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Dear Parents

BIKEABILITY TRAINING

We have been fortunate enough in the past to secure Bikeability training for our year 5 pupils at the start of each academic year. Unfortunately, due to a 20% cut in Government funding for the Bikeability programme the booking system and priorities have now changed.

We hope to still be able to book places for our year 5 pupils for the academic year 2017/2018, but at this stage cannot guarantee that enough places will be available.

The criteria for pupils has also been changed and the following information should be noted:-

- They are no longer able to deliver training to non-riders.
- If students have participated in the training in year 5, they cannot repeat it in year 6.
- Dates for training will not be known until the booking lines are open, therefore we cannot advise when the training will take place.
- If we cannot secure enough places for all our pupils, names will be drawn at random.

It is necessary for us to provide **accurate provisional** numbers at the time of booking, so if your child would like to take part during the next academic year, please complete the reply slip below. If we do not receive a slip now, it may not be possible for your child to be added on at a later date, so it is important to register your interest now. **REPLY SLIPS MUST BE RETURNED BY THURSDAY 15 MARCH.**

Yours sincerely

Mrs S Nicholas-Bond
Headteacher

BIKEABILITY TRAINING FOR 2017/2018

Child's name: Class:

I would like my child to be considered for the bikeability training next year but understand that no places are guaranteed at this stage.

Signed: Print: Date: