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Dear Parent(s) / Carer(s),

Your child has expressed an interest in taking part in this years Bikeability programme. Rather than spreading the lessons out over the course of a half term, Nottinghamshire County Council have opted to condense the programme, for each group of children, into 2 full days. The lessons will begin in the morning and run through until the end of the school day.

The children will be divided into either 3 or 4 groups, depending on the number of permission slips we receive by Thursday 4th October.

Group 1 dates

Level 1 lesson	Level 2 lessons		
Lesson 1	Lesson 2	Lesson 3	Lesson 4
11/10/18 (am)	11/10/18 (pm)	12/10/18 (am)	12/10/18 (pm)

Group 2 dates

Level 1 lesson	Level 2 lessons		
Lesson 1	Lesson 2	Lesson 3	Lesson 4
18/10/18 (am)	18/10/18 (pm)	19/10/18 (am)	19/10/18 (pm)

Group 3 dates

Level 1 lesson	Level 2 lessons		
Lesson 1	Lesson 2	Lesson 3	Lesson 4
25/10/18 (am)	25/10/18 (pm)	26/10/18 (am)	26/10/18 (pm)

If there is sufficient interest for the need of a fourth group, we will confirm these dates and times in the confirmation letter, which we will send out to parents inside the next fortnight.



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Please be aware that children will need to bring their own suitable bike, which is of an appropriate size and has working front and back brakes. Cycle helmets will also be required. For further details, see the attached information sheets.

All decisions relating to whether each bike is fit for purpose and whether pupils pass or fail each level is made by the Bikeability staffing team.

We suggest that children come to school dressed in their own clothing, which would be appropriate for cycling in i.e. a jumper / hoody and jogging bottoms. Children will be required to go out in most weather conditions, including light rain. Therefore, we strongly advise that children have a light raincoat with them in school.

Staff from Nottinghamshire County Council will be visiting school next Thursday (04/10/18), before the lessons start, to collect completed parental permission slips.

For more information regarding the Bikeability programme, please visit the following website www.bikeability.org.uk

It is essential that you carefully read the attached form and complete and return the reply slip before Thursday 4th October.

Should you have any further questions, do not hesitate to contact Mr Smith.

Yours sincerely

Mr Smith