



## Bikeability Level 1 Cycle Training Course

Year 4 Session 12<sup>th</sup> September

Children to come to school in PE kit (and rain coat) on this day and bring their bike and helmet to school. If you do not have a helmet you will not be allowed to ride.

The school is pleased to offer your child a place on a Bikeability Level 1 cycle course.

### About the course

The course is a fun interactive 2 hour session and teaches children valuable bike skills through games and activities. The skills learnt also prepare riders for the fundamentals needed for Level 2 Bikeability road training, a course they should be offered in the future.

### Course requirements

- Trainees need to **be able to ride a bike** competently to take part.
- A well-maintained and suitable sized bike. (*Please check your child's bike using our bike check guide*).
- Dress for the weather.

Find out more about Bikeability sessions in this [video](#)

#### HOW TO SIGN UP

Please use the QR/link provided below to fill in the online form to book a place on the course:

<https://consent.bikeability.org.uk/bel-pet-role>



*Cycle Training is available from Cycle4Life for people of all ages and ability, from complete beginners to experts, please ask for further details or visit our site: [cycle4life.org](https://cycle4life.org)*

## Cycle4LIFE

Cycle Training For Life!

Registered Bikeability Trainers

British Cycling Level 2 Coaches

**Dear head teacher, parents, carers and group leaders who book Bikeability,**

The Bikeability Trust is on a mission to ensure every child has the confidence to cycle and enjoy this skill for life. However, we need evidence to prove to government that cycle training makes an impact. Therefore, we have developed a new digital approach to our delivery of Bikeability. This includes a digitised consent process, direct communication to schools and parents from The Bikeability Trust and a dedicated website for riders and their parents.

We have also developed a web-based app for Bikeability cycle instructors to access and record information to better support your pupils. From 1 April 2024, Bikeability cycle instructors will use mobile phones as a part of their instructing work in the following ways:

- Emergency telephone calls
- Register pupil attendance
- Confirm that parents have consented to Bikeability cycle training
- Access additional information, such as medical information or adjustments required for pupils with SEND
- Record pupil progress
- Communicate directly to parents
- Record aggregated responses to hands up survey, to provide evidence for the value of Bikeability

Instructors will access this information via a unique log-in. Any data held on a mobile device is encrypted and protected by two factor authentication. Once the training is complete and transmitted to the Bikeability Link server, data is automatically cleared from the instructor device.

Instructors will not use their mobile phones to share confidential information, take photos or videos (without explicit permission) or to distract from delivering high-quality cycle training.

We have updated our [privacy notice](#) to reflect how we will hold personal data. Your local Bikeability training provider can provide their privacy notice and data protection impact assessment. They may need to update their controller to controller data sharing agreement with you, and if so, they will contact you separately.

We hope that you will support our drive to improve Bikeability training and help us secure the funding for every child in the future. We believe that this digital approach will benefit teachers, school administrators and parents/carers in numerous ways. For example:

- Consent information will be shared directly from parents/carers to training providers, reducing the administrative burden for schools and other groups.
- Common issues, such as a cycle which is not roadworthy, will be easily resolved with just one message direct from an instructor to a parent/carer.
- Feedback will be shared direct to parent/carers after the course is completed. This will include videos which clearly demonstrate what children have learnt, increasing parental confidence.

We hope you agree that there has never been a more important time to ensure every child has the confidence to enjoy cycling. The Bikeability Trust is committed to ensure that no child misses the opportunity to develop this important life skill and we hope you will support us in this endeavour by helping us embed this new digital approach in your area.

Thank you for your time and attention.

Kind regards



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