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Dear Parents and Carers,

Bikeability Cycle Training – W/C 1st and 8th June 2026

We have been given the opportunity for our pupils to take part in Bikeability Cycle Training, the modern-day Cycling Proficiency. This is delivered by fully qualified Bikeability Instructors through BCP Council.

As you know, it is very important for our pupils to prepare for independent travel and their transition from Primary to Secondary School education and the Bikeability training provides an invaluable tool to keep them safe on the roads and to promote independent travel to and from school. In many cases, the journeys they undertake from home to school are, very often, their first independent journeys and this training will help them be prepared for this next big step.

To take part in this course your child needs a roadworthy bike that fits them (see ABCD bike check guide), to wear a proper CE approved cycle helmet that fits them and is NOT full-face and they must bring/wear appropriate clothing for the weather. We will provide a hi-viz vest that must be worn.

If your child does not have a roadworthy bike or suitable helmet, please inform the school in advance of the course as we do have some spare bikes and helmets which your child may be able to borrow.

All of Year 5 will attend the course, please book on by clicking the following link:

<https://consent.bikeability.org.uk/very-born-grown> or use the QR code below

Please indicate on the form if your child cannot ride a bike. **Please complete the consent form by Friday 15th May 2026.**

This course is currently free however we are only able to claim funding for a child who has attended a training course. Therefore, while we completely understand if your child is ill, if your child changes their mind and does not want to do the training, please let the school know straight away to enable another child to use the place.

Thank you for your support.

Mrs Tomlinson



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