

Dear parents of Year 4 pupils,

As part of our Year 4 PSHCE curriculum we will be carrying out pedestrian training with both classes. This is a program run by Worcestershire County Council.

It will teach children the importance of being aware of various aspects of road safety, for example the different types of pedestrian crossings. These are skills which will be used by our children as they are now reaching an age where they may begin to make journeys by themselves.

The program will initially involve a learning walk where the children will be taken around the immediate area, and will be shown potential dangers (such as driveways) and how to deal with them. Over the next couple of weeks, they will then take part in a series of lessons led by their class teacher, before taking part in an observed walk where they will walk the same route as before, but observed by a series of adults who will mark the children on their pedestrian skills.

The route will be fully monitored and at no time will a child be out of sight of an adult. **To achieve this, we do ask for parent marshals on the observed walk, so please indicate on your child's consent form if you are able to help during the observed walk.**

There is a cost of £2.50 per child for this training, which includes a certificate and a badge, when the course has been completed. Please pay via Parent Pay.

If you have any questions or concerns at all, please do come and talk to us and we will be able to offer you further information.

Learning walks:

4AW – Monday 15<sup>th</sup> January

4VW – Friday 19<sup>th</sup> January

4B – Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> January

Observed walk (all three classes): Friday 26<sup>th</sup> January

Kind regards,

Miss Wells

Miss Willcox

Miss Brown

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I am able to help as a marshall on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> January

Name of child \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_

Parent signature: \_\_\_\_\_