



**Renfrewshire
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BIKEABILITY Level 2 – On Road Training

Dear Parent/Carer,

Bikeability Level 2 training is about to be conducted at Langbank Primary. It is designed to develop road sense, awareness of traffic hazards, and to improve your child's ability to ride safely.

During the course your child may receive homework/literature to be completed at home, and your support in going through this with your child will help him or her develop road safety skills, knowledge and attitudes much more effectively.

Your child will need a bicycle in a roadworthy condition in order to participate in the course. **A bike check will be carried out at the school on Monday 24th August.**

Further dates for bikeability training are:

Monday 24th August
Monday 31st August
Monday 7th Sept
Monday 14th Sept
Monday 21st Sept
Monday 5th October
Monday 19th October
Monday 26th October

A Parent's Guide will be uploaded on to the website. It is of great importance that acceptable head protection for your child and suitable outdoor clothing should be worn.

Part of the training will take place on the public roads. Your child will go through a process of assessment and will be continually assessed and monitored on their progress. At the end of their training he or she will be issued with a certificate and badge from Bikeability Scotland (Level 2). The certificate will give you a clear indication of how your child has been graded on Observation, Safe Road Positioning and Signalling, highlighting areas that require further guidance.

Director of Children's Services: Steven Quinn

Only the basics of safe cycling can be learnt on this type of course, and it is very important that you continue to provide road safety help and guidance to your child after the course.

Please note, Renfrewshire Council/Leisure will not be responsible for damage or loss of a child's bicycle.

A Bikeability permission form will be uploaded onto parent pay for you to complete. We kindly ask that these forms are completed by Friday 21st August.

If you have any further questions regarding this, please do not hesitate to contact the school.

Yours faithfully,

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Michelle Ferguson

Head Teacher