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18<sup>th</sup> September 2017

Dear Parent/Carer

**Bikeability Training for Year 6 Pupils**

Hookstone Chase has once again been allocated places on the 'Bikeability' Training offered free of charge by North Yorkshire County Council. We have the following courses booked:

Course One: Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> October for 18 pupils

Course Two: Monday 30<sup>th</sup> October and Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> October for 12 pupils

The training will take place in the playground and local roads during the school day with the usual school breaks and lunch. At the end of the course each child will be given a badge and certificate. The course does not guarantee a child's safety on the road but provides a basic level of instruction in safer cycling.

Bikeability was developed by more than 20 professional organisations including the Royal Society for Prevention against Accidents and is supported by cross-Government departments including the Department for Transport, Department of Health and Department for Education.

Attached is a letter from the NYCC Road Safety Department giving more details about the training.

Please indicate on the proforma below on this letter whether or not your child would be interested in taking part on the Bikeability course and return to school by **Monday 25<sup>th</sup> September**. We will then issue the NYCC Parental Consent Form, Cycle Helmet & Bicycle Check List and 'Tales of the Road' which is the Bikeability Highway Code to those who wish to take part.

Yours sincerely

Ann Wheatcroft  
 Headteacher

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To: Miss Wheatcroft

I would / would not like my child ..... Class: .....  
 to take part in the Bikeability Training being offered by North Yorkshire County Council.

Signed: ..... Date: .....  
 Parent/Carer