PMX or by cheque (*payable to Busbridge Junior School*) YES / NO

I have completed and returned the Level 2 SCC Cycle Training form with this consent slip YES / NO

I have ensured that my child understands that it is important for his/her safety and for the safety of the group that any rules and any instructions given by the staff in charge are obeyed YES / NO

I consent to any emergency medical treatment necessary during the course of the visit and sharing my child’s details with relevant personnel if required YES / NO

Parent/Carer contact name & telephone number date in case we need to contact you :

Parent/Carer Name (please print):.....

Telephone Contact Number: Home/Work.....Mobile.....

Signed.....(Parent/Carer) **Date**.....

Please return this reply slip, SCC Level 2 Cycle Training consent form & payment by Monday 5th October 2020 via the class teacher