



Year 5 Safe Cycling

Dear Parents/Guardians,

The children in Year 5 will be taking part in a safe cycling programme week commencing:

Monday 8th April 2024 - 5HB

Monday 15th April 2024 - 5AC

The children will learn basic road safety elements, which include riding safely, signalling, moving into the correct part of the road and manoeuvring their bike. The school gates will be closed during this time and the children will practise using the roads that are within the school gates.

The children will need to bring a suitably sized bike into school, along with a cycling helmet.

Wearing a helmet is compulsory – your child will not be able to take part in the course if they do not wear one. Please note, your child will need to be able to ride a bike without stabilisers, confidently on tarmac in order to complete this course. The children's bikes will be kept securely within the school overnight.

Newport City Council have suggested that it isn't safe for children to wear skirts, therefore please ensure your child either wears trousers or has them in their bag to change into. We would also recommend that your child wears sensible footwear, such as trainers.

If you have any queries regarding any of the above please do not hesitate to contact us. Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

Year 5 Teachers