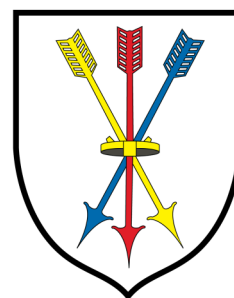


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Dear Parents

## CHILDREN CYCLING TO SCHOOL

Hampshire County Council and the School Governing Body seek the co-operation of parents in a determined effort to prevent accidents to cyclists. At Purbrook Junior School we provide training under the Bikeability Scheme for children in Year 6.

**The decision whether a child can cycle to school is the responsibility of the parents/carers.**

However, the school would like to recommend that:

- The child's bicycle is of a suitable size for the child
- The brakes are in good working condition
- The tyres are in good condition
- The reflectors are clean and effective
- The child is a competent cyclist (to either cycle to school accompanied or unaccompanied)
- The child will cycle sensibly on the journey to and from school
- The child will wear a suitable cycle helmet

Children **MUST NOT** ride bikes in the school grounds unless the child is taking part in Bikeability Training or another organised school activity.

Bicycles must be stored in the bicycle racks opposite reception and parents are strongly advised to provide a cycle lock to safeguard them against possible theft. **Hampshire County Council, Purbrook Junior School, nor its employees can be held responsible for any loss, or damage to, a child's bicycle.**

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'C Williams', written in a cursive style.

Mr C Williams  
Headteacher