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Modeshift STARS at Meersbrook Bank Primary “Learn to Ride”

Dear Parents and Carers,

As part of Meersbrook Bank’s involvement with the Modeshift STARS Active Travel project, we have arranged for a playground based ‘**Learn to Ride**’ session to take place on **Wednesday 27th November**. These sessions are for children who **CANNOT** ride a bike independently and without stabilisers. They are also suitable for those who are very new to riding and struggle to balance and/or steer.

The children will be taught in small groups of 5-6 and each group will have a 40-minute session on the school playground.

Please note that your child will need to bring in their own bike and helmet for this activity.

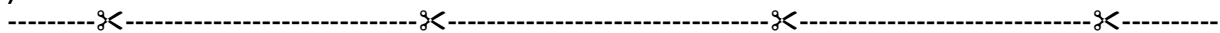
The session will be supervised by Natalie Blake, STARS School Engagement Officer.

ESSENTIAL INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR BIKE:

- You will need a bike that is small enough for your child’s feet to easily touch the ground.
- It must have good **working** front and rear **brakes**
- It must have well **pumped-up tyres**
- The bike must be in good condition as there is no time to do maintenance.
- **Please remove the stabilisers before bringing the bike to school.**
- All children must wear **cycle helmets** and comfortable clothes.

Please return the reply slip below to the school office by Friday 8th November at the latest if your child **CANNOT** cycle without stabilisers and you wish them to take part in a Learn to Ride session.

Kindest Regards,
Mrs C. Tierney
Deputy Headteacher



Parent’s or Guardian’s consent form for participation in Learn to Ride event:	
Pupil’s full name:	
Class:	
Name of event:	Learn to Ride
Date of event:	Wednesday 27th November 2024
Equipment necessary:	A bike (in good condition as above), a helmet
Parent’s or guardian’s signature:	

