

Cycle/Scooter sessions at Sandy Hill Academy on Friday 29th March

Dear Parent /Carer,

As part of the **Sustrans** schools programme to promote sustainable travel to school your child has the opportunity to take part in a cycle/scooter session on **Friday 29th March**.

The **cycle and scooter** sessions are open to children in KS2 **who are able to ride a scooter or bike (without stabilisers)** and will be held on the playground. These fun sessions aim to develop the children's skills and increase their confidence.

Sessions will take place on the playground and will last approximately one hour.

The school strongly recommends the use of helmets whilst cycling & scooting. Your child **will not** be able to take part without one-so please ensure they bring a fitting helmet to the training.

If you wish for your child to take part, please fill out the form below, and return to their teacher.

Please ensure your child's bike is safe to ride. The main things to check are the **brakes** (two working brakes), **tyres** (pumped up and not worn) and **saddle height** (correct for your child-saddle allowing both of their feet to touch the ground).

On scooters-ensure all fixings are secure and it has a working foot brake.

If your child uses a lock, then please ensure they have their key with them.

This session takes place during **the Big Pedal challenge (25 March- 5 April)** where all active journeys made to school by pupils and parents count towards the school's total...do get involved!

If you have any questions, please contact Ms Bingham who is the active travel champion in school.

Kind regards



Nick Ratcliffe
Sustrans project officer

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Parent's or Guardian's consent form for participation in Sustrans session taking place on Friday 29th March:	
Pupil's full name:	Class:
Name of event: KS2 cycle/scooter skills session	
Parent's or carers signature:	
Please return this completed form to your child's class teacher.	