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13th February 2015

Dear Parents/Guardians,

The Year 5 children have the opportunity to have one and a half days of intensive cycle training as part of the 'Bikeability' national cycling safety scheme. The training will take place between Tuesday 24th February and Thursday 26th February.

The children will work towards Bikeability Level 1 on the first day. This day aims to allow the children to master and control the bike. The first day takes place entirely on the school playground and only children that pass Level 1 can move onto Level 2. The second day, Level 2, involves the children riding under supervision on quieter roads, close to the school, through a number of scenarios. Throughout the days strict safety rules will be in place. If a child cannot follow the rules given to them then they will not be able to continue with the scheme.

For both days, children can use their own bicycles and safety equipment. The instructors will conduct a safety check on any bikes or equipment brought in. The instructing team also have a number of bicycles and helmets that the children can use should they wish to do so or if their own equipment does not meet the safety standards. If your child does not have a bicycle or helmet then they will be given one to use for each day. The children should wear comfortable clothing for the two days.

If you wish to find out more the website is www.bikeability.org.uk I hope that your child is able to take part in this wonderful opportunity and develop their road safety skills. Please complete the permission slip and return to school on or before Monday 23rd February.

Yours sincerely,

Mr G Easby

Year 5 Bikeability

I give permission for _____ to take part in the Bikeability Training Scheme at and around Market Rasen C of E Primary School between Tuesday 24th February and Thursday 26th February.

Please tick as appropriate

My child will be using their own bicycle.

My child will be using their own safety helmet.

Signed _____ Parent/Guardian.

Printed name _____

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