

## Beauchamps High School

## Business and Enterprise Centre of Excellence for Learning



## Dear Parent/Guardian,

Your son/daughter has requested permission to cycle/scoot to school. Whilst we have no objection to this we must state at the outset that any evidence of reckless riding either to or from school will result in this privilege being withdrawn.

In an effort to improve the general level of safety for our students who cycle/scoot to school, parents should ensure that:

- The bicycle/scooter is regularly serviced and maintained
- The bicycle has two effective braking systems
- Front and rear lights MUST be used when cycling to or from school when it is dark
- Students obey the Highway Code as it relates to cycling/scooting
- The bicycle is fitted with white front and red rear reflectors

In addition, there is to be no cycling/scooting in the school grounds and students must dismount at the school gate.

## Furthermore it is recommended that:

- Your child wears a helmet
- · Your child wears reflective bands or clothing when cycling/scooting
- Your child has taken cycle proficiency training
- The bicycle/scooter is post coded
- The bicycle/scooter should be securely locked when left at school (please note that the school cannot accept any responsibility for theft or damage that may occur)

If you wish your child to cycle/scoot to school, please complete the attached form and return it to school as soon as possible.

Please note that the school accepts no liability for the loss or damage to cycles or scooters on the school site, whatever the circumstances.

Yours sincerely

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