

BOURNE ABBEY CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY ACADEMY

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Dear Parent/Carer

BIKEABILITY LEVEL 2 CYCLE TRAINING

We are delighted to be able to offer current Year 4 pupils the opportunity to complete Bikeability training week commencing 15th November 2021. There will be 60 places available and these will be offered on a first come, first served basis. If your child wishes to participate and all places have been allocated then we will place your child on a waiting list. The cost of the course is subsidised by the Department of Transport and Lincolnshire County Council but there will be a small fee of £10 per child to take part.

If we are unable to run the course due to COVID-19, please be assured that you will receive a full refund.

The course takes place in school time. It will include cycling skills practice on the playground and will be followed by basic manoeuvres / signalling on local roads for children who have reached the required standard of cycle control. Children will need a roadworthy bike, their own cycle helmet and will have to attend each day of the course to pass.

Parents/carers will be required to check the cycle to ensure it fits their child correctly and is safe to ride (working brakes, correct tyre pressures etc). Please note that the course is designed to improve cycle control and road positioning, not to teach children to ride a bike. Children should therefore be encouraged to practice beforehand, especially signalling.

If you wish your son/daughter to take part in the course, please complete the attached Bikeability consent form no later than **Friday 9th July** and return it to school by email to BAP.enquiries@abbeyacademies.co.uk or as a hard copy to your child's class teacher.

Payment of £10 should be made by the same date via ParentMail +Pay. More information about the Bikeability scheme can be found at www.bikeability.org.uk

Thank you for your support.

Yours sincerely

Mr J Shore
Assistant Head and Year 5 Leader