

Philosophical Basis

The Bike Education Program will encourage the development of responsible behaviours, attitudes and decision making skills for the safe use of bicycles.

Guidelines

- 1.1 A member of staff will be appointed as Bike Education Coordinator to plan, organise and coordinate the Bike Education Program.
- 1.2 The teacher in charge of the Bike Education Program would be a pre-trained Bike Education Instructor.
- 1.3 The Bike Education Training program will be a series of progressive lessons held in Term 4 for Level 5 and Level 6 students.
- 1.4 The Bike Education course will be used to improve knowledge and understanding of the road traffic environment and the law. Basic safe riding strategies at school and within the community will be taught.
- 1.5 Parent volunteers may be asked to assist with children at the teacher's discretion.
- 1.6 Teachers should be encouraged to complete the Bike Education course.
- 1.7 Provision should be made, where possible, that all children participate in the program.
- 1.8 Students from Level 4 to Level 6 can ride to and from school unaccompanied by an adult. Children from Foundation to Level 3 can only ride to and from school if they are fully supervised by an adult.

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