



13th of February 2020

Grade 3-6 Bike Education- PE classes

Dear Parents,

As part of our PE program in Term 1 all students in Grades 3-6 will be participating in a 5 week Bike Education program. These sessions will take place during their normal PE classes. Students will learn to identify parts of their bike, understand road signs and rules and ride safely. This program will also prepare students for Grade 5/6 Maldon Bike Camp.

As part of this program each student will be required to bring a bike to school that is in working condition. Unfortunately we're unable to fix bikes during this program. Bikes will be required at school on Wednesdays for 5 weeks starting on Wednesday 26th February. (Bikes will be needed on Thursday 12th March instead of Wednesday just for that week) This program is designed to help develop riding skills. If your child isn't confident riding we will work towards developing this skill over the 5 weeks.

If your child is unable to bring a bike to school for this program we suggest asking another student from a different class if they could borrow theirs. All classes doing Bike Ed are on the same day so it allows students to share bikes if needed.

We would like all students to be a part of this program. If you have any spare bikes at home you can lend to the school during this program that would be much appreciated. If any parents would like to assist with Bike Ed classes please feel free to come and see me or express your interest on the permission slip below.

GRADE 3-6 BIKE EDUCATION

I hereby give permission for _____ (child's name) to participate in Bike Education activities during PE classes on Wednesday 26th February, Wednesday 4th, **Thursday 12th** (RIDE 2 SCHOOL DAY), Wednesday 18th and 25th of March.

- I understand that my child may leave the school and ride on surrounding neighbourhood roads during these sessions.
- I understand that there is no cost for this activity.

Please indicate if your child is able to bring their bike to school for these sessions:

YES _____ NO _____

If NO I have made arrangements for them to use another students bike Yes ___ No ___

I am able to assist with Bike Ed lessons: Yes _____ No _____

I can help during the following sessions-

10-11am- 5/6D _____

11.30-12.30- 5/6O _____

12.30-1.30-3/4T _____

2.30-3.30- 3/4V _____

I authorise the teacher in charge of the excursion to consent, where it is impracticable to communicate with me, to my son/daughter receiving such medical or surgical treatment as may be deemed necessary.

Any Medical/ Special Conditions (If any): _____

CONTACT DETAILS (MOBILE) _____

Signed _____ Parent/Guardian Date _____

